

SPOKE ON THE GREAT WORK.

In Connection With the Pan-Anglican Congress.

Bishop DuMoulin Held Confirmation at Ascension.

This Diocese is Expected to Raise at Least \$5,000.

Emphasizing the responsibility of the laity in advancing Christ's kingdom, the Bishop of Niagara preaching at the Church of the Ascension last evening declared that when the people grasped the full import of their obligations in spiritual ministry, and the church accomplished what it was aiming at in these matters, instead of occupying the place it did, like a poor beggarman on crutches, whining and explaining that for the love of God something would have to be done, it would be a mighty power going forth conquering and turning the world upside down as she did in the apostolic days. Earlier in the evening he confirmed a class of forty candidates, several being adults.

This solemn and impressive ceremony in which they had just participated, said his lordship, spoke strongly of the expansion of God's kingdom. In this connection it was interesting and instructive to see old and vigorous truths, long allowed to lie dormant, brought to the surface again. The revival of the eighteenth century, followed by the nineteenth, brought to light nothing new but rather restored to man that which was imbedded in the church from the very beginning. And now in this age there is a resurrection of great truths. His lordship quoted some of the improvements in Church work as examples of things long neglected, but thrown up by the agitation and upheaval of the present day. Impressing the laity with its responsibility was not a discovery but a recovery. It was as old as Christianity itself. In holy baptism and confirmation every one was consecrated to that holy priesthood of the loving God, the spoken of the enlightened missionary spirit, of the laity of apostolic days. The fundamental principle of the missionary society of the church in Canada today was that every one baptized in the church was a member of the society.

Talking on the great Pan-Anglican conference to be held in London next June his lordship declared the assembly would be unique. The twenty-six delegates from every diocese in the world and the great service in St. Paul's Cathedral to mark the close would be the greatest to which the great domes of that great building had resounded in a century. He explained that every cent of money sent from Canada for the great thank-offering would be returned to this country. The offering from the Niagara diocese had been designated, half to the poor clergy and the remainder for missionary work in the west. Never before in the world's history had the possibilities been so great or the doors swung so far back on their hinges inviting the church of God to enter and possess the world for the Master.

If what the church aimed at was realized it meant that all the men and women in the church would have a proper sense of their responsibility. In what, he asked, would the plain and undeniable result be? First there would be a vast body of men and women ever ready to work for Christ. The Sunday Schools would not be as they were so frequently now a desolate and cheerless one trying to address half a dozen classes and fill the places of the absentees. There would be an abundance of men in the Sunday Schools and what a tremendous thing that would be. There would be a band of women engaged in a sublime work and an abundance of material for the choirs. There would be workers who would go out on the streets in the lanes and nooks seeking the fallen, the poor, the neglected, the miserable and take them by the hand. There would be constant prayers and intercessions and an abundance of givers. In week days people would be found in the churches praying and on Sunday every seat would be occupied. Were these things impossible? Were they unreasonable? Were they not what Christ had asked for when He showed His love in the gift of His Divine Son for our salvation? It was only what He should expect and what He had purchased with the price of His precious life.

In several of the other Anglican churches of the city, the subject of the Pan-Anglican Congress and thank-offering was presented by the rectors. The Diocese of Niagara is to raise \$5,000, which amount has been apportioned among the various churches. The special collections will be taken in all the churches within the next Sunday or two.

M'Hardy Meetings.

Yesterday Was Last Sunday in the Revival Series.

Evangelist McHardy conducted both services in Charlton Avenue Church yesterday. In the morning he took for his text 2nd Peter, third chapter and last verse, "But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ." In all of the services Mr. McHardy has conducted in his series there has been none more thoughtful or helpful, especially to the new convert, or to the Christian searching after a deeper knowledge of Christ. The spirit, said Mr. McHardy, requires exercise to develop it. Just as the body, without physical exercise, will not grow and develop as it should. The more one participates in Christian work, every little kindness extended to their neighbor, every act of self-sacrifice, (though at first hard to do, will become easier with use), will tend to that true Christian character which alone is worth acquiring. Character is the only thing that we take beyond the grave.

At the evening service Mr. McHardy took for his topic, "He Blamed it on His Wife." His text was taken from St. Luke, chapter XIV, 14th verse, "And another said, I have married a wife and cannot come." Mr. McHardy handled his subject in such a manner that he could leave no doubt in the mind of his hearers that he had a good knowledge of human nature. He dealt in the many reasons people gave for not becoming Christians. The

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AMUSEMENTS

"Jerry From Kerry," a sketch that allows for all kinds of specialties, will be offered at the Grand to-night by Patten & Fletcher, and a company of clever people in all branches of entertaining. The performance is said to be made up principally of vaudeville acts and is well worth seeing.

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OLD RESIDENT PASSED AWAY.

CHARLES BOYLE DIED AT DUNDAS ON SUNDAY MORNING.

Mill Ward Home Broken Up After Being Occupied by One Family for Over Fifty Years.

Dundas, Jan. 20.—The town lost a good and widely known citizen when Charles Boyle passed over to the great majority at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Deceased had been in declining health for some time and during the past two or three years had suffered from two of the most serious ailments, stomach hemorrhage. He was, however, in his usual health and attending to business up to Friday noon when, owing to another attack of the old malady, he was obliged to retire to his home where Dr. Smith was promptly in attendance. He gradually sank until death came. Deceased was born in West Flamboro, in 1843 and was a son of the late Joseph Boyle, a pioneer settler in North Westwich. The family moved to Flamboro where he spent his earlier days. In 1884 he moved to Waterdown and from there to Dundas in 1887, when he engaged in the grocery trade, in which he remained the balance of his life. He was twice married. His second wife pre-deceased him a few months. He leaves three sons, Joseph W., who has been associated with him in the business here, William E., at Thorold, and Charles at Lynden. He leaves also one daughter, Mae, at home, and two step-sons, Dr. Lawson, at Beamsville, and J. W. Lawson, barrister, in Dundas. Deceased was a Conservative in politics, and a Presbyterian in religion, and was a member of the St. Andrew's Knox Church here. During his time in Dundas he has done good service, both in the Town Council and on the Board of Education, and was held in the highest esteem by the entire community. He was an active member of the societies, the C. O. O. F., the I. O. F., and the A. O. U. W. The funeral takes place at 3 p. m. to-morrow.

The sloughing is good in this locality and sloughing parties are numerous. The Baptist Church choir had a very enjoyable one on Friday evening, winding up by being entertained by W. J. Kerr, at his residence, Hart street. The closing party was quite as enjoyable as the sloughing ride, and consisted of refreshments, games, singing and a good time generally.

Mrs. Haley and son, of Rockton, took possession of the Central hotel at noon to-day.

Miss Underhill, a hospital superintendent, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. (Rev.) Grant.

Joseph Waite sails for a visit to the old country on Thursday. So far as heard from, T. H. A. Begue, Clerk of the County Court, is the only member of the once noted Pro Bona Club, now residing in the town.

The moving, on Saturday, from her home on King street, of Miss Sarah Millward, and the sale of the effects, break up a family that have lived in the same house for over half a century. Miss Millward will for the future reside with her sister, Mrs. A. R. Thorpe, rating clerk in Mr. J. W. Boyle has severed his connection with the Star, and Clarke Whalley, who has been teaching at Trinity, has given up his school and joined the staff of the paper.

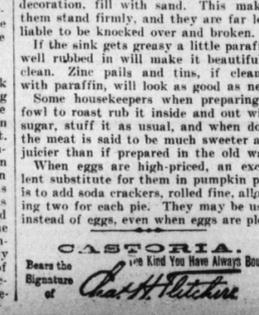
The Corp-Mullen shooting case was called again on Saturday, but was further adjourned until Wednesday.

Mr. F. P. Nelson, of this city, has been appointed by the G. T. R. to succeed Mr. Tom. Cranston, city soliciting freight agent in Toronto. Mr. R. Isbister, of this city, is to succeed Mr. Nelson, who was travelling agent of the western division, and Mr. E. R. Thorpe, rating clerk in Mr. McDonald's office, Toronto, will come to Hamilton to be the city soliciting agent.

THE THISTLE RINK OPENED. The Thistle Rink, Robinson street, opened its doors to the public on Saturday. In the evening the skaters were out in large numbers. The ice was in good condition and the Thistle band provided excellent music. The rules and regulations of the rink are the same as last year. The ladies' and gentlemen's skate and cloak rooms are on the right and left side of the entrance respectively, and a hot drink counter has been provided for the patrons. The band will be in attendance every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening. The Thistle is the only indoor ice rink in the city.

Things Worth Knowing. If there is a damp cupboard in the house, a box filled with lime should be placed in it. This will make it perfectly dry. When using valuable vases for table decoration, fill with sand. This makes them stand firmer, and they are far less liable to be knocked over and broken. If the sink gets greasy a little paraffin well rubbed in will make it beautifully clean. Zinc nails and tins, if cleaned with paraffin, will look as good as new. Some housekeepers when preparing a fowl to roast rub it inside and out with sugar, stuff it as usual, and when done the meat is said to be much sweeter and juicier than if prepared in the old way. When eggs are high-priced, an excellent substitute for them in pumpkin pie is to add cocoa crackers, rolled fine, allowing two for each pie. They may be used instead of eggs, even when eggs are plentiful.

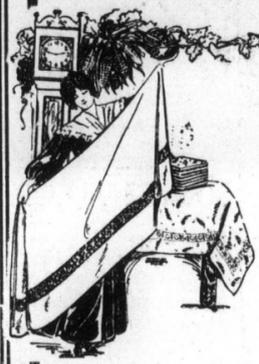
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THE RIGHT HOUSE HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE. Only 10 more days of great January sales. Only 10 days more to get these bargains.

More bargain news of household linens. The great January underprice sale swings on with fresh offerings.

NEW lots have been added to the melting piles of good linens. The sale starts fresh again Tuesday morning with all the big sale lots replenished. In some cases the low January sale prices have been still further reduced as an added incentive toward quick buying. This January linen sale has been the greatest in our history—greatest in volume of selling, greatest in broad assortments for selection, the greatest in good values—and now we are going to wind up the balance of the month with scores of great underprice bargain offerings in just the sorts that you need. The sale will last for only ten days more. Will you get your share? Come to-morrow and each of the last days and share in the greatest savings you ever heard of.



Read the saving news carefully and come

More sheeting bargains. 29c, value 35c. 33c, value 38c. We will hem all Sheetings free of charge during January. Get your orders in new, 2 and 2 1/2 yard wide Plain and Twill Bleached English Sheetings, and 2 yard wide Unbleached Twill Sheetings show further reductions for to-morrow as above. Other good sale lines at each. 19c, value 23c. 25c, value 30c. 23c, value 27c. 27c, value 33c. Pillow cottons: bargains. 19c, value 25c. 25c, value 30c. All Pillow Cottons hemmed free of charge this week: 44 and 46 inch Circular Pillow Cottons in the famous English "Wigan" weaves. Extra good fine qualities. Other Pillow Cotton bargains in plain and circular weaves. 12 1/2c, value 15c. 19c, value 28c. 20c, value 24c. 21c, value 30c.

Huck towels reduced. Our special January 17c line at 15c each. Pure linen, good heavy absorbent quality. Hemmed with woven self borders; will wear well. Good large sizes. A splendid bargain. Our regular special January 17c quality, at 15c each. Others at— 20c, value 25c. 32c, value 40c. 25c, value 32c. 40c, value 50c. Lettered towels reduced. Pure all Linen Lettered Glass and Tea Towels in heavy, good wearing, absorbent weaves. Our regular January sale special at 11c each. Further reduced to 3 for 25c, or 9c each. Good large, useful sizes. Others at— 15c, value 20c. 19c, value 25c. 18c bleached Turkish towels 15c. Large size, lovely soft quality, our special January 18c quality. Further reduced to 15c each.

Table linens join the January sale. Beautiful Irish and Scotch Pure Linen Tableings, in half and full bleach finishes. Perfect weaves in floral, leaf, spot and conventional designs; rich, deep, open borders. On sale for first time to-morrow. 10 pieces for selection. 59c, real value 75c. 75c, real value 90c. \$1.19, real value \$1.50. \$1.39, real value \$1.65.

Table cloths and napkins: bargains. The table cloths, each— \$2.29, real value here \$3.00. \$2.69, real value here \$3.83. \$4.63, real value here \$5.50. \$5.59, real value here \$6.50. \$6.50, real value here \$7.25. \$7.25, real value here \$8.00. The table napkins, per doz.— \$1.65, real value here \$1.85. \$2.10, real value here \$2.50. \$2.75, real value here \$3.25. \$3.50, real value here \$4.25. \$4.25, real value here \$5.00. \$4.88, real value here \$5.50.

Roller towelings: chances to save. Heavy, good wearing, closely woven, absorbent weaves in Barnsley, Russian, Huckaback and Unbleached Twills, plain and colored borders; all linen qualities: 16 to 18 in. widths. 7c, real value here 9c. 12 1/2c, real value here 15c. 9c, real value here 11c. 14c, real value here 17c. 10c, real value here 12 1/2c. 17c, real value here 20c.

Sale of fine imperfect table linens. Pure All Linen Tableings in half and full bleach finishes, wide widths of 66 to 72 inches. Dainty new Daisy, Pansy, "Mum, Dice, Tulip and Fleur de Lis designs. Dependable qualities—many yards run without any imperfections at all—others have merely a dropped stitch or a heavy thread here or there. 58c, real value here 75c. \$1.00, real value here \$1.25. 78c, real value here \$1.00. \$1.19, real value here \$1.50. 88c, real value here \$1.15. \$1.55, real value here \$2.25.

\$9.00 silk blouses \$3.95. Corner King East and Hughson Sts. THOMAS C. WATKINS Hamilton Ontario \$7.50 waist suits \$2.88.

\$1,000 A YEAR FROM TURKEYS. A Connecticut Woman's Way of Making Money.

"White Holland turkeys have added \$1,000 a year to my income for the last three years." Mrs. E. N. Munson, of Connecticut, told a Sun reporter when asked to suggest ways by which women in the country might make money. "Being a farmer's wife and living some distance in the country, I am accustomed to work, so I don't mind putting in my spare time on poultry. "When some seven years ago I decided that I wanted to try making money of my own, I talked the matter over with my husband, and we both agreed on turkeys, because they were the largest and, he had heard, the hardest. "I had a longing for the white Holland, because I wanted something ornamental. I hadn't any other reason, and I knew absolutely nothing about raising turkeys. "As a beginning I bought two settings of eggs. All the eggs hatched, but so many of the young chicks died that only eighteen birds reached maturity. There were ten hens and eight cocks. "Fortunately they were all vigorous birds. I decided to keep all the hens and one of the cocks for stock, selling off the seven others. My husband had agreed to give me the food needed for the first two years, so I invested the money received for my extra turkeys in eggs. "When the spring came round again I bought quite a good deal more about raising turkeys than I had the previous season. As a consequence I did not lose so many chicks in comparison with the number hatched as I had lost the year before. "The autumn of that year after selecting my young brooders, I sold the balance for upward of \$2,000. That money went into the bank, and before the end of the following year by far the larger half had gone to pay for food. That year my profits amounted to over \$300, and my profits were more than doubled. In the fifth year I cleared \$1,000 for the first time, and feeling that my flock was as large as I could comfortably manage, I have kept the number about the same. "Although I had no reason for selecting white Holland turkeys beyond my love of their beauty, I now know many points in their favor. The first is that I believe they suit the climate of Connecticut better than either the bronze or the ordinary domestic turkey. "Then their color enables me to pick my flock out for those of my neighbors. They don't get mixed, and when they happen to stray, which is very seldom, they are easily identified. "They are more domestic and require a smaller range. They are not nervous, and are so gentle that any one to whom they are accustomed can pick them up. "Though a size smaller than the bronze turkey, they are larger than the ordinary domestic fowl, and an ideal market bird. When properly fattened their flesh is yellow, delicate in flavor and very juicy. Their breast is very large, which is another point in their favor for table use. "My methods of rearing them are very simple. In the winter my flock roost in

birds. Good food produces good birds, and even when the best food is generous, raising given there is a fair profit in turkey raising."

THE UNDECIPHERABLE CIPHER. A Fortune Waiting for the Man Who Will Fit It to Wireless.

Would you like to earn a fortune? A nice, large, comfortable fortune—not one of the swollen kind, like those Rockefeller or the heir of Monte Carlo or a common copper king, so embarrassing in the way of publicity, but just a fortune of the satisfactory variety, such as one imagines ought to be enough for the man who has himself, in air castles at the age of 30, before the second baby has arrived. About \$50,000 or \$100,000. Well, indeed an undecipherable cipher for the wireless telegraph. Then collect the money from any government on earth, but especially from France, Germany, Great Britain, and the United States. No, it's not impossible. Edgar Allan Poe said it was said after he had the whole country and some important fragments of Europe guessing over his cryptogrammatic "Gold Bug," that no human intelligence could devise a cipher which human intelligence could not decipher and he hinted rather emphatically that the human intelligence he was talking about was the party of the second part belonged to a certain highly intelligent gentleman of his acquaintance whose initials were E. A. P. Before his time a good many people—Kings and Dukes and statesmen, as well as common ordinary people—had tried their hands at cipher making, and had made pretty good guesses at it. But the foreman of the cipher making and the creator of the prototype of Sherlock Holmes declared the cipher to be eternally decipherable, all the puzzle makers in the universe seemed to quit and resign themselves to working for their living. It was a mistake not so much because the prospective discoverers of pirates' boards and the general raff raff of loyalties and nobilities were suddenly back on their jobs, but because a fundamental passion of human nature was baffled, and when you baffle a fundamental passion, it is liable to strike in and do damage, like the measles or the mumps. Puzzles, cryptograms, ciphers all belong to what Wilkie Collins designated the detective instinct that is born in us. As it is, there must be some millions of experts in the United States, their appetites whetted by prizes ranging from 50 cents to \$5, who are prepared to pit themselves against the secret, tortuous ways and means of the chancelleries of Europe, for the prosecution of the Marconi wireless messages of diplomacy and war. There is the great opportunity for the cipher deviser; there is the waiting fortune. When Marconi demonstrated the main fact that he could transmit messages through bare space industry saw in his discovery one