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TED TO MAY 12, 1890.

RUNK—Southern Division

W LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
ss (A)	4:15 a.m.	4:35 a.m
	.....	6:00 a.m
ess (A)	11:05 a.m.	11:20 a.m
.....	10:50 a.m.	3:20 p.m
ess (A) (D)	4:20 p.m.	4:35 p.m
Freight (C)	5:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
.....	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

T LINE—Going West.

ss (A)	5:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m
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ess (A)	11:20 a.m.	11:25 a.m
.....	11:35 a.m.	.....
on	12:30 p.m.	2:15 p.m
s (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
	9:45 p.m.	.....
on	.....	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

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Sarnia Branch.

ess (D)	4:30 a.m.	.....
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.....	11:15 p.m.	.....

ys and Stratford Branch.

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xed	9:20 p.m.	6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Depart—	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m
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outhern Division—Going East.

	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas.
e Limited (daily)	7:30 p.m.	11:00 p.m
ss (daily)	7:30 p.m.	3:05 a.m
Express (except		
	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
xpress (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
t Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:15 p.m
press (daily)	7:30 p.m.	2:05 a.m
Boston Express		
	2:25 p.m.	5:05 p.m
(except Sunday)	7:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m

outhern Division—Going West

e Limited (daily)	7:30 p.m.	6:03 a.m
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	9:50 a.m.	1:35 p.m
ot Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:10 p.m
press (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:45 p.m
(except Sunday)	8:40 p.m.	7:20 a.m

No trains to or from London on

ATUL, City Ticket and Passenge
3 Richmond street.

ADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Going East.

	3:55 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	5:25 p.m	
k	4:53 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:18 p.m	
	6:00 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:17 p.m	
	9:20 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	8:25 p.m	
	8:15 a.m.	11:45 a.m.	9:25 p.m	
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arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 11:4
p.m.

Going West.

T—	7:30 a.m.	11:35 a.m.	1:00 p.m	
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	9:20 a.r.	1:07 a.m.	4:58 p.m	
	11:15 a.m	2:45 p.m.	.....	
	10:15 p.m.	10:15 p.m.	.....	
	7.45 a.m.	7.45 a.m.	.....	
City	6:15 p.m.	6:15 p.m.	.....	

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0 p.m.

Sound Branch—Going North.

T—	7:35 a.m.	4:45 p.m	
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oronto at 11:05 a.m.

Sound Branch—Going South.

T—	6:45 a.m.	3:55 p.m	
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E—	10:25 a.m.	8:40 p.m	

R. PARKER, City Ticket and Pass ge
ent, No. 1 Masonic Temple.

ERIE & HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
		P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
(G. T. R.) dep	.....	5:10	7:30	.....
(E. & H.)	.....	5:15	7:40	.....
	.....	5:30	7:55	.....
own	.....	5:40	8:35	.....
ight	.....	5:45	8:15	.....
	.....		8:17	.....
ght (M.C.R.)	.....	6:07	8:40	.....
	.....	6:20	8:55	.....
ambton	.....	6:40	9:20	12:50
eburg	.....	6:53	9:40	1:07
rville	.....	7:07	10:00	1:25
n	.....	7:23	10:15	1:45
	.....	7:40	10:35	2:15
am (G. T. R.) arr	.....	A.M.	P.M.	
	.....	8:00	2:35	4:50
am—dep	.....	8:20	2:58	5:18
(M. C. R.)	.....	8:35	3:15	5:45
dim—arr	.....			

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
eim—dep	8:42	3:30	6:00
(M. C. R.)	8:57	3:45	6:15
am—arr	9:13	4:10	6:40
am (G. T. R.)—dep	9:30	4:40	.....
s	9:40	4:58	.....
en	10:00	5:15	.....
rville	10:15	5:30	.....
ceburg	10:30	5:55	.....
Lambton	10:50	6:20	.....
ra	11:00	6:32	.....
right (M. C. R.)	11:20	.....	.....
right	11:25	7:05	.....
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nna	11:40	7:20	.....
a (E. & H.)	11:55	7:35	.....
a (G. T. R.)	12:00	7:40	.....

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BASEBALL.

TUESDAY'S GAMES.

American Association—At Louisville—Louisville 13, St. Louis 1.

Exhibition games—First game—Kansas City 8, Brooklyn 7. Second game—Kansas City 0, Brooklyn 0. Game forfeited—Brooklyn left the field. Cincinnati 9, Chicago 10.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION'S CLOSE.

The American Association season has closed, the table standing:

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Louisville	87	44	Rochester	63	61
Columbus	79	55	Syracuse	54	72
St. Louis	78	57	Athletics	54	77
Toledo	68	64	Baltimore	39	92

FLYS.

John I. Rogers figures the loss of the past season in the two big leagues at about $500,000—$300,000 for the Players' League and $200,000 for the National League.

The season of the Northwestern Baseball League closed Sunday. The standing of the four clubs in the league is as follows: Spokane Falls, Tacoma, Seattle, Portland.

John M. Ward will have charge of and play shortstop for the Cincinnati team next season. Al. Johnson will probably be chief owner and business controller of the club.

One of the two applications for membership in the League from Cincinnati was that of the Cincinnati Street Railway Company, which owns the old Union Association grounds and controls all the street railroad lines in that city. The company's property is estimated at $2,000,000.

The Boston Globe has made out a table of the attendance of spectators at the games of the National and Players' Leagues for the season just closed. The average daily attendance at the 532 games of the Players' League was 1,843, and at the 540 games of the National League 1,500. In Brooklyn and Philadelphia the old league led, but in all the other cities in which the two organizations conflicted, the Players' League had the best of it. In 1889, when there was no Players' League, the National League drew an average daily assemblage of 2,557.

THE TRIGGER.

Thursday afternoon a picked team of six sharpshooters of the Detroit Light Infantry will meet a team of the Twenty-first Fusiliers, of Essex, Ont., for a match on Company "D's" range, seven miles from Detroit, on the Grand River road.

THE RING.

Two Chicago lightweights named Sweeny and O'Hearn fought a prize fight near Valparaiso, Ind., Sunday. Next day both of them, with the referee, were sentenced to jail for six months and fined $500 each.

CRICKET.

Billing, the famous Lancashire wicket-keeper, has gone to Australia for his health, which has been very bad lately.

The proposed tour of a team of professionals to South Africa during the coming winter has been abandoned until 1891-92.

Ferris, the Australian bowler, has definitely decided to settle in Bristol, and will return to England early next year. He will not be available to play for Gloucestershire in county matches until June, 1892.

THE TURF.

Mr. Potter, of Napanee, has lost his valuable stallion War Cry. The animal died of inflammation. He was valued at $1,500, and was sire of P. McLaughlin's well-known War Cry.

There is a great deal of complaint this season about forfeits. Mr. Belmont's Futurity was worth $74,000 on paper, but there is still something like $30,000 outstanding. Sam Bryant has not yet collected all his Futurity forfeits. The other big stakes are the same.

The season which is just closing is the most profitable that the race tracks around New York city have ever known. The Sheepshead Bay track cleared $225,000, and Morris Park will declare a dividend on its enormous capital of 10 or 12 per cent., and this in the face of unusually bad weather.

Salvator, king of the turf, is about to be retired to the stud. Salvator has the credit of being the king of thoroughbreds both last year and this. In his three years on the turf Salvator has won for his owner $114,685, divided as follows: Two-year-old, $14,865; 3-year-old, $69,620; 4-year-old, $30,200.

A matched race for $50 a side took place on the track at Strathroy Tuesday between Charlie Stuart, owned by W. Armstrong, of Kerwood, and Cleveland, owned by D. Roche, of Watford. Some 400 people were present, and much interest was taken in the race. Cleveland won in three straight heats, best 3 in 5, half-mile heats. A length, half a head and half a length was all that separated them on each heat. Time, 54½, 55, 55. Another race is being arranged for $100 a side, to come off at the same place on Tuesday, Oct. 28.

Mr. Alf. Taylor, of the Oak Hall, goes to headquarters to-day for another supply of those fine melton overcoats.

Prof. Dorenwend, of Toronto, intends paying one visit only to London this season. He has with him a full assortment of ladies' and gents' wigs, toupees, switches, bangs, etc. Do not miss this visit, as it is positively the only one this season. Will be at Tecumseh House on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 23 and 24. 51-h-zxv

Building Associations.

The London Board of the Dominion Building and Loan Association, consisting of Mayor George Taylor, president; Hon. David Mills, M.P., counsel; A. A. Campbell, secretary; A. M. McEvoy, treasurer, with John Mills, Dr. Moorhouse, W. M. Spencer, Wm. Gerry, Dr. McCallum, J. G. Dodd, W. B. Minhinnick and J. L. Fitzgerald, are placing shares of the association, $100 each, upon payment of monthly dues of 60 cents. Prepaid shares $50, with interest payable semi-annually. Information respecting the association and its workings will be cheerfully given by any member. This association is a mutual co-operative company upon plans as old as the oldest, with the improvements of the very latest in England and the United States. The office of the secretary, A. A. Campbell, is in Molsons Bank Building. 86tf

THE CALLOWS.

Another Murderer Sentenced to Death at Sherbrooke.

Still Another Homicide in the Province of Quebec—Fatal Results of a Quarrel.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Oct. 15.—The Sherbrooke court was occupied from Monday morning until yesterday afternoon in the trial of the murder case of Edward Blanchard, charged with killing with a revolver, in November last, one Calkins, at Stanstead Junction in a drunken brawl.

THE CRIME.

The crime with which Blanchard was charged was committed last November near Ayer's Flats. It appears the two men, Calkins and Blanchard, were drinking together, and Blanchard had a revolver, the use of which he professed to be very proficient in, and flourished it about in a dangerous manner. Calkins remonstrated with him, and a scuffle ensued, in which Calkins was killed by the discharge of the weapon. The men were alone in the house at the time, and when Mrs. Calkins returned her husband was dying. Blanchard fled, but was apprehended shortly afterwards by Constable Moe, of Sherbrooke.

He was an American "tramp," and, as he himself says, without relatives.

THE TRIAL.

Very little interest has been taken in the case, more particularly as the culprit himself has seemed so indifferent to his position, having stated to his lawyer that rather than plead guilty and run the risk of being sent to the penitentiary for life he would hang. This indifference was painfully manifest to the court by the almost constant chewing of tobacco in which he indulged, even after the jury brought in the verdict of guilty of murder. He has been sentenced to hang on the 12th day of December next.

Still Another Murder.

A FATAL QUARREL.

Another crime came to light yesterday morning, when Henri Bergevin died from wounds received Monday night at the hands of Michel Lefebvre. The shooting occurred at St. Phillippe, seven miles from Laprairie, twelve miles from Montreal, and the news was brought to Laprairie by a neighbor of Lefebvre, who came to the village for a coffin. According to his statement, the victim and young Lefebvre lived together on bad terms and never worked together without a quarrel. These quarrels

CULMINATED AT A DANCE

given at Lefebvre's farmhouse, where the two had some hot words, and Lefebvre left the dance, procured a gun, loaded it and as soon as the other man came out fired at him, the charges striking Bergevin a few inches below the heart. Bergevin was employed by Lefebvre's father, and the murderer is a lad of not more than 19.

Further particulars give the view that Lefebvre was not altogether to blame, and that his victim stated before he died that he had teased the young man till he was goaded into an act of revenge, and he brought death upon himself. It is not certain that this statement will have any weight with the jury.

TORONTO LETTER.

TORONTO, Wednesday, Oct. 15.

The $30,000 factory bonus bylaw was defeated and the $15,000 electric light bylaw was carried in West Toronto Junction yesterday.

F. Attwood, charged with attempting to purchase counterfeit money from H. S. Young, Fort Lee, M. I., was found guilty at the assizes to-day. A letter which reached the dead letter office at Washington exposed him. The grand jury has thrown out the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses brought against Geo. F. Bell, a Newmarket lawyer.

The committee recently appointed with a view to developing the mining resources of the Province, have decided to recommend that a mining association be formed, to be known as the Toronto Mining Bureau, to be operated under the Joint Stock Companies Letters Patent Act.

Notice has been served on the Globe newspaper of suit for damages on behalf of G. H. Graeme, a young Englishman, whose name figured in an article the paper published in connection with the Birchall case. Damages are placed at $50,000. Graeme is a son and brother of an English baronet, but is working as a driver of a delivery wagon.

The delegates to the congress of the Association for the Advancement of Women were given a reception at the Normal School last evening. Hon. G. W. Ross presided, and addresses of welcome were given by representatives of the City Council and local societies. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe and other leading delegates replied. The association opened it eighteenth annual convention this evening.

The fire underwriters passed a very strong resolution yesterday favoring the passage of the $424,000 bylaw to improve the city water system, and suggesting the purchase of two chemical fire engines.

Mr. W. D. Gregory, the well-known young barrister, and Miss Mary Patullo, daughter of Dr. Patullo, of College street, are to be married this afternoon at St. James' Square Presbyterian Church by Rev. Dr. Kellogg.

Beecham's Pills act like magic on a weak stomach.

Extraordinary Memory.

Lipsius made this offer to a German prince: "Sit here with a poniard, and if in repeating Tacitus from beginning to end I miss a single word, stab me. I will freely bare my breast for you to strike." Instances of extraordinary memory are often found among the users of Diamond Dyes. Some ladies who have used these dyes for years can, without the aid of the "Diamond Dye" book, entitled "Reliable Home Dyeing," or even reading directions on each package of dyes, mix up and prepare any of the many beautiful colors that may be required. Of course this requires not only memory, but practice as well. All colors of Diamond Dyes are so uniform in power and quality that at the present time dyeing with them is quite a simple operation.

Ladies are often inclined to give up home dyeing owing to bad failures; this is because inferior dyes are used, put up to look like Diamond Dyes. No failure, ladies, when the genuine Diamond Dyes are used; comfort, pleasure and success is the result.

Sing a song of sixpence,
The price of "Diamond Dyes;"
The fairest of all colors,
That please the ladies' eyes;
They happy make each mother,
Each wife and daughter true;
And all tell one another,
What "Diamond Dyes" can do
So sing a song of sixpence
For what these dyes have done,
In giving glorious colors,
That hold in rain or sun.

CANADA'S MINES

Need an Open United States to Insure Their Development.

Mr. M. H. Folger, a Kingston Conservative, is thus reported in the Toronto Globe: "As to mining, that is a matter that interests this city and this whole region of country very deeply, for we have back of here one of the richest mining regions in Canada, and one capable of illimitable development if only the market were open to its products. One of the greatest resources of this region is in its beds of iron ore. There are practically unlimited supplies of ore well suited for the manufacture of Bessemer steel. Hundreds of thousands of dollars have already been invested in works for getting out this ore, but this is as nothing to the capital that would seek employment in that region but for the duty of 72 cents a ton imposed upon the ore on its entrance to the American market."

"Why not establish furnaces and manufacture the iron in Canada?" Mr. Folger was asked.

"Because it wouldn't pay," was the prompt reply.

"But there is a heavy duty on the imported article, besides bonus to the Canadian manufacturer on every ton of iron produced."

"And, notwithstanding all this, that ore goes into the United States paying the duty, and some of it returns in the form of manufactured iron and pays the duty at the Canadian line, and yet is sold here at a rate which would cut the ground from under the Canadian smelter's feet if he were to enter upon the business."

"Do you speak from experience? Have blast furnaces ever been established here?"

"I am glad to say that I do not speak from experience, for I have gone thoroughly into the question and I know that if I had had experience the result would have been unpleasant. We are in touch, especially in relation to mining, with leading capitalists in the United States, men who are ready to venture money in anything which shows a prospect of fair returns. We have canvassed this subject of establishing furnaces from every point of view, and have come to the conclusion that the Canadian market is not large enough to support so extensive an industry even with the present duty. But, were the American duty taken off, thousands of men and millions of dollars of capital could find employment in the iron mines along the line of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway. With the development and improvement of the whole country no doubt the time would soon come when the home market would be large enough to justify the establishment of smelting furnaces, and when that time comes the industry will grow up and flourish naturally without any need of a restrictive or protective duty."

THE FALL SHOWS.

EAST KENT.

The East Kent Agricultural Society held their annual exhibition in Thamesville on Friday and Saturday. Friday was fully occupied by the directors in completing arrangements, exhibitors making entries and judges giving decisions in various departments. Saturday morning proving fine crowds gathered from every direction, until every part of the town and also the Exhibition grounds was thoroughly packed. The exhibit in every department was fine, more particularly that of horses, some surpassing those often shown at much larger exhibitions. The receipts at the gate exceeded by $150 that of any other past year. Taking it all in all the directors of the E. K. A. S. have reason to congratulate themselves on such a grand success. However, it must not be omitted that the usual number of "fakirs" with their thousand and one ways of securing cash from those who imagine themselves shrewd, were on hand and proved, as they generally do, a great source of attraction and taking the attention of the farmers' sons that should have been given in other directions.

The directors of the Mechanics' Institute flattered themselves they were giving the public quite a treat when they secured the services of Rev. Solomon Peter Hale, Canada's great colored orator, for one night only in Ferguson's Opera House. A large crowd took advantage of it, but the subject selected by the reverend gentleman proved rather unappropriate for the occasion. Consequently the people pronounced it a failure, and the directors feel rather sore.

SPRINGFIELD.

The eleventh fall show of the Springfield Horticultural Society was held at Springfield on Friday and Saturday. The first day was wet and the attendance small, but Saturday was more favorable, and about 2,000 people attended the Fair, which in point of entries surpassed the show of any preceding Fair. The number of horses on the grounds was fully double that of last year, as was also the exhibit of fruit, which was in many respects the finest display of that somewhat scarce commodity made this year at the many Fairs in this district. Some fine flocks of sheep and herds of cattle were shown. Goldring was on the track during the afternoon.

TILBURY EAST.

The annual fall exhibition of the Tilbury East Agricultural Society held in Tilbury Center on Monday and Tuesday was a great success despite the disagreeable weather. There were upwards of 1,000 entries. The stock display was particularly good, as grain and vegetables, while the other classes were well filled. The Manitoba exhibit drew considerable attention. The gate receipts were about $125.

FALL FAIRS.

Among the agricultural exhibitions to be held this fall are the following:

Norfolk Union	Simcoe	Oct. 14-15
Blenheim	Drumbo	Oct. 14-15
Bothwell	Bothwell	Oct. 15-16
Burford	Harley	Oct. 16-17
Orford	Highgate	Oct. 18
Chatham, Dover and Sombra	Wallaceburg	Oct. 25-26
Art. Ind. and Agr.	Windsor	Oct. 21-31

His Leg Cut Off.

HAMILTON, Oct. 15.—Thomas Laing, while attempting to board the west-bound express yesterday afternoon at the Stuart street station, slipped and fell on the track. The wheels of the car went over his left leg, cutting it off at the ankle. Laing was formerly an employe of the G. T. R. Company, but now lives in the West. He was on his way to California at the time of the accident. He was taken to the hospital.

Sarnia Assizes.

SARNIA, Oct. 15.—At the Assizes yesterday a judgment for $1,300 was taken by Abram Hodson against Peter and Duncan Dewar. The libel case of the Queen vs. Donnelly was postponed on terms to next assizes, owing to the private prosecutor not being ready with counsel. Joseph Reed was tried on a charge of setting fire to the dwelling of Alexander MacCrae, a carpenter in Sombra township, and was acquitted. Reed is a farmer living in the same township. This closed the business of the Assizes.

The municipality of Dresden has imposed a heavy tax on cats, and so many hundreds of people have preferred to strangle their cats rather than to pay the tax that the markets are filled with rabbits and hares.

WITH A WATCHFUL EYE.

London Water Commissioners Will Not Give Up Their Claim on the Debenture Money.

A meeting of the Water Commissioners was held last evening. Chairman Davis, Commissioner Essery, Secretary Ellwood and Inspectors Platt and Plastow were present. A communication from Mr. Thos. Marshall, asking for the work of copying the water rate rolls for the year, was laid over till the next meeting.

The protest of the Protestant Orphans' Home against the charges as per meter was laid over until the returns come in for the next quarter.

The petition of Charles McHugh and others for a water main on Cheapside street, west of Richmond street, was read and referred to the Engineer.

The petition of Thomas A. Warren and others, asking to be supplied with city water on Cathcart street, between Bruce street and Elmwood avenue, was also referred to the Engineer.

The communication of Patterson & Jolly, protesting against the water rate fixed on quantity as registered by the meter, was filed.

Mr. R. Hueston's protest against the water rate was laid over and the complainant notified that the amount must be paid under protest.

Commissioner Essery moved that the Solicitor be instructed to take such action from time to time as may be required to protect the interests of the Water Commissioners under the act of the Ontario Legislature passed at its last session, and that the Solicitor see that all moneys issued thereunder for waterworks debentures be paid to the Treasurer of the Water Commissioners for their use. The motion was seconded by Chairman Davis and carried.

It was also decided to notify the Engineer to see that all contractors finish works under way immediately so that the yearly accounts of the Board may be closed.

The following accounts were passed and ordered to be paid: Messrs. J. McDonald, $8 75; W. P. Turner, $2,500; spring extension, $489 16, house service, $103 30; H. Plastow, $10 50; E. Phillips, $9 62; O. Ellwood, $60; T. H. Tracy, $33 33; W. Platt, $50; A. Findlay, $66 66; R. Simmie, $41 66; T. Sumner, $45 84; W. Simson, $12 50; J. L. Anderson, $5; J. McDonald, $8 75; H. Plastow, $10 50, spring extension, $466 13; J. McDonald, $8 75; house service, $80 37; Harding & Leathorne, $1,000; spring extension, $426 09; J. McDonald, $8 75; H. Plastow, $10 50; house service, $75 17; W. Meriam, $5 15; J. L. Anderson, $2 59; H. Ryan, $9; E. H. Kordes, $27 25; Hunt Bros, $201 64; O. Baynes, $68; R. Dennis, $2 40; H. & C. Colerick, $10 35; D. Foster, $150; City Gas Company, 60 cents; ADVERTISER Company, $41; G. McLean, $42 04; Ferguson Bros., $314 25; W. Connor, $10 05, and M. O'Meara, $7 50.

BRITISH COLUMBIA CANNIBALS.

Shocking Customs and Superstitions of the Heathen Indians.

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Tate, who has just returned from work among the Indians of British Columbia, says that among the heathen Indians of the Province the women are slaves, and are always degraded. The heads of the babies of the Flat Head nation are compressed with boards, which destroys all that is good and noble in them. In another tribe the heads of the babies are bound until they assume the shape of a sugar loaf. This pressing of the heads out of shape is a terrible cruelty. They have their heathen feasts still. A short time ago she saw a feast where there were 800 of these people engaged. A short time before this they went to their northern station, where a cannibal feast was held, in which the cannibals bite a dead body and also bite living people. Some of the children who came home had been cruely bitten in this way. The devil's dance, which is prohibited by legislation, goes on about the same. There are four "religious, biters," or dog eaters. These men hide in caves, where they fast for days, and then come out in a frenzied state. Sometimes they bite raw flesh out of human bodies, and when they cannot get human flesh they will seize a living dog, tear it up and devour the flesh. This is to appease angry devils. Disease and sickness are spread by the cannibals. There is still the whisky feast, for the purposes of which the tribe get whisky from Victoria sufficient to fill a canoe, and men, women and children dip into the canoe until they are all mad drunk. Then they fight and stab each other, and the friends of those who have been murdered, when they become sober, slash their own bodies with knives.

She relates a shocking story of the superstitions of these Indians. When an infant is brought into the world they kill a crow, tear out the heart, and put it palpitating on the child to ward off disease. Deformed or puny children are killed or allowed to die. Girls are married at 8 and 9 years of age. In one case a girl of 13 years of age was forcibly taken from the home to be married to a man who had already two wives. They heard the child screaming as she kicked and scratched the man who was carrying her off. If a child is pretty and the other wives good natured, she has not a bad time, but generally she is made to work, and when she becomes useless they take her out on a little islet and leave her to die there. One of the most horrible stories was about the "devil's cane," a poisonous shrub with which old women are beaten. After the castigation the body swells up to an immense size and the women are left to die in awful agony.

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