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Child Burned to Death.

The two - and- a - half - year-old daughter of Mr. Wilfred Sauve, north of Bainsville, was fatally burned on Saturday. The parents were at the barn milking, leaving the little one in charge of her grandfather. The old man went out of doors for a minute, and on his return found the child's clothes on fire. The little girl died in four hours.

We make prices that makes friends at The Shoe Store.

Notice.

We the undersigned agree to close our places of business on the following days; Monday, Dec. 26th and Jan. 2nd.—Chester Casselman, The Sanders, Sonle & Casselman, Fulton Bros., C. L. Casselman, J. T. Kearns, T. J. McGee, G. W. Bogart.

Dillabough—Servage

A pretty house wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. W. Servage at Cahore on Dec. 21st, 1910, when their daughter, Miss Annis Irene Servage, was married to Mr. L. Dillabough of Morewood son of Mr. and Mrs Henry Dillabough. The Rev. Holmes of St. John Church, officiating. The bride who was given away by her father Mr. William Servage, wore a gown of white wooledelain trimmed with white satin. Mr. and Mrs. Dillabough left for a wedding trip to Ottawa. The bride wore a traveling suit of navy blue cloth with a picture hat of palm velvet. On their return they will reside in Morewood.

C Lee Casselman, of The Shoe Store, wishes everybody a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Hand Amputated.

Mr. Ira Hamilton of Bush Glen, while working a feed cutter on his farm had his right hand caught in the machine and it was badly mangled. Dr. E. L. Brown, of Aultsville, and his brother, Dr. Wm. Brown of Chesterville, were called in, and found it necessary to amputate the hand. Though he suffered great pain, Mr. Hamilton bore the ordeal with remarkable self-control. His many friends sympathize deeply with him.

The 34th annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association will be held in Perth, on January 4th, 5th, and 6th.

Sunday School
Entertainment

THE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT IN THE : : : : : :
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Adults—25c. Children—15c.
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Judge Pringle's Widow Dead.

Mrs. Pringle, widow of the late Judge Pringle of Cornwall and mother of Mr. R. A. Pringle, former M. P. died Tuesday night, aged 85 years. She was a daughter of the late Col. Fraser, of Fraserfield, Glengarry.

Miss Helen Merkley wins a $4.00 pair of Slater Shoes Free. You can't tell, you may be the next one to win out at The Shoe Store.

Dunbar S. S. Entertainment.

The Annual Christmas Entertainment of the Dunbar Presbyterian Sunday School, will be held in the Presbyterian Church, on Thursday evening, Dec. 29th, commencing at 7.30 p. m. The usual program of Music, Drills, Dialogues, etc., will be given. Admission, adults 25, children 15c. All welcome.

There is a distinctness about our Fur-Lined Coats and Mantles, unsurpassed anywhere in the trade. G. W. Bogart.

Polling Places

The following are the polling places in the Township of Winchester for the election to be held January 2nd.

No. 1—John Alford's House, J. P. Burns D. R. O.
No. 2—School House, Cass Bridge, John Johnston, D. R. O.
No. 3—School House, Summers, C. A. Summers, D. R. O.
No. 4—Chas. Annable's House, Charles Annable, D. R. O.
No. 5—Ormond School House, J. F. Campbell, D. R. O.
No. 6—Morewood Presbyterian Hall, Andrew Moffatt, D. R. O.
No. 7—School House, Section 10, George Beattie, D. R. O.

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Personal.

Mrs. K. M. McVey is spending the holidays in Toronto.

Miss Margaret Nado of Morewood, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Johnson, of Ivernay, Sask., is visiting his parental home here.

Mr. D. Murphy of Portland, Ont. is visiting at Mr. Jacob Merkley's.

Mr. John Shirkey of Cumberland, Ont. spent over Sunday with Mr. F. Shirkey.

Miss Florence Burt, of Ottawa, was the guest of Mrs. W.A. Brown over Sunday.

Mr. R. W. Matthews left last week for Mexico to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Elvin Lasalle, who is attending college in Toronto, is spending the holidays at his home.

Miss Lottie Scott of Winchester, spent a couple of days the past week with Miss Norah Pelletier.

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Sale Postponed.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the sale advertised by A. Kennedy & Son to take place at their fasm residence, near Winchester, to-day, has been postponed until Saturday, Dec. 24th.

Ain't it awful Mabel? $1.25 Kozy Slippers selling at $1.00 at The Shoe Store. It's a slaughter but they must go.

Johnson—Johnson

This is a case where mostly Johnston's figure and I presume it was by mutual consent also, for yesterday at the manse, at Dunbar, Rev. Geo. Mason united in holy wedlock, Frank K. Johnston of Invernay Sask., son of Mr. Creighton Johnson of this place, to Alice May daughter of Mrs John Johnson of Dunbar. Congratulations.

If you wish to make a present that is a perfect taste, and that will please, make your gift, a beautiful box Ganong's Chocolate, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 box, at Fultons.

Greeted With a Bumper House.

The dramatic production of "Jane" presented in the Music Hall on Friday evening last by the Chesterville Dramatic Club, was greeted by a large attendance, and they were well repaid, as the cast was good and everyone a star in their role. We are informed that it is the intention to have it presented again in the near future, under the auspices of the Public Library.

Already winter forces the pace and every circumstance makes advisable the present purchase of heavy goods and our heavy stock affords the best range for Christmas we've ever shown. Never did comparison mean more to customers. We welcome it. G. W. Bogart.

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Married.

DILLABOUGH—SERVAGE—At Crysler on Dec. 21st, by Rev. Holmes, Mr. L. Dillabough, of Morewood, to Annis Irene Servage of Cahore.

JOHNSTON—JOHNSTON—At the manse Dunbar, on Dec, 21st. 1910, by Rev. Geo. Mason, Alice May Johnston of Dunbar, to Frank K. Johnston of Chesterville.

MCBREYER—STEPHENSON — At the Manse, Avonmore, Ont. on Dec. 14, 1910, by the Rev. S. D. McPhee, John McBreyer, of the Township of Cornwall, to Ella Stephenson, of Avonmore.

ANDERSON—DILLABOUGH—At Saskatoon, Sask. on Dec. 2nd, 1910. by Rev. E. C. Gallup, Alton H. Anderson, to Wishelimma Dillabough, of Morewood Ont.

DIED

MCGILLIARAY—At Monkland Station. on Dec. 8, 1910, Sarah Cameron, wife of John McGillivray, aged 24 years.

The Editor of The Record
Wishes One And All
A Merry Christmas

Successful Services at Brinston.

A successful series of evangelistic services have been closed in the Methodist Church, Brinston, Matilda circuit, Ont. Evangelist J. Ritchie Bell, of Montreal, manager of the Sailors' Institute, has been in charge, and has been quite successful, both in his singing and preaching. Mr. Bell is a man of splendid all round ability as an evangelist. A beautiful sweet singer, forceful preacher, and above all a most devout student; he has proved a blessing to many.

Pleaded Guilty to Theft of Grain

Joshua Fetterly, a farmer of the Township of Williamsburg, appeared before James Clement, J.P., charged with the theft of a quantity of grain. Mr. Lemuel Dillabough, a neighbor, was the complainant. It appears that Mr. Dillabough missed some grain, about 200 bushels, from his barn on or about Nov. 15th last, and suspected who the guilty party. Inspector John Miller, of Toronto, was employed on the case with the result that Fetterly acknowledged to him the theft of 60 bags from the premises of Mr. Dillabough. The prisoner pleaded guilty and was taken to Cornwall to-day by Constable James McAvoy.

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Hon. P. H. Roy, former President of the St. Johns Bank, died at Montreal.

Mr. Harry McElroy, who is attending the Agricultural College at Guelph, is home for the holidays.

Miss Bertha R. Gibbons, who is attending the Normal School at Ottawa, is visiting at her home here.

Mr. Howard Merkley, who is attending the Dental College in Toronto, is spending the holidays in town.

Mr. D'Arcy McKee of Vancouver, B. C. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McAvoy. Ten years has passed since he was here and his many friends will be pleased to see him.

Killed on Farm.

Mr. Murdoch W. McCrimmon the only son of Mr. Farquahar McCrimmon of Vankleek Hill, was accidentally killed on Saturday at the farm of his brother-in-law, John McIlwaine. While moving a threshing machine into the barn he slipped and the machine fell, hitting him on the head. He died shortly after receiving the injury. He was 38 years of age.

School By-law Decision.

The Roman Catholic Separate School Board of Amherstburg made a motion in the courts to quash a by-law passed by the Essex county council establishing a Continuation school in Amherstburg. The motion came before Justice Meredith in Toronto on Monday. He declined to quash the by-law and dismissed the action with costs.

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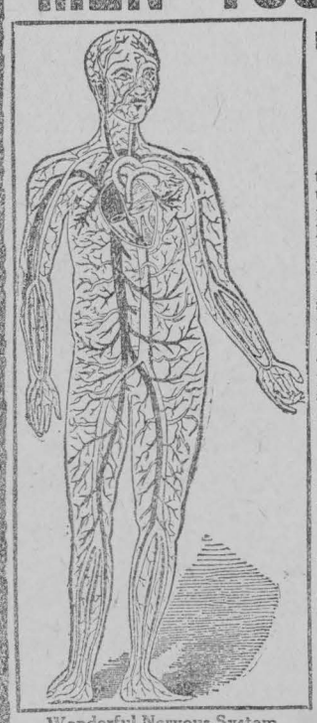

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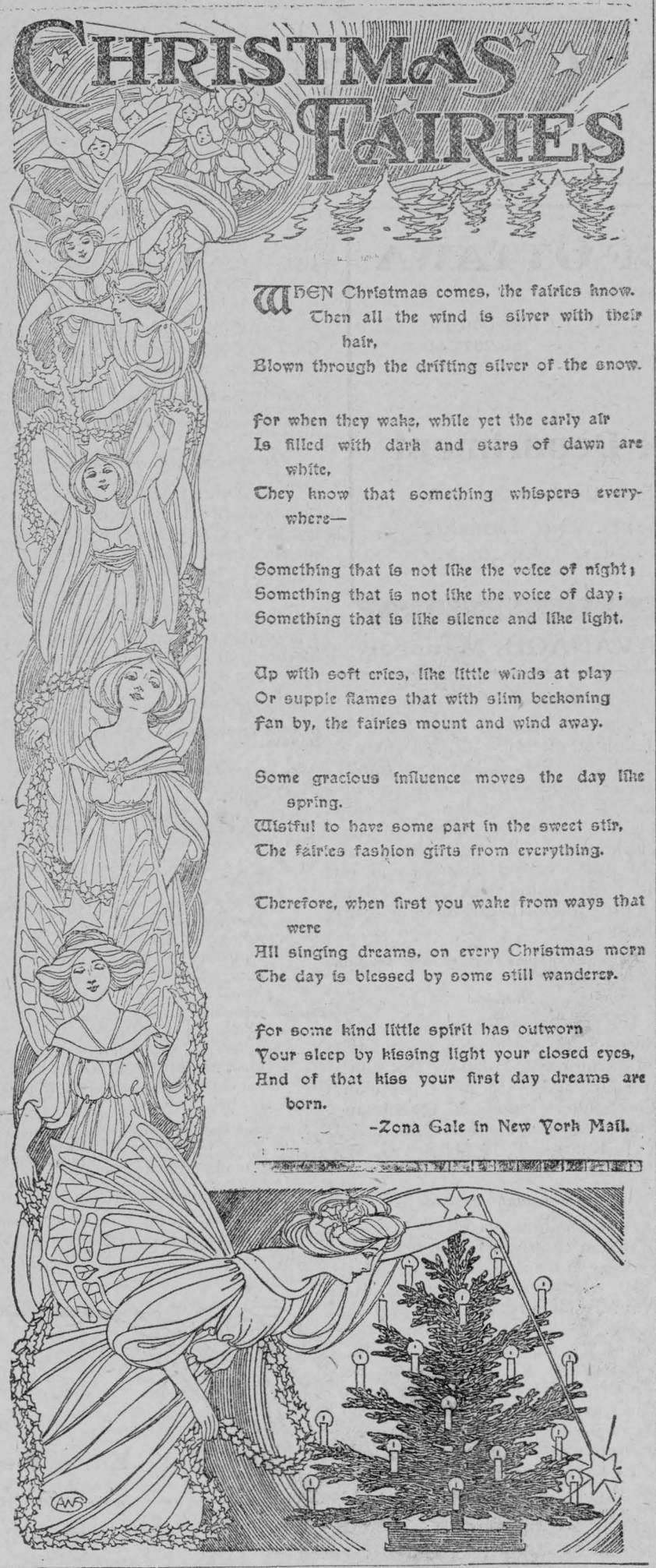

WHEN Christmas comes, the fairies know.
Then all the wind is silver with their hair,
Blown through the drifting silver of the snow.

for when they wake, while yet the early air
Is filled with dark and stars of dawn are white,
They know that something whispers everywhere—

Something that is not like the voice of night;
Something that is not like the voice of day;
Something that is like silence and like light.

Up with soft cries, like little winds at play
Or supple flames that with slim beckoning fan by, the fairies mount and wind away.

Some gracious influence moves the day like spring.
Wistful to have some part in the sweet stir,
The fairies fashion gifts from everything.

Therefore, when first you wake from ways that were
All singing dreams, on every Christmas morn
The day is blessed by some still wanderer.

for some kind little spirit has outworn
Your sleep by kissing light your closed eyes,
And of that kiss your first day dreams are born.

—Zona Gale in New York Mail.

SANTA CLAUS AT SEA.

Gifts on Christmas Tree For Passengers on Ocean Liners.

Don't imagine that just because a person is at sea when Christmas arrives he gets no Yuletide cheer. Christmas on one of the big ocean liners is observed religiously, which is to say that the day is fully appreciated by both officers and passengers.

"The man who spends his life on board a big passenger ship sees about as many different kinds of Christmases as anybody, I guess," said the captain of one of the great transatlantic steamships as he sat in his cabin the other day preparing for a holiday voyage to the Mediterranean. "Some Christmas days I have spent on the north Atlantic, others while in the China trade and still others in the south Pacific and the Mediterranean.

"The fact is that I have spent only one Christmas day at home since I was married—and I haven't been a bachelor for a good many years. Now we sail from New York very soon and will touch at Gibraltar, Genoa and other ports, and before we reach here again Christmas will have been passed.

"When your ship is running on a voyage to the Mediterranean, with a crowd of jolly passengers aboard who are off on a trip to enjoy themselves, Christmas is a day to be remembered. Friends and relatives send gifts on ahead, so that they may be handed to passengers at the right time, and of course this personal remembrance from home makes more enjoyable the celebration which is always prepared on board the ship itself.

"The 24th of December passes about as do other days until dinner time arrives, and then the chefs and stewards outdo themselves in providing an elaborate menu and in table decorations. If the weather is fine, and it is likely to be, the passengers are in high spirits, for the Christmas feeling is infectious, no matter where you go.

"Toward the end of the dinner speeches are made, songs are rendered, stories are told and toasts are given, and when this is completed all go to the main saloon, and the Christmas tree is revealed, standing there in the middle under the big skylight. It is a big tree, too—just as big as can be obtained and put in place—and on it are hung gifts from the ship for every passenger, not costly at all, but remembrances that are likely to be long preserved as souvenirs of a pleasant occasion.

"Then, if the sea is not high, the candles are lighted, and the tree bursts into beautiful illumination.

"After a distribution of gifts from the tree a concert is given if the weather is bad. But whenever Christmas eve is pleasant and the latitude is suitable the passengers go on deck, which they find to be shielded from the wind by canvas, brilliantly lighted and decorated with flags and bunting. And, I tell you, on a moonlight night, with a calm sea and soft, pleasant air, in the Mediterranean, for example, a Christmas eve ball aboard a great ship is something for most passengers to remember.

"I'm sure I can't imagine anything more charming for those who enjoy dancing. The romance, the poetry of it all, must be delightful to the passengers."—Boston Globe.

CHRISTMAS CARD'S FATHER.

British Artist Originated This Form of Greeting In 1844.

Some day surely a grateful monument will be erected to the memory of W. A. Dobson, the parent of the Christmas card, for he was a true herald of peace and good will to the world and no small benefactor to commerce, says a writer in Tit-Bits.

In 1844 Mr. Dobson, who later became a famous member of the Royal academy, was a young man earning a modest income as master of the government School of Design at Birmingham. One evening in December instead of writing his usual letter of Christmas good wishes to a friend it occurred to him to substitute a pictorial greeting, and, taking a piece of card about twice as large as a modern postcard, he began to draw on it. In the center of the three panels into which he divided his design he sketched a family group raising glasses to the health of distant friends amid a seasonable environment of holly and mistletoe, while on each side of this festal scene he drew a picture of a deed of charity.

This card Mr. Dobson dispatched to his friend, giving it no further thought. The friend, however, was delighted with his novel and artistic Christmas greeting and showed it everywhere proudly, to the equal admiration of his acquaintances. Everybody begged a similar card, and in the following December the amiable Mr. Dobson etched another design and this time had it lithographed and sent out copies by the score. In the following year he had several imitators, and the Christmas card was at last launched on the tide of popular favor, although even then if Mr. Dobson had been told that his modest card of 1844 would have 40,000,000 descendants sixty-five years later in Great Britain alone he would probably have thrown up his hands in amazement and incredulity.

HELPED BY A HAMMER.

A Little Business Incident to Which Hangs a Moral.

Two blocks apart in a certain street are two stationery stores. The owner of one has abundant capital, has a wide, roomy place with a large stock of goods well displayed. The store of the other man is a mere hole in the wall in a dingy building, yet this dealer is getting most of the business.

The following incident may explain it. A woman who had just moved to the vicinity stopped in the larger store one evening to buy some picture nails, but was told that they were not sold there.

"Where can I buy them?" she asked politely.

"I don't know," said the proprietor. The woman went to the smaller store. This man had no picture nails either. "I have a box of old nails that I use myself," he explained. "Perhaps some of them might do."

The woman gratefully accepted his offer and found some nails that answered her purpose. She remembered then that she had no hammer. "I can lend you one," said the shopkeeper, "if you will bring it back in the morning."

Ever since that time that woman has walked the extra blocks to patronize the obliging merchant. She has told her friends of the incident and influenced them to become customers.

The lesson taught by this insignificant incident is one that is only too often neglected. It pays a small tradesman to be obliging—it pays all of us. Small favors bring large returns.—Chicago Tribune.

Dreaded Premature Burial.

Meyerbeer, like many other notable people, went in dread of premature burial, and left the most elaborate directions with a view to preventing such a contingency. "My body is to remain untouched for a period of four days after my death is certified, with the face uncovered and in exactly the same position as at the time I am supposed to have passed away. On the fifth day incisions are to be made in the throat and in the feet." He also directed that two men should be appointed to watch over him day and night in case he should give any signs of life and that bells should be attached to his hands and feet.

He Remained One.

"It is true," said a woman lecturer, "that some girls, marrying men to reform them, succeed. Some girls, too, fail.

"The hostess at a tea once said to a beautiful, sad eyed woman:

"'Are you fond of sports, Mrs. Blank?'

"Mrs. Blank smiled. Her sad eyes twinkled a moment. Then she sighed and answered:

"'Well, I suppose I ought to be. I married one.'"

Egypt and China.

In Egypt we dig and delve and year by year recover the treasures she holds. In China there is nothing to recover, nothing to dig for. All her past is huddled on the surface. Her music and her musical instruments of the past are here today the same as they ever were. There are no stages of development and no steps of ascent.—Hermann Smith.

Preventing a Waste.

"Why is Mrs. Jones standing bareheaded in the cold?"

"Oh, she's got a half bottle of cold cure left from last year, and she wants to use it up to get the bottle out of the way."—Lippincott's.

Had Done It Too.

Knicker—Banking interests sometimes buy what they don't want to avert a panic. Bocker—As I buy my wife a dress.—Harper's Bazar.

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WOMEN SUFFER

MORE THAN MEN

Women have more than their share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity. They must "keep up," in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, etc. Mrs. Edward Calwood of 123 S. Harold Street. Fort William, Ont., says:

"I suffered with dull, miserable pains, soreness across my back and in my sides for months. They would catch me so badly at times that I could scarcely move around. I would have dizzy spells and although, felt generally run down. After using a number of remedies without finding relief, I learned of Booth's Kidney Pills and found them an excellent remedy. They not only relieved me of the miserable pains and soreness in my back but cured me of my kidney trouble."



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To find one of the completest stocks of Men's and Boys' Heavy Footwear, comprising Rubbers, Socks, Felts, Telescope Boots, etc. Also a full range of Ladies' Felt Footwear. Men's, Ladies and Boys' Hockey Shoes, go to G. W. Bogart's.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed. Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of muscous surfaces.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation,

A Growing Show.

Ottawa, Dec. 21,—Greater than ever before will be the Eastern Ontario Live Stock and Poultry Show to be held in Ottawa, Jan. 16th to 20th, 1911. A permit has been granted by the city authorities for the large addition that is being erected for the purpose of providing increased accommodation for the Show. The new building, which is already nearing completion is 125 feet long, 40 feet wide and two stories high. The ground floor will be used entirely as a stable for the dairy cows, while the upper floor will contain a greatly enlarged and improved lecture hall. The dairy stable will be of special interest to the farmers of Eastern Ontario since it is built on sanitary lines and contains a labor-saving equipment.

This addition together with the remodelled main building provides increased space for all departments. The entire building will now accommodate 125 horses, 200 beef and dairy cattle, 200 sheep, 200 hogs, 4000 fowls and 1000 bushels of seeds. Every person interested in live stock should make it a point to visit this great Show.

FIVE MINUTES

THE TIME HYOMEI TAKES TO RELIEVE A COLD OR CROUP

At the first sign of a cold breathe Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) It will relieve the most stubborn cold in the head in five minutes.

Hyomei's way is nature's way. It is a well known fact that we breathe disease germs and you only overtake them by breathing the healing essence provided by nature. The medicated air of Hyomei immediately comes into contact with the disease germs. These they quickly overcome and destroy. The work of healing is then commenced.

The Hyomei outfit consists of a hard rubber pocket inhaler and a bottle of Hyomei. This costs $1.00. (Extra bottle 50c.) All druggists or postpaid from The T. R. Booth Co., Ltd., Fort Erie, Ont.

Hyomei is guaranteed to cure catarrh, asthma, bronchitis, coughs, colds and croup. Money back if it fails. Sold and guaranteed by W.G. Bolster.

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Satisfactory adjustments in all cases and prompt payment of losses.

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Purity,	**Royal Household,**
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Also Corn Meal and Buckwheat Flour.

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A good Frame Dwelling in the Village of Chesterville. Possession given at once. For particulars apply at this office.

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Will rent or on shares first-class Dairy Farm, comprising 210 acres, more or less, being lot 22 in the 12th con. of the township of Winchester; also lot "B" in the 5th con of Russell. For particulars apply to

THOS. FAULKNER, Morewood

For Rent

A dwelling in the Village of Chesterville. For particulars apply to

GEO. SHIRKEY, Chesterville

Teacher Wanted

For School Section No. 9, Williamsburg. Second-class Normal preferred. Duties to commence 2nd of Jan., 1911. Apply, stated salary expected and qualifications, to

EDWARD WALSH, Secretary
Dunbar

For Sale

The Farm in the Township of Winchester, in the County of Dundas, and being composed of west half of lot No. 13, in the 6th concession of said township, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres be the same more or less, excepting thereout and therefrom three-quarters of an acre of land, heretofore sold and conveyed for a site for a school house for school section No. 18 in the township of Winchetter.

WM. HAMILTON
Chesterville

For Sale

Hall, Dwelling and Lot in Morewood, being Lot No. 18, is offered for sale. For particulars apply to

JOHN COVENTRY
Chesterville

Wanted

Barn Timber 200x40 feet long. For particulars apply to

W. P. ALLISON
Allison's Farm
Chesterville

WARNING.

The party who took a Buffalo robe out of a cutter in the Dominion House sheds on Saturday evening last had better return it at once as the party is known who committed the act.

Hay Pressed

We bale Hay for One Dollar per ton and board. Send us a card: tell us about how many tons and when you would be ready. We will write you on receipt of your card.

MILO COONS, Crysler, P. O.

NOMINATION MEETING

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statutes relating to Municipal Elections, a meeting of the Electors of the

Village of Chesterville

will be held in the town hall, Chesterville on

Monday, Dec. 26th, 1910

At 12 o'clock, noon, and continuing for One hour thereafter, for the Nomination of Candidates to fill the offices of Reeve and Councillors in and for the said Village of Chesterville for the year 1911.

Also for School Trustees for the Chesterville Public School. And if more Candidates are placed in nomination than are required to fill the several offices then a poll will be held in said hall on **Monday, the Second Day of January, 1911,** from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m,

Dated this 14th day of December, A. D., 1910.

T. T. SHAW
Village Clerk and Returning Officer.

Nomination!

A meeting of the Municipal Electors of the Township of Winchester, for the Nomination of Candidates for the offices of Reeve and Councillors for the year 1911, will be held in the

TOWN HALL, WINCHESTER
—ON—
Monday, Dec. 26, '10

At the hour of 12 o'clock, noon

And should a poll be demanded, notice is hereby given that a poll will be held in each polling sub-division in the said Township, on Monday, Jan. 2nd, from the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon until the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the votes of said electors.

All persons interested will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

GEORGE QUART
Township Clerk

Dated Dec. 14, 1910.

Read the RECORD.

Council Meeting

A meeting, as required by law, was held in the town hall on Thursday last.

Members all present

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Moved by Chas. Chambers, seconded by Geo. Ellis, that by-law No. 203 be put through its several stages.

Moved by H. Kearns, seconded by G. Ellis, that by-law No. 202 be put through its several stages.

Moved by H. G. Merkley, seconded by F. Ellis, that the following accounts be passed and paid :—

Public School Board Requisition	$91 96
Gov. grant P. S. Board	60 00
P. D. Grady, rent	30 00
T. H. Dunn, services	33 85
Elijah Gregory, cement blocks	31 00
W. Hamilton, freight, etc	2 90
C. Chambers, work, fire hall	15 00
J. Braithwaite & Co., lumber	125 00
John Droppo, chief of police	30 00
W. Huxtable, rep. fire engine	2 50
D. Bogart, wood for fire hall	1 50

Moved by G. Ellis, seconded by H.G. Merkley, that the members of Chesterville Council tender Mrs. F. Dwyer and family their heartfelt sympathy in their great bereavement in the loss of a loving husband and father, and an honored and respected citizen, also an officer of this municipality.

When you are satisfied we are—but not before—at The Shoe Store.

Found

A Buffalo Robe in the Village of Chesterville. The owner can secure same by proving property and paying for this notice.

A. H. FORBES, Chesterville

Extra Special Offer

We offer to make you a first-class Book-keeper at your home for only TEN DOLLARS. : : :

This coupon will be worth Two DOLLARS to the first five answering this advertisement, and ONE DOLLAR to anyone answering before Christmas Day, 1910. :

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CHESTERVILLE, - ONT.

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AN OLD, OLD WISH

May Fortune with a Liberal Hand

Her Blessings Scatter in Your Way

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

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Tickets will be sold at lowest

ONE WAY FIRST-CLASS FARE
—Good Going—
DEC. 24TH, 25TH AND 26TH, 1910
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—ALSO—
DEC. 31, AND JAN. 1 AND 2, 1011
—RETURN—
TUESDAY, JANUARY 3RD, 1911

FARE AND ONE-THIRD
Lowest One-Way First Class Fare and One-Third
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1910
—TO—
MONDAY, JANUARY THE 2ND, 1911
—RETURN—
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4TH, 1911

CHESTER CASSELMAN,
Ticket Agent, Chesterville, Ont.

E. J. HEBERT, Gen. Agt. Pass. Dept., Montreal

Union Bank Earns Fourteen Per Cent.

The Union Bank of Canada, head office in Quebec, held its annual meeting on Saturday, Dec 17th. At this meeting the most favorable report in the bank's history, was presented to the shareholders. A review of last year's business shows that the bank increased its paid-up capital by $800,000. bringing the present paid-up capital up to $4,000,000. The new capital was issued at 45%, thereby contributing $360,000 towards the rest account, which was altogether increased by $500,000 during the year.

Another evidence of the bank's prosperity is shown by the fact that the dividend has been increased from 7 to 8%, the last dividend of the year being at the increased rate. An examination of the bank's statement shows that it is very strong in cash reserves in gold and Dominion notes. Another strong feature is that the assets immediately available amount to very nearly $15,000,000, or 37% of the total liabilities. The fact that this bank has over $30,000,000 on loan and as bills discounted, shows that it is is doing its full share in catering to the business needs of the country. The total assets of the bank amount to very nearly $47,500,000, indicating that the Union Bank of Canada is one of the strongest of our financial institutions. Altogether the showing is a most creditable one, and the general manager and directors are deserving of congratulations.

Do you walk in your sleep? It isn't safe. To be sure-footed you must be wide awake. You must be wide-awake when you select Furs or a Fur-Lined Jacket. If you want durability, style and good value go to G.W. Bogart's.

Knock-Out Blow For Street Cars

Toronto, Dec. 17—The latest civic proposition to protect the citizens from the Toronto Railway Company's high handed action toward them, and to provide better transportation facilities, is to inaugurate a motor 'bus system. Controller Spence introduced a motor 'bus scheme at the meeting of the Board of Control yesterday, and it was given a favorable reception. The Mayor took the ground that, as the scheme promised relief to the citizens, it was worthy of careful consideration. A resolution, moved by Controller Spence, to the effect that the City Engineer and City Solicitor report on the proposition, was carried.

THAT BALD SPOT

Don't let that bald spot grow!

Go to your druggist at once and get a bottle of Parisian Sage and if that don't check the falling hair, and cause new hair to grow nothing will.

Dandruff is the cause of baldness dandruff germs cause dandruff. Parisian Sage kills the germs, eradicates dandruff, stops falling hair and itching scalp. We will refund your money, if it fails to do its work in two weeks. Parisian Sage will cause the hair to grow if the hair root be not dead. It causes the hair to grow thicker, more luxurant, and puts new life into it.

The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package of Parisian Sage It is sold for 50c. by all druggists or sent postpaid by The Giroux Mfg. Co., Fort Erie, Ont. on receipt of price. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Bolster,

The Ontario Government has raised the automobile licenses from $2 to $4 per year, taking effect on January 1.

Card of Thanks.

On behalf of myself and family I desire to tender my sincere thanks to those who were so kind during our recent bereavement.

Mrs Frank Dwyer.

For Sale

Two cheese factories, for sale Loraine No. 1 and Loraine No 2. The output for No. 1 was 201,100, and No 2,147,000. For particulars apply to

Chas. Chambers
Chesterville.

Notice.

The Eighth Annual meeting of the Separate School ratepayers will be held in the School Wednesday Dec. 28th 1910. Poll will be open from 12 to 1 o'clock to receive nominations for trustees. If more than the necessary number remain in nomination, voting will be held in the Separate School Wednesday 4th day of January 1911.

J. T. Kearns
Secretary.

We Keep Pegging Away At The SHOE STORE

Our Stock is now complete, consisting of Boots and Shoes, Moccasins, Heavy Rubbers, Overshoes, Hockey Boots, Gaiters, Felts and Slippers for Men, Women and Children. Remember The Shoe Store is the place to buy your Rubbers, etc. Don't fail to see our Stock and Prices.

EVERY 20th CUSTOMER

Purchasing for Cash, Men's and Women's Boots or Shoes, ranging in price from $3.50 to $5.00, will be entitled to

A Pair of Slater's $4.00 Shoes Free of Charge.

Be wise and buy your Footwear at The Shoe Store and get a pair Free.

Winners names will be published in THE RECORD from time to time.

Attention, People! We make Boots as well as Repair them, at The Shoe Store.

Remember the place, The Shoe Store.

Remember the Name,

C. Lee CASSELMAN Chesterville

1910 Christmas 1910

Gift Suggestions

For Men :

Silk Handkerchiefs, Silk Scarfs, Ties, Cuff Links, Fobs, Stick Pins, Watch Chains, Lockets, Sweaters, Military Brushes, Pipes, etc.

For Women :

Ladies' Ruffs and Muffs, with Stoles, Handkerchiefs, Lace Collars, Belts, Shopping Bags.

For Children :

Dolls with Cradles. Merry-Go-Rounds, Duck Tandems, Sweaters, Skates, Pucks, Hockey Sticks, etc.

J. T. KEARNS, Chesterville, Ont.

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A large stock of American Kiln Dried Corn, Feed Flour, Middlings, Shorts, Bran, etc. You can save money by buying your Feed from us. We have some Seed Peas which can be bought cheaper now than next Spring.

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FULTON BROS., Chesterville

The Union Bank of Canada

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Forty-Sixth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the Union Bank of Canada was held at the Banking House, in Quebec, on Saturday, December 17th, 1910.

There were present:—Hon. John Sharples, Messrs. Wm. Price, M.P., Wm. Shaw, Capt. Carter, Col. Turnbull, John Shaw, A. E. Scott, E. J. Hale, J. G. Billett, G. H. Balfour, H. B. Shaw, N. Kirouac, T. C. Aylwin, H. Veasey, Arch. Laurie, K. F. Gilmour, E. E. Code and F. C. Billingsley.

The chair was taken by the President, the Hon. John Sharples, who appointed Mr. J. G. Billett to act as secretary to the meeting, and requested Messrs. John Shaw and A. E. Scott to act as scrutineers.

The Chairman read the report of the Directors, which was as follows:—

The Directors beg to submit a statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Bank at the close of the financial year ending November 30th last, also the following statement of the result of the business for the past year:—

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

November 30th, 1910.

Balance at credit of account, November 30th, 1909	$ 28,676.81
Net profits for the year, after deducting expenses of management, interest due depositors, reserving for interest and exchange, and making provision for bad and doubtful debts, and for rebate on bills under discount, have amounted to	451,620.82
(14 per cent. on average Capital paid-up.)	
Premium on New Stock	359,810.00
	$840,107.63

Which has been applied as follows:—

Dividend No. 92, quarterly, 1¾ per cent.		$56,054.55
Dividend No. 93, quarterly, 1¾ per cent.		56,782.65
Dividend No. 94, quarterly, 1¾ per cent.		56,784.00
Dividend No. 95, quarterly, 2 per cent.		80,000.00
Transferred to Rest Account	$140,190.00	
Transferred to Rest Account, Premium on New Stock	359,810.00	
		500,000.00
Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund		10,000.00
Balance of Profits carried forward		80,486.43
		$840,107.63

GENERAL STATEMENT.

LIABILITIES.

Notes of the Bank in circulation		$ 3,203,387.00
Deposits not bearing interest	$14,762,232.19	
Deposits bearing interest	22,647,449.65	
		37,409,681.84
Balances due to other Banks in Canada		73,639.29
Balances due to other Banks in Foreign Countries		71,947.04
Total Liabilities to the public		$40,758,655.17
Capital paid-up		4,000,000.00
Rest Account		2,400,000.00
Reserved for Rebate of Interest on Bills Discounted		134,534.27
Dividend No. 95		80,000.00
Dividends Unclaimed		2,151.16
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward		80,486.43
		$47,455,827.03

ASSETS.

Gold and Silver Coin	$ 599,217.04	
Dominion Government Notes	4,649,820.00	
		$ 5,249,037.04
Deposit with Dominion Government for security of Note Circulation		151,831.00
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks		2,080,814.19
Balances due from other Banks in Canada		237,427.97
Balances due from Agents in United States		428,919.25
Balances due from Agents in the United Kingdom		164,764.34
Government, Municipal, Railway and other Debentures & Stocks		1,594,923.12
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds		5,147,552.24
		$14,985,269.15
Other Loans and Bills Discounted Current		30,415,915.99
Overdue Debts (estimated loss provided for)		41,874.78
Real Estate other than Bank Premises		257,644.21
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		62,375.31
Bank Premises and Furniture		1,614,973.13
Other Assets		77,774.36
		$47,455,827.03

G. H. BALFOUR,
General Manager.

During the past year thirty-seven Branches or Agencies of the Bank have been opened, in the following Provinces:—

Nova Scotia	One
Ontario	Five
Manitoba	One
Saskatchewan	Sixteen
Alberta	Nine
British Columbia	Five

One Suburban Agency in Saskatchewan, and one in Alberta—both of which proved unproductive—have been closed. The total number of Branches is now Two Hundred and Four.

During the year the Capital of the Bank has been fully paid up, and is now equal to the total amount authorized, viz.—$4,000,000. The Premium arising from the disposal of new Stock has been credited to the Rest Account. The customary Inspections of the Head Office, and of all Branches and Agencies of the Bank have been made.

JOHN SHARPLES,
President.

Quebec, December 17th, 1910.

Before moving the adoption of the report, the President addressed the meeting, giving the Shareholders further particulars as to the increase of capital, and the enlargement of the Bank's business generally. He was followed by the General Manager, who furnished additional details as to the business of the Bank, and its policy in various matters of interest to the Shareholders.

It was then moved by the Hon. John Sharples, and seconded by Mr. Wm. Price, M.P.,—That the report of the Directors now read, be adopted, and printed for distribution amongst the Shareholders.—Carried.

After the adoption of the report, Col. Turnbull made a pleasing address, congratulating the Shareholders on the report presented to the Meeting, and thanking the President and Directors, the General Manager, and other officers of the Bank for their efforts on its behalf.

It was then moved by Capt. Carter, seconded by Mr. Nap. Kirouac:—That the number of the Directors of this Bank be increased by one, viz., from ten to eleven—to be elected at this Meeting.—Carried.

Moved by Col. Turnbull, seconded by Mr. T. C. Aylwin: That the Capital Stock of the Bank shall be increased by the sum of Four Million Dollars, raising the Capital to Eight Million Dollars, and the Directors are hereby authorized and empowered to take the necessary steps to obtain from the Treasury Board a Certificate approving the present By-Law, as provided in section 33 of the Bank Act.

Moved by Mr. A. E. Scott, seconded by Mr. Arch. Laurie: That the total remuneration of the Directors be increased from $12,000 to $13,000 per annum.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Geo. H. Thomson, seconded by Mr. Wm. Shaw: "That the Meeting now proceed to the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and that the ballot-box for the receipt of votes be kept open until 1 o'clock, or until five minutes have elapsed without a vote being offered, during which time proceedings be suspended."—Carried.

The Scrutineers appointed at the Meeting reported the following gentlemen duly elected as Directors for the ensuing year, viz.: Hon. John Sharples, Messrs. William Price, M.P., E. J. Hale, Wm. Shaw, Geo. H. Thomson, R. T. Riley, E. L. Drewry, F. E. Kenaston, John Galt, W. R. Allan and M. Bull.

At a subsequent meeting of the new Board the Hon. John Sharples was elected President, and Mr. Wm. Price, M.P., Vice-President.

Convents Not Exempt.

Ottawa, Dec. 20—According to the ruling of Judge MacTavish, taxes will have to be paid on both the property of the Sisters of the Precious Blood, Bank street, and what is known as the Soper building on Metcalfe street, used in connection with the Gloucester street convent. The assessors exempted only the building actually used as a chapel by the Sisters of the precious Blood, and an appeal as taken to the Court of Revision on the ground that it was a seminary of learning. The Court of Revision confirmed the assessment and then an appeal was taken to the county judge. Judge MacTavish in confirming the assessment, the property was not exclusively used as a seminary of learning, but was really a convent or place of seclusion, and that the education was merely incidental to this. He further said that all properties should be assessed unless the law was very clear as to their exemption.

Each season we have tried to give improved values and feel convinced that this year we are exceeding all past efforts. We invite you to inspect our stock of Christmas goods. G.W.Bogart.

FINCH.

The municipal election is all the talk at present.

Mr. George Rupert is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Angus Price and family have moved to Crysler.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cameron have moved to the village.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McMonigal were in town on Saturday.

Mr. D. E. Seese made a flying trip to Montreal on Saturday.

Mr. Donald J. McMillan is getting out timber for a new barn.

Mrs Duncan M. Cameron visited her home in Sandringham last week.

Mr. Johnson McLean of the Union Station staff, is on the sick list.

Miss Lulu Brownlee, who has been very ill of pneumonia. is somewhat better.

We regret to hear that Mrs. Hirman Casselman is again confined to her room.

Mr. P. Kenyrick, of Goldfield, is drawing wood from Mr. D. H. D. McMillan's.

Mrs. J. J. McMillan and Mrs. D. B. Cameron are spending a few days in Merrickville.

Miss Ada Campbell and Miss Taillon, milliners, spent last week in Ottawa, ordering their new spring stock.

The meeting of the Woman's Institute was held at the home of Mrs D. E. Seese, a good number being present.

Mr. George Hindle, principal of the High School, has tendered his resignation and we are all sorry to hear of him leaving.

Mr. M. M. Bennett, teller of the Merchant's Bank here for the past few years, has been transferred to Eganville, Ont., having received promotion.

(From Another Correspondent]

Miss F. Taylor, milliner, has returned home to Kemptville for the winter.

The Christmas entertainment will be held on Saturday eve, Dec. 24th, in the Massey Harris Hall.

The boys here have their skating rink in order for the season.

The many friends of Miss Kathleen Manion, who has been confined to her home for some time will be glad to learn that she is improving and will soon be around again.

The public school has closed for the holidays and Miss McLaughlin returning to her home in Avonmore.

Miss A. McCallum of Goldfield, was a recent visitor in town.

Council Meeting

The Winchester Township Council held its meeting in the Council Rooms, Winchester, on Thursday, Dec. 15th at 10 a. m., pursnant to statute.

Members all present.

Rae-Countryman—That minutes just read be adopted and signed by the Reeve.

Countryman-Campbell—That by-law No. 165, for Reeve, Depnty-Reeve and Councillors be read a first time.

Campbell-Countryman—That by-law No. 165 be read a second time.

Rae-Countryman—That by-law No. 165 be passed, signed and sealed in open Council.

Countryman-Hogahoam—That by-law No. 166, for appointing deputy returning officers and polling booths be read a first time.

Hogaboam-Campbell—That by-law No 166 be read a second time.

Campbell-Hogaboam—That by-law No 166 be passed, signed and sealed in open Council.

Hogaboam-Countryman—That bylaw No. 167, for payment of orders and accounts be read a first time.

Campbell-Rae—That by-law No. 167 be read a second time.

Countryman-Campbell—That by-law No. 167 be passed, signed and sealed in open Council.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Father Killed Son

Goderich, Dec. 16—Another murder occurred here last night about ten o'clock, when George Vanstoue, 61 years old, beat his little son, aged 6 years to death with a broom-stick. The murderer spent some time in an asylum some years ago, and was probably insane when he committed the deed. He has been arrested.

The Holiday Season is Here Again



And SAUCIER, The Jeweler, is to be Found With Goods of Unexcelled Quality and Prices to Compete With Any City Store - - -

I have a large stock of WATCHES of the celebrated Makers ELGIN WALTHAM and SETH THOMAS Movements Cased in Gold, Gold Filled, Silver and Nickel Plated Cases.

Rings of all makes and styles with a varied assortment of Gems in Diamond, Ruby, Opals, Pearls, Sapphire, etc.

Cuff Buttons, Ladies' and Gent's Chains, Fountain Pens, Scarf Pins, Silver Thimbles, Neckchains, Lockets, Bracelets, etc.

The largest assortment of SILVERWARE in Town, manufactured by the Standard Silver Co., of Canada. Clocks of all descriptions, Spectacles, etc., etc. Call and see for yourself.

WISHING YOU THE COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON

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CUPID MAKES A CHRISTMAS CALL

SHE had written to him: "It will seem quite like old times to have you with us again at Christmas. It seems much longer than four years since you were here, but I am sure things will appear quite as usual to you. We make no change in our yearly program for Christmas. It is really the children's day, as it was when you and I first spent it together. (I hesitated when I went to write how many years ago. It must be eighteen.) But I think father and mother—and I—take quite as much interest in it as grown people do in the circus—quite for the children's sake, of course.

"I would ask you to dinner immediately on your arrival Christmas eve, but if I dared to suggest the presence of an outsider there would be a hubbub among the powers that rule the nursery and—at this season—the entire household. I simply dare not say anything save that we should like to have you come at 9 precisely, so that we may have a little chat before the arrival of our other guests."

And indeed as he walked up the avenue with his long prairie stride Christmas eve he was depressed to find everything so little changed from the night four years since, when he had left New York for the west to make over his life in a new pattern of work and usefulness.

Here was the familiar door and the old bronze doorknob which had once been on a level with his eyes. And the old butler, whom the Stantons had had for twenty years, opened the door to him and answered his greeting with a respectful "Good evening, Mr. Burnside," giving him his Christian name as if he had called only the evening before. But the hall was hidden in a mass of evergreen and holly, and the electric bulbs glowed in their shades like huge berries in the greenery. And here he seemed suddenly a stranger, coming now on the old Christmas spirit to which his absence had made him an alien. It bewildered him; it saddened him.

He entered the front drawing room and saw the hem of a skirt disappear through the portieres which hung between that and the second drawing room behind it. Some one was placing a Christmas wreath in the middle window, a woman's figure. He did not know her. She turned to greet him with an eager, "Why, Burnside, I am so glad to see you!" and grasped his brown fingers with a warm clasp of a white hand.

She was not of that girlish fragility which he had remembered. She was the elder sister of her old self, but in the excitement and pleasure of seeing him her voice and manner were those of the girl whom he had loved—and lost—four years before. He smiled at her sadly. "How you have grown!" he said.

She arched her eyebrows at him. "And you?" she laughed. "Why, you're as broad and brown as a soldier. I shouldn't have known you. You have changed!"

"Have I?" He caught at it eagerly.

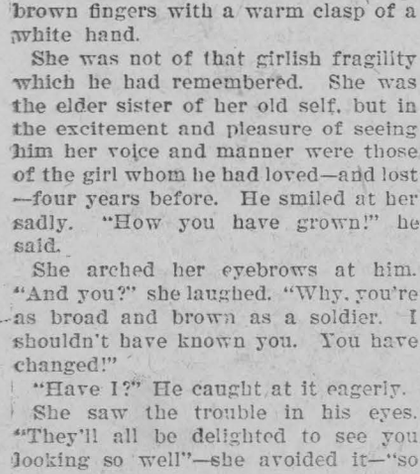
She saw the trouble in his eyes. "They'll all be delighted to see you looking so well"—she avoided it—"so big and strong."

He saw the picture of himself which she carried in her memory of him, and it pained him. He had thought that his letters would have told her.

She held the wreath up to him. "I was pretending to hang it in the window," she confessed, "so that I should be the first to see you. And I didn't know you when you passed."

He smiled again, and they sat down together. "How are they all?"

"As well as ever," she said and began to tell him of them—how the children had been growing; how her mother was aging. "And father," she whispered, "is so deaf. You mustn't



HERE HE SEEMED SUDDENLY A STRANGER.

let him see you notice it. It was the grip last winter." As for herself, her life was the old round. "I keep it full. I ride—with a groom. It isn't as jolly as when we used to ride together. But you—you must be a famous horseman by this time?"

He remembered those rides. What a fool he had been to forfeit all that!

"Yes," he said vaguely. "What an age I have been away!"

"And what a lot you have done," she reminded him. "You don't know how proud we have been of you. I used to read your letters and Stewart's out to father as soon as they came." She had risen. She went over to the window to hang the wreath, with her back to him. "He used to watch for them almost as eagerly as I did."

"Yes, you were all very good," he sighed. It was unkind, though, for her to say such things when she meant nothing by them.

"Did you meet any nice girls out west?" she asked in another voice, fussing busily with the wreath.

He shook his head. "Not that I remember."

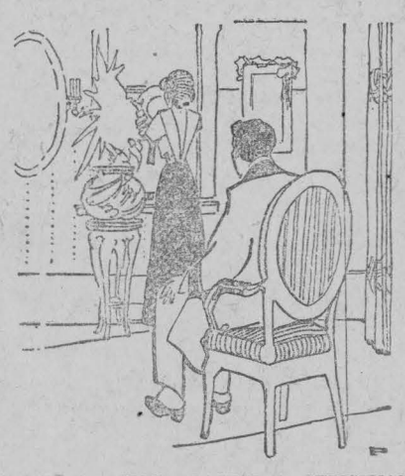
"How did you spend last Christmas?"

"In a railroad train. I had to make a trip to Frisco." He spoke abstractedly. "I haven't had a real Christmas since I went way. I felt like—I don't know what—when I saw the old hall."

She caught her breath at his tone. "Oh, did you?" she said sympathetically. "We fixed it in the old way just for you—to make it seem like old times." She had come back to him, distressed by his manner. She looked down at him helplessly.

"That was just it," he said. "Nothing has changed."

She guessed what he had left unsaid. He needed encouragement, consola-



SOME ONE WAS PLACING A CHRISTMAS WREATH IN THE WINDOW.

tion, the assurance that his life in the west had cleaned the blot from his escutcheon. She began to busy herself about the room, pinning sprigs of Christmas green on the hangings. "Do you remember how we used to decorate together?" she asked him.

"Do I?" he said. "Don't you let the servants do it yet?"

"No," she laughed. "It'd spoil the fun. I have to do it alone now."

"Oh, I beg your pardon," he apologized, coming over to her eagerly. "Can I help you?"

"Well," she said, "if you haven't forgotten how"—

"Forgotten!" he exclaimed. "I remember the proper place for every berry."

"Get the holly, then," she ordered. "We'll have to hurry. They'll be in on us in a few minutes."

He brought the branches to her and they went to work together, putting twigs of it among the bric-a-brac and in the vases, drooping clusters over the tops of the pictures and twining them in the chandeliers and electric brackets. She saw him smile with something of his old boyishness and was encouraged.

They stood in the center of the room at last and looked around at their work. "I have one sprig left," he said. "Where can I put it?"

"There's not a corner left," she said, searching the walls with a most innocent eye. He could see none either.

"Why," she exclaimed, "there's the old place over the mantel."

He looked up at the carving. "I can't reach it without a ladder, even yet."

She measured his height with a glance. "Stand on the arm of a chair."

"With my weight?" he laughed.

She studied the situation. "I'll do it if you'll steady—the chair."

He drew over a corpulent chair of puffed upholstery, with an arm as broad as a cushioned window seat. She hopped into the ample seat of it with a show of dainty slippers and put her hand on his shoulder. "You will have to catch me if I fall," she smiled down on him.

He reached up and took her hand. "Be careful," he said and closed a firm grasp on her fingers, which were trembling despite herself.

She stepped up, swaying, on the arm; he held the chair with his knee and handed a sprig of holly to her. He had forgotten the four years that had passed.

She straightened up slowly. "Oh, I can't," she said and fell back to him again. "I'm afraid you can't hold me."

He came around to the other side of her. "Put your hand on my shoulder," he directed. It was the way they had done it before, and he longed for the old touch. When she stood up on the arm of the chair he put his arm about her and held her there. She reached the branch of holly into its place in the carving slowly and then lowered her hand to his shoulder.

There were tears in his eyes. He took her fingers and put them to his lips. "Thanks," he said huskily.

She slipped down to him in a sudden wave of weakness. "Oh, Burnside," she whispered, "how—how you frightened me!"

She was such a little thing in his arms. The blood choked in his throat. "Have you forgiven me?" he asked quickly.

Her hand stole up, trembling to flutter a touch of pity on his brown cheek. "Forgive you?" she whispered. "I forgave you the day you went away and cried all night for you to come back."

He gazed into eyes that were swimming in tenderness. "God bless you," he said to them—"dearest," to her lips.

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The butler coughed in the hall. "The mistletoe has come, Miss Frances," he announced.

"Bring it in," she cried. "We'll have some on the chandelier."

"And a piece over the mantel," Burnside suggested slyly.

She looked at him with a sidelong smile.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Like blithe and busy gnats,
And as we go I murmur low,
"Who christens all the flats?"

—Washington Herald.

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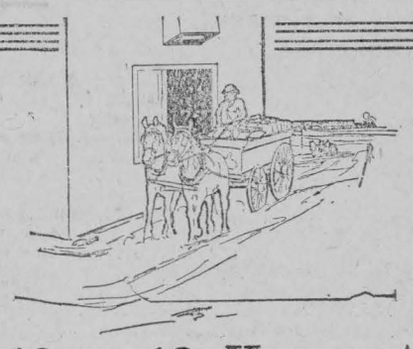

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[Miss Helen M. Merrill was born in Napanee, Ont., and was educated at Ottawa Ladies' College. She is an enthusiastic entomologist and is a frequent contributor to the magazines.]

Blue-black like the breast of the gusty sea,
Cumulus clouds where the sun goes down,
Stormful shadows against the gold,
Under the arches of even blown.

Nowhere a white bird beating the storm,
Nowhere a sunray gilding the sea;
Bud nor leaf on the orchard bough,
Butterfly, nor blossom, nor bee.

Yet to-night, where the blue waves beat,
Under the shadows, the storm-winds bring
Omen mysterious out of the dusk,
Out of the darkness the promise of Spring.

THE VETERAN'S CHRISTMAS TALE

I NEVER think of Christmas but I think of the one I spent when on detached service down in Virginia in '62. I was a captain then, and, being on special service, I happened to be temporarily attached to the command of General Cox at Gauley Bridge, Va. I was warmly welcomed as I arrived on Christmas eve and brought some letters to both officers and men, the first many of them had received for nine months. The command was the First Kentucky, and a fine lot of fellows they were. Captain Ralph Hunt invited me to share his tent, and as we sat smoking together after taps he threw me a letter, saying, "Read that."

Dear Ralph—I have sent you a turkey and some fixings and also some new underwear, and I hope the box will reach you in time for Christmas.

"That's enough," he said, for there was a lot more in the letter, and it was signed Susie. "The box is under my bunk, and as you are to leave tomorrow night you are sure of a good dinner anyhow." So we turned in, and Christmas day dawned clear and cold, and when it came time for dinner the captain's orderly had done himself proud by cooking that turkey in fine style.

"The pickets are driven in," said Captain Hunt as he stood in the tent opening with a turkey leg in one hand, and the next moment he was ordered to take his company, make a reconnoisance and report the strength of the enemy.

The country about Gauley bridge was thickly covered with scrubby



"THE PICKETS ARE DRIVEN IN."

pine and cedar. Pushing through this until he obtained a position commanding the road by which the Confederates must advance, the captain halted his men. He sent a few men in advance as scouts, and then he and I and a corporal went forward about twenty yards. The scouts, bewildered by the underbrush, got into our rear, and as soon as we heard men advancing in our front Hunt at once said it was his scouts returning. "That turkey isn't cold yet, and we'll finish it when we get back."

In place of our scouts the advancing party was the advance guard of Confederates. Hunt recognized the officer in command as Captain Loughborough, and the three of us jumped to cover. But Loughborough, who was in advance of his men, had caught sight of Hunt, and, with a volley of oaths, he cried:

"Come out, you —— Yankee, and be shot!" As he cried this he covered Hunt's hiding place with a long Mississippi rifle and fired. Hunt had grabbed the corporal's ordinary smooth bore musket and so quickly had he acted that both shots rang out at the same instant. I was looking out at the whole thing through the branches of a thick cedar, and the two



THE CONFEDERATE DROPPED.

men were not more than fifty yards apart. The Confederate dropped in his tracks and never moved, and at once a volley was poured into the captain's bush, but not a bullet hit him. Hunt's men, supposing that the three of us must have been killed, beat a retreat and made good their escape, and we were surrounded and captured. At first the Confederates were for wreaking vengeance on Hunt for the death of a favorite officer, but the gallantry he displayed and his perfect coolness while in their power finally won their regard. When asked to give his parole he refused, saying:

"You fellows spoiled my Christmas dinner that I and my friends here had just sat down to, and I propose to get back and finish it if I can. You get no parole from me." I and the corporal gave our parole, but Captain Hunt was mad clear through. He was ironed and, after marching with our guard through several towns of Virginia, we brought up at Richmond and were thrown into Libby. We never heard who ate our Christmas turkey.—J. A. R. in Brooklyn Eagle.

The Christmas Story.

Oh, the bells, o'er hills and dells, ringing
warm from heart to heart;
Every stroke the story tells, every chime
proclaims its part,
Pleading low with those in doubt,
Sternly chiding those about
To lose heart.

Oh, the bells, like living wells, throbbing
with the life they bear,
Softly each the story tells, eager for the
world to share.
Thrilling hearts that have grown cold,
Pleading with the young and old
Everywhere.

—New York Herald.

FLYING IN DREAMS.

A Sensation Like That Which Sometimes Precedes Death.

The sensation of flying is one of the earliest to appear in the dreams of childhood. It seems to become less frequent after middle age. Beaunis states that in his case it ceased at the age of fifty. It is sometimes the last sensation at the moment of death.

To rise, to fall, to glide away has often been the last conscious sensation recalled by those who seemed to be dying, but have afterward been brought back to life. Pieron has noted this sensation at the moment of death in a number of cases, usually accompanied by a sense of well being. The cases he describes were mostly tuberculous and included individuals of both sexes and with atheistic as well as religious beliefs.

In all the last sensation to which expression was given was one of flying, of moving upward. In some death was peaceful, in others painful. In one case a girl died clasping the iron bars of the bed, in horror of being borne upward.

Pieron associates this sensation with the similar sensation of rising and floating in dreams and with that of moving upward and resting on the air experienced by persons in the ecstatic state. In all these cases alike life is being concentrated in the brain and central organs, while the outlying districts of the body are becoming numb and dead.

Dream flight, it is necessary to note, is not usually the sustained flight of a bird or an insect, and the dreamer rarely or never imagines that he is borne high into the air. Hutchinson states that of all those whom he has asked about the matter hardly one has ever known himself to make any high flights in his dreams. One almost always flies low, with a skimming manner, slightly, but only slightly, above the heads of pedestrians.

Beaunis—from his own experience—describes a typical kind of dream flight as a series of light bounds at one or two yards above the earth, each bound clearing from ten to twenty yards, the dream being accompanied by a delicious sensation of ease and movement as well as a lively satisfaction at being able to solve the problem of aerial locomotion by virtue of superior organization alone.

Lafcadio Hearn somewhat similarly describes in his "Shadowings" a typical and frequent dream of his own as a series of bounds in long parabolic curves, rising to a height of some twenty-five feet and always accompanied by the sense that a new power had been revealed, which for the future would be a permanent possession.—Atlantic.

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FARMERS BANK SUSPENDS PAYMENT

Failed to Make Its Balance at Toronto Clearing House on Monday.

Toronto, Dec. 18—After an eventful existence of less than four years in the world of finance, the Farmers Bank, with its head office at Toronto and thirty branches in Ontario, will this morning fail to open its doors. While all branches were kept open today until the close of banking hours at 3 o'clock, the bank was practically in a state of suspension from the moment when it defaulted to the Toronto Clearing House this morning for the amount of its debit balance to the other bank's, the sum being in the neighborhood of $20,000. Under the provisions of the banking act, a bank is considered to be suspended when it is unable to meet its liabilities, and it becomes the duty of the president of the Canadian Banker's Association forthwith to appoint a curator, who shall take full charge of the bank's affairs pending an investigation into its condition and decision as to the course to be followed in its further operation or its winding up. Nominally under the act a defaulting bank has ninety days's grace in which to resume its payments, and if it succeeds in doing so it is again in good standing, but instances where a bank in difficulty has been able to avail itself of this provision has been rare indeed, and the chances are understood to be remote for any other conclusion to its troubles than the winding up of the institution.

"Because of the newspaper publicity and the remarks of the judge at Lindsay, the Farmers Bank is temporarily put out of business," were the words used by Mr. W. R. Travers, vice-president and general manager of the Farmers Bank, when asked tonight for a statement regarding the suspension of the institution. The judge's remark started a run on the bank and its branches all over the country, and as we do not wish to give anybody the preference, we have decided to close the doors tomorrow morning, in order to give us an opportunity to ascertain our real position. The suspension may be for only a few days, four or five, perhaps. Under the Banking Act we have 90 days in which to make good our liabilities. This is the only statement I can make at the present time."

Don't forget to buy your Slippers at The Shoe Store. 25 different kinds to choose from in Satin, Leather, Felt, Kid etc., from 75c. to $1.25 per pair.

Left His Automobile.

The automobile in which McIntosh made his escape from Hamilton was located on Friday at the residence of Ernest Sherwood, a farmer living near Brockville. Mr. Sherwood says the car was left at his place on the night of November 27th, by a stranger who asked permission to store it there, stating that he would return for it in three or four days. McIntosh it will be remembered is the man suspected of the big express robbery at Smith's Falls several months ago.

Glenpayne Dairy Association.

Ontario Gazette contains notice of the issuing of letters patent to Bain McMillan, John Werely, Daniel McMillan, D. M. McLean, Hugh McMillan, Alex. B. Nugent, S. Mattice, J. D. McInnes, E. Aube, D. Aube, P. Charlebois, H. Aube, E. Charlebois, J. Piche, M. Robillard, J. Barkley, A. Schwerdfeger S. Ouderkirk, J. Norton, D. McGilivray, all of Finch, forming the incorporators of the Glen Payne Dairy association. The objects are purely of a dairying nature and no share capital is authorized.

Local and District News.

The Public Library will not be open on Saturday evening, Dec. 24th.

Services in Holy Trinity Church on Christmas Day will be at 8 a.m. 3 p. m. and 7 p. m.

Whitteker, the Optician will be at Chesterville on Tnesday, Jan. 17th, 1911 ; Morewood on Wednesday, Jan. 18th, and Finch on Friday, Jan. 20th.

The Athletic club and Hockey boys desire to thank the ladies taking part in "Jane" for their generous assistance and the valuable time they spent in making it a success.

The Universal Food Chopper was the first and is still the Best. Its smooth cutting and self-sharpening qualities are yet unequaled. Family size $1.50, Hotel size $2.25 For sale by Fulton Bros.

For the purposes of municipal revenue and the regulation of the sale of liquor, the ratepayers of Kemptville will vote on a by-law at the January election to increase tavern licenses to $400.

Mr. A. A. Stewart, of Dunvegan an ex-warden of these counties, died at his home on Thursday last of pneumonia. The funeral took place to Dunvegan cemetery on Saturday.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of handsome calenders from W. G. Bolster, the Molsons Bank, the Bank of Ottawa, Sun Life Insuraunce Co., Candadian Pacific Railway, Cornwall Business College, Northern Navigation Co.. and others.

Rev. W. H. Stevens occupied the pulpit of Dominion Square Methodist church, Montreal last Sunday exchanging with Rev. E.I. Hart who conducted the Annual Missionery services in Trinity Methodist church, here. Mr. Hart's sermons were able and informing. He spoke at the Sunday School session at 3 o'clock and interested the members on a missionary talk.

The Nation Valley people are getting up an entertainment for the evening of Saturday, Dec. 24th, 1910. They intend to have a Christmas tree and all the fun they can "scare up." You had better be there and see what is "doing," The entertainment will be held in the school house, beginning at 8 o'clock, sharp. Admission, children, 15c., "grown-up's," 25c. The Rev. W. H. Stevens in the chair. Don't forget the date.

Messrs Jas. E. Beckstead, Mackenzie Thom, M. P. Becker, Wm. Allison, Chas. Beckstead,. Jas. O. Beckstead, Mahlon Beckstead, Jas. A. Beckstead, Thos. Black, Chas. Brown, N. S. Beckstead and Jefferson Swerdfeger, have formed a syndicate and purchased an imported Percheon Horse "Hanton". All of the parties interested reside in Williamsburg township.

Dr. Margaret O'Hara, who, owing to ill-health, has had to give up her missionary work at Dhar, India, where she has labored so successfully for many years, arrived in Smith's Falls this week, and will spend some time there with her sister Mrs John Over.

Guilty of Dynamiting Property

Smith's Falls, Dec. 16.—The trial of L. A. Purcell, of Smith's Falls, charged with obstructing the sheriff in the discharge of his duty, and also of having destroyed certain machines by blowing them up with dynamite, to prevent them being seized and taken away, took place at the County Court. Late last night the jury bronght a verdict of guilty, and Purcell was sentenced to six months in jail.

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W. M. Saucier the jeweler is offering special inducements to Christmas buyers.

The first hockey match of the season will be played on the new skating rink on Monday, 26th, between Crysler and Chesterville Puck faced at 2.30 p. m. Give the boys a good start by a large attendance.

Mrs. F. W. Baner of Ottawa was coming down stairs on Thursday evening with her baby, aged seven months in her arms when she tripped and fell to the bottom. The baby was thrown with great force from her arms and was picked up dead. The mother escaped with a broken arm, but has since been prostrated with grief over the child's death.

Found Lizard in Water Tap.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. W. A. McCleaves, of 475 McLeod Street, took from the water pipes a young Lizard, eight inches in length. Mr. McCleaves said that for a few days he had found the water in the pipe coming out in a very muddy color, and that on Sunday afternoon about two o'clock the water stopped altogether. He unfitted the pipes, and out dropped a dead lizard.

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