

LODGES.

WELLINGTON LODGE, No. 45, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7:30 p.m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

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DENTAL.

R. S. Ludlow, D. D. S., whose office is opposite the Gurner House, graduated successfully from Ontario's Royal College, Chicago's High Class School of Dentistry, and Ohio's Royal State Board. All his operations of teeth are warranted to restore the features their lost appearance, or any other desirable, no extra charge made.

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He Was.

Miss De Muir—Were you ever hypnotized, Mr. Hector? Hector—Yes, I'm married.—Illustrated Bits.

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Recommends Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

About eighteen months ago Mr. W. S. Manning, of Albany, N. Y., widely known in trade circles as the representative of the Albany Chemical Co., was suffering from a protracted attack of diarrhoea. "I tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," he says, "and obtained immediate relief. I cheerfully recommend this medicine to those similarly afflicted." Sold by All Druggists.

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Slight injuries often disable a man and cause several days' loss of time and, when blood poison develops, sometimes result in the loss of a hand or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment. When applied to cuts, bruises and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without maturation, and prevents any danger of blood poison. For sale by All Druggists.

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"Fact is," said the one man, "I married because I was lonely as much as for any other reason. To put it tersely, I married for sympathy."

"Well," said the other man, "you have mine."

ONE OF THE VILEST DISEASES.

As catarrh which first attacks the nose and throat and finally spreads all through the system. The only sure cure is frequent use of Catarrh Remedy, which is sent by the air you breathe direct to the root of the trouble. Mr. T. Y. MacVicar, of Yarmouth, suffered for years from catarrh and says: "In my long experience with this loathsome disease I never used any remedy that relieved and cured so promptly as Catarrh Remedy. When my nostrils were so stuffed up that I couldn't breathe I found a few inhalations of Catarrh Remedy was sufficient to clear away the mucus. I am free from the disease entirely." Use only Catarrh Remedy. Complete outfit \$1.00; trial size 25c.

A Blemlish.

Mrs. Newrich (in art store)—I'd take this picture, but some person has been scribbling on it. Salesman—But, madam, that is the artist's signature. Mrs. Newrich—Well, he's got his nerve. Still, I guess you could scratch it out, couldn't you?

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There never was any heart truly great that was not also tender and compassionate.

BISMARCK'S STRATEGY.

A Letter That Would Not Excite Official Curiosity in Austria—Outward Smells of a Despatch.

Bismarck was not only a statesman, able to handle abstract theories of Government, but a shrewd player of the lesser game of life. Some years ago an anonymous writer contributed to The New Review this story of the Iron Chancellor's very human cleverness. When he represented Prussia at the diet of Frankfurt in 1866 he had reason to suspect that his letters and dispatches were tampered with by the Austrians. Other diplomats suffered from the same meddling.

One day, after a stormy meeting, Bismarck and the representative from Hanover walked away together and as they walked the Hanoverian touched on the sore subject and asked Bismarck if he had found a way to get his letters through.

"You shall know presently," answered Bismarck.

The prince, as the two strolled along, led the way through dingy bypaths into a slum. Drawing on a thick pair of gloves, he entered a little shop where the poor bought tea, cheese, pickles, lamp oil and such commodities. The astonished Hanoverian followed.

"Boy," called Bismarck to the stupid looking lad behind the counter, "do you sell soap?"

"Yes, sir," replied the boy, putting before Bismarck a variety of strong scented cakes.

"How much is this? And this?" said the diplomatist, handling one cake after another.

While the soap selected was being wrapped up, Bismarck thrust his hand into his pocket and drew out an unopened letter. He gave an exclamation of dismay and surprise. Apparently annoyed at his forgetfulness, he cried, "Boy, do you sell envelopes?"

Envelopes of a cheap grade were produced, and Bismarck put the letter in one. Then he asked for pen and ink and set out to write the address, but his heavy glove hindered him. "Here, boy," he exclaimed, throwing down the pen, "just write this address for me!"

When the scrawl was finished Bismarck took the letter and left the shop.

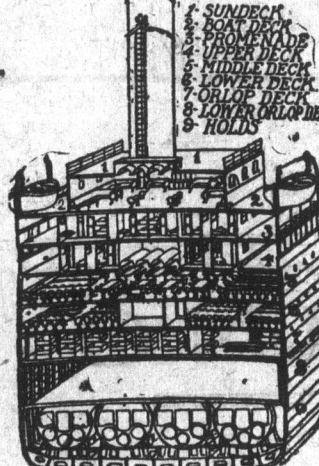
"There," he said, putting the letter to his companion's nose, "what with the soap, the herring, the candles and the cheese, I don't think they'll smell my dispatch under that writing."

THE NEW LINER BALTIC.

Splendid Equipment of the Largest Steamship Ever Built.

Luxury in crossing the Atlantic is possible now to those who can afford it. The largest ship afloat, the new White Star liner Baltic, which arrived in New York from Liverpool on its maiden trip not long ago, is remarkably complete in its arrangements for the comfort of passengers.

An American multimillionaire who



SECTIONAL VIEW OF THE BALTIC.

came from Europe on this trip. The new steamship had a suit consisting of four rooms and a bathroom, all fitted up to suit his requirements and shut off by balize doors so as to form a complete apartment. The Baltic is 736 feet long and 75 feet wide. When fully loaded she displaces 40,000 tons of water. She is designed to carry a cargo of 28,000 tons and about 3,000 passengers, besides a crew of 350.

African Ants.

The following is an extract from Dr. Livingston's "Narrative of an Expedition to the Zambesi":

"We tried to sleep one rainy night in a native hut, but could not because of attacks by the fighting battalions of a very small species of formica not more than one-sixteenth of an inch in length. It soon became obvious that they were under regular discipline and even attempting to carry out the skillful plans and stratagem of some eminent leader. Our hands and necks were the first objects of attack. Large bodies of these little pests were massed in silence round the point to be assaulted. We could hear the sharp, shrill words of command two or three times repeated, though until then we had not believed in the vocal power of an ant. The instant after we felt the storming hosts over head and neck."

The Filipino Water Fall.

A traveler in the Philippines writes: "You see that girl coming along the street carrying a long bamboo cylinder upon her shoulder? She is returning from the water-works and is carrying home a good supply of clean drinking water. Yes, it is a big bamboo tube, surely eight feet long and twenty-two inches at least in circumference. The inside divisions have been forced out by means of a stick and the internal compartments all combined into one. It holds a lot of liquid."

SAVED ON THE GALLOWS.

Story of Two Men Whom a Long Prayer Preserved From Being Hanged for Stealing An Ox.

A Canadian octogenarian named Richard Carr, lately deceased in Erie, Penn., had lived on that side of the lake for many years, but his body was taken to the Province of Ontario for interment. There was little of general interest in the career of the Canadian, but a singular remarkable episode of his life is recalled by the fact of his death at old age at home among his friends. Dr. M. J. Clark of Erie, tells the story of Carr's sentence to be hanged and of his escape from the gallows. "I had no idea that Carr was living on this side of the lake," he said, "for that he was living at all. Not having heard anything of him for thirty years, I supposed him long since dead. His arrest, conviction, sentence and escape are events closely connected with my family and my childhood, my uncle, Rev. John Ryerson being the clergyman who attended Carr to the scaffold, and who prayed against him for the purpose of saving his life. He succeeded, and this is how it all happened."

"One day I remember well the village was thrown into great excitement by the discovery of a 'stolen ox' which the village of Victoria was in an uproar. Someone had stolen an ox. A diligent search resulted in the discovery of the hide, and suspicion fell upon Carr, who was known to be poor, and in whose house a lot of cooked meat still hung. The village dogberry and shallow dignitaries, who were next to deities in my eyes then, succeeded in extorting a confession of guilt from Carr and another poor fellow named Smith."

"Sentence of death was passed upon Carr and Smith, and they would probably have been executed next day, but, I suppose, the Sheriff thought it would be regarded as ungentlemanly and unfriendly if he did not arrange to let them go. It was to witness the sight. Travel was slow in those days of no railroads. Among those who were horrified and shocked at the approaching execution of two poor fellows, was Dr. John Rolfe, whose memory still clings to the village. Rev. John Ryerson was brother to Dr. Egerton Ryerson, D. D., Superintendent of Education in Ontario."

Dr. Rolfe was more excited than any other of Smith and Carr's sympathizers, and he determined to ride to Toronto and intercede with the Governor, who, I think, was Sir John Colborne. Before departing on his hazardous errand of mercy, Dr. Rolfe was escorted by my uncle, Rev. John Ryerson. The latter subsequently told me that he had agreed to delay the hanging all he could by making the closing prayer as long as his strength and power of utterance would permit, provided that Rolfe not report back to him a few hours before the time set for the execution. He set out on the swiftest horse he had in the village, but the people had little faith in his ability to make the journey in time. Rolfe's faith in the Governor's inclination to interfere. The days flew on, and the people flocked in from the surrounding country. Uncle John did all he could to comfort the doomed men and lead them to a realization of a greater mercy than man's, but they refused to be comforted. The fatal morning came, but without any tidings of Dr. Rolfe. The hour arrived and the men were led out to die. Private hangings had not come into fashion then. It was considered good and wholesome for the common people to witness the awful and just punishment of the horse, sheep or cattle stealer.

"Smith and Carr were placed in position, and from his roost the sheriff was informed that all was ready for the person's final blessing or prayer. Then Rev. Ryerson got down on his knees and began the longest and most remarkable prayer of our age. His voice was low purposefully, for he wished to husband his strength. He prayed for about twenty minutes without creating remark, for long prayers were not so distasteful then as now. But when he entered the second hour great restlessness was manifested. The sun poured down upon the uncovered heads, and many did not hesitate to say aloud that they were getting too much of a good thing. The sheriff looked weary, and the hangman's face was grim. The proceedings made him tired. Even the poor wretches awaiting death showed signs of annoyance, for uncle had not told them of his compact with Dr. Rolfe. The murmurs rose higher and higher, but uncle prayed on without ceasing. An hour passed and he was still on his knees. There was now no relevancy in his appeal. He merely uttered words and disconnected phrases to consume time. The muscles of his throat contracted, his tongue was dry and clove to his mouth, and his voice was husky; but he prayed on. "He told me later that he did not know what he was saying, and that the real prayer he uttered in all that time was a silent one, and consisted of four words. God hasten Rolfe's footsteps." Whenever I see the play of Damon and Pythias I am reminded of that fearful scene, continued Dr. Clark. "At the end of an hour and a half there came an uproar, and the discontent had become a riot, when a voice cried: 'Here comes Dr. Rolfe!' My uncle did not hear or heed the new tumult that now arose, but prayed on, becoming weaker each minute. Soon the horses approached and the doctor dashed up to the very foot of the scaffold, scattering people right and left. He was too weak to speak or move, but a man in the crowd snatched a document from his hand and, mounting on the back of the horse, shouted: 'Reprieve! Reprieve!' It was so, and that is how Carr and Smith were saved."

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FARM FOR RENT—Two hundred acres, township of Harwich, lot 7, concession 4, River Survey, good buildings. Never-failing well with windmill. Convenient to school. About two and three-quarter miles from Chatham. Apply to Samuel Bulls, box 231.

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT—75 acres, s. w. 1/4, lot 17, con. 10, Dover, with good frame house, stable and granary; good water; one mile from Dover Centre and in the best farming section in the County. Liberal terms. For full particulars apply to Archie Gillespie, Thamesville, box 14, or to John Henderson, Dover Centre.

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