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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.

DUNKLEY—In Toronto, on Wednesday, 7th inst., James Dunkley, aged 60.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the late residence, 38 Lorne avenue.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

MERCER—Died, in this city on Friday, Sept. 9th, 1898, James, youngest son of Robert Mercer, in his 16th year.

The funeral will take place from his father's residence, Seventh street, on Sunday, at 2:30 p. m., to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Miss Stella Kogelschitz, Taylor Ave., left this morning for Tupperville.

Miss S. Swainson, Walkersburg, is the guest of Mrs. Perry, Taylor Ave.

Wheat is quoted on the market today at 65c standard, 65c straight.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mann left this morning on a visit to their son in Toronto.

Mrs. McLean, formerly of this city, but now of Detroit, visited old friends here yesterday.

C. A. Goodall, who has been taking in the industrial at Toronto, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Ella Doyle and May Hunter, Grosse Ile, Mich., have been visiting Taylor Ave. friends.

George Cummings, the popular young clerk, of Radley's drug store, is spending a week's holidays taking in the industrial at Toronto.

Miss Jessie Gordon, Forsyth street, has returned from an extended visit to Toronto and Niagara Falls.

"Reasons why we should not have Prohibition" will be the subject of lecture given by Rev. J. J. Ross of the William St. Baptist Church, Sunday evening. All are invited to attend.

R. C. Bart is showing a large piece of shale rock that has the perfect impression of numerous leaves on it. It was taken from a coal mine near Vancouver, at a depth of 300 feet.

John Baginall, of Dover, has purchased 10,000 barrels of apples for R. S. Lang & Co., of Essex, for shipment to Glasgow, for which he paid a uniform price of \$1.25 per barrel. On Thursday he made a shipment of a carload of fall apples.

The remains of the late Mrs. Edward Yott, of Chatham township, were interred in St. Anthony's Cemetery on Thursday morning. The deceased was in her sixty-fifth year, and the funeral took place from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Marshall, Wilson avenue.

An emergency meeting of Court McGregor, No. 6, has been called for tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon at 1:30 to attend the funeral of our late Bro. James Dunkley, Lorne avenue. Members of sister lodges are invited to attend. T. A. Smith, Chief Ranger; T. W. McLean, Recording Secretary.

H. Pottle announces an auction sale of watches, clocks, jewelry, silverware, carving sets, knives, forks, spoons, spectacles, fern pots, mirrors, fancy goods and novelties, commencing Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and 7:30 in the evening, and will be continued each evening until entire stock is disposed of. Also counter and wall show cases.

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HENNESSY'S Notice for Shoes and Clothing Below all others

Toronto Globe: James Dunkley, of Court McGregor, No. 6, Chatham, died rather suddenly at 383 Dufferin street, from the effects of a fall. His wife was sent for and arrived before he expired. The body has been taken charge of by the I. O. O. F., and was sent to Chatham. Bro. Davey, D. S. C. R., attended and personally looked after all the arrangements in connection with the funeral, which will be held in Chatham.

JAMES MERCER DEAD.
At 12:30 to-day, James, youngest son of Robert Mercer, cooler, died. The deceased has been an invalid for many years, and for some months has been in a critical condition.

A BAD GASH.
While working in Macdonald's canning factory this morning Mrs. Comber, Prince St., fell from the stairway and badly cut her head upon a knife. The gash was an ugly one and it was some time before the bleeding could be stopped. The injured woman was removed to the hospital, where the wound was dressed.

A BAPTIST CONVENTION.
The fifty-eighth annual session of the Amherstburg Baptist Association of the First Baptist (Colored) church opened here yesterday in the First Baptist church, Rev. J. B. Hall, of London, acting as moderator, and J. G. Brown secretary. The morning session was taken up with the appointment of committees, and in the afternoon the session was devoted to the reading of the report of the association, delivered by the opening address. The meeting will last several days.

GOOD MOVE.

A Systematic Campaign Inaugurated Against the Spread of the White Plague.

Toronto, Sept. 9.—Today the Province of Ontario, together with all the Provinces in Canada, and all the States of the Union, is sending out regulations to all health and municipal authorities. The instructions are regarding tuberculosis. They start by saying that the disease is preventable and curable, and conclude by these three recommendations:—

1. All schools and colleges should be under medical supervision, as regards ventilation, overcrowding and
2. All factories, boarding houses and workshops, where consumptives may be employed, should be placed under municipal supervision and inspection.
3. Every encouragement should be given private or public philanthropists to establishing at least one home or sanitarium in every county or district.

LITERARY NOTICES.

SELF CULTURE.

The man or woman must be hard to please who cannot find his or her intellectual wants partly satisfied by the September issue of Self Culture. Seventy-four double column pages of interesting articles, handsomely printed on fine paper, with over thirty excellent halftone illustrations: A Review of all important movements and activities the world over; and ten departments with Science, Art, the Home, Civics, Literature, Religion, and Business and Finance, are treated (the weekly work) of the month. The magazine is a masterpiece of editing and instruction to meet the varied tastes of all readers.

EXTERPRISE.
The Gazette, Montreal, has commenced the publication of a special series of interesting articles on Rugby football, from Arthur's point of view, recognized as the best authority on football in England. They have also secured the right to print the special correspondence of Frederick Villiers in reference to the Egyptian campaign now going on. These special features, with its general excellence as a first-class commercial newspaper, should extend the already large circulation of The Gazette.

PATENT REPORTS.

Below will be found the complete report of patents granted this week to Canadian inventors by the Canadian government through the agency of Messrs. Marion & Marion, Solicitors of Patents and Experts, New York Life Building, Montreal, who report has been prepared specially for this paper:

60,831—J. W. Wright, Quebec, draining conduits for pavements.
60,832—P. L. Rowe, Hingham, Mass., tire fastening attachment for bicycles.
60,833—Paul P. Payan, St. Hyacinthe, knife for skinning animals.
60,834—W. F. Stiel, Cologne, Germany, process and apparatus for preparing unrolled plates.
60,835—D. Y. Bruneau, Sherbrooke, Que., improvements in attachments for stoves.
60,836—James McCulloch, London, England, rock drills.
60,837—Oskar Johnson, Glenora, Mass., wire tightening device.
60,838—Ferdinand Roy, Montreal, valve.

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SAW IT IN A DREAM

This Woman Says She Can Tell The Men

Who Caused the Awful Wreck Which Led to War.

Chicago Record.

Down in Maine the other day I heard a strange story which leads some superstitious people to believe that the fiends who blew up the battleship Maine may yet be detected and punished.

At the little manufacturing town of Lewiston, where Senator Frye has spent his useful life and Representative Dingley has edited a newspaper for a generation or two, there is a woman who possesses supernatural powers. She is the wife of a druggist. She has a common-school education, but has never been out of her native state and knows little of the world. On several occasions she has displayed clairvoyant powers to the amazement of her neighbors, but she is not a professional. For that reason she will not permit her name to be used.

Last fall a prominent citizen of Auburn, the town across the river from Lewiston, died under the most extraordinary circumstances. He was sitting at his dinner table when he severed an artery with a carving knife or something like that. The druggist's wife in Lewiston had never heard of him. She had never been inside his house, and yet, being in a trance that evening, she described to her husband the manner of his death and surroundings with marvellous accuracy, and next morning, when they read the story as printed in the Journal, Mr. Dingley's paper, they shuddered to think how closely her vision corresponded to the actual facts. This is only one of many occasions upon which she has shown the same knowledge of events that were beyond her sight or hearing.

VISION SUPPRESSED.
The night after the Maine was destroyed, while under the same nervous excitement and indignation that possessed the whole country, she had one of her peculiar visions, and woke her husband from his sleep to tell him what she had seen. He got up, took pencil and paper, and described the scene, as he deemed them of the greatest importance. The statement was sent to Senator Frye at Washington. He read it to the secretary of the navy with a cordial endorsement of the high character, respectability and honesty of the seeress whom he had known all his life. The officials of the navy department thought proper to suppress the statement for fear that it might lead to the public excitement if it appeared in the newspapers.

This woman, who has never been outside of the state of Maine, who had never seen a fortification or a castle or a man-of-war, and in her waking hours could give a description of the harbor at Havana, the location of the fortress, the approaches to Morro castle and the Cuban fortress, the reception parlors and the office of the commodore, even to the color of the furniture and the racks of muskets on the walls. Several persons who are familiar with Morro castle and its surroundings have read the statement and declare that they could not have hit them so closely themselves, while the druggist's wife declared that the description of the Maine at the time of the explosion is absolutely accurate. The woman said that she could not find any anchor for the ship. She said it was tied to a floating cask, an arrangement she could not understand. As a matter of fact the Maine was moored to an iron buoy.

ASTOUNDING ACCURACY.
In her vision the druggist's wife entered a room in the fortification of Cuban which was filled with electrical apparatus, and although she is unfamiliar with such things, she minutely described it, a future comparison may determine how accurately. She says there were two men in this room, each in the uniform of a Spanish officer, which she described down to the buttons and stripes upon the sleeves. One was an old man, tall and stout, with iron-gray hair and beard. The other was short and stocky, with a birthmark or scar upon his face, which was particularly concealed by a stiff black beard, closely trimmed. After some conversation in a foreign language which she could not understand, the man with the scar became quite excited. He seemed to be pleading with the older one for permission to do something which horrified the other. Finally the old man left the room. The moment the door closed behind him the younger one went to a mahogany frame upon the wall, which was covered with brass apparatus, pulled a plug from one hole and put it in another. In an instant there was a tremendous explosion, and the battleship was in a mass of flames.

No attempt has ever been made to fasten the responsibility of the destruction of the Maine upon any particular person, although Gen. Lee, Capt. Scher and the members of the board of inquiry believe the mine was exploded by some person familiar with the submarine conditions of Havana harbor. No Spanish officer answering the description given by the druggist's wife is known to those who have read her statement, but before the evacuation of Havana an investigation will be quietly made.

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Extra heavy Canton 27 inches wide special price 3c, better line 8c yard.

Large size Turkish bath towels, special price. 10c each.

Apron Muslin in Satin checks and stripes, reg. 10c, 12 1/2c and 14c quality, our clearing price. 8c yd

Kid Gloves

More than usual interest gathers around the glove section this season, you always like to look at and handle new Kid Gloves but this season there are so many novelties and distinctively new colorings that you'll want to visit this counter early and get fully in touch with what will be fashionable this season, on hand now.

The "Gentle" Kid glove in black or tan, four buttoned, guaranteed. 75c

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