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The eight-year-old daughter of Mr. M. Percy, Addington county, Ont., was choked to death with a collar button with which she was playing.

Trade in poultry between Britian and Canada has increased 100 per cent. in 25 years.

### Excursion to Montreal.

Arrangements have been completed whereby the Methodist church of Mountain will run an excursion to Montreal on Wednesday, April 10th. The train will leave here at 8.48 a.m. Adult fare, $2.05; child fare, $1.05; Finch 9.02 a.m., fare, $2.05; child fare $1.05. Winchester 8.43 a.m ; fare, $2.05; child fare, $1.05.

The train will arrive at Montreal at 11.20. Returning, train leaves Windsor station at 11 p.m. Tickets are good on all regular trains the following day. Torrey and Alexander, the evangelists, are holding meetings in St. James' Methodist church, and this will give, any who desire, an opportunity of hearing these noted evangelists. Remember the date, and if you want a cheap passage to Montreal, get ready for the 10th of April.

**Miss Flora Donaldson is a lady of charming personality, handsome stage presence, with the personal megnetism possessed only by the few, and possesses a rich soprano voice of great range and power, flexibility and sympathy. Odd-Fellows' Concert, Foster's Hall, Chesterville, Tuesday Evening, April 16, '07.**

C. L. of Campbellford was selected as the candidate for the house of Commons by the Liberal-Conservative convention of East Northumberland, held at Warkworth.

James Graham, an employe of Rider & Kitchener Co., Lindsay, while at work slipped and fell into a tank of boiling water. His condition is critical.

### Notice.

THE lady that exchanged three-quarter length black Astrachan coat on or about the first of March at Mr. Mike Welch's, will find her coat left at Ottawa Hotel, Berwick, for exchange for the one she took, and as identity is known, please return said coat and save any further trouble.

### Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Thomas Flynn of Chesterville, in the County of Dundas, has made application to me for a tavern license for the year 1907 and 1908, in the premises now occupied by him in said village and known as the Dominion House.

During the year 1906 and 1907 ten licenses were granted in this county and nine applications for licenses have been received for the year 1907 and 1908.

E. P. FOSTER, Dundela,
Inspector of Licenses.

MEETING OF

## License Commissioners

Public Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the County of Dundas will be held at the McCloskey House, in the

Village of CHESTERVILLE

—ON—

**Monday, 22nd of April, 1907**

**At the hour of 10 o'clock, a.m.**

For the purpose of considering applications for licenses for the year 1907 and 1908.

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### LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS.

The social club held a very succesful assembly in the town hall on Tuesday evening.

The road roller recently purchased by the council of Chesterville has arrived at the depot here.

Mr. Creighton Johnston sold his fancy carriage mare to foreign buyers yesterday, at a good price.

Mr. Frank Merkley has rented the barber shop from Horatio Merkley, and took possession on Monday.

The Chesterville Larder Lake Gold Mining comany, limited, capital $1,000,000, head office Chesterville, Ont , has been gazetted.

Mr. Fred Pelletier has secured a situation with a Mr. Barkley in a barber shop at Morrisburg, and left for that place on Monday.

In the obituary notice of last week of the late Adam McQueen of Berwick, the name of Mr. Murdock McQueen, a brother, was omitted from the list.

The License Comissioners for the County of Dundas, meet here on Monday, the 22nd inst., for the purpose of considering applicants for licenses.

The water in the river was rather high this year, owing no doubt to the extreme thickness of the ice, but at the present time it is about at its normal level.

The blacksmiths of Chesterville and some adjoining places, have joined hands in the raising of prices for shoeing and other work in connection with their business. The new scale of prices went into effect on Monday last.

The Chesterville Larder Lake Gold Mining Co., Ltd., have placed some stock on the market, of which you will notice by announcement in this issue. Mr. C. W. Casselman has whole control of the sale of the stock. It is surmised that the allotment of stock will have a ready sale.

Fires were placed in the furnaces of the tin plate works this week in order to dry them out, as well as test the flues, which were found to work most satisfactorily. The mechanism of these furnaces are possibly, the best to be had, the control of the dampers being simply superb The smoke issuing from the huge stacks on the north side of the building was a pleasing sight to all, it being an indication that ere long the wheels of this great industry will be turning—Morrisburg Leader.

The Royal Scots Entertainer, Mr. Fred Howard, well upheld his title. He introduced "Wee MacGregor," evoking storms of applause—Ottawa News. Odd-Fellows' Concert, Foster's Hall, Chesterville, Tuesday Evening, April 16th, '07.

Mr. R. Link, west of Morrisburg, is a man who believes in having the best in the way of horseflesh —no scrubs will do him—and has just secured a half interest in the celebrated Cleveland Bay Coach Horse, Bedlam Prior II, from Mr. J. Wesley Allison of Morrisburg. This is one of the best horses in his class in this conntry. He is 16-2 hands high, and weighs at the present time about 1500 lbs., beautiful action, excellent color, and so kind that a child can drive him. If there were more progressive men in Dundas county that would have none but the best, the scrub horse would soon be a thing of the past.—Morrisburg Leader.

Campbell's Varnish Stains make a splendid finish for hall and dining room floors. They come in Light and dark Oak, also in cherry, Mahogany, etc. A 75-cent can will do an ordinary room. Ask Fulton Bros.

### Township Council.

A meeting of the Winchester township council was held at Winchester on Saturday, March 30th.

Members all present.

Moved by J. W. Bogart, seconded by Wm. Clark, that the minutes just read be adopted and signed by the reeve.

Moved by Geo. Black, seconded by Patrick Kirby, that by-law No. 121 to provide for the amount of compensation for removing fence between lots 22 and 23 be read a first time.

Moved by J. W. Bogart, seconded by Wm. Clark, that by-law No. 121 be read a second and third time, passed, signed and sealed in open council.

Moved by Geo. Black, seconded by Patrick Kirby, that the reeve and treasurer be authorized to borrow sufficient funds to meet current expenses.

The council adjourned to meet at Morewood on April 27th, at 10.30 a.m.

Chesterville, March, 23, 1907.

C. W. Casselman,

Dear Sir:—I received check in full of my claim against the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Co. Allow me to express my appreciation for the prompt manner in which my claims was paid, it being only one week from the time the claim papers wsre forwarded until I received the check.

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The C. P. R. car shops at Perth are being torn down, and the lumber is being used to build an extension to the present freight sheds.

## The Molsons Bank

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### PERSONAL.

Mr. W. A. Olmstead of Jasper, was in town Friday.

Miss Emma Wheeler of Ottawa, spent Easter here.

Miss Hazel Saucier of Ottawa, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. James Currie, Auctioneer, of Crysler, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Murty of Berwick is spending her Easter holidays in town.

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

Miss C. Jordon is spending the Easter holidays at her home in Perth.

License inspector, E. P. Foster, of Dundela, was in town on Monday.

Miss O'Connor is spending the holidays at her home in Arnprior.

Mr. John Fulton of Avonmore, was in town for a few days this week.

Miss Aggie McCloskey of Ottawa, is spending her Easter holidays here.

Mrs. D. W. Beckstead and children spent Easter week with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. Horton Shirkey of Jasper, Ont., visited his parental home here over Sunday.

Miss Mary Bouck of Morrisburg, visited Miss M. Bolster a few days this week.

Mrs. P. Bogart spent the Easter holidays with he son, J. P. Bogart, at Ottawa.

Mrs. Wood of Montreal, spent Sunday in town the guest of her brother, Gordon Robinson.

Mrs. James McMillan of Elma, was taken to Montreal on Tuesday for an operation.

Miss B. Grady of Alexandria, is spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

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

Mrs. H. E. Bingham of Crysler, is visiting Mr and Mrs. R. D. Fulton of Maple Ridge.

Ina Robinson left Monday for Montreal, where she will spend her holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Henry Hummell was taken to Montreal the first of the week to undergo an operation.

The Misses Minnie and Pearl Smith of Morrisburg, were visiting at Mrs. L. A. Zufelt's this week.

Miss Jennie Munro left on Monday for Montreal, after spending several weeks at her home here.

Mr. A. M. Fulton of Lindsay, was in town on Saturday. Mrs. Fulton accompanied him on his return on Monday.

Miss Lavina Cauley of Smith's Falls, spent a few days with her brother, T. A. Cauley of the Bank of Ottawa staff here.

Messrs. James McRae and Earle Merkley, who are attending the Brockville Business College, spent their Easter vacation at their homes here.

### Unique Evangelists Near Havelock.

Two evangelists, an Englishman and a Scotchman are holding strange revival meetings in a school house about one half mile south of Havelock. They supply everything necessary to carry on the services such as heat, light, hymn-books and bibles. They do not take up collections, nor will they accept donations of either money, clothing or food. They work during the day at whatever employment they can get and hold their meetings at night.

Although these evangelists do not accept collections or donations they are laying up treasure for old age in the following way: Every person they convert has to take a solemn oath that they will send one dollar a year to them as long as they live, in order to show their gratitude for having been delivered in the Almighty's hands. The evangelists claim that they do this so as to remind each person they have converted of the time of their deliverance from sin.

The preachers advocate no particular creed, but are only laboring for the extension of God's Kingdom. They are the strangest evangelists that have ever come to that part of the country, and their preaching is attracting large crowds.

### Smallpox At Brockville.

What is thought to be a genuine case of small pox has been discovered on a male patient at the asylum at Brockville, who has been placed in quarantine the skating rink, and a guard placed in charge.

The case has not yet been diagnosed, but the hospital doctors believe it to be smallpox and a general vaccination will take place.

### Trampled By Team.

A possibly fatal accident is reported from Portland, the victim being Joseph Ready, of Perth, who had gone to that place on a visit to relatives. Ready is an invalid from rheumatism, and after being helped out of a wagon, stood holding the horses while the driver went inside with his grip. The horses one of which became unmanageable, and getting him under their feet trampled him before the driver succeeded in rescuing him. One leg was broken and his head and face a mass of cuts and bruises. His recovery is doubtful.

Piles get quick relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic ointment. Remember it's made alone for piles itching, painful, protruding, or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Try it and see! Sold by W. G. Bolster.

### Three Youths Arrested.

On Friday afternoon three young men called at H. McDonald's house, near the G. T. R., a couple of miles east of Cornwall. Mrs. McDonald's was alone at the time, and she says that after being fed, they returned to the house and demanded money. She seized an axe and kept them at bay. After she went inside they forced the door and threatened her with revolvers, but she pluckily kept them out with an axe. The same night a horse and buggy was stolen at Summerstown, and as some of the road bridges were carried off by the flood, the rig was driven down the G. T. R. a couple of miles till the horse was caught where, along with the buggy,, it was found next day. Chief Smith of Cornwall, at once suspected three young men whom he had been keeping an eye on, and, acting on his order, Constable Wren, of Bainsville, captured them at River Beaudette. They gave their names as Joseph Parement, aged 17, and George McGranahan, aged 16, Wm. Pounden, aged 17, all of Montreal. Each carried a loaded revolver and a lot of spare amunition.

**Captivated her audience at the very beginning and held them throughout the entire evening.—Edinburgh Scotsman. Odd-Fellows' Concert, Foster's Hall, Chesterville, Tuesday Evening, April 16, '07.**

### A Pleasant Evening Spent.

The "At Home," held by the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church in the Town Hall on Monday night was quite a success. The hall was very prettily decorated for the occasion. The first part of the evening was devoted to games which all enjoyed, A short programme was rendered by Mrs. Evans and Miss Hazel Saucier piano solos, Mr. D. Bolster and Miss Jennie Beatty, violin duett, Messrs. Woods, Bolster and Fetterly two trios. All the numbers were well rendered and heartily applauded. All present did ample justice to a very sumptuous supply of good things provided by the ladies. The At Home ended at 10.30 with "God Save the King."

### MARRIED.

LASELLE—BARKLEY—At the Presbyterian Manse, Chesterville, by the Rev. W. F. Crawford, on Wednesday evening, March 27th, 1907, Edgar Laselle to Sarah Barkley, both of Chesterville.

MCNEIL—LOUGH—At the Baptist parsonage, Ormond by R Rev A. C. Campbell on March 27th, 1907, Mr. James McNeil of Crysler to Flossie, youngest daughter of Mr Alex. Lough of Ormond.

### DIED.

FORSYTHE.—At Newington on March 3rd, 1907, Eleanor Ross, wife of George F. Forsythe, aged 27½ years.

MCQUEEN—At Berwick, Ont., on March 22nd 1907, Adam McQueen, aged 31 years.

# Face to Face

## OR, GERVASE RICKMAN'S AMBITION.

CHAPTER III.

The Merlons left early, and Gervase Rickman looked expectantly at Edward, thinking he would follow them, which he did not. Mr. Rickman had long since vanished into the charmed privacy of his study, and Mrs. Rickman had gone in to avoid the dew, but sat at work in a window looking out on the garden.

"I must go to the shearers' supper," Gervase said at last. "Perhaps, Annesley, you would not care to look in as well. You would find the humors of a shear-feast stale?"

"Of course he would," Sibyl replied for him. "But I shall go and have my health drunk. Nonsense, Gervase, I shall go. You know I always do look in for a minute. Come at once."

She took her brother's arm and bore him off, protesting, laughingly, it is true, yet seriously annoyed with Sibyl for coming with him, and angry at Annesley's bad taste in remaining with Alice.

The shearers' supper was spread in the kitchen, a long, low, dark room with black oaken beams, filled now with the odor of hot food, the clatter of knives and forks and human voices, and the Rembrandt shadows caused by the fire-light playing on the mingled dusk and steam.

Good ale and good beef had by this time brought the slow-working heavy machinery of rustic speech into full play. Raysh Squire was telling his best story; that of the smugglers hidden in a tomb, whose morning uprising from their hiding-place made some early laborers going forth to work think the last day was come. John Nobbs had just brought forth a new and powerful joke, at the remembrance of which his waistcoat still heaved spasmodically. He was considering which of his songs, "In the Lowlands Low," or "A Gentle Maiden, Fair and Young," he would sing. Sibyl would fain have lingered at this scene, the unsophisticated humors of which pleased her lively fancy, but after the singing of

"Here's a health unto our Measter,
the vounder of the veast,"

Gervase insisted on her going.

She went out slowly, and leaving the garden, passed round by the barns, and strolled away in the balmy June gloaming, until she reached the belt of firs, the moaning music of which was now still for awhile; there she stopped and saw the first pale stars tremble into the transparent lemon-tinted sky.

She turned her face to the beautiful west, leaned her arms upon the rail fence, beyond which the shorn sheep were browsing with plaintive bleating and mellow bell-tinkling, and watched the familiar miracle of the star-rising with all the enthusiasm of romantic youth; her ardent imagination suggesting thoughts and aspirations, and conjuring up visions hidden from others; for Sibyl had the sublime misfortune to be a poet, as if being a woman were not bad enough.

A nightingale's song, mellow, rich and turbulent, poured from a copse hard by, and the tears sprung to Sibyl's eyes.

"When the world is so beautiful," she mused, "and there is the hope of one still more beautiful, what can we want more?"

Then she fell into a train of thought, trying to find out and give expression to the broad, general meaning of those confused and conflicting currents which make up the full stream of human life. The best thing in youth, next to its unspoiled capacity for enjoyment, is the limitless field of vision and conjecture which its dim future offers. Sibyl stood solitary and pensive in the summer twilight, and mused upon the mighty current of human life, and her own little portion of it, trying to picture what the future might bring her, with an ardent face and infinite depths of thought in her dark eyes. She saw her parents bending under the burden of years, and clinging to her for support; she saw herself expressing thoughts which sometimes threatened to consume her, and establishing a subtle sympathy between herself and thousands of unknown souls. But one side of life might never fully be revealed to her, a whole sequence of joys and sorrows must be denied her, she could be only the spectator of the leading events in the drama of life. Thus, she reflected, she might get a truer image of the whole than if her vision were distorted by the storm and stress of personal experience. For some deep instinct made a fair unbroken view of life necessary to Sibyl.

So these thoughts came to her as she lingered beneath the firs, her bright face lifted to the sky and irradiated by its lustre; these, and others too deep or too sad to be uttered.

In the meantime Edward found the opportunity he had so carefully sought. He was alone with Alice, whose spirit was stirred by the thought that a crisis in her life was approaching, and still more by the fear that she might be too weak to pass triumphantly through it. They strolled silently between the tall white sentinel lilies, the dazzling petals of which shone in glorious purity against the green of the espaliers. Edward was too overcharged with feeling to speak, and his heart misgave him when he perceived how changed Alice's face was since the day when first he saw it. If the face had been dear then, it was tenfold dearer now, though the first glory of youth was gone and its early lustre dimmed. During the past months Alice had suffered a wearing, wasting pain, which he was far from divining, and the perpetual conflict while marring the beauty of her face, had left its stamp in an ethereal charm only seen in those who, like Jacob, have wrestled spiritually and prevailed. The patriarch halted on his thigh after that night's wrestling. No one may issue alive unscarred from such conflict, and Alice never regained her youthful bloom. Her face was thin, her eyes were too bright. And though this suffering was, as he thought, for another, it endeared her to the man who loved her so truly.

Of late she had fought hard against the conclusion which had forced itself upon her by the river-side. Whenever she saw Edward she could not accept the verdict her own reason forced upon her. So it came to pass that her thoughts continually buffeted her and gave her no rest; she rose in the mornings burdened by the weight of another's guilt, and struggled mentally all the day, till at night she lay down with the hope that some misconception existed, and that a straightforward recital of all that occurred on that most unhappy afternoon would remove the stigma from Edward Annesley's name, only to rise and renew the conflict on the morrow. And when he uttered those few words at the tea-table to-day, his voice, the silent devotion in his manner, and the light in his eyes, stirred a new feeling in her, which should have been hope, but was fear. Till now she had not thought that he loved her; she had accepted Gervase's theory that his jealousy, unlike Paul's, was the vile fruit of a light and passing fancy. His very silence, as they paced the turf walk in the balmy evening, told her more eloquently of his love than any speech; and the wild flutter of pulses within her told her too truly that she loved him in return.

After all she was the first to speak; the pent-up resolve to question him at all hazards breaking forth almost before she was aware of it.

"Mr. Annesley," she said, gently and calmly, in spite of the thick heart-beats which threatened to choke her, "I am glad to be alone with you for a moment. I wish to ask you a very serious question." She stopped, facing him, and looked down on the grass at their feet, where the closed daisies really looked like pearls, margaritae. "You will perhaps think it impertinent."

"How is that possible?" he remonstrated, recovering from the first shock of surprise. "Any and every question you care to ask can be but an honor to me."

"You have asked me more than once to be your friend," she continued, "and in that name I venture to ask this, not from curiosity or any mean motive, but solely for your own sake."

"Dearest Miss Lingard, this is too good of you," he replied, when she paused at a loss for further speech. "I, too, have something to ask and something to say, but I will hear first," he smiled, half in pleasant mockery, "what your commands are."

Alice still looked down upon the closed heads of the daisies, her hands nervously locked together before her, her lips compressed, and her face full of feeling and purpose. The setting sun threw a glory upon her; swallows wheeled in the pure pale sky overhead; sheep-bells, farm-yard sounds, birds' songs, and the voices of village children at play, came borne in softened tones upon the still evening air; opening roses, meadow clover, lily scents, and the vague perfume of the young foliage, breathed a charm of fragrance about the two lovers, to whom the whole earth seemed charged with the meaning and melody of etherealized passion. Her heart was overfull, she could scarcely find words to express her burning thoughts.

"You suffer," she said, at last, "under an imputation—that is all the more terrible because it is so vague."

Edward started as if a hand of ice had been laid upon his heart; the whole world changed for him, the sunlight was gray, and the air lost its balm.

"Yes," he replied.

"I have thought," she went on, her heart beating still more rapidly, "much upon it. And I have thought that you might remove this—this reproach."

"I can not," he replied, pale and agitated—"Alice, I can not."

Alice's memory vibrated with the words she had heard in the pine wood. "Promise that you will never tell. All need never be known. Above all she must never know." She knew now that she was the Helen of that fratricidal strife.

"Oh, do not say that!" she cried. "Surely, surely you should tell all that happened on that day. Perhaps, after all, you have told all?" she pleaded, wringing her hands in the intensity of her hope. "Oh! you have told all, and what is rumored of something concealed is only scandal," she urged, though his own words about concealment sounded in her memory, even as she spoke, like the boom of a funeral knell.

He turned away, and then he turned again and looked in her agitated face.

"You mean well, dearest Miss Lingard," he said, "but this discussion is as useless as it is painful. I can bear the burden, such as it is. I shall live it down. After all, what is the opinion of others?"

"Is my opinion nothing?" she asked.

"It is everything. Alice, Alice, think as kindly of me as you can. I love you, Alice, I loved you the first moment I saw you; do not mistrust me."

He has now taken her hands and obliged her to look at him, which she did through tears.

"Tell me the whole truth," she said.

"No, Alice; believe me, but do not ask me this," he replied. "Of all people I can never tell you the story of that hour."

"Would it not ease your mind to speak freely to one who—who—who is your friend?" she continued in a way that touched him.

"No," he answered, "no. It can not be. I must ask you to bury this subject in your memory forever. Dearest Alice, I know what sorrow fell upon you on that day. I have not spoken to you of my feelings since, because I respected your grief. But what is past is past, and can not be changed, and you are young and without near ties. And I have loved you, faithfully and truly, ever since that day when I first saw you. And I came here to-day to ask you—not to be my wife—it is oversoon for you to think of that, but to begin a new life and think of my need of you, and let me see you from time to time and try to win you. When you know that my whole heart is bound up in you, will you not try to take me for your husband?"

Alice disengaged the hands he had been clasping in the growing intensity of his words, and stood a little further from him, pausing before she replied, with a strong resolve to put away feeling and listen only to duty.

"Do you know what you are asking, Mr. Annesley?" she asked at last; "you come to me with a stain upon you, and you refuse to remove it by an explanation."

"Time will efface that stain," he replied, shrinking slightly beneath her words, which cut him to the heart. "And though I am not stout enough to face the world's scorn and bear the burden myself, I should never ask a wife to share it. I would ask her to leave this place and let me find her a home where these rumors have not been heard. I know that this is a disadvantage, but if love can atone for anything, my love is strong enough to atone for this. If you could once learn to love me, Alice, and you might in time, the world's opinion would weigh lightly with you."

She was dumb with amazement. The man who stood before her, exalted by honest feeling, his face earnest, and his voice eloquent with passion, could not be guilty of what was imputed to him, she longed for mental blindness, she would have given half her life not to have overheard his compact with Gervase, or Gervase's subsequent hints. If she could but wipe that hour from her memory and trust him, as he expected her to trust him, then she could give herself to him with perfect unreserve and share the burden that was pressing so heavily upon him, with no reproach from her conscience.

"Mr. Annesley," she at last replied, coldly, "you can not love me if you do not trust me. And if you trusted me, you would confide your secret to me."

"My secret!" a red flush rushed over his face. "Why do you attribute a secret to me? I see that I can never win your love, since I have not won your trust."

He turned away, his face dark in the chill twilight, and the misery in it went to Alice's heart. "Let me trust you," she besought him, "tell me what foundation there is for these dark surmises. Believe me, Mr. Annesley, I should like to trust you," she added, with a pathos which moved and yet gladdened him. Surely there was a little love in that beseeching voice, he thought, and he seemed to see it in the face upon which he turned to gaze in the pale twilight.

"Trust me," he said, his voice vibrating with strong feeling, "trust me perfectly with a large, unquestioning trust. Remember, once for all, I can not clear up this mystery. You do not know what you ask, or you would never ask it. Trust me."

Alice began to tremble again, and she clasped her hands together with a silent prayer for guidance. It would be so sweet to say "I trust you;" but, knowing what she knew, so wrong; the thing she was asked to condone was too terrible.

"No," she replied, "I can not trust one who does not trust me."

He was silent and heart-struck. Once more he turned aside and gazed blankly away over the balmy garden, where the flowers poised their heads in a dreamy stillness that seemed to yearn for speech, and a brown mystery of shadow was being woven about he trees, away to the firs, beneath which Sibyl was standing unseen, to the meadows where the sheep were gazing tranquilly in the mystic gloaming, to the coppice from the green heart of which a nightingale was singing, to the hill dark against the sky which was bright with the after-glow and pierced by a few pale, faint stars.

"I do trust you, and I love you as I shall never love again," he said, after a brief, sharp spasm of pain, "but it is all over now. Only think as kindly as you can of me, Alice, and remember me when you want a friend."

He was going, but an overwhelming impulse moved her to delay him.

"Stay," she cried; "do not go like this."

He came back quickly, took her hands, and spoke without reserve wild words of passion.

"Hush!" she cried; "do not speak like that," and he was silent.

"Think it over," he said, presently, "I can wait. Say that I may come again later."

The apparition of Gervase at the end of the turf walk made them start asunder, and they went to meet him, the agitation in their faces hidden by the friendly dusk. Gervase appeared surprised to see them. "I thought you had gone long ago, Annesley," he said, apparently untroubled by the thought that his company was superfluous. "What a charming night! Somebody said Sibyl was out here; have you seen her, Alice?"

"It is later than I thought," said Edward; "these long days deceive one. There is no real night at all."

"The moon will rise soon," returned Gervase; "you had better wait for her. I envy you your ride over the downs. When are you and I to have our moonlight stroll, Alice?"

"Not to-night," she replied, "I am tired." And when they reached the garden door she vanished into the shadowed house with a brief "good-night," responding by a slight inclination of the head to Edward's murmured injunction, "Write."

Then he rode away in the dewy silence, and thought it all over with a heavy heart in which there glowed scarcely a spark of hope. Over the ghostly downs in the faint dusk and in the rising moonlight he rode, up and down and across for miles and miles, and every rood of land over which he rode was his own. He looked sadly at his fair inheritance sleeping tranquilly in the magical moonlight, woodland, farm and field spread over the undulating down-land, and in the plain beneath; he would have given half his life to be free of it, for the price he had paid for it was too heavy. The face of Paul, as he had last seen it, dark with passion and bitter with mockery, floated before him ghost-like, and took the ethereal sweetness from the moonlight, and dimmed the glory of the calm infinite night. He saw well that the dead Paul was as serious a barrier as the living one had been. Even if Alice recovered from her sorrow, this silence between them must ever keep them apart; since she did not trust him, he could never hope to win her love.

While he rode away thus in the dim summer night, the tranquil household at Arden quieted down, and when the family had retired for the night, Sibyl knocked at Alice's door and entered her room.

"Have you anything to say to me to-night?' she asked.

"Nothing," replied Alice, who was accustomed to this little formula, the prelude to some sisterly confidence; "have you anything to confess?"

"My sins have not been very black to-day," replied Sibyl, kissing her with unwonted tenderness, "but I thought—Alice, have you sent him away?"

Alice silently kissed her forehead.

"All the world is against him," continued Sibyl; "you should stand by his side."

Alice burst into tears, and said nothing.

"Is it because you believe these hateful scandals?" Sibyl went on. "Surely you can not think there is any truth in them?"

"I think," said Alice, lifting her head from Sibyl's shoulder, "that he ought to clear himself."

"How could he?"

"He should make a full and clear statement of all that he did that afternoon."

"Yes. And publish it in the papers, and make the town-crier proclaim it in Medington streets," retorted Sibyl, scornfully, "and who would believe it?".

It had not occurred to Alice before that he could not now clear himself; that the more he noticed the vague accusations lodged against him, the more substance they would take; that nothing short of a public trial, with its formal charges and formal refutation of them, ending in an acquittal, could efface the stain upon him. If a man is said to be an untrustworthy man, it is impossible to disprove the charge; if he is accused of forgery, he can not be held guilty until the charge is supported by reliable evidence. No special accusation could be brought against Edward Annesley; the worst that was urged against him was matter of surmise at the most. The case stood thus: the cousins had quarreled, and it was known that they had been near each other, if not together, within a few minutes of the violent death of one; it was not known where the survivor was at the moment of the accident, the fatal termination of which only was witnessed by a third person. The death was of great advantage to the survivor, the motive for crime was present. The fact that the dead man's mother refused to meet his heir and her nearest kinsman was impressive. How all this was known, and how all these surmises and conjectures had been built upon the foundation of facts known only to a few persons, and occurring in a foreign country, was a mystery that Edward Annesley and his friends vainly attempted to solve.

"He must have some deadly enemy," Sibyl had said once, whereupon Gervase advised her not to repeat that observation.

"If you wish to ruin a person's reputation," he added, "the best way is to lay some charge that admits no disproof against him, and get it well talked about."

"True," replied Mr. Rickman, who was present, "a germ of fact infinitesimal in magnitude, accompanied by a certain bias, when passed through the minds and mouths of numerous narrators, develops to enormous and unexpected proportions. Each narrator adds from a defective or careless memory; hearsays are reported as witnessed facts; imagination supplies gaps and enhances details, because the innate artistic feeling of mankind demands a properly proportioned story. A savage performs some isolated feat of endurance, he develops into a hero; the deeds of several such heroes are in the course of time attributed to one, whose actions gradually become miraculous, until in the course of ages the brave savage is a god. Such are myths, such is the legendary dawn of history."

These words Alice remembered now, acknowledging their justice, and bitterly regretting and censuring the concealment, which she thought the cause of the whole embroglio.

Better, far better for Edward, she thought, it would have been, had he given himself up to the Cantonal authorities as having been the accidental cause of his cousin's death, if, as she supposed, that death had occurred in the course of a quarrel or struggle in which both had forgotten the dangerous nature of the ground on which they stood. If, as she had often hoped, Edward had merely witnessed the accident, why did he not report what he saw? why was there any concealment? was he afraid of attaching suspicion or blame to himself? Was he, in short, a coward?

"After all," said Sibyl, at the end of their conference in Alice's chamber that summer night, "what do these calumnies matter? They pain him naturally. But he will soon live them down." Which was but an echo of Edward's words in the garden that night, Alice reflected, as the doors closed upon Sibyl, and left her to the unwelcome companionship of her own thoughts.

(To be continued).


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The magnificent new home of the Company, corner of James and Main streets, Hamilton, is one of the finest insurance headquarters in the Dominion, and is a credit to the management and an ornament to the city. It is well worth any citizen's time to drop in and take a look through this fine steel structure, fitted with all the modern conveniences, and finished in the style of the up-to-date New York office buildings. Nothing has been neglected which could add to the comfort of those doing business in it. It is a work at once solid and artistic. It speaks of prosperity, confidence in the future, and that enterprise which commands respect and success. That it will prove as profitable as an investment as it is elegant and imposing architecturally, we confidently believe. The future looks rosy for the Federal Life, which under the management of Mr. David Dexter has attained to such prominence among the successful insurance companies of the Dominion.




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### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

**Interesting Gossip About Some of the World's Prominent People.**

The Kaiser is the best swordsman among European rulers, and he keeps up his skill by practising every day.

King Oscar of Sweden is to-day the only monarch who occasionally dons his crown. His Majesty wears it whenever he faces the Parliament of his kingdom.

Prince Eitel Frederick, the German Emperor's second son, while at college, performed the difficult feat of swimming across the Rhine at Bonn, where the river is very broad, swift, and full of dangerous eddies.

The King of Roumania rules over the youngest monarchy in Europe. The crown he wears is of solid iron, plain and unadorned. It was fashioned, by his desire, from a huge cannon which he and his brave Roumanian troops captured from the Turks at Plevna.

The Sultan of Turkey takes his meals alone save when he entertains Royalties and ambassadors. He eats very sparingly and seldom touches meat. Water is now his principal beverage, supplies of which are conveyed to the Palace in sealed barrels. These are strictly guarded to prevent attempts at poisoning.

Victor Emmanuel has his hobby. As the Prince of Wales has devoted himself to philately, so the King of Italy has given much of his spare time to the collection of coins. His Majesty's collection of the coins of his own country alone amounts to over 50,000 specimens, with a catalogue of nearly 35,000 slips. He is a member of the Numismatic Society of London, and has received the society's gold medal in recognition of his distinguished services to the pursuit.

Senor Machaquito, who recently married Miss Angela Clementson, daughter of a wealthy American, is considered the finest matador in Spain, and makes $500,000 a year. To celebrate his wedding he distributed $10,000 among the poor of Carthagena, and announced his intention of founding two asylums for the aged poor. He first met the lady who is now his wife three years ago, and is said to have given $500 to a local charity in exchange for the privilege of kissing her.

Comparatively little is heard of Sir Arthur Wilson, V. C., but those who serve under him say he is, without doubt, the finest tactician on the active list to-day. The story of his V. C. is most extraordinary. During the Egyptian War he was leading a charge of the Naval Brigade against the Dervishes; when he was half-way through the enemy his sword broke close up to the hilt. Nothing daunted by this, he threw the hilt away and went for the rest of them with his fists. All Wilsons in the service are nicknamed "Tug," so even the Commander is generally spoken of as "Tug Wilson."

A delightful story is told of General French at the French army manœuvres. He was present at the men's dinner one day, and was smoking his cigar, when he remembered that there were 300 men who had nothing to smoke. Accordingly he took three boxes of cigars from his motor-car, and distributed them to the troops. Without consulting their sergeants, 300 men, aligned in two files and with the precious cigars in their mouths, marched towards the English general, raised the right hand to the cap, held the cigar in the left, and with one voice from 300 throats came "Vive la Russie!" They had mistaken the uniform.

The Queen of Norway speaks five languages fluently, including Russian. Her favorite poet is "Owen Meredith," the late Lord Lytton. Then she knows many minor arts and crafts, sews and spins well, can bind a book, take a photograph, knit stockings, carve wood, play chess, and use a typewriter—which is said to be among her favorite amusements. Like most members of the Royal Family, Queen Maud is a keen collector, and her up-to-date fancy seems to be for ivory tusks, of which she has a fine assortment. At wood-carving she is specially clever, and some of her friends possess pipes with grotesque heads, which have been carved for them by her.




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## NOTES AND COMMENTS

The latest fashions in insurance agents is the earthquake man. A growing business, it is said, is being done in insuring earthquake risks in England. Recently an insurance against earthquake was effected by a leading firm in Oxford Street, London, for about a million dollars. Prof. Belaro's despatches from the Laibach observatory are impressing the idea on the public that there is a period of instability in the earth's crust, and mortgages are demanding that earthquake insurance be effected. Ordinary insurance companies have a clause in their fire policies barring damage by earthquake in England as elsewhere. The system of insuring against earth tremors is likely to extend if reports of disturbances continue to be received from scientific observers.

Have we solved Rome's secret? It has been for years a hidden secret from builders how the Roman masons hundreds and thousands of years ago managed to make mortar which practically defied the ravages of time. In the ruins of old castles, churches, etc., one frequently will see an overhanging arch, the other side of which has been battered down perhaps by cannon balls years ago. This fragment seems to defy the laws of gravitation owing to the excellent binding of the mortar. It now is stated that the Hungarian chemist Brunn has discovered the secret of this and has compounded a liquid chemical which renders certain kinds of matter proof against the effects of wind and weather. Prof. Brunn says that it doubles the density of nearly every kind of stone and renders it waterproof. It imparts to all metals qualities which defy rust and oxygen.

Up with the sun is the Japanese farmer. Rather, he is up before daybreak and at work in his sterile fields, whose productivity has been exhausted except under high fertilization. He returns to his little shanty at nightfall. To the view of the foreigner, he never rests, and for this never-ending labor he raises a crop of rice or corn that does not support his family for the year. His clothing consists of a loin cloth in summer and a coarse cotton suit in the winter. He simply is an example of all the laborers and artisans of Japan. All work hard to live and all receive a compensation commensurate with that of the farmer. This is an average scale of daily returns: Laborer, 10 cents; mason, 15 cents; artisan, 10 to 20 cents; clerk, 40 to 50 cents.

"Hands up!" cries the custom house officer with the X-ray. Even such tricks as hiding jewels in hollow shoe heels or swallowing diamonds cannot be depended on longer to cheat him. In the French government tests of the X-ray by Detective Alphonse Le Roux persons representing smuggling passengers have been examined without removal of clothing or any indignity except being detained a few moments before the apparatus. So rapid is the process that 167 persons received attention in 45 minutes. On these individuals were articles of many kinds variously concealed. Watches were revealed in the lining of a man's coat, rings in the hem of a woman's skirt, a tiny locket under a young man's tongue, watch chains and a bracelet in the coil of a woman's hair, card cases in a man's shoes, and even buttons, proving the presence of gloves, under the clothing over a man's chest.

### IN SOUTH AFRICAN CITIES.

**Depression in Business Drives Australians Home.**

The depressions which prevails in the cities of South Africa is wihout parallel. Business is paralyzed in Cape Town, Johannesburg and Durban, and the newspapers are filled with reports of creditors' meetings and announcements of sales of bankrupt stocks and furniture. Hundreds of offices and shops are untenanted.

George Valder, who represents the Government of New South Wales, states that during the last twelve months, 5,800 people have sailed for Australia from Cape Town alone. He estimates that another 3,000 have left Durban for the same destination. They returned at their own cost. There are hundreds of others who would leave if they had the means.

A few days ago at the request of Mr. Valder, the Mayors of the chief South African cities invited Australians who wished to return and had not the means to send in their names and addresses. A hundred genuine cases have already been reported from Johannesburg, 200 from Durban and about 200 in Cape Town.

All these are to be granted free passage to Australia, and the authorties in Johannesburg are so glad to get rid of the surplus population that they have communicated to Mr. Valder their willingness to pay the fare of the stranded Australians to the port of embarkation.

PA'S OPINION.

Little Willie: "Say, pa, what is an open winter?"

Pa: "Any winter, my son. They are all open to criticism."

KEEP HER PROMISE.

Trixie: "Yes, she promised to marry him, and make him happy."

Tom: "Do you suppose she will?"

Trixie: "Marry him? Oh, yes."

## INCENDIARY CATECHISM

**RED FLAG DOCTRINES TAUGHT IN LONDON'S FREE SCHOOLS.**

**Songs of Riot and Plunder are Sung to Familiar Hymn Tunes.**

"Down with Socialism!" was one of the cries which materially helped the Moderates, or Municipal Reformers, as they are variously termed, to defeat the Progressives at the recent London County Council election and capture an overwhelming majority of the seats, writes a London, England, correspondent. It is probable that one of the first things the victims will do to put a stop to the use of London County Council schools on Sunday for the propagation of socialistic doctrines. The London County Council has been in the habit of letting many of these schools on the Sabbath to various bodies for supposedly religious exercises at merely nominal rentals. In this way the Socialists obtained possession of thirteen of them.

Last Sunday, attracted by the notice, "Socialist Sunday School—All Are Welcome," displayed at the door of one of these temples of rudimentary learning, I entered. In the largest of the classrooms I found assembled about a hundred boys and girls, ranging in age from ten to sixteen years, and some fifty adults. They represented all sorts and conditions, but what might be termed respectable poverty was most in evidence. Most of the boys and the men wore red ties. Behind the teacher's desk sat the superintendent of the Socialist Sunday school, a clean-shaven young man with a sallow complexion and the piercing black eyes that are usually associated with

THE VISIONARY ENTHUSIAST.

The proceedings did not open with prayer. Socialist Sunday schools have no use for prayers. "Good-day, comrades," said the superintendent, rising and rapping on his desk. "Good-day, comrade," was the chorused response. "I will now call the roll of the builders," he continued. "What do I mean by the builders?"

"We are the builders because we are building a new world," shouted the children.

After the roll had been called a hymn was announced. A young woman played the accompaniment on a small organ. The air was a familiar one, but the words were significant of the big difference between a denominational and a Socialist Sunday school. Here is the first verse:

No saviors from on high deliver,
No trust have we in prince or peer;
Our own right hand the chains must shiver,
Chains of hatred, of greed, and fear.
We're tricked by laws and regulations,
Our taxes strip us to the bone.
The rich enjoy the wealth of nations,
But the poor naught can call their own.

Then followed another song from the red hymnal, sung to a familiar tune. It was a harvest hymn. One of the verses ran thus:

The lords have now their vintage,
The bankers claim the corn,
The produce of the farmer,
By craft and guilt is torn.
From both himself and household,
To spend in court and hall,
On minions and their masters
Who crowd the hunt and ball.

And the last verse was a clear indication to

PLUNDER AND LOOTING,

though very likely the youngsters did not see the drift of it:

Arise, O downcast toiler!
With sickle in thy hand.
Two harvests lie this morning
The length of this good land;
The one is now before thee,
With plenty for thy need;
Let the idlers reap the whirlwind
Of which they've sown the seed.

One class was taken to another room to receive catechism instruction. Here is a part of their lesson:

Why do capitalists try to make men work long hours for low wages?—To get big profits, so they may become rich.

Why are men dependent on masters and capitalists?—Because they are in possession of the workshops and things necessary to make wealth.

Most workmen have to go into factories then?—Yes, having no machinery themselves, they must do that or starve.

Do the capitalists employ all men that ask for work?—No. They only employ those out of whom they can make a profit.

What do masters do to get cheap labor?—They try to introduce machinery and employ women, boys and girls in the place of men.

If the masters had their way, to what level do you think they would reduce our fathers' wages?—To the level of Chinamen's wages.

Has that been attempted?—Yes, in South Africa, where they employ Chinamen instead of white men.

The proceedings in the big room wound up with an address from the superintendent. I haven't space to summarize it. It was what in the expressive slang would be called "hot stuff."

I had a few words with the superintendent afterwards.

"We are doing a great work," he said. Our Socialist Sunday Schools in and about London have an average attendance of about 3,000. The to-morrow of history will be written by the children of to-day.

THE SEED WE ARE SOWING

will bear good fruit. The red flag may be dyed in blood before the victory is won. We have put our hands to the plow——" well, and so on.

Outside the Sunday School, I questioned one of the red-tied youngsters who had been put through a portion of the catechism with a view to ascertaining what sort of crop was likely to sprout from the seed sown in his young mind.

"I am going to be a scholar and go to foreign countries and fight," he answered, promptly. "They treats us all right in there," he added. "When they gives us a feed it is better stuff than what he chaps get who go to the Baptist Sunday School. An' father says they don't send any women folk around to worry him about where he's goin' to when he dies, an' to give money to missionaries, instead of spendin' it how he likes."

A few paces further along I ran across a policeman.

I see you have a Socialist Sunday School on your beat?" I said, by way of drawing him out.

"Yes, sir," he answered, "but they don't do any 'arm. Bless you, there ain't no 'arm in any of 'em as long as you lets 'em talk an' blow off steam. It's only when you tries to shut 'em up that they gets ugly. We ain't had no trouble with 'em in London since it was decided after that big row in Trafalgar Square, that it was best to let 'em alone an' do all the spoutin' they wanted to." That seemed to me pretty sound philosophy.

How small is the hold that unadulterated red-flag Socialism really has on the London voters is shown by the fact that the few Socialist candidates at the London county council election, who ran independently as Socialists, received only a few hundred votes where the candidates of the two other parties got thousands.

## WORST IN ALL THE WORLD

**AWFUL ATROCITIES IN THE BELGIAN CONGO.**

**Have Long Been Secretly Practised, But are Now Open to the Nation's Knowledge.**

The world in general, and Great Britain in particular, says London Answers, has been roused to feelings of indignant loathing by the awful atrocities that have been secretly practised for a long time in the Belgian Congo, but which have at last come to light.

In an excellent book, "Red Rubber," written and dedicated to the British public by E. D. Morel, some ghastly stories are told of the unhappy native rubber producers' awful sufferings. The striking sentence that ends the book voices the sentiments of every man and woman in the United Kingdom.

"The reek of its (the Congo Free States') abominations mounts to heaven in fumes of shame. It pollutes the earth. Its speedy disappearance is imperative for Africa and for the world."

KING LEOPOLD'S SHARE.

The shocking cruelty which forms the subject of Mr. Morel's book is attendant upon the Belgian exploitation of the Congo rubber plantations, a traffic in which King Leopold is very largely interested—so largely, in fact, that he may be said to control it through his creatures. "It transpires," says Mr. Morel, "that—after concealing the fact for eight years—the King has set aside a portion of the Congo, four times the size of England, Scotland and Wales, for himself exclusively; and that the net revenues he has derived therefrom in ten years amount to £2,854,000."

Mr. Morel publishes the testimony of a Swedish missionary named Sjoblom, who describes a visit he made to one of the rubber villages. Says the missionary:—

RIGHT HANDS CUT OFF.

"I saw that people had large hammocks, in which they gathered the rubber to be taken to the Commissioner. I also saw smoked hands and prisoners waiting to be taken to the Commissioner. . . . . The people had not been able to bring in the full amount of rubber. The officers, with some soldiers, went along there. Several of the natives were killed. I saw the dead bodies floating on the lake with their right hands cut off, and the officer told me why they had been killed. It was for the rubber! . . . One of the soldiers told me the same. That was about the time I saw a native killed before my own eyes. The soldier said 'Don't take this to heart so much. They kill us if we don't bring the rubber. The Commissioner has promised us if we have plenty of hands that he will shorten our service. I have brought in plenty of hands already, and I expect my time of service will soon be finished.'"

UNSPEAKABLE BRUTALITY.

"A large number of prisoners . . . were improperly fed and cared for, and died at the rate of from three, five, and sometimes ten a day. They were dragged by a piece of 'ngo ji,' tied to their feet, out into the bush; and only a little earth and a few sticks were thrown upon them. Hands and feet were left sticking up, and the stench was awful

"The soldiers seized Balua, the wife of a man named Bontanga, and flogged her, giving her two hundred 'chicotte' (lashes). So severely was she dealt with that blood flowed from her with horrible freedom. She died shortly after. . . . . ."

CALL FOR THE LION.

Mr. Ruskin goes on to say that a lady of his acquaintance, when passing on her way to the schools, saw some men from a distance. They were naked and had been without food and water all day, and so great was their agony that their tongues were hanging out.

"Crime so awful," says the author, in conclusion, "scandal of such magnitude, tragedy so immeasurable — the world surely has never seen their like in combination."

The words are well chosen, but seem hardly forcible enough. Let us hope that the British lion will step in here, as he has often done before in the case of grave distresses of nations, and with prompt and firm action give a measure of peace to a people that for so long has known nothing but misery.

Mistress: "And is the young man you are going to marry well connected?" Maid: "Oh, yes, mum; he belongs to one o' the best aristocratic families, mum." "Indeed! Does he really?" "Oh, yes, mum. He's been with 'em for over four years, now, as coachman, mum."

## IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

**NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.**

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

In the future warship arrangements are to be made so that the boats can be lowered independent of the capstans.

A new children's infirmary, erected at a cost of £68,000, was opened at Liverpool on the 10th instant by the Duchess of Albany.

Legacies amounting to over £270,000 have been left to church and other societies by the late Mr. William Bashallark, of Withnell, Lancanshire.

It is stated in Service circles that the War Office will shortly hold an inquiry into the whole system of granting pensions and other rewards in the army.

A well-known English magistrate was asked the other day if he had tried a certain brand of whiskey. "No," replied the stipendiary, "but I have tried lots that have."

The death is announced of Colonel L. D. H. Currie, who was shot through both legs in the battle of the Alma while in the British Army, and through both arms at Fort Hudson while fighting for the North in the American Civil War.

At Slough, Mr. William Stanley and his wife were buried in the same grave. The husband died after a long illness, and a few days afterwards his wife passed away.

Yarmouth Guardians have purchased a revolving shelter to place in the workhouse grounds for the purpose of treating any consumptive inmates by means of the open air system.

William Cauace, a Lancashire and Yorkshire main line and goods yard inspector, was killed on a crossing near Preston by some wagons which were being shunted. Deceased's son was a witness of the sad occurrence.

"Found drowned" was the verdict at the inquest on the body of Mr. Wm. Corner, a justice of the peace and ex-member of Eccles Town Council, who was found drowned in the Bolton and Bury Canal. Mr. Corner was a master printer in Manchester.

Sarah Rolfe, a widow, who insisted on living alone at Newbury, was recently burnt to death. Taking a candle to go to bed she fell at the top of the stairs. Her clothes caught fire, and she died in terrible agony. Her son, calling in the morning, found her charred remains.

Sir Alexander Acland-Hood, the chief Opposition Whip, told his constituents at Milverton that Radicals had no intention of destroying the House of Lords, because it was "always a useful target for the Radical mudslinger."

The United Kingdom has the smallest proportion of woodland to area of any European country. The planting of trees (says Mr. C. W. Radcliffe Cooke) must therefore be regarded as in the nature of a patriotic act.

At the Technical Institute and School of Art prize distribution at Tonbridge, the secretary deplored the fact that for every five young women who joined an art class only one could be induced to join the cookery class.

Captain H. Campbell Reynold has been promoted by the Sea Lords to be a rear admiral. He is 53 years of age, and entered the service in 1866, being promoted captain in 1897. He served in the Ashanti War and with the Niger expedition. He was promoted for his services. Later he served on the Superb during the operations against Arabi Pasha.

The Pendleton Colliery, near Manchester, is the deepest coal mine in the British Isles. The depth of the workings is 540 fathoms below the surface level of the shafts.

Col. W. L. Davidson, C.B., ex-officer commanding Royal Artillery on Sir Leslie Rundle's staff, has retired on pension. He went through the Zulu, Afghan and Transvaal campaigns.

The cost of the King Edward Bridge over the Tyne up to the end of 1906 was £600,728. Further works and completing approaches are going on.

It was reported by the East Ham Distress Committee that 1,416 applications had been made for assistance, and that the total number now relieved was 4,052.

### NUMBER OF EYELASH HAIRS.

**Different Kinds of Tears—Why Japanese Eyes Look Slanting.**

Prof. Stirling, in his lecture on eyes at the Royal institution, London, recently, gave some instruction in the art of winking. "It requires a veritable education to wink," he remarked, "although 'blinking' is very simple."

He told the audience many strange things about their eyes. The eyelashes, for instance, contain from 100 to 150 hairs on the upper and eighty to ninety on the lower lid; these hairs are replaced about every 100 days. "Rub your finger outward along your eyebrows," he advised, "and you will experience a most pleasant sensation; rub in the opposite direction and you will have a revelation of the exquisite sensitiveness of your eyes."

Tears are of three kinds, he continued:

1. Natural tears, the little flood which nature secretes in the eye to wash away all the dust particles.

2. Psychic tears, which flow when minds are for the moment unbalanced, and

3. Alcoholic tears.

Tears do not always overflow, because there is just a little oily secretion along the edges of our eyelids which keeps the fluid back.

"The Japanese have a peculiar overlapping fold which obscures the real edge of the eyelid. That is why their eyes look 'slanting.' And babies"—all the mothers in the room bent forward—"have just the same fold on their eyes, if you look for it."

UNSELFISH ZEAL.

"Haven't you sometimes sacrificed your conscience in conducting your Trust operations?"

"Oh, yes," answered the billionaire, "but a man who succeeds in the world must expect to make some sacrifices."

## A USE FOR HUMAN SKIN

**WHEN TANNED IT MAKES A VERY DURABLE LEATHER.**

**A Philadelphia Gentleman Has a Beautiful Saddle Made of It.**

It is a fact well known to a very few skilled workmen, and not known at all to the world at large, that human skin can be prepared, tanned, and made into durable articles quite as successfully as can the skin of our four-footed friends. You can say over and over again to yourself that there is really no reason why human skin should not be so utilized, and you can be told by the workmen who handle it that there is nothing gruesome in the work; you can reason and argue with yourself about the matter, and try to be "matter-of-fact and sensible," and still there will be little shudders running through you and creeping up and down your spinal column at the thought of having the skin taken from a human body and made into some article of wearing apparel.

The only way to overcome this sensation, if you want to get over it, is to examine some of the articles made from the skin, and you will find that the leather is very much

LIKE DOGSKIN OR PIGSKIN.

Mr. William Hansell, of Philadelphia, has the largest article which has ever been known to be made from human skin. He was particularly fortunate in getting enough of one grain, and succeeded only after a long and systematic search. The article is a beautiful, pure white saddle, and anyone examining it would be at a loss to tell the kind of skin from which it is made. When you are told, you realize that the pores which show have a familiar look; but when you are given a bit of skin, of which Mr. Hansell has retained a few samples, you are amazed at the thickness. Three layers of skin you know you have, but knowing how easily a needle prick will draw blood, you are astonished to find what a good, thick covering these three thicknesses make. This saddle is made from the skin of one man. A woman's skin, generally speaking, would be too delicate.

Now, it is not to be supposed that there is a general trade in human leather. Human skin is an exceedingly rare article. Sometimes a physician will have a piece made into a cover for an instrument case, and occasionally medical students get enough to be made into a purse or

A PAIR OF SLIPPERS.

Patients sometimes have a belt or a book cover or some such article made from a limb which has been amputated It seems a peculiar mind that would take pleasure in "souvenirs" of this order.

The wearing public are not alone in their aversion to the use of human skin for the purposes to which they unhesitatingly put the hides of animals. It is very hard to get workmen to handle the "leather." Mr. Hansell gave his piece of skin, after it had been tanned, to an old workman who had always made up all his leather goods, and told him to make it into a saddle.

Three weeks the workman kept the skin, and one day he brought the partly finished saddle to Mr. Hansell with some question about finishing. "By the way, Hansell," he remarked as he was leaving, "I wish you would tell me what this skin is. It is the most contrary stuff I ever worked with; it's worse than pig or goat skin."

Very injudiciously Mr. Hansell informed him that it was human leather. At that the workman dropped the half-finished sadle, and left without a word.

HE NEVER RETURNED,

and nothing would induce him to finish his job. Mr. Hansell, after waiting three months, hoping he would change his mind, turned the unfinished saddle over to another workman, but he took good care not to tell him what kind of leather the "contrary stuff" was.

The work of tanning human skin is pretty much the same as that of curing any other skin. Curiously enough, tattooing goes through the epidermis to the under skin, and not a little of the tanning of human skin is done for the purpose of preserving the designs tattooed upon it. Human skin may, however, be tanned with the hair on it, in which case the epidermis is not removed. Scalps so tanned are said to make the best wigs known, and because the tanning is done with alum instead of with oils, as is the case with furs and most of the hair-covered skins of commerce, the resulting leather is much more durable.

## WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS

**WHAT WILL BECOME OF GREAT BRITAIN'S BABIES.**

**Figure Fiend Tells of the Future and Rolls Up the Blinds of the Morning.**

During the year 1907, there will be born in the United Kingdom 1,164,000 children, a few hundreds more or less—says London Answers.

What will become of this immense number of human beings, almost equal to the whole population of Liverpool and Manchester?

The first thing of any importance they will do is commence to die. Within one year after the last birth no fewer than 155,000 will have left the world. Happily this terrible death rate will not continue, but by the time the children reach school age over a quarter of a million will have gone, and somewhat less than 900,000 will remain.

The school age is, curiously, the healthiest period of a human being's life, especially the five years from ten to fifteen. Comparatively few will die, and 865,000 boys and girls will leave school to commence the work of the world.

SOME WILL MELT AWAY.

Before tracing out their careers, let us see how the generation will gradually melt away. By the time they become really valuable members of society at the age of 25, there will be only 826,000 left. At the start there were more boys than girls—in round numbers, 596,000 boys and 568,000 girls. By the age of 25 the men and women have become very nearly equal, but there are perhaps two thousand more men. From some curious reason the boys, from the day they were born, died faster than the girls, and so it continues all through life. Before reaching the 53rd or 54th year, half the men are dead, but not until the 57th or 58th year will half the women have gone to the other world. The result to the whole of the children born this year is that half of them will be alive 55 years hence—850,000 will see the dawn of the year 1962.

WILL VANISH FAST.

Perhaps by that time science will have discovered some means of prolonging life. If not, these remaining 850,000 people will begin to disappear quite rapidly. By the year 1982, when they have reached the age of 75, only 215,000, just 18 out of each hundred will remain. These will veritably stumble over one another into the grave. Not more than 300 out of the vast number of this year's babies will welcome in the year 2008. Of the little band of centenarians, 250 will be women, and only 50 men. What a changed world they will live to see! People will by that year be living very different lives from ours.

WHERE THEY WILL GO.

In whatever part of the world the present year's children will pass their lives, they will melt away pretty much as described. But a considerable number will grow dissatisfied with their native country, and will leave their bones all over the earth.

About 150,000 of them will emigrate, and of these about 109,000 will be English, 23,000 Scotch, and 27,000 Irish. That is to say, one out of every nine English babies of 1907 will go to some foreign country or one of the colonies; nearly one in every six Scotch, and one in every four Irish, babies will do the same.

The largest body of these will go to find a living in the United States, unless things are greatly changed during the century. About one-third will settle in Canada, and the remainder will make their homes in Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, and to a small extent in other British possessions and foreign countries. One thing is pretty certain. Of the little English, Scotch, and Irish beings that come into the world this year samples will be found in all the countries of the globe.


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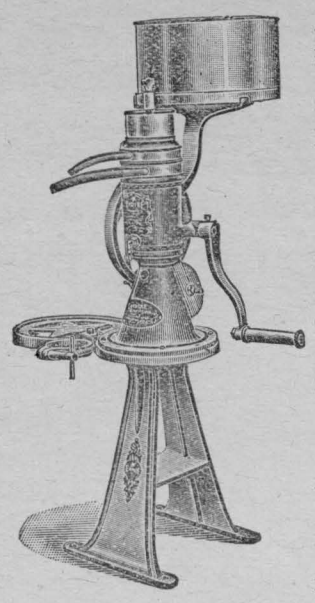

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Yours truly
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Chesterville, July 31, 1906.

Empire Cream Separator Co., Toronto, Ont.

Gentlemen:—Having bought one of your Empire Cream Separators after having tried others, I wish to recommend your Empire for its easy running and the work it does. The Empire skims very close and produces a fine quality of cream. I have never seen another machine so simple in construction. I can highly recommend your Empire Cream Separator.

Yours truly
ROLAND SHAVER, Morewood,

Chesterville, July 31, 1906.

Empire Cream Separator Co., Toronto.

Gentlemen:—Having bought one of your new Improved 2 B Empire Separators I wish to report that it gives me entire satisfaction as to capacity, close skimmer and ease of operation. I can highly recommend your Empire, and it will be a pleasure for me to induce my friends to buy your Empire, as it will be to their advantage.

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## Honor Roll.

**Morewood.**

Names are in order of merit. Standing is based on conduct, attendance and work.

Room A.

Continuation class grade A.

Middle high school seniors—Jennie Smirl, Ray Myers, Morten Moffat.

Middle high school juniors—Anna Moffett, Ada Bouck, Bernice Smirl.

Lower high school form II—Burnis Shaver, Walter Steven, Grant Countryman.

Lower high school form I—Sadie Hunter, Colin Nado, Sadie Feely.

H. Loucks, teacher.

Room B.

Senior IV—Myrtle Moffatt, Gerald Rouck, Clifford Gillespie.

Junior IV—Edith McGregor, Winnifred Earl, Jam Barrington.

Jennie Hunter, teacher.

Room C.

Class III—Russell Swerdfeger, Donah Henry, Douglas Hunter.

Sr. II—Amy Loughridge, Willie Hepburn, Myrtle Fraser.

Jr. II—Lyle Hunter, Onah Dillabough, Grant McGregor.

Jessie E. Shaver, teacher.

Room D.

Part II—Massey Moffatt, Nora Swerdfeger, Willie Barrington.

Part I—Fred Weaver, Bennie Bowman, Olive Bogart.

Ellis M. Smith, teacher.

**S. S. No. 6, Winchester.**

Regularity—Lucy Slater, Ebenezer Smith, Hector Salter, Mabel Cross, Myrtle Cross, Velma Jackson, Vernie Jackson, Orville Jackson (20 days)

IV Class—Lucy Salter, Ebenezer Smith, Myrtle Fawcett, Eddie Cassidy, Frank Cross.

III Class—Stanton Helmer, George Cross, Bismark Fulton, Stanley Fawcett.

III class, jr.—Erle Helmer.

II class—Erle Morell. Hector Salter, Erle Cassidy, Irwin Cross, Sheldon Ball, Eva Helmer, Herbert Cassidy, Roy Cassidy, Clare Helmer.

Pt. II—Vernie Jackson, Mabel Fawcett.

Pt. I—Mabel Cross, Velma Jackson, Myrtle Cross, Della Morell, Leila Helmer.

Pt. I (a)—Orville Jackson, Fred Fulton, Leila Cross.

R. R. Smith, teacher.

**S. S. No. 16, Winchester.**

Arranged in order of merit.

No. enrolled 29. Highest daily attendance 26. Average daily attendance 19.

Class V—Harvey Servage, Ernest McMillan.

Class IV—Melvin Dillabough.

Class III—Arnott Johnston, Charlie Munro, Delbert Dillabough, Nathan Casselman, Grant Hodgson, Andrew McMillan, Hattie Casselman, Bessie Servage, Melvin Droppo, Nellie Droppo.

Class II—Susie McMillan, Andrew Coughlar, Clifford Kendrick, Roy Hodgson, Jessie Carlyle, Lilie McMillan, Orlin Merkley, Eva Casselman, Alma Casselman.

Class I—Hugh Kendrick, Ralph Munro, Melissa Coughlar.

E. C. Hanes, teacher.

**S. S. No. 11, Winchester.**

No on roll 26. Highest daily attendance 22. Average daily attendance 19.

Class IV (Sr.—Stanley Shaver, Henry McLaughlin, Miles Swerdfeger.

Jr.—Gertrude Shaver, Donald Nado, Ona Swerdfeger, Jennie Coulthart, Willie Fetterly, Wilfred Claridge.

Class III—Myrtle Casselman, Agnes Coulthart, Vernon Fetterly, Clare Swerdfeger, Clifton Marcellus.

Class II (Sr)—Howard Fetterly, Frank Casselman, (jr.) Nettie Swerdfeger, Laura Coulthart.

Pt. II class—Emerson Swerdfeger, Leslie Marcellus, Johnnie Whittaker, George Flegg.

Pt. I Sr.—Eva Fetterly, Charles Flegg. (jr.)—Charlie Coulthart.

Elva Shaver, teacher.

### Township Officers.

The following are the officers of Winchester township for the year 1907:

Treasurer—S. S. Reveler.

Assessor—Daniel Masterson.

Collector (West)—Geo. Elliott.

Collector (East)—Hugh Kearns.

Auditors—Thos. Forward, A. D Hunter.

Engineer—T. H. Dunn.

Medical health officer—Dr. P. McLaughlin.

Overseers of gravel pit—Silas Cross, J. W Bogart, Sylvester Cheney, Arthur McMillan.

Health officers—Alpin Campbell, 1 year; Wm. Moffatt, 2 years; Peter McIntosh, 3 years.

Road Superintendents—s e ¼, John P. Burns; s w ¼, Albert McIntosh; n e ¼, Henry Dillabough; n w ¼, Chas. Annable.

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

Poundkeepers—Nehemiah Rodney, Stephen Annable, Peter McIntosh, Ozias Durant, James Summers, George Merkley, John J Coyne, Hugh Masterson, Wm. McDermott, James Fetterly, James Johnson, James Middagh, James Reveler, Robt. Steen, Jno. Edgerton, Wm. Lawson, Richard Clement, S. Swerdfeger, John G Smirl, C. Mallory, John Dewar, Geo. Hess, Wm. Dawley, Edward Baker, Sidney Biccum, Jacob Dillabough, Ward Smith, Irvine Quart, Walter Coulthart, Herb. Helmer, Simeon J. Barclay.

Fence viewers—Hugh Stewart, Milton Smith, John Christie, Harmon Shaver, Peter McIntosh, Norman McIntosh, Jno. Jamieson, S. W. Munro, Alex. Lough, Chas. Annable, James Reveler, James J. Allen, John Baker, James McCloskey, Nelson Docksteader, Matthew Wilson, Geo. Reveler, R. J. Anderson, Jas. Moodie, Robt. Morrow, John Flynn, Wm McKay.

Pathmasters—Richard Clement, C. H. Johnston, John Smirl, John Dillabough, Wesley Reveler, John Christie, James Kearns, Sam. Kittle, Hugh Masterson, Wm. Dailey, Sam. Nesbitt, Gordon Baker, Walter Rae, Nathaniel Holmes, Milton Smith, Urias Steinburg, Charles Campbell, John Dewar, Wesley Cross, A. D. Summers, Albert Steinburg, Chas. Hutcheson, Colon Cheney, Wm. Hutt, Benson Hanes, Wm. Countryman, Chas. Smith, R. Shaver, Andrew Kearns, Michael S Grady, Silas Cross, George Foster, Philip Merkley, Howard McMillan, Albert McIntosh, Thomas Algate, John Kittle, Calvin Mallory, Thos Bickford, Geo. Earl, Arthur McLean, Fred Merkley, Wm. Johnston, Wm. McDermott, Geo. Charlebois, Thomas McGregor, Jas. Fetterly, T. Moran, Wm. Anderson, Michael Thompson, George Edgerton, Wilburn McElroy, Isaiah Ouderkirk, J. N Dillabough, Joseph Niblock, Wesley Froats, John Hanes, John Middagh, Peter Darling, David E. Summers, Irvine Quart, Albert Edgerton, Alexander Baxter, Peter A. McDonald, Duncan McLaren, John Audette, Moses Black, Thos. Parker, John Black.

GEO. QUART, Tp. clerk.
Winchester, Feb. 28th, 1907.

### Young Englishman Seriously Injured.

Brockville, March 28.—"This is my last axle to day!" were the words a young Englishman named Armour addressed to a fellow workman in the cariage works here shortly before 6 o'clock this afternoon. As he spoke the other end of the axle came in contact with an emery wheel, forcing the far end deep into the lad's head. He was picked up unconscious, and this evening at the General Hospital little hopes are held out for his recovery.

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## Honor Roll.

**Chesterville Public School.**

ROOM A.

Highest daily attendance 18. Average daily attendance 15.

Those obtaining 60 per cent. on the monthly examinations were:

Lucy Moore, Elvin LaSalle, Maud Fisher, Arthur McGee.

George Elliot, teacher.

ROOM D.

Number on roll 38, average daily attendance 32, Highest daily attendance 36.

Pt. II—Pearl Merkley, Eddie Merkley, Robbie Morrison, Cline Thompson, Fred Evans, Eva Myers, Fred McLean.

Class III—Douglas Wood, Kenneth Garrow, Marjory McGee, Russell Hummell, Harold Gray, Malcolm Sanders, Lloyd Bolster, Wellington Robinson.

Class II—Sydney Garrett Johnnie Fyke, Olive Forbes, Mildred Smith.

Class I—Bertie Myers, Willie Huxtable, Carson Simser, Marguerte Bogart.

Muriel Bolster, Teacher.

ROOM B.

No. enrolled 37. Highest daily attendance 33, Average daily attendance 30.

Sr. IV—Ruth Garrow, Kathleen Mc Closkey, Bert Casselman, Dan Knowland Ida B. Merkley, Arthur Lawson.

Jr. IV—Ada Garrow, Gladys Smith, Alice Smith, Lottie Merkley, Wilson Smith, Madge Baldrey, Robbie Thompson, Arthur Wood.

Sr. III—Florence Johnston, Clifford Hummell, Florence McGee, Helen Soule, Nina Merkley, Howard Bogart.

Prizes for attendance and punctuality for the past three months were awarded to Ruth Garrow, Ada Garrow, Lottie Merkley, Madge Baldrey, Charlie Huxtable.

Stella Merkley, Teacher.

**S. S. No, 21, Winchester.**

IV Class—Edna Marcellus.

III Class—Kate Marcellus, Ray Thompson, Hugh Thompson, Harold Faulkner, Hattie Thompson, Campbell Thompson, Albert Menard.

II Class—Ella Marcellus, Hartley Faulkner, Ellis Thompson.

I Class, Pt. I—Willis Marcellus, Allan Thompson, Cuthbert York, Wilburn Thompson.

**S. S. No. 6, Finch.**

IV Class—Maggie Smirle, Maggie McMahon.

III class Sr—Theresa Robinson, Poly LaPalme, Thos McMahon.

Jr.—Erma Robinson, Ida Currie, Rachael Steven.

II Class—Charlie LaPalme, Mary LaPalme, Maggie LaPalme.

Pt. II Class—Willie Smirle.

I class Sr.—Mildred LePalme, Walter Norton, Josie McMahon, Jakie Smirle.

Jr.—Homer Bourgeous, Violet Robinson.

Carrie Hunter, teacher.

**S.S. No. 7, Winchester.**

Class IV—Arena Carruthers. Mac Reveler Lulu Stepheson, Tweed McConnell.

Jr.—Richard Jervis.

III Class—Blanche Countryman, Clark Smith, Myrtle Reveler, Keith Carruthers.

Pt. II Class—Willie Carruthers, George Stephenson Grant Faulkner.

Pt. I Cass—Arnold Kyle, Gordon Countryman, Colen McGregor, Eva Reveler, Fred Bova.

A. B. Marcellus, Teacher.

**S. S. No. 18, Winchester.**

Regularity—Tina Anderson, Ella Crump, Wilfred Durant, Hazel Smith, Mary Smith, Mabel Smith, Kathleen Anderson, Angus Smith, Kenneth Smith, (20 days).

Punctuality—Hazel Smith, Erroll Maxwell, Ella Crump, Tina Anderson.

Class IV. Sr.—Wilfred Durant, Erroll Maxwell, Tressie Smith, Stewart Anderson.

Jr.—Hazel Smith, Ella Crump, Grant Smith and Tina Anderson, equal.

Class III—Mary Smith

Class II Sr.—Mabel Smith, Della Barkley, Eurshel Kittle.

Jr.—Dora Sauve, Angus Smith, Cora Durant, Hugh Smith, Kathleen Anderson.

Class I—Kenneth Smith, Rachael Bilow, Ada Barkley.

M. K. Mullen, teacher.

## OTTAWA Y. M. C. A. FUND.

**Subscriptions Totalled $204,395, $4,000 More Than was Aimed at.**

Ottawa, March 28—With givings to day of over $70 000 to the fund for the Y. M. C A. in this city, the campaign was brought to a successful completion at 11 30 this evening. The total subscriptions to day amount to $204,395, being over $4000 in excess of the amount of the aimed at. Anonymous subscriptions of $6,000 received at an early hour this morning were accepted as happy omens of the success which has been attained. When the noon roll call was made, according to the rule of the campaign, the amount received for the day was $32,000, leaving $34,000 to be secured. Back to the canvas went the workers, and at the 6.30 roll call this had been reduced by $8,000, and $5,000 more cabled by Lord Strathcona Once more the workers went out to glean and met to report at 10 30 o'clock, when contributions were reported to the aggrevating over the desired amount

The result has been a surprise to many who doubted, and a source of supreme satisfaction to those engaged in the campaign. Much of the credit is due to the splendid work of the young men who organized in ten teams and raised over $65,000. The citizen's committee, under the chairmanship of Mr. J. W. Woods, did magnificent work, particularly in the past few days.

When the results had been announced by Mr. Woods, speeches followed by Mayor Scott, Mr. Gordon Edwards, International Secretary Ward, Secretary Patton, Mr. Wilson Southam, and Ald Wilson. Goldsmith's hall was packed with friends of the association, who received the glad news with cheers and joined heartily in singing, in conclusion the doxology

The raising of over $70,000 today beats the world's record in Y. M. C. A. building campaigns. Hitherto the largest giving for one day was $56,000. In the totals are several outside subscriptions. including $1,000 from a friend in Montreal.

### Lawyer's Bill Of Costs.

Mr. Frank Arnoldi has entered suit against Mr. Geo R R. Cockburn, former president of the Ontario Bank, for $7,500 for professional services and $28.58 for disbursements in connection with the prosecution of Mr. Cockburn for signing false returns to the Government.

The plaintiff's claim is for work done and services performed for and on behalf of the defendant, and for moneys paid by the plaintiff at the request of and for the benefit and use of the defendant. The following particulars are given in the writ:—

Oct 17th, 1906, to Feb. 4th, 1907, retainer and services continuous between these dates, including twenty two days' presence in court and every numerous conferences and consultations, covering all services , $7.500. Disbursement as per itemized account furnished to defendant, $28.58.

The wife of William Jarvis, near Wingham, Ont, went out to milk. When found the cow was lying on her dead body. She had been trampled to death.

Isaac Keeler, of Iona Station, Ont., who pleaded guilty to a charge of sending obscene post cards through the mail was sentenced to one year in Central prison.





PEERLESS FENCE is made of big, heavy, Galvanized Hard steel Wire of perfectly uniform size throughout, which, with the famous Peerless Lock, will turn any kind of Stock and give long wear Note the picture below—how securely, firmly it holds the upaight and lateral wires—they can't be rooted up—nor shoved down—nor spread sidewise—it's locked to stay locked That means stability long wear, almost everything desired in a fence. Parties wanting a good fence see me before buying.

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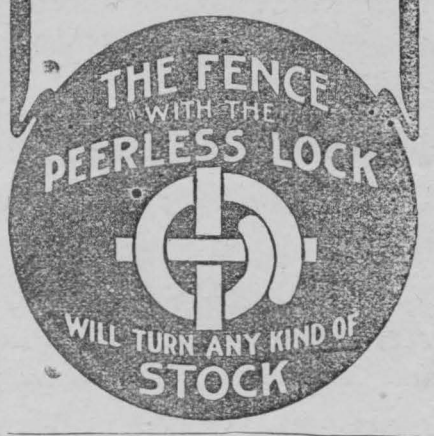


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Keep them till I call

I am starting out now to buy Deacon Skins and will be at your home in a few days.

**Drop me a card if you have any to sell.**

For anything in the following lines you will find it to your advantage to see my stock:—Washing Machines, Wringers and Churns, at Moderate Prices. Cash paid for all kinds of Hides and Furs.

Thanking the public for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of the same.

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**J. B. Thompson**
SUCCESSOR TO
**THOMPSON & CLINE**
**Tinsmiths &c.,**
**CHESTERVILLE,**

A full Line in connection with my business always kept in stock.

**WELL DRILLING**

A 4½ inch bore through rock or soil either summer or winter. Pumps or fixtures supplied and water connected with houses or stables.

I have five drills at work and have just received the sixth one at Chesterville station, which will be in operation next week.

Any person requiring my services will please communicate with me in Vankleek Hill Satisfaction in every particular guaranteed. Long distance phone No. 23.

**Arthur Campbell,**
VANKLEEK HILL, ONT.

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| Tapestry Carpets from | | 40c to | 75c |
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Rugs and Matts at all prices.

Draperies, Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles, Window Shades, Wall Papers and Borderings.

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### FINCH.

John G Munro was in Ottawa Tuesday

John A Munro, harness maker, was in Alexandria on Wednesday

John K McLean of Glen Payne, reeve of Finch, was in this village on Tuesday

A McNaughton of Cornwall, public school inspector, was in Finch village and vicinity for several days last week on professional business

The post office inspector, W D Leaeur, was in town on March 22 and inspected the Finch office, which it is reported he found in first-class condition, Everything in its place and a place for everything

A D Stewart of Montreal, inspector for the Liverpool, London & Globe Fire Insurance Company, was in Finch on Thursday and Friday of last week inspecting the Finch agency (F D McNaughton, agent), of that wealthy and well known insurance company

Shareholders in the Abitibbi Mining and Development Company were somewhat expecting that the annual meeting would be held on the first of April, but as there is no notice to that effect, they must just wait to see what they will see.

Mr Shaw of Montreal, inspector of branch banks for the Merchants Bank of Canada, was in town last week inspecting the Finch branch of that old established banking institution The inspector found the business and everything in connection with the Finch branch in first-class order

J A Frigon of Montreal, inspector of Agencies for the Atlas Fire Assurance Company of Montreal, was in Finch on Friday of last week opening an agency for that wealthy and old British Fire Insurance Company in this village He appointed as local agent for Finch and vicinity F D McNaughton, who will do all the insurance business intrusted to him with the head office at Montreal

Mr and Mrs D P McKinnon arrived home from Toronto on Friday of last week, after an absence of ten days, during which they paid a flying visit to Mrs McKinnon's brothers, the McLean brothers, lumber merchants, Tonawanda, N Y Mr McKinnon also visited Durnham, Ont, on business, and atended the annual meeting of the grand lodge of the A O U W at Toronto, as the representative of Finch lodge No 346

Mrs W G. Empey and her five sons, Lorne, Fairman F, Pliny, Stephen and Isaiah Empey, left for Saskatoon, Sask, on Tuesday of last week These five young men have pre-empted a 160 acre homestead each in the vicinity of the Eagle Hills, about 100 miles west of Saskatoon, in addition to having an option on an additional section of 640 acres The first four sons mentioned above and their father, W G Empey, spent several weeks in the west last fall, locating their future home W E Empey has also located a homestead in the same district He will remain in Finch for several weeks yet or until he closes up the numerous business matters After this is done he will follow and Finch has lost one of his best families for a time at least

### BOUCK'S HILL.

Our cheese factory is being prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O'Shaughnessy and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Whittaker called at Apple Hill on Monday night.

Ransom Hess of Nation Valley, was in our vicinity one day last week.

Miss Nancy Merkley visited at Alex. Shenette's Sr., for a few days last week.

H. Robinson and son Claude, were at Mr. Thomas Hill's on Thursday.

Fred Smith of Wisconsin, and other western states, visited at Charles Hanes last week.

Mrs. Thomas Lane is at present visiting her sister, Mrs. George Lane.

Charlie Becker was sick for a few days last week.

Henry Barkley of Inkerman, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Merkley.

Miss Nettie Hill and Willie Lane are spending their Easter holidays at their homes here.

Master Harry Herriman is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilas Herriman.

George Lane, jr., has returned home from the west. He is having an auction sale on April 6th, and intends going to Edmonton, Sask., with his family, to reside.

Mrs. Alf McIntosh of Nudell Bush, was in our vicinity last week.

A couple of our boys belonging to the Red "Toque Brigade" strolled away on Friday eve., and have not returned. What's the matter boys?"

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marcellus on March 21st, a son.

The News—No pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cure were like Dr. Shoops Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package. For this reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison-marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Refuse to accept any other.

**S. S. No. 8. Winchester.**

Class IV—Echel Ball, Carl Munro, May Sullivan, Arthur Hummel, Minnie Merkley Joshua Johnston.

Class III—Howard Hummel, Earl Munro, Allan Hummel and Lloyd Johnston, equal.

Class II—Harold Davidson, Stanley Sullivan, Willie Cross.

Part II—Hulbert Cross, Nellie Shay.

Part I sr.—Ethelwynn Cross.

Jr.—Gerald Merkley, Asel Merkley, Melvin Hummell, Gladys Sullivan, Arthur Ball.

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Send 3 Corks drawn from quart bottles of our Whiskies and receive a handsome enameled pin.

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### NEWINGTON.

A much esteemed resident of this place, Mrs. Geo. F. Forsythe, passed away on Saturday, the 23rd inst., aged 72 years. The deceased had not been well for some time and had been confined to her room for some days, but on Saturday morning had risen at an early hour and prepared breakfast, of which she and her husband were about to partake, when she fell forward in her chair and immediately expired. She was held in very high regard in the community, being a kind neighbor and a good friend to those in need. Her husband survives her with four sons and one daughter—William of Finch, James and George of Ottawa, Duncan of Avonmore, and Agnes, Mrs. John McFarlane of Ottawa. The funeral took place on Monday, the service being held in the Presbyterian church, Rev. George Mingie officiating Among those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. John McFarlane of Ottawa, Mrs. Thos. Murphy of Cornwall, sister of deceased; and Mrs. M. Eamer of Cornwall, a cousin. The members of the family have the sincere sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their bereavement.

For Catarrh let me send you free, just to prove merit, a Trial size Box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. It is a healing antipestic balm that gives instant relief to Catarrh of the nose and throat. Address Dr. Shoop. Racine, Wis. Sold by W. G. Bolster.

**Two Years For Bigamy.**

Alexander H. Eady and Mrs. Cooke of Innisvillle, were tried befoar Judge Senkler at Peter on Saturday on a charge of bigamy. Eadey was sentenced to two years imprisonment and Mrs Eady (No. 2) was allowed her liberty on suspended sentenced to two years' impended sentence. Mr. E. G. Malloch, K. C., prosecuted and Mr. C. J. Foy, appeared for the defendants. Last fall the defendant, Eadey, was married in Perth to Mrs. Cooke, of Innisville, while he had a wife and several children living in Carleton place. Mrs. Cooke's daughter was also married in Perth on the same day. Soon after the wedding Mrs. Cooke sold the farm and chatels at Innisville and went to Sudbury to live with Eadey. The daughter also went to Sudbury and their family affairs failed to smoothly run with the result that Eadey assulted his step-daughter and she had him brought before police magistrate of Sudbury. This case was instrumental in bringing out the fact Eadey was a bigamist. Chief of Police White of Perth, went to Sudbury and arrested Eadey and later went to the same town and arrested the woman in the case who, it was said, knew that Eadey had a wife living in Carleton Place.

Rheumatic sufferers can have a free sample of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy with book on Rheumatism by simply writing Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. This book will explain how Dr. Shoop's rheumatic Remedy successfully drives Rheumatism out of the blood. Sold by W. G. Bolster.

Three hundred new houses were erected in Peterboro last year.

Deseronto, Ont., will decide by ballot whether to have municipal water and gas plants or no.

An extraordiary rich strike has been made in the Laurentine gold mine at Wabigon, Ont.

Two of St. Catharines' principal streets are to be paved with vitrified brick.

Mr. Fred Howard who has just arrived from auld Scotland, is without doubt all that is said of him: an entertainer of the first class. His entertainment at the Hallowe'en concert last night quite testified to his being the "King of Scottish Humorists and society entertainers" —Montreal Standard. Odd-Fellows' Concert, Foster's Hall, Chesterville, Tuesday evening, April 16 1907.

## Auction :-: Sale
—OF
FARM STOCK, ETC.
**At Lot No. 9, in the 7th Con., Township of Williamsburg,**
—ON—
**Wednesday, APRIL 17th, '07**

At 1 o'clock, p.m., the following:
14 milch cows, 1 2-yr.-old bull
1 2-yr.-old heifer, 1 brown mare, 12 yrs. old,
2 brood sows, 75 hens, 4 turkey,
1 steel scraper, 1 metal roller,
1 Giant seeder, 1 horse rake,
1 Frost & Wood mower, 1 corn cultivator,
1 drag spring tooth cultivator,
1 light wagon, 1 long sleigh,
1 set scales, 1200 lbs., 1 bobsleigh,
2 Wilkinson plows, 1 Kenmore plow,
1 single buggy, 1 cutter, 1 Noxon plow,
1 iron harrow, 1 lumber wagon.
1 fanning mill, 1 set double harness,
1 set single harness, 1 horse fork, rope and pullies,
2 sets whiffletrees, 100 bus. oats,
1 wagon rack, a quantity of seed corn,
1 grind stone, 1 churn, 3 milk cans,
A number of milk pails and milk dishes,
2 coolie cans, 1 Yukon heater,
Forks and shovels and other articles too numerous to mention.
TERMS:—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months' credit by parties furnishing approved joint notes. or 3 per cent. off for cash.

THOS. IRVING, Auctioneer. JNO. McLEAN, Proprietor.

Struck by a Grand Trunk train at Vaudreuil, Que, station, A. Rousseau was thrown fifty feet and killed.

The local option bylaw of Mono township, Ont., was quashed because it was advertised five days too soon.

Winnipeg claims to have 110,000 people.

A new telephone company will be started at Stirling, Ont.

John Williams, a dentist of Peterboro, Ont., has disappeared, and suicide is feared.

**It is safe to say that no more capable exponent of the music of Scotland has appeared in this city.—The Age, Melbourne. Odd-Fellows' Concert, Foster's Hall, Tuesday Evening, April 16, '07.**

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If you are suffering from impure blood, thin blood, debility, nervousness, exhaustion, you should begin at once with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the Sarsaparilla you have known all your life. Your doctor knows it, too. Ask him about it.

Unless there is daily action of the bowels, poisonous products are absorbed, causing headache, billousness, nausea, dyspepsia, and thus preventing the Sarsaparilla from doing its best work. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. Act gently, all vegetable.

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## Rheumatism

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back to flesh again. That is impossible. But I can now surely kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease.

In Germany—with a Chemist in the City of Darmstadt—I found the last ingredient with which Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy was made a perfected, dependable prescription. Without that last ingredient, I successfully treated many, many cases of Rheumatism; but now, at last, it uniformly cures all curable cases of this heretofore much dreaded disease. Those sand-like granular wastes, found in Rheumatic Blood, seem to dissolve and pass away under the action of this remedy as freely as does sugar when added to pure water. And then, when dissolved, these poisonous wastes freely pass from the system, and the cause of Rheumatism is gone forever. There is now no real need—no actual excuse to suffer longer without help. We sell, and in confidence recommend

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Holds its regular meeting in the Masonic Hall, Chesterville, on the Monday Evening on or before full moon.
Visiting Brethren are always Welcome.
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## Order Now
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## CAKES.
Our wagon will call on the Village customers daily.

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CHESTERVILLE BAKERY.

Col. McGibbon, at one time in command of the Montreal Field Battery, is dead in Montreal.

The Roman Catholic church of Marieville, Que., was burned to the ground. Loss $80,000.

At the recorder's court in Montreal oaths will in future by laying right hand on the Bible.

The Dukabors in the Northwest will market $100,000 worth of grain this spring.

## Wall Paper.

SEE OUR STOCK BEFORE BUYING.
Prices Lower Than Last Year.
FETTERLY & BOGART
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## New Flour and Feed Store
## At Crysler.
I have opened a store at Crysler and will carry in stock all kinds of Flour and Feed, etc.
FLOUR—ROYAL HOUSEHOLD, GLENORA.
I respectfully solicit a share of your patronage.
JOHN H. CURRIE,
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## FLOUR AND FEED.
The undersigned wishes to announce to the public that his store will be open for business on
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A Complete Stock of
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IMPERIAL NESTOR, AND
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OATS AND BANNER FEED ON HAND.
**HUGHES',** Opposite McCloskey House.

## Special Discount

On a Number of STOVES —AND— RANGES —FOR THE— NEXT 30 DAYS.
A Full Line of Agateware and Tinware always on hand.
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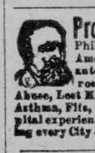
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A Car Load of Up-to-Date Buggies.
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Inspect our display before purchasing.
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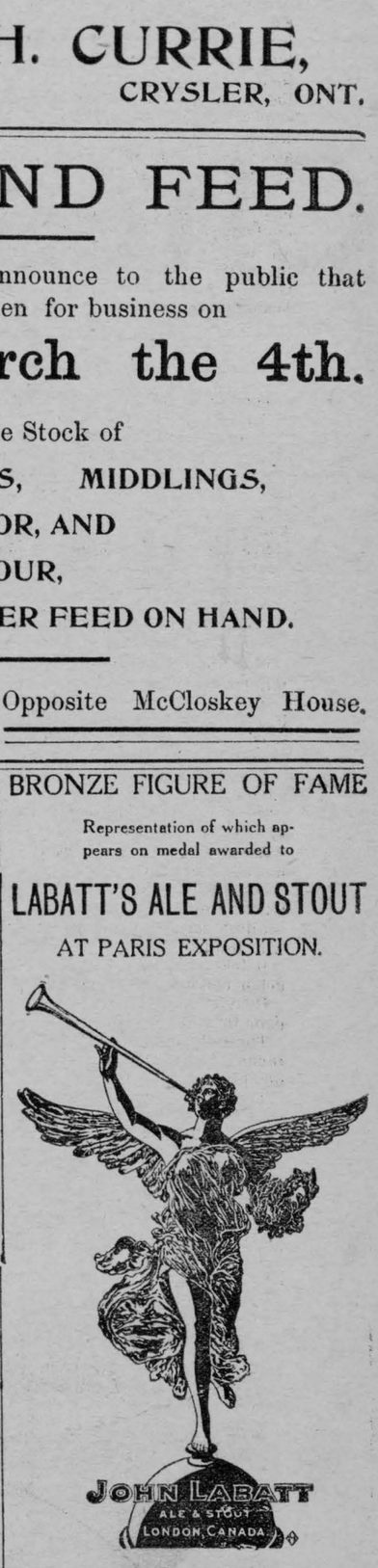

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All kinds of Cement and Concrete work a Specialty
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## HEALTH IN SPRING.

**Nature Needs Assistance in Making New Health-Giving Blood.**

Spring is the season when your system needs toning up. In the spring you must have new blood just as the trees must have new sap. Nature demands it. Without new blood you will feel weak and languid; you may have twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia, occasional headaches, variable appetite, pimples or eruptions of the skin, or a pale pasty complexion. These are sure sign that the blood is out of order. A tonic is needed to give new energy. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best tonic in all the world. They make new, rich blood—your greatest need in spring. They clear the skin, drive out disease, and make tired depressed men and women bright, active and strong. Mrs. John McAuley, Douglastown, Que., proves the great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in building up people who have been weakened and run down. She says: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been of great help to me. My blood was weak and watery and I was badly run down. But through the use of the pills my health was fully restored. I always recommend them to my friends who may be ailing."

There are fraudulent imitations of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and to protect yourself see that the full name, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" is printed on the wrapper around each box. Do not take any other so-called pink pills. If your dealer has not got the genuine send to The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and get the pills by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50.

### AN UNAVOIDABLE LOSS.

When Aunt Hitty began to ask questions she kept at least one person employed with little chance for any other word than direct answers.

"What's become o' that likely kitten you had last time I was here?" she demanded of her small nephew. "I hope she wasn't poisoned like that other one you had two years ago, was she?"

"Oh, no'm, she—"

"Was she drowned, then?"

"No'm, she—"

"Stolen?"

"Oh, no'm, she—"

"Well, I should like to know what made you give away such a handsome kitten."

"We didn't; she—"

"Well, what's happened to her? Speak up, boy."

"S-s-she's growed into a cat!" gasped the small nephew, stammering in his haste.

### BABY'S DOCTOR.

"With a box of Baby's Own Tablets on hand I feel just as safe as if I had a doctor in the house." This is the experience of Mrs. John Young, Auburn, Ont. Mrs. Young adds:—"I have used the Tablets for teething and other troubles of childhood and have never known them to fail." Hundreds of other mothers are just as enthusiastic in their praise. Colic, indigestion, diarrhoea, worms, constipation and other little ills are speedily cured by this medicine. It is absolutely safe—always does good—cannot possibly do harm, and you have the guarantee of a government analyst that the Tablets contain no opiate or poisonous soothing stuff. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### SENTENCE SERMONS

There is no love without duty.

Conduct is crystallized character.

A living faith puts faith into living.

Rich living often makes the poor life.

Sow helpfulness and you reap happiness.

He who cannot learn has ceased to live.

Most of our weakness comes from worry.

Work for your fellows is worship of your Father.

Credulity stands and wonders; faith starts out and works.

Many fail because they plan on making post-preparation.

A tin halo makes a fine trap for a man to get tangled up in.

The poorest use of time is to spend it counting the minutes.

The heart easily is convinced by the eloquence of living love.

He darkens his own way who makes light of the troubles of others.

Many mistake their verbal resources for their resources of virtue.

No institution makes itself sacred by labeling all others as secular.

Life always is a dull grind to the man who thinks only of his own grist.

It takes the base line of two worlds to get a correct elevation on any life.

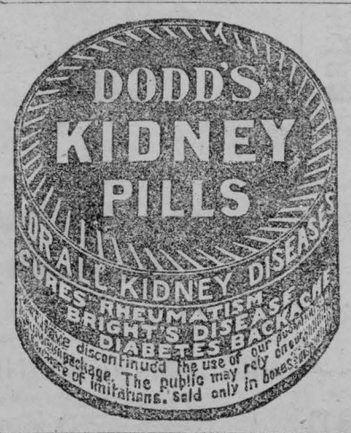
Heaven cannot hear the prayer for the poor that has no effect on my store.

The only method some people have of raising the wind is by blowing up their neighbors.

The only time some folks think of giving a cup of cold water is when it gets down below zero.

Health is a large part of happiness and happiness is health, while both are essential to holiness.

The most heavenly pictures seen on earth are men and women doing common loving kindnesses.



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## BURN ASHES, SAVE COAL

**THERE IS PLENTY OF HEAT IN YOUR BACKYARD HEAP.**

**Pennsylvania Shoemaker's Discovery —More Warmth in Ashes Than in Anthracite.**

While sitting at his bench eking out a living with hammer and awl, John Ellmore, a cobbler of Altoona, Pennsylvania, for twenty years has been revolving in his brain a problem that he has finally solved to his own satisfaction, and that apparently is destined to revolutionize the question of producing heat. Ellmore says he has discovered a method of making ashes burn, and a practical demonstration has convinced former sceptics. Ellmore not only makes ashes burn and produce heat, but he produces considerably more heat from a given quantity of ashes than can be obtained from the same amount of pure bituminous or anthracite coal. At the plant of the Citizens' Electric Company he the other day was allotted one of ten boilers, and with three bushels of ashes he produced more heat than was obtained from the other nine. This demonstration was witnessed by several hundred persons.

A SIMPLE PROCESS.

Ellmore is carefully guarding his secret, and has applied for patent rights. His process is very simple. He takes ten parts of ashes to one part of coal and over this sprinkles a small quantity of a compound which causes the combustion. He says that for 25 cents sufficient of this compound can be prepared to last an ordinary family one winter, with a coal consumption of less than one ton. In his shop he has used less than half a ton of coal this winter, and he declares that a ton will last him two years.

DISCOVERY NO ACCIDENT.

When he opened the doors of the boiler in which his compound was burning the other day, spectators gazed upon a fire that glowed brilliantly and had a bluish tinge. A lump of coal was surrounded by ashes and the ashes glowed like a bed of burning anthracite. There was apparently no diminution in the amount of heat during the several hours that the demonstration continued. Ellmore says his discovery was not an accident. His father before him had conceived the possibility of obtaining heat from ashes, but had not lived to demonstrate it.

GREATEST FIND IN AMERICA.

The younger Ellmore has been experimenting for more than twenty years, and it was about eight months ago that he finally obtained the right solution. Before giving his secret to the world Ellmore demonstrated time and again its practicability, and was satisfied after he had made less than a half ton of coal produce more heat than he heretofore had obtained from ten or fifteen tons of coal that he held probably the greatest discovery that has been made in a century.

### ONE ENOUGH.

"I say, auntie, uncle said this morning that there wasn't another woman like you in the world."

"Ah, the dear fellow! Did he really, Freddy?"

"Yes, and he said it was a jolly good job, too."

## OWES CURE TO ZAM-BUK

**Prominent Manager's Telling Testimony.**

Mr. D. R. Gourlay, advertising manager for the well-known piano firm of Gourlay, Winter & Leeming, Toronto and Winnipeg, is amongst the prominent men and women who testify to Zam-Buk's great curative power. He writes to the Company as follows:

"Gentlemen,—I have pleasure in stating that upon the recommendation of a relative I purchased a box of your remedy (Zam-Buk), and by a few applications entirely cured a very severe sprain of the back. While not given to indiscriminate use of, or belief in, patent medicines, I can conscientiously recommend Zam-Buk.

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"(Signed) D. R. Gourlay."

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### THE RUSH FOR GOLD.

The "Poseidon Rush" is the latest Australian golden sensation. It is situated in the Tarnagulla district of Victoria, and the gold is being found remarkably close to the surface. The biggest nugget so far discovered — one of 960 ounces—was, it is stated, found at a depth of only 15 inches. Another nugget of 373 ounces was found 30 feet distant at a similar depth. A large number of smaller nuggets have been unearthed, and there are about 2,000 diggers on the spot, previously a lonely valley.

Mistress (who has given her maid a ticket for the theatre): "Well, how did you like the performance?" Maid: "Oh, it was splendid, ma'am. You should have heard how a servant girl sauced her missus!"

## WILL KISSING BE PROHIBITED?

**The Osculatory Process Denounced by Scientists as Extremely Dangerous —How the Danger Can be Removed.**

A keen discussion is being carried on by some of the best scientists as to the danger and "crime" of kissing, led by Dr. Somers, Health Officer of Atlantic City, and Dr. Nalpasse, of the Medical Faculty of Paris. They charge the kiss with spreading grippe, scarlet fever, measles, mumps, whooping cough, typhoid fever, diphtheria, erysipelas, meningitis, tuberculosis and many infectious skin diseases. They suggest legislation on the subject, and the posting of notices in railway stations, street cars and other public places, but they say it would be useless to post them on verandahs, in cosy corners, porches, shady nooks, or moonlit lawns. They also propose some compulsory legislation for methods of disinfection of the mouth and purifying the breath, especially with a view to the protection of innocent babes, who are particularly subject to infection. The greatest and most effective purifier and germ destroyer known to medical science for the mouth, throat and breath, as well as for the blood, stomach and lungs, is Psychine, that triumph of the medical world that is attracting almost universal attention because of the wonderful results attending its use. One of its recent triumphs is told as a matter of experience in the following brief statement:

"I suffered for over two years from catarrh of the head and throat and stomach, and an obstinate hacking cough. The slightest cold or change of weather would cause the disease to return worse than before. Doctors gave me no relief. I saw Psychine and Oxomulsion advertised in the newspapers, and decided to use them. They had a splendid effect in my case. I obtained the permanent cure I had so long and so anxiously desired. Psychine appears to be a perfect germ destroyer. I shall do all in my power to increase the popularity of the Dr. Slocum remedies in this vicinity. I always keep Psychine in our house. It is our only doctor.

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"St. Basil de Pontneuf, Que."

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### CHALEUR BAY'S "FIRE-SHIP."

According to Prof. W. F. Ganong, the traditional "fire-ship" of the Chaleur Bay, New Brunswick, appearing usually before a storm, has a basis of fact. It is a hemispherical light, with the flat side toward the water, glowing sometimes without much change of form, but at other times rising into slender, moving columns, in which an excited imagination might recognize the flaming rigging of a ship. The general explanation offered is that this object is a manifestation of St. Elmo's fire, an electrical phenomenon; but the reason for its appearing only on or near the Chaleur Bay is not known.

Howell. "A good deal depends on the formation of early habits." Powell: "I knew it; when I was a baby my mother hired a woman to wheel me about, and I have been pushed for money ever since."

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He talks and she listens during the courtship, but after the marriage the plan is generally reversed.

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"George," she said, "before we were married you were always giving me presents. Why don't you ever bring me anything now?" "My dear," replied George, "did you ever hear of a fisherman giving bait to a fish he had caught?" Then the kettle boiled over.

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"Henry," asked the Sunday-school teacher, "what is the conscience?" "The conscience," answered little Henry, "is what you have after you have been eating cake and jam and things out of the pantry, and then you have to take castor-oil, and that cures the conscience."

To Those of Sedentary Occupation.—Men who follow sedentary occupations, which deprive them of fresh air and exercise, are more prone to disorders of the liver and kidneys than those who lead active, outdoor lives. The former will find in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills a restorative without question the most efficacious on the market. They are easily procurable, easily taken, act expeditiously, and they are surprisingly cheap considering their excellence.

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

"I presume, sir," began the young man, timidly, "that you will consider it very presumptuous for a fifty-dollar railroad clerk to apply for your daughter's hand in marriage." "Not at all, my boy," responded Senator Slickguy, kindly. "I daresay your side grafts are quite remunerative."


**Your Doctor**

Can cure your Cough or Cold, no question about that, but—why go to all the trouble and inconvenience of looking him up, and then of having his prescription filled, when you can step into any drug store in Canada and obtain a bottle of SHILOH'S CURE for a quarter.

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SHILOH will cure you, and all druggists back up this statement with a positive guarantee.

The next time you have a Cough or Cold cure it with

**SHILOH**

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### FORGOTTEN FORCEPS.

**Absent-Minded Surgeon Left Pair of Forceps in Woman's Body.**

A remarkable case of neglect on the part of a hospital surgeon is mentioned in the British Medical Journal. Dr. Stewart, of Midland Junction, West Australia, records the circumstances of the case. He operated on a woman and found a pair of forceps in her body. The forceps were nearly 5 inches in length, and the width across the handles was about 2 inches, and they had been left in the woman's body after an operation ten and a half years before. "That the forceps should have attained the position in which they were found without causing death is extraordinary." Dr. Stewart writes: "Though the patient's health had been wretched during these years, and a large part of the time spent in bed, it is worthy of notice that she had occasionally felt well enough to participate in dances. I have reason to believe that no record of the former operation can be found in the books of the hospital where it was performed."

### YOUR SUMMER OUTING.

If you are fond of fishing, canoeing, camping or the study of wild animals look up the Algonquin National Park of Ontario for your summer outing. A fish and game preserve of 2,000,000 acres interspersed with 1,200 lakes and rivers is awaiting you, offering all the attractions that Nature can bestow. Magnificent canoe trips. Altitude 2,000 feet above sea level. Pure and exhilarating atmosphere. Just the place for a young man to put in his summer holidays. An interesting and profusely illustrated descriptive publication telling you all about it sent free on application to J. D. McDonald, Union Station, Toronto, Ont.

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In its initial stages a cold is a local ailment easily dealt with. But many neglect it and the result is often the development of distressing seizures of the bronchial tubes and lungs that render life miserable for the unhappy victim. As a first aid there is nothing in the handy medicine line so certain in curative results as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the far-famed remedy for colds and coughs.

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A Sure Cure for Headache.—Bilious headache, to which women are more subject than men, becomes so acute in some subjects that they are utterly prostrated. The stomach refuses food, and there is a constant distressing effort to free the stomach from bile which has become unduly secreted there. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are a speedy alterative, and in neutralizing the effects of the intruding bile relieves the pressure on the nerves which caused the headache. Try them.

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From a humble blacksmith's son, Faraday rose to be one of the most distinguished chemists and natural philosophers in English history. He made great additions to the range of human knowledge in regard to the science of electricity and magnetism. Magneto-electric induction, magnetism of light, diamagnetism, the condensation of gases into fluids and solids, were all Faraday's discoveries. Then, again, Faraday's "Experimental Researches on Electricity" were not only of extreme importance in themselves, but they have been of the utmost consequence to science by leading to the latter-day development of this great force.

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Put another hour on the task well done—and do it better.

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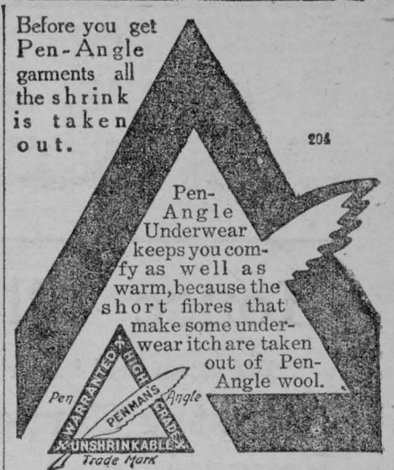


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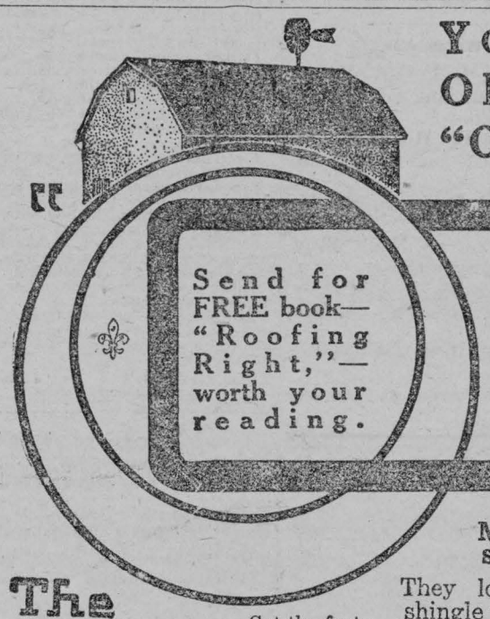


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# THREW HER CHILD INTO SEA

## Awful Act of Demented Woman on a Liner.

A despatch from New York says: The story of a demented mother who threw her 14-months' old infant into the sea, and then attempted to follow it, was told by the officers of the steamer Konig Albert, which arrived here on Friday from Genoa. The mother is Mrs. Filomena Aquila, who, with her husband and five of their eleven children, embarked at Naples. One son already was in America. Early in the voyage both Mrs. Aquila and the infant daughter contracted measles and were sent to the ship's hospital. The mother's mind became affected and last Wednesday Mrs. Aquila thrust the infant through a port hole and attempted to follow. A seaman had seen the body of the child fall from the port hole, however, and while the ship was being stopped attendants found Mrs. Aquila trying to force her body through the port hole. She was rescued. No trace of the infant's body was found.

# THE WORLD'S MARKETS

**REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES.**

**Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.**

Toronto, April 2, — Flour — Ontario wheat 90 per cent. patents are quoted at $2.65 to $2.67 in buyers' sacks outside for export. Manitoba first patents, $4.50; second patents, $4, and strong bakers', $3.90, Toronto.

Wheat—Manitoba grades are unchanged. No. 1 Manitoba hard quoted at 92 to 92½c, North Bay, all rail; No. 1 Northern, at 91c; No. 1 hard quoted at 87½c lake ports, and No. 1 Northern at 84c, lake ports.

Corn—No. 3 American corn is quoted at 52c on track, Toronto. Canadian corn is quoted at 46c, Chatham freights.

Bran—Scarce and nominal at $20 outside in bulk. Shorts are quoted at $21 outside.

CALL BOARD.

Bran—Wanted at $20 in buyers' sacks low freights to New York, but none offered.

Wheat—No. 2 Ontario white offered at 73c east, and No. 2 mixed at 72c outside, without bids. No. 2 goose, 67c bid east; No. 1 northern, 90½c bid spot, North Bay, without sellers.

Peas—No. 2 offered at 79c outside, without bids.

Oats—No. 2 white offered at 39½c on main line, 5c rate to Toronto, with 38¾c bid.

Rye—No. 2 wanted at 63c east on G.T.R.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Good to choice winter stock, $2.50 to $3.50 per bbl.

Beans—Hand-picked selling at $1.50, and primes at $1.35 to $1.40.

Honey—Strained quoted at 11 to 12c per lb, and comb honey at $2 to $2.50 per dozen.

Hops—New quoted at 18 to 21c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy is quoted at $11 to $13 here, and No. 2 at $8 to $10.

Straw—$7 a ton on track here.

Potatoes—Ontario, 85 to 95c per bag on track, and New Brunswick, 95c to $1 per bag.

Poultry—Turkeys, fresh killed, 13 to 14c; chickens, dressed, 10 to 12c; alive, 8 to 9c per lb; fowl, alive, 6 to 7c; ducks, dressed, 11 to 12c; geese, 9 to 11c per lb.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Pound rolls are quoted at 24 to 25c; tubs, 21 to 23c; large rolls, 21 to 23c. Creamery prints sell at 27 to 28c, and solids at 25 to 26c.

Eggs—New laid 19c per dozen in case lots.

Cheese—Large cheese, 13¾ to 14c, and twins 14¼ to 14½c.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Dressed hogs in car lots are unchanged, with prices quoted at $8.30 to $8.50 here. Bacon, long clear, 11 to 11½c per lb in case lots; mess pork, $21 to $22.50; short cut, $23 to $23.50.

Hams—Light to medium, 15½c; do, heavy, 14½c; rolls, 11½c; shoulders, 11c; backs, 16½c; breakfast bacon, 15½c.

Lard — Tierces, 12¼c; tubs, 12½c; pails, 12¾c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 2.—Grain—There was no change in the condition of the local market for oats, business being still somewhat quiet, and prices unchanged at 43½ to 44c for Ontario No. 2 white, 42½ to 43c for No. 3, and at 41½ to 42c for No. 4 per bushel ex store. Flour—Choice spring wheat patents, $4.50 to $4.60; seconds, $4; winter wheat patents, $4 to $4.15; straight rollers, $3.55 to $3.65; do, in bags, $1.60 to $1.70; extras, $1.45 to $1.55. Feed—Manitoba bran, in bags, $21; shorts, $22 per ton; Ontario bran, in bags, $23.50 to $24; shorts, $24 to $24.25; milled mouillie, $22 to $25 per ton; and straight grain, $28 to $30. Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, $22 to $23.50; half-bbls, $11.75 to $12.50; clear fat backs, $24 to $24.50; long cut heavy mess, $20.50 to $22; half-bbls do, $10.75 to $11.50; dry salt long clear bacon, 12 to 12½c; barrels plate beef, $11 to $12.50; half-bbls do, $6.25 to $6.75; barrels heavy mess beef, $8.50; half-bbls do, $4.75; compound lard, 8¾ to 10½c; pure lard, 11¾ to 13c; kettle-rendered, 13 to 13½c; hams, 13 to 16½c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 15 to 16c; Windsor bacon, 15½ to 16½c; fresh dressed abattoir killed hogs, $10 to $10.25; alive, $7.45 to $7.60. Eggs—New laid, 21c. Cheese—October made white, 13¾c; colored, 14c nominal. Butter—Choicest creamery, 27 to 28c; medium grades, 24 to 28c.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Detroit, April 2.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 75¼c; No. 2 red, 76½c; May, 75½c; July, 79¾c; September, 81¼c.

Toledo, April 2.—Wheat—Cash., 77½c; May, 78¾c; July, 79⅞c; September, 80¾c. Corn—Cash, 46c; May, 47c; July, 47⅜c; September, 47⅞c. Oats—Cash, 44½c; May, 42¾c; July, 43¾c; September, 34c.

St. Louis, April 2. — Wheat — Cash, 74¾c; May, 74⅞c; July, 75⅞c.

CATTLE MARKET.

Toronto, April 2.—A draggy feeling was reported in the ordinary grades. Prices were given out as unchanged, drovers resisting any bearish attempt on the part of the dealers. The following were the quotations:—Choice picked butchers' cattle, $4.80 to $5; good butchers', loads of, $4 to $4.60; cows, $3 to $4.25; mixed lots, $2.75 to $3.75; canners, $1.25 to $2 per cwt.

Exporters' cattle were few and trade was quiet. Prices ranged from $5 to $5.25 for choice, and $4.50 to $5 per cwt. for medium to good animals.

Heavy feeders and good short-keep feeders were firm in price at $4 to $4.60; good stockers brought $3.25 to $3.70, while common stockers were slow at $2.75 to $3.25 per cwt.

A firmer tone prevailed in the lamb trade. Lambs, grain-fed, $7 to $7.25; common lambs, $5.50 to $6.50 per cwt; spring lambs, $5 to $8 each; export ewes, $4.50 to $5.25, and export bucks, $3.50 to $4.50 per cwt.

Hogs were strong at $6.90 for selects, and $6.65 for lights and fats.

### KILLED BY DYNAMITE BLAST.

**Italian on Railway Work Meets Death Near Ancaster.**

A despatch from Hamilton, Ont., says: Tony Panzini, an Italian employed by Nicholson and Riley, contractors, on the Hamilton-Brantford Electric Railway, was killed on Monday evening by an explosion at Herning's Mills, near Ancaster. Panzini was engaged blasting rock. A charge of dynamite did not go off as quickly as he thought it should, and he started towards the spot where the charge was set to see what was the matter. He got within a few feet of it when there was an explosion, and he was blown about a hundred feet. He was unconscious when assistance reached him, and died shortly afterwards. Panzini's family resides in Italy. A couple of cousins were working on the job with him at the time of the accident.

### GREAT FEAT OF DIVING.

**Recovering Railway Iron from Twenty Feet of Water at Fort William.**

A despatch from Fort William says: One of the greatest feats of diving known on the great lakes has been performed by Diver H. Valentine, in the employ of the Great Lakes Dredging Company, by removing the rails, angle bars and spikes which slid into the Kam last fall off the Grand Trunk dock at West Fort. By means of the derrick and diving outfit 3,700 rails, 7,100 angle bars and 2,300 spikes have been recovered between December 3 and March 25. The six men engaged lost but two days in the whole time, and the removing of such heavy articles from twenty feet of water was not an easy job.

### EARTH'S UNREST IS GROWING.

**Large Sunspots are Held Responsible for Earth Shocks.**

A despatch from London says: Prof. Belar, the seismologist, director of the Laibach Observatory, announces that the general unrest of the earth has been growing during the last three days, and connects the fact with the presence of large sunspots. Comparing the earth shocks during the first quarter of 1905 with those of the corresponding quarter this year, he remarks that the intensity of these recorded in 1907 was less than half the intensity of those of the preceding year. He adds:—"If the disturbances of the equilibrium of the earth's surface are to result in the average compromise we must await the earthquake's now due with some anxiety."

### LOST BOTH HIS FEET.

**Man Run Over Near Cobalt Dies in Hospital—Hit by Train.**

A despatch from Cobalt says: On Saturday Ronald McDonald, a man of 50 years, was knocked down by a train while walking on the track near Cobalt Station. The wheels went over both legs, one foot was torn off, and the other had to be amputated. He was taken to the Liskeard Hospital, where he died. He had deadened his hearing with cotton-wool.

### MINERS MAY STRIKE.

**The Convention at Calgary Breaks Up Finally.**

A despatch from Calgary, Alta., says: The Miners' convention has broken up. No contracts were signed. The split took place on the discrimination clause late Monday evening. A strike will likely follow.

### SUICIDE IN DELHI.

**Blacksmith Found Hanging in Room Above His Shop.**

A despatch from Delhi, Ont., says: Monday morning the body of H. S. Pettit was found hanging by a rope in a room above his blacksmith shop. He had been missing since Friday evening.

### A BIG CONTRACT.

**What Railways Must Do to Move Wheat Crop.**

A despatch from Regina, Sask., says: The railway companies will require to move 200 cars of wheat per day for the next six months in order to clear out last year's crop.

### 23 KILLED; ONE HUNDRED INJURED

**Southern Pacific Train Ran Into an Open Switch.**

A despatch from Colton, California, says: Twenty-six people are known to have been killed in the derailment of the westbound Southern Pacific passenger train from New Orleans near this town on Wednesday afternoon. The injured number 100, and several may die. Ten of the fourteen coaches of the train, which ran into an open switch were ditched, four being smashed to pieces. Most of the killed were Italian laborers bound from New Orleans to San Francisco. Eighteen bodies were removed and eight are visible under the wreckage. The engineer and fireman were badly scalded by the escaping steam. The baggageman was killed. All the hospitals in Colton are filled with injured. The escape of Florence Roberts' theartical company was miraculous. Their special car was thrown from the track, and both ends crushed, but only two of the company were injured.

### MAKING NEW GRAINS.

**Professor Zavitz Describes Work Done at Guelph.**

A despatch from Toronto says: Professor C. A. Zavitz, of the Ontario Agricultural College, addressed the Agricultural Committee of the Legislature on Wednesday on plant breeding as applied to farm crops. He told the committee of the work done at the Guelph college in the selection of seed and hybridization or cross-fertilization. He illustrated his remarks by samples of the results attained by the experiments—hybrids of great promise obtained from crossing Dawson Golden Chaff Wheat and Turkey Red. In the new wheat the good qualities of both were retained, while some of their defects were eliminated. He emphasized the importance of this work to the agricultural interests.

### INSECTS AND FROGS.

**Shower of Them Descends on Country Near Kalamazoo.**

A despatch from Kalamazoo, Michigan, says: A shower of insects of a kind never seen in this vicinity, large in size and greenish in color, together with very small frogs, fairly covered the territory between Kalamazoo and Battle Creek on Tuesday afternoon. The storm broke quickly in a cloudburst. Frogs began falling slowly at first and increased in number until catchbasins became clogged with them. The bugs followed after the frogs. Professors and students carried large numbers of insects home for examination. Scientific authorities assert the specimens are not known, but claim they would not have reached earth had not an unusually heavy thunderstorm prevailed. Most of the bugs were dead when picked up.

### CHURCH PREY TO FLAMES.

**Roman Catholic Edifice at Marieville, Quebec, Burned to Ground.**

A despatch from Montreal says: The Town of Marieville, which had the misfortune to lose its college only a few weeks ago, has been visited with another disaster in the complete destruction of the Roman Catholic Church, which was burned to the ground on Wednesday morning, with all the contents. The Host in the tabernacle could not be saved, and the sacred vessels and ornaments belonging both to the parish and to the recently destroyed college were all lost, as also were several valuable oil paintings, some of them by famous European masters. The total loss is roughly estimated at $80,000, and the amount of insurance is given as $16,000 only. Four bodies in the deadhouse adjoining the church were rescued with much difficulty.

### STILL SHORT OF CARS.

**The Situation Serious for Farmers in Yorkton District.**

A despatch from Yorkton says: The car shortage here is a serious problem now for the farmers. Seven elevators are filled to the roof and a million bushels of grain still remain in the farmers' hands. The bulk of this is lying in the fields, practically without necessary protection, and an enormous loss is staring the farmers in the face.

### RICH IRON FIELD.

**Large Area of Hematite Ore Discovered —Many Claims Staked.**

A despatch from Vancouver, B. C., says: A huge deposit of bog iron ore hematite has been discovered in Quatsino Soundred. One hundred and eight claims have already been located. The ground covers 5,600 acres and is believed to be one of the richest iron deposits on Vancouver Island.

### BAN OFF CANNED MEAT.

**Chicago Product May Now be Used in British Army.**

A despatch from London says: The ban on Chicago canned meat as a food for the British army has been removed by the War Office. This information is contained in a reply sent to an unofficial inquiry from Washington. This reply is signed by R. H. Bade, assistant secretary of the War Secretary's office.

### BRITAIN'S REVENUE.

**Receipts for Fiscal Year Just Ended Were $775,182,290.**

A despatch from London says: The exchequer's return for the fiscal year ending on Saturday night shows the total revenue of the United Kingdom to have been $775,182,290, an increase of $5,276,960 over the previous year. The surplus balance in the exchequer is $9,721,535.

The Secretary of the Moscow branch of the League of the Russian People has been arrested in connection with the murder of Dr. Jollos.

The Roumanian peasants threaten to fire the petroleum fields unless the concessions granted those working them are cancelled.

### HIS ASHES GAVE HEAT.

**Altoona Cobbler Gives a Successful Demonstration.**

A despatch from Pittsburg says: Before men representing a Philadelphia company and numerous other firms interested in fuel, John Ellmore on Friday afternoon made a public demonstration of the working of his new fuel compound in one of the furnaces of the Hotel Henry. Owing to a hitch, the advertised demonstrations at the Jones & Laughlin mills did not take place, but Ellmore says they will be made in a few days. On Friday two tons of coal were consumed in one furnace and the ashes afterward burned. At the same time the furnace alongside consumed three and one-half tons of coal, while the amount of heat generated in the furnace burning the ashes was fully one-third greater than that generated in the other furnace.

### PUTS BAN ON THEATRE.

**Archbishop Bruchesi Causes Sensation by a Pastoral.**

A despatch from Montreal says: A sensation has been caused in Roman Catholic circles by the action of Archbishop Bruchesi, who, in a pastoral issued on Sunday, denounces immoral theatrical productions in general and names the Theatre Les Noveautes in particular. The ground of the Archbishop's action in regard to the latter theatre is that it posted and advertised during Holy Week a play entitled La Raffale, which he claims is an apology for suicide and which was produced. The Archbishop forbids the faithful to attend the theatre. The same play was produced last year without any objection.

### WITH CLOTHING ABLAZE.

**Mrs. Burnett of St. David's Fell Down Stairs With Lighted Lamp.**

A despatch from Niagara Falls says: Mrs. Burnett of St. David's was probably fatally burned on Friday evening by falling downstairs with a lighted kerosene lamp in her hand. Her clothing was soaked with oil and took fire. She ran out of doors and to a small creek, into which she plunged to extinguish the flames. By this time her clothing was almost entirely burned off, and when she was taken from the icy water she was in a very serious condition. She is a woman of advanced age, and slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

### $95,000,000 IN DEATH DUES.

**Receipts in Britain Last Year Beat all Records.**

A despatch from London says: It is now known that the receipts from death duties during the fiscal year just ending beat all previous records. The total, in round figures, will be $95,000,000. Since the passage of Sir William Vernon Harcourt's Finance Act twelve years ago the total receipts from death duties have exceeded $1,000,000,000. The largest sum paid on one estate was $4,500,000, on that of George Smith, generally known as "Chicago Smith," who lived at the Reform Club at an average rate of 18 shillings a day.

### FOUR BOYS KILLED ON TRACK.

**Were Returning to Buffalo From a Hunting Trip.**

A despatch from Buffalo, N.Y., says: Four boys were run down and instantly killed by a light engine on the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks at Indian Church Road, near the eastern city line on Friday night. They were returning from a hunting trip, and were walking along the tracks. A passing freight train drowned the noise of the approaching engine, which ran them down. Frank Rose, engineer of the light engine, and Charles Ceushaine, his fireman, said they did not notice the boys on the track until after the accident occurred. It was quite dark at the time, and the dust raised by the passing freight train obscured the boys from view.

### FATHER DESAULNIER'S WILL.

**Priest Leaves Forty Thousand Dollars to His Parish Town.**

A despatch from Montreal says: The unprecedented action of a parish priest leaving $40,000 to the town in which his parish was situated, because he felt he had secured the money in taxes from the people, was taken in the will of Rev. Father Desaulniers, the late parish priest of Stanford, in the county of Nicolet. He left the municipality 500 shares of the stock of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company, and he makes the people of Stanford his legatees. The clause states that as the people had given him the money in taxes he was returning it to the people.

### DUNCAN GETS FOUR YEARS.

**Ex-Manager of Bank of Ayr Sentenced for Theft and Forgery.**

A despatch from Berlin says: John F. Duncan, ex-manager of the Bank of Commerce at Ayr, who pleaded guilty to charges of fraud, forgery and theft, his total defalcations amounting to about $15,000, was sentenced on Friday by Judge Chisholm to four years in Kingston Penitentiary on each of the three charges, sentences to run concurrently.

### FOUND DEAD ON PRAIRIE.

**F. H. Singer Probably Killed in a Runaway Accident.**

A despatch from Lethbridge says: The body of F. H. Singer, a rancher, was found on the prairie on Thursday night, and the news was brought to the city on Friday by Thomas and William Johnson, who found the body. It is probable that Mr. Singer was killed in a runaway on his way home, after taking Mrs. Singer's mother to her home in Lethbridge, as his team returned to his ranch, about twenty-five miles south of the city, about midnight on Tuesday. To allay the fears of Mrs. Singer, two neighbors started to search for the missing man, with the result that about 8 o'clock on Thursday night they found the body about twenty miles from the city.

# FEVER, RAIN AND FAMINE

## Acute Distress Among Starving People in China.

A despatch from Shanghai says: The famine-stricken Chinese have been practising cannibalism in localities where the distress is most acute. Authenticated cases have thus far been few, but it is feared that cannibalism will spread unless relief can be more speedily and more widely distributed. The spread of fever continues, and the heavy rains are increasing the general misery. Spasmodic rioting has occurred, but the outbreaks have not been serious. The famine funds total approximately half a million taels. The famine relief organization is taxed to the utmost in supervising the distribution of relief and in managing the relief work, which now employs hundreds of destitute Chinese. The committee is appealing for more volunteer helpers. Large orders for grain have been placed in America, Australia and Manchuria, with the stipulation that they must be filled as promptly as possible.

### DISEASED CATTLE USED.

**Charges Against Montreal Abattoir Companies.**

A despatch from Montreal says: Montreal is to have a stockyard investigation that will compare with Chicago's, if Ald. Lariviere's information can be believed. Ald. Lariviere said to-day:—"A statement has been forwarded to me asserting that two big abattoir companies in the city which have special charters from the Legislature, are using cattle which die of diseases, and they are converted into lard. I shall ask the Council to appoint a special commission to inquire into the whole matter. It is asserted by parties who have written me about the matter that an investigation will prove that animals unfit for human food are being boiled down into lard."

### THROWN FIFTY FEET.

**A. Rousseau Killed by a Train at Vaudreuil Station.**

A despatch from Montreal says: A. Rousseau, nineteen years of age, whose home was at Isle Perrot, was killed on Wednesday at Vaudreuil Station by being run over by the International Limited. Rousseau tried to run across the tracks in front of the train, but miscalculated the speed. He was caught on the centre of the track and thrown 50 feet. He struck against a board fence, and when picked up and carried to the platform it was found that nearly every bone in his body had been fractured. He was also badly cut and mangled.

### DYNAMITE IN A CROWD.

**Terrible Explosion in Mine at Dreifontein, South Africa.**

A despatch from Johannesburg says: Four white men and fifty natives wert instantly killed and three whites and sixteen natives were injured by the unexpected explosion on Thursday night of two casts of dynamite at the Dreifontein mine. One of the white men killed was an American named William Harvey. The explosion occurred at a time when the mine workers were mustered preparatory to going to work. A native tampered with the dynamite, which exploded.

### NEW GOLD FIELDS.

**Rich Expanse in Cape Colony to Be Opened Soon.**

A despatch from Cape Town says: It was announced on Tuesday that a proclamation will be issued about the end of April opening the Madibi gold fields to public digging. Official assays show an average of over one ounce of pure gold to the ton.

A feeling hostile to Europeans is said to be growing in the interior districts of Morocco.

The sealing steamer Greenland, after a long battle with storm and ice, foundered in the northern ice fields.

### OVER THE FALLS

**Suicide of Unknown Woman at Prospect Park.**

A despatch from Niagara Falls, says: An unknown woman jumped to death over the brink of the American Falls at Prospect Park late on Friday. Several people witnessed the tragedy. The woman was about forty years of age and was dressed in black.

### FORT WILLIAM BOOMING.

**New Buildings for Industrial Buildings Will Cost $5,000,000.**

A despatch from Fort William, Ont., says: This spring will see a great development in the industrial progress of Fort William. Plans already prepared for buildings and factories will take a total of $5,500,000.

### KINGSTON STILL QUAKES.

**Six Sharp Shocks Reported since Friday Last.**

A despatch from Kingston, Jamaica, says: The Panama Canal Commission has filed a claim for $19,000 against the local Government for tents and food supplies to the earthquake sufferers. The commission will be asked to waive its claim. The earthquakes are recurring. There have been six sharp shocks since Friday.

### FOR SAFETY OF CHILDREN.

**All Winipeg Schools to be Equipped With Broad Balconies.**

A despatch from Winnipeg says: In order to avoid a repetition of the fire tragedy in Montreal, by which a school teacher and children lost their lives, it has been decided that all the schools of Winnipeg shall be equipped with broad balconies in order to facilitate escape in case of fire.

### BUOYANT CUSTOMS REVENUE.

**Returns for Past Nine Months $5,697,868 Larger Than Last Year.**

A despatch from Ottawa says: The nine months' fiscal period of the Dominion closed on Saturday. For this term of nine months the customs revenue amounted to $39,653,898, compared with $34,946,930 for the same nine months of last year, an increase of $5,697,868. The collections for March, 1907, were $5,101,537, an increase of $678,870 over March, 1906.

### HAS ALFONSO CONSUMPTION?

**Sensational Despatch Wired From Rome to Paris Paper.**

A despatch from Rome to the Paris Journal says it is stated that news has arrived at the Quirinal to the effect that King Alfonso of Spain is suffering from tuberculosis, and that the Spanish Court is extremely uneasy regarding his condition.

# PEASANTS BENT ON DESTRUCTION

## They Burn and Pillage From Pure Wantonness.

The London Times has received the following cable despatch from its correspondent at Bucharest, Roumania:—The situation here is exceedingly grave, graver than seems to be realized in the outer world. In the extreme north of Moldavia, where the peasant revolt began, there is apparently some abatement of the violence and devastation, but a series of outbreaks in Wallachia in the last two days has far surpassed anything that has taken place in the northern province. The character of the movement has also changed. In the first instance it was purely agrarian, the peasants demanding the land at low prices and seeking to liberate themselves from the grinding tyranny of the farmers or middlemen. But since its extension into the southern province the agitation has assumed a different aspect, and there are indications of a widespread organization, with destruction pure and simple, rather than plunder or personal revenge, as the leading motive. Whole villages, country houses and farms have been burnt in a most indiscriminate manner. It is stated that in one town the peasants destroyed a large number of bank notes found in the local institution of credit. It has been observed that the bands dealing destruction in all directions are composed to some extent of townsmen and even foreigners, and there is reason to believe that the Anarchist societies over the Russian frontier have been extending their organization into this country.

HUNDREDS KILLED OR WOUNDED.

It is reported that some two hundred peasants were killed or wounded on Wednesday in conflicts with troops in Moldavia. The Chamber of Deputies unanimously adopted bills providing for the abolition of several taxes and other measures which will be helpful to the rural population of Roumania.

The Minister of the Interior announced on Wednesday that the situation in Moldavia had improved, but there is not much evidence in support of the statement in the reports of disorders coming in from numerous points. From the districts of Vashica, Dambovitz, Tecuci, Buzen, Dolj, Olt and Teleorman come the now familiar stories of incendiarism, pillage and excesses of all kinds. The censorship is strict, with the result that details of the occurrences are lacking.

The workmen in the petroleum districts are also in a state of excitement, but the authorities believe that the measures taken will prevent any disorders among them.

Plenty of troops have been concentrated here to protect the capital, and reinforcements speedily are being distributed in the disturbed sections.

The new Cabinet Ministers propose to make a tour of the country and personally superintend the measures taken in order to end the agitation.

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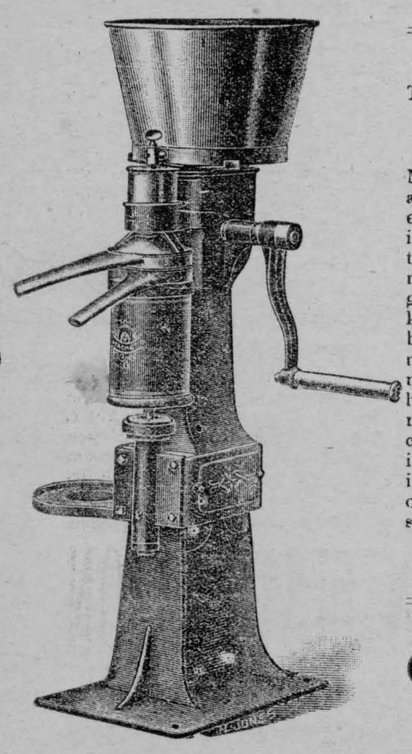

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### Cost Of Raising Bacon Hogs.

The following results of experiments under the charge of professor G. E. Day of the Ontario Agricultural College were made public in an address delivered by this gentleman. The experiments were conducted by nine different feeders in different parts of the province. All these men were allowed to feed in hogs. their own way and the only rules prescribed were those pertaining to the nature of the details to be reported upon and a declaration was received signed by each of the experimenters that the information contained in his report was correct. The feed given each lot and the cost of the pigs of each lot per pound when ready for market are given below.

Professor Day states—"For what may be called supplemental foods, we have used the following values: skim milk and buttermilk 15c per cwt.; roots, $2.00 Per ton; green foods, $2.00 per ton; whey 4c per cwt. These values may be open to question, it is but the meal ration which has the greatest influence upon the cost of the feeding. The term meal include. bran, shorts, etc., as well as ground grain We could not always use the values furnished by our experimenters, because it was necessary to have uniformity of values for purposes of comparison".

Professor Day in his table gave the cost of the pigs per pound when meal is worth per ton $20, $21 $22 and $23 The table given below is the cost per pound when meal is worth $21. Professor Day states that he regards $20 per ton as a fair valuation of meal when the grain is home grown as it includes much that is not marketable. "Even when much of the feed has to be bought we believe that with a little foresight the meal can be kept well under $22 per ton. If the farmer buys judiciously or uses unnecessarily high priced food he should not blame the pigs.".

**Details of Co-Operative Experiments.**

| Food Consumed. | Cost per pound when meal is worth per ton $21.00. |
|---|---|
| Lot No. 1—Barley, 3552 lbs ; shorts, 905 lbs.; mangels, 740 lbs:; green clover, 285 lbs., skim milk, 1620 lbs | $ 3 68 |
| Lot No 2.—Barley, 5374 lbs.; shorts, 1169 lbs ; mangles, 815 lbs.; green clover, 390 lbs.; skim milk 2160 lbs | 3 90 |
| Lot No. 3.—Meal (barley, peas, oats and shorts) 7333 lbs.; mangles, 454 lb.; skim milk 2520 lbs | 4 21 |
| Lot No- 4 —Meal (barley, oats, peas) 517 lbs.; shorts, 1038 lbs.; mangels, 3200 lbs.; Milk, 2050 lbs | 4 21 |
| Lot No. 5.—Barley, 1960 lbs., wheat 1300 lbs.; oats, 800 lbs.; margels, 6000 lbs.; skim milk, 8800 lbs | 4 71 |
| Lot No. 6—Meal (barley, oats, wheat, peas) 421 lbs.; shorts, 816 lbs.; whey, 1500 lbs., miscellaneous foods, valued at $5.00 | 3 82 |
| Lot No. 7.—Barley, 1243 lbs.; shorts 4600 lbs. corn, 1585 lbs.; milk, 9330 lbs.; small potatoes (3 bags) and pasture valued at $5 90 | 4 33 |
| Lot No. 8.—Meal (barley and oats) 2230 lbs.; shorts 274 lbs.; milk 3960 lbs.; pasture and green feed, $5.00 | 3 67 |
| Lot No. 9.—Meal (barley and peas) 10016 lbs.; mangels, 3300 lbs.; milk, 4020 lbs | 4 94 |

**Average cost including all pigs in experiments.**

When meal is worth per ton; $21.

Average cost per pound of 95 pigs when pigs cost $1.50 each at weaning time $ 4 21

**Notes.**

"The pigs were valued at $1 50 at weaning time which is considerable above the actual cost of producing them as shown by experiments at the college".

"It is hard to understand the high cost per pound in the case of lot 9. Looking at the ration which was used, we must say that barley and peas do not look like a good meal ration for very young pigs.

On the other hand, it must be admitted that the pigs made remarkably good gains, as they were scarcely six months old when marketed, and averaged 195 pounds. It is possible, however, that, though the pigs were not injured they did not make the best use of the meal, and that there was a waste from this cause. If it does nothing else, this group illustrates the point that rapid gains are not necessarily cheap gains".

## AVONMORE.

Mrs. James Duguid and family left on Tuesday evening for Strathcona, Alberta, where they intend taking up their abode.

The Beaver Lumber Mill commenced operations on Wednesday.

Miss Flossy Wert of Newington, is is visiting at J. H. Wert's this week.

Miss Mary McKinnon and Mrs. Wm. Wert left on Tuesday evening for Winnipeg Man.

Miss Theresa Nesbitt of Winchester, is visiting her cousin Miss Lela Nesbitt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman of Apple Hill, were in Avonmore on Monday.

The Ball which was held in Beaver Hall on Monday evening proved out a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller spent Easter Sunday at the latter's parents, Mr. Herman Runions, Northfield.

Mr. Duncan Gibson of Montreal, visited friends here over Sunday.

Mr. George Duff of Montreal, visited at John McLaughlin's recently.

The Misses Blanche and Minnie Russell of Montreal, visited their sisters Mrs. Chas. Kahala and Mrs. A. Cardinal, this week.

John Shaver loaded a car of hogs and fat cattle on Monday.

Messrs James Warner and Austin Hollister of Osnabruck Centre, was in Avonmore on Tuesday.

Miss Lottie Clark of Inkerman, is visis visiting Miss Christy Shaver this week

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Miller spent Easter Sunday with the latter's parents, John McIntyre, of Berwick.

Collin Nesbitt and O. Flynn were in Moose Creek on Monday.

Mr. Frank McMillan of the Bank of Ottawa, spent Easter Sunday at his parental home in Finch.

**Mr. Neil is certainly one of the finest tenors we Possess—Glascow Evening Times. Odd Fellows Concert, Foster's Hall Chesterville, Tuesday Evening, April 16, 1907.**

Rev. R. A. Armstrong, curate of St. James' Church of England, Orilla, Ont., has been chosen rector of the principal church in St. John, N. B.

The provincial legislature of Prince Edward Island will subsidize the telephone company that propose to lay a cable under Northumberland Straits.

## MORE PAY FOR MINISTERS SALARY FOR G. P. GRAHAM

**Premier Whitney Has Nothing To Say About Story Of Cabinet Increases.**

"I have nothing to say" was Premier Whitney's reply to a question as to the truth of the statement that Ontario cabinet ministers are to share the general prosperity by an increase in salary.

Two thousand dollars a year is the sum mentioned additional to the present rate of $4000, which, with $1000 indemnity, will make $7000 a year. The prime minister receives $8000 in all at present and the addition will thus give him $10,000. This is only $500 more than the Dominion ministers get, and $4500 less than the Dominion Premier.

Only ministers with porsfolios are salaried, so that the three ministers without portfolios are not interested in the increase.

It is anticipated that, following the precedent of the Dominion house, the supplementary estimates will include the first annual grant to the leader of the local opposition. The sum mentioned is half the allowonce of the cabinet ministers which would thus be $3500, including his sessional indemnity.

Should these increases be determined upon, there is no doubt that Mr. Speaker's allowance will also receive attention. The $2000 alloted to the office does not nearly cover the expenses of entertaining which are incumbent upon the first commoner during the session.

Everybody was delighted with Mr. Fred Howard. He is worthy of the name 'King of Entertainers"—Sir James Allan, Glasgow, Scotland. Odd-Fellows' Concert, Foster's Hall, Chesterville, Tuesday evening, April, 16, 1907.

### Express Car Robbed.

Toronto, April 1.—Certain packages of goods were missed from the Dominion Express Company's car, attached to No. 6 C. P. R., which left Toronto at 10 O'clock one night last week. The goods are believed to have been stolen somewhere on the road between here and Perth. Manager Walsh, of the Express Company, stated that the amount involved was not large. Detectives are working on the case.

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### Foal To Lou Dillon.

Cleveland, O., March 30.—Lou Dillon the world's champion trotter, foaled, a pretty bay filly early today at C. K. G. Billings' private stable at the Glenville track. The foal's sire is the champion wagon trotting stallion John A. McKerron, which makes her one of the most distinguished equine juveniles living, in point of speed inheritage.


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