

A Veteran's Story



Mr. Joseph Hemmerich, an old soldier, 629 E. 14th St., N. Y. City, writes us voluntarily. In 1862, at the battle of Fair Oaks, he was stricken with typhoid fever, and after a long struggle in hospitals, lasting several years, was discharged as incurable with Consumption.

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The Queen's Dolls

Prove a Popular Topic of Talk in London.

Emperor William Takes a Tumble Over His Horse's Head.

Kossuth Presented With an Address and Purse from 15,000 Hungarians.

The Hungarian Patriot Honored.

TRIN, Sept. 20.—A deputation comprising twenty members of the Hungarian Diet to-day waited upon Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, and presented him with a congratulatory address signed by 15,000 Hungarians. The deputation also presented him with a large sum of money which had been subscribed as a memorial fund by a number of his admirers.

Capri's Queer Idea of Greatness.

BERLIN, Sept. 20.—Chancellor von Capri arrived yesterday at Grunberg, in Silesia, to visit his nephew. Replying to an address presented to the municipal authorities, the Chancellor said that Germany was great because only one person was allowed to command, and he then called for cheers for Emperor William.

Among the Players.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The costume which Mrs. Sarah Bernhardt will wear in Mr. Oscar Wilde's one act play, "Salome," produced in London, consists of two parts, the long flowing underrobe being of cloth of gold of splendid texture, which costs £12 a yard.

"Pharaoh," a new romantic play written by Wilson Barrett on the early life and adventures of Seti II. (of Egypt) the son of Ramesses, will be produced on a magnificent scale at the Grand Lyceum, on Sept. 29. The principal characters will be sustained by Miss Maud Jeffries, Cooper Clive, Austin Melford and the author.

Maurice Barrymore will return to America with Mrs. Bernard Beere. In addition to writing a new play for Mrs. Beere, Mr. Barrymore will be her leading support.

Emperor William Bowled Over.

BERLIN, Sept. 20.—Emperor William was thrown from his horse Sunday and narrowly escaped being crushed by the horse. The Emperor accompanied by his War Minister and by several members of the grand general staff was riding at a gallop through a field covered with high grass, endeavoring to keep in view a cavalry charge some distance ahead. With his well arm he held a field glass, while his other arm rested helplessly on the saddle. His horse stumbled on the edge of a ditch, concealed by the grass, and before the Emperor could grasp the reins bowled over. The Emperor was shot over the horse's head. The horse scrambled up, bounded directly over the Emperor and bolted. The Emperor rose, laughing, before the members of his staff could dismount to help him. His coat was rent, but he had neither bruise nor scratch.

The Queen's Dolls.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Two topics of greatest public interest in London this week have been Queen Victoria's dolls and the Duke of York's trousers. The Strand Magazine has exhausted an immense extra edition containing an article about the one, and the newspapers have supplied a clamorous public with columns of matter about the other. The Queen's dolls, he it known, comprise about 100 quaint little figures which were recently dragged from their hiding place in one of the royal palaces, and which 60 odd years ago were very dear to the Princess Victoria of Kent, then a lonesome little girl in solemn training for the empty but ornamental duties of sovereignty. How rare that childhood was of all companionship and love is told by her Majesty herself, who, after personally revising the Strand article, sent to its author a note containing these words:

"Her Majesty was very much devoted to dolls and, indeed, played with them till she was nearly fourteen years old. Her favorites were small dolls, small wooden dolls which she could occupy herself with dressing and who had a house in which they could be placed. None of her Majesty's children cared for dolls as she did, but then they had girl companions, which she never had. Miss Victoria Conroy, afterwards Mrs. Hammer, came to see her once a week, and occasionally they played with her, though these exceptions she was left alone of the companionship of her dolls."

"Modern eyes the Queen's dolls are ugly little creatures. They are thus described: 'They are not aesthetically beautiful creatures with their Dutch type of face. Occasionally, owing to a chin being a little more rounded or a nose a little blunter, there is a slight variation of expression, but with the exception of height, which ranges from three inches to nine inches, they are all the same. There is the queerest feature of infancy and maternity in the little wooden faces, due to the combining of small, sharp noses and bright, villainous cheeks, consisting of a big dab of paint in one spot, with broad,

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placid brows, over which, neatly parted on each temple, are painted elaborate, elderly grayish curls. The remainder of the hair is cool black, and is relieved by a tiny yellow comb perched upon the back of the head."

Late Canadian News

Ministers Haggart and Patterson Wanted as Witnesses.

Big Shipment of Apples—Time Set for Election Trials—A Brakeman Loses Both His Legs.

Sonster's foundry at Calgary was destroyed by fire Saturday. Loss \$8,000.

Scarlet fever of a malignant type has appeared in the city of Winnipeg.

The Governor-General expects to be back in Ottawa about the 27th or 28th.

Ten thousand barrels of apples were shipped from Halifax for London on Saturday.

The name of Archdeacon Fortin is mentioned in connection with the bishopric of Saskatchewan.

The Toronto city clerk registered during the past week 72 births, 38 marriages and 25 deaths.

Traffic on the C. P. R. for the week ending Sept. 14, \$415,000; same week last year, \$409,000.

The members of the National Wholesale Druggists' Association to the number of 200 are meeting in convention in Montreal.

The time for trial of the petition against the return of Mr. Bennett as member for East Simcoe has been extended until December 15.

It is announced that Sir Oliver Mowat will lecture on "Christianity and Some of Its Fruits," in Zion Tabernacle, Hamilton, on Oct. 17.

A brakeman named John Rice had his legs cut off while coupling cars on Sunday at Farrington, on the Gaitheau Valley Railway. He will die.

The trial of the petition against the return of Hon. J. C. Patterson as M.P. for West Huron will not take place before December 11 next.

Mr. Samuel Wilson, of Whitewood, Man., while driving to a neighboring town on Friday night, was shot and killed by the accidental discharge of a gun that was lying in his buggy.

Hon. John Haggart and Hon. J. C. Patterson, have been subpoenaed to give evidence in the case of M. C. Cameron, ex-M.P., against W. F. Macdonald, of the Toronto World for criminal libel.

Mr. James McKilvery, while driving a load of oats down a hill near Shelburne, Ont., on Saturday afternoon, fell from the wagon, and one of the wheels passed over his head. He was instantly killed.

Before Chief Justice Galt at Osgoode Hall H. C. Tucker and J. A. Harvey were arrested by Mr. Teetzel, Q.C., Hamilton, and called to the bar. A. S. Macdonald and A. J. Anderson were also sworn in and enrolled as solicitors of the Supreme Court.

The Presbyterian Synod's Home Mission Committee has closed its session at Winnipeg. About 25 students will remain in the mission field this winter and take the summer session next year. Thirty-two additional missionaries are required for immediate service. The presbyteries all report satisfactory work done last summer.

The mystery surrounding the death of Mary Munn still continues to be the sole subject of conversation in St. George. The discovery of the bottle containing the poison invested the case with a renewed interest, which was increased when it became known that the autopsy had revealed the existence of a tumor, which must not only have occasioned the sufferer great pain, but may have been in a large measure responsible for many of her eccentricities of manner.

More of Rigg's Victims.

TORONTO, Sept. 20.—Three more victims of Chauncey W. Rigg, who was arrested for passing worthless bank bills have been found by the police. They are: Ross Bick, 91 Canada life building; Robert Moody, West Toronto, Ont., and Henry Patchell, West Toronto Junction. He passed a \$20 bill on each.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

New Vestibule Train Between New York and Chicago, via Erie Railway and G. T. R.

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Fire Hazard.

Prof. Charles B. Gibson, of Chicago, in his special report to the insurance companies on the "Hazard of Steam Pipes," and upon "Coverings for Steam Pipes," says: "All organic matter, such as hair, felt, becomes more or less charred by constant contact with hot steam pipes, even though the temperature be but a little above the boiling point of water; and by steam of 200° F. and above, so thoroughly scorched after a time as to become very fragile and to crumble away rapidly. It is noticeable that the dust formed from this charred material is very combustible and will flash like gunpowder when thrown into the fire. When steam of high temperature is used it is by far the safest to employ a covering wholly incombustible."

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FATAL FALL.

Harry Dixon Thrown from a Wagon and Run Over by a Street Car—Death Soon Ends His Sufferings.

A 13-year-old boy named Harry Dixon, living in South London, across Clark's bridge, was driving along William street in a wagon last evening, between 6 and 7 o'clock, when as he was crossing the street car tracks the jolt caused him to fall out on the track rendering him partially unconscious. Just at this moment a crowded street car was passing down Dundas street from the Fair grounds. The driver did all in his power to stop the car, but his efforts were in vain. The car was too near the boy, and the front wheels passed over his chest and shoulder. The lad's jaw was broken, his chest crushed in and one of his hands smashed.

The unfortunate youth was carried into Dr. Gardiner's office near by, and the ambulance telephoned for. He was taken to the hospital, where he died about two hours later. He did not recover from the shock and consequently did not suffer much pain. No blame whatever is attached to the driver of the street car, as the passengers who saw the accident testify that he did all in his power to stop the car. Had the fall not rendered the boy insensible it is probable he could have got out of the way. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents in their terribly sudden and severe affliction. Harry was a bright boy and the pride of his father and mother.

STABBED WITH A LEAD PENCIL.

Two Friends Get Into a Row Over a Religious Argument.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Thomas Alexandrovitch, a Pole, 31 years old, who was employed in Havemeyer's sugar refinery in Commercial street, Greenpoint, died in the Eastern District Hospital in Williamsburg on Sunday of the effects of a stab wound in the left eye made by the sharp point of a lead pencil in a saloon in Greenpoint, on Sunday night, by Thomas Juzkowski, of Broome street, New York. The men had been friends for many years. After playing cards in Alexandrovitch's house, in Oakland street and Greenpoint avenue, they went to the saloon, where they had several drinks. They discussed religion, and became involved in a wordy war over the difference between the Catholic and the Episcopal creeds.

Juzkowski took a lead pencil from his pocket to write the address of a friend on a piece of paper. While he was writing Alexandrovitch pushed him and said he was not a good Catholic. Juzkowski swung around the hand in which he had the pencil and drove the sharp point deep into Alexandrovitch's eye. Alexandrovitch fell senseless to the floor and Juzkowski ran away. An ambulance surgeon discovered that the pencil had penetrated the injured man's brain. Alexandrovitch was taken to the hospital in terrible agony.

Juzkowski, who was arrested soon after the affray and committed to Raymond street jail pending the result of Alexandrovitch's injuries, was arraigned in the Lee Avenue Police Court, and held to await the action presented by Mr. Teetzel, Q.C., Hamilton, of the coroner. He failed in the preliminary when he was told of his friend's death. When he revived he declared that the affair had been accidental.



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