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If report is true there are vast sums of money to be made in the cultivation of flowers in the Riviera. In one season alone \$2,000,000 worth were shipped away to foreign countries, and oddly enough the majority were sent to England. It is a long journey for delicate blooms to make, but they are so perfectly packed and kept en route that they reach their destination in excellent condition to gladden the hearts of and adorn England's fairest women.

AN EVENING WITH CHARLES DICKENS

Professor Williamson Delights With Sketch of Author's Life and Books.

"An Evening With Dickens," as given by Professor Williamson, Toronto, at the Auditorium on Saturday evening, proved to be an intellectual treat that delighted the large audience present. Professor Williamson has been a life-long student of Charles Dickens and his works, and his remarks were rendered especially attractive by numerous little touches which showed how completely he entered into and understood many of the characters.

Professor Williamson gave a word picture of the poverty that clouded Dickens' earlier years that moved his hearers deeply and made them pity the sensitive, dreamy lad. Thirsting for a literary education he was sent to a blacking establishment to place labels on pots. Even here he made his mark, for crowds used to assemble outside the windows to watch the active boy, who was said to be able to paste labels on faster than anyone else in the city of London. Afterwards Dickens' father was incarcerated in the debtors' prison and this was one of the blackest periods of the boy's existence. Fortunately it lasted only for a short time, and better times were in store for the elder Dickens received a legacy, and the ambition of his son to go to school was fulfilled. After several years of ordinary schooling Dickens became a reporter on the London Daily News and in a year or two began the writings which were to make him famous and beloved the world over.

As Professor Williamson outlined the story he pictured Mr. Pickwick in a way which brought enthusiastic applause. At first the book, however, was not popular, and it was not until Sam Weller was introduced that its success was assured. Then followed rapidly one of the most famous series of books in the history of fiction.

As Professor Williamson outlined the career of "Oliver" Twist and his friend, Mrs. Harris, there was a ripple of amusement throughout the house, which, however, was quickly changed when the views were shifted, and the speaker narrated Little Nell's life. Throughout the whole lecture Professor Williamson blended humor and pathos in a manner that carried his hearers with him and commanded their warm attention. In concluding his remarks, Professor Williamson showed a watch that had been carried by Dickens when he first entered newspaper life. It was brought to this country by his son, Francis Dickens, who becoming short of money while in Toronto, was compelled to sell his father's watch. Many people at the close of the lecture inquired this interesting relic more closely, and were particularly interested in a secret compartment that was only recently discovered, and which contained a lock of hair, the owner of which is as yet unidentified.

ADELAIDE HAPPENINGS

Presentation to Mr. George Bennett—Picking Apples Out of Snow.

Adelaide, Nov. 16.—A number of Mr. Geo. Bennett, jun.'s fourth line and other friends recently gathered at the home of his father, in Metcalfe, to spend a pleasant evening, and to present to him a valuable gold watch and chain. After a very fine supper was served by the ladies to about 40 or 50 guests, Mr. Bennett was asked by C. Harold Currie to come forward, when Mr. Lawrence Parker read a kindly worded address and Mr. Fred Shepard made the presentation. The address was signed on behalf of the friends by Messrs. Fred Shepard, Harold Currie and L. Parker. Mr. Bennett, who was taken entirely by surprise, made a very feeling and suitable reply, after which Mr. Harold Currie gave a neat speech. The remainder of the evening was spent in social talk and dancing, which the young people enjoyed to their hearts' content. The party ended by singing "George is a Jolly Good Fellow." Mr. Bennett has been on the milk route for years, and is very popular in this neighborhood.

The apple pickers had a very cold job today, picking the apples out of the snow. There is any amount of fall plowing now in this section yet. Those who have 40 or 50 acres to plow are still looking for good weather.

Mr. Harold Currie and children visited Mr. Bell at Brownville lately.

Mr. C. J. J. of London, visited his brothers, Thomas and David, last week. Mrs. O. Monger, of Mount Brydges, lately visited Miss May Currie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bayley, of Strathroy, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jurey.

Perhaps the most remarkable Memorial Day address in the country was that delivered at Marysville, Kan., by Dr. Williamson F. Boykin, who was the Grand Army orator on the 100th anniversary of his birth. In matter and manner and delivery the speech is said to have been far above the average. Dr. Boykin was born in North Carolina and when he was a old his parents removed from that state to Tennessee in a caravan of 100 two-wheeled carts and in constructing the outfit there was not a pound of iron used.

The Russians manufacture a fabric from the fiber of a filamentous stone from the Siberian mines, which is said to be of so durable a nature that it is practically everlasting. The material is soft to the touch and pliable in the extreme, and has only to be thrown into a fire when dirty to be made absolutely clean.

The Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, Mr. Rockefeller's church, in New York, is not nearly large enough to hold the people who desire to hear the new English pastor, Rev. Dr. C. F. Aked.

MR. JONES HOBBLIES NO MORE.

He wisely invested in a bottle of Putnam's Corn Extractor. It removed several hard corns and callouses, and now he walks without hobbling. In 24 hours, painless and sure, is Putnam's. Try it.

TOOK OVER \$1,000,000

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trol the situation in every city in the United States and Canada.

This, of course, the dramatic situation.

In vaudeville, things were altogether different.

It is said that vaudeville in America yields a revenue annually of about \$25,000,000. Klaw & Erlanger, who saw vaudeville eating into the vitals of cheap dramatic attractions, in which, by the way, there is the most money for the managers, determined to get a piece of the millions mentioned.

But the vaudeville managers, per se, in inducing many of the legitimate stars to forsake the dramatic stage and go into vaudeville.

Went into vaudeville.

And Klaw & Erlanger determined to go into vaudeville, and control their own theaters.

The reason was, it is said, that they and their associates were losing about \$35,000 per week. This amount was, however, only a drop in the bucket. The firm could stand it for years and laugh at it.

But suddenly the situation assumed a new phase.

The vaudeville managers, who also have millions behind them, determined to invade the dramatic field and carry the war into Africa, as it were, against Klaw & Erlanger.

Vaudeville houses were to be turned into combination houses—that is, theaters playing vaudeville, say three days a week and straight dramatic attractions the other three days.

Matters became serious, and Klaw & Erlanger, and Keith, the head man of vaudeville, got together to avoid a battle which would cost both sides millions.

Agreement Reached.

In company with many other managers, Mr. Bennett was summoned to New York.

In a short time an agreement was framed up, whereby Klaw & Erlanger and their associates, leave the dramatic field for all time, and Keith and his friends devote themselves to vaudeville and to vaudeville alone.

Just what the terms were are not known, but it is known that Keith and his associates agreed to take over \$1,000,000 worth of vaudeville acts, which Klaw & Erlanger had booked for this season, and these acts must be paid by Keith et al., even though no houses could be found to play them in.

It is also announced that there is a tacit understanding that the vaudeville managers are not to tempt stars from the legitimate stage by sky-scraping offers, thereby increasing salary list and troubles of the dramatic managers.

Effect on London.

"What does the agreement mean to London," The Advertiser asked Mr. Bennett.

"It means that London will get the greatest vaudeville Canada has ever seen," he replied. "We have to pay the acts anyway, and we might as well play them here and along our circuit. We will give the people the best in the market, and shall expect to do landoffice business the remainder of the season."

"What will the agreement mean to the Keith syndicate et al. next year?" the reporter then inquired.

Big Saving.

"It will mean a saving," the general manager answered, "of about \$1,000,000 in salaries. Owing to the competition of Klaw & Erlanger, performers were drawing fabulous prices. These will now regulate themselves in accordance with what is right, but not until next year, as this year's contract must not be violated. But let me tell you this. Already the performers are rushing for cover and acts which I offered \$700 for three weeks ago, and was refused, are now falling over themselves to play the Bennett circuit for \$500 a week."

"Where does William Morris, the vaudeville man, now stand?"

"He will continue by himself as formerly," Mr. Bennett said. "But I understand he has only five theaters left out of the smash. And these are small places in small towns. He will play the small acts in the places which play the cheap western turns. The Keith-Bennett affiliations will now control all the good vaudeville houses in America. Performers know, which their bread is buttered on."

"How about the Savoy in Hamilton?"

"That's a delicate matter," was the reply. "I prefer to say nothing regarding that house. We are in Hamilton to stay, however. I always told you that. And we are stronger there now than we ever were."

Mr. Brown Writes.

In regard to the effect on the local vaudeville theater, Manager Elms Saturday received the following letter from Mr. Clarke Brown, the company's booking representative in New York:

"Mr. J. D. Elms, manager Bennett's Theater, London, Ont.

"I know you will be pleased to hear of the happy termination of the vaudeville war. Klaw & Erlanger abandon the field to us for all time, and we merely take over the contracts that they are unable to carry out. This includes about 250 fine American and European novelties, many of which I am going to send to London, because they have previously been seen in Hamilton and Montreal. All of the Klaw & Erlanger vaudeville houses revert to combinations soon—the Auditorium in Chicago; Forrest in Philadelphia; Tremont in Boston; Shubert in Newark; Grand Opera House in Brooklyn; New York in New York; Teck in Buffalo; Academy in Montreal, etc., etc."

"Mr. Bennett, who has been attending the conferences here in New York, has put his signature to the final papers and leaves for Canada tonight. With best wishes."

"CLARK BROWN."

One of the latest novelties in dress material is reported to be a cloth made from spun glass, and it can be had in white, green, blue, pink and yellow. The inventor of the fabric is an Austrian, and he declares that it is as bright and as supple as silk, and is none the worse for being either stained or soiled.

A HEALTHY CITY IS WINNIPEG

Modern Sanitation in Manitoba Capital Has Overcome All Foyer.

Winnipeg, Nov. 16.—The public health throughout Manitoba is remarkably good, indeed seldom, if ever, since its settlement, has the province been so free from sickness and disease. The vigorous campaign to eradicate fever in Winnipeg has been rewarded by almost incredible results, which can be regarded as nothing short of a triumph for modern sanitation and attention to hygiene.

Deaths from typhoid have been reduced in three years from 24.85 per 10,000 of population to practically 4.5. The general death rate has fallen from 21 per 1,000 in 1905 to 15.09, which ranks Winnipeg among the healthiest cities of the world. She has now reached the commendable level of London, and, in several points healthier than New York, Liverpool, Manchester, Baltimore and Boston, and is considerably better than St. Petersburg and Beirut. She is even nearly as salubrious as Toronto, where the death rate in 1905 was 14.9.

The local death rate in 1906 was between 17 and 18 per thousand, and it is estimated that in two years 500 lives have been saved through improved conditions of public health.

There is also a financial side to this question. It is estimated that the outbreaks of 1905 cost half a million dollars. The loss of services of 1,600 typhoid fever patients during the illness and convalescence may be put at \$125,000; the cost of attendance at an equal amount; and there must be taken into account the expenditure by the authorities, which perhaps would not make up the full half million. It can, however, be safely put at a quarter of a million. Insanitation is expensive. It is, moreover, a sin and a crime. Like the stray bullet, it finds an unwilling mark. Yet it required 2,000 prosecutions during the 7,000 box closures. One in less than four had to be forced to surrender possession.

STRICKEN BLIND THEN SEES AGAIN

A Remarkable Experience of Chicago Evil That Physicians Cannot Explain.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Miss Monah McKenzie knows now the blackness of despair which the blind carry with them through life. She knows also the miracle of sight restored, and she believed last night that these impressions were the profoundest which she is ever destined to know.

For nine days Miss McKenzie was absolutely blind. She could not tell daylight from darkness. The nerves of the eyes registered not a single impression. And then, as by a miracle, her sight was restored, and she was able to resume the interrupted which her temporary blindness had interrupted.

She never realized before what a beautiful thing is the mere light of the sun. Miss McKenzie last night at her home, 2223 West Taylor street. "I shall never forget West Taylor street. I shall never forget like a shadow on my spirit's wall, but it will be mingled with the unspeakable gladness of my escape."

Miss McKenzie's sight left her ten days ago, while she was at work at the plant of Sears, Roebuck & Co. Since then she has been constantly under the care of oculists. They have tried every possible remedy, but have never been able to restore her sight.

At first, she said, she scarcely realized her position. She had never been troubled with her eyes, and the thought of blindness had never entered her mind. The shadow of blindness was suddenly brushed aside.

When Mrs. McKenzie entered her daughter's room on Wednesday to raise the blinds, she found her blindfolded in her bed. She asked to have the curtains lowered. As the mother stood hesitating her daughter suddenly cried out:

"I can see you now as you see me."

In another moment she had leaped from the bed where she was lying and clasped her mother in her arms.

SEAFORTH POULTRY SHOW

Many Entries Made of First-Class Birds—Prof. Graham on Hand.

Seaforth, Nov. 16.—Mr. J. F. Daly is a very busy man this week. He is the very obliging secretary of the Poultry Association, which holds its annual show in the town hall next week. According to the number of entries received, there is a high class of poultry bred in Ontario. The only original Oke and McNeil, of London, will be the judging, and Professor Graham, of the O. A. C. Guelph, will give an address on Friday. Farmers should take advantage of this, as Professor Graham will answer any inquiries as to raising poultry for market, dressing fowl for export, etc.

Mr. John E. Govenlock is out again, after being laid up for the past few weeks. During his illness Mr. Thomas Beattie had charge of the hay business.

The town and country people are taking advantage of the out-race war that is on. The clothing men are not standing a war among the farmers. Butter and eggs would then be within our reach.

Mr. Robert Murdie, on the north, and Mr. Scott Grieve, on the south, side of the town, intend starting regular milk routes at once.

Mr. Henry Beattie and son Edwin are visiting friends in Harrison.

Miss McCuaig, of Lucknow, is visiting her uncle, Mr. David Dorrance, John

Miss Colman, of Orangeville, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. H. W. Brown, formerly teacher in the Collegiate Institute, spent a few days with friends here this week. Brown is now secretary of the Sabbath School Association of Ontario.

Mr. Robert Bell, of the Bell Engine and Thresher Company, has returned from a business trip to the Northwest.

Weather Probs:
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Monday, Nov. 18

STORE NEWS TODAY.

BIG SALE IN COLORED DRESS GOODS COMMENCES TODAY.

White Lambskin Rugs, \$3.75 and \$5.00 Per Set, For The Baby Carriage

We have some new ideas in Baby Carriage Robes this season. Some of these look very cosy, fastening closely around the neck, with lots of robe all around, covering everything but baby's head, and the sets, with narrow robe for the back, and large lap robe. An outfit of these and a set of our White Thibet Furs means lots of good winter fresh air for the children. See these in Fur Department. (East aisle—main floor).

White Lambskin Sets, Back and Lap Robe, at, per set.....\$3.75 and \$5.00
White Lambskin Robe, new style, fitted around neck at, each.....\$5.00
White Thibet Fur Sets, Collar and Muff, per set.....\$2.00, \$3.50 and \$5.00
Children's Gray Squirrel Sets, Muff and Throw, per set.....\$10.00

Ringwood Gloves

The weather of the past few days has caused quite a demand for these warm knitted gloves.

These values are unusual.

Ladies' Extra Quality Ringwood Gloves, all colors, at, per pair.....25¢

Ladies' Ringwood Gloves, plain and fancy colors, seamless fingers, per pair.....35¢

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WIRELESS POWER NEXT

Hertzian Waves May Be Used Thus in Future.

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 16. — Although Signor Marconi is chiefly occupied at Glace Bay with his system of wireless telegraphy, he finds time to devote his genius to other experiments. These, however, for the most part have to do with the employment of the Hertzian waves, the same that are sent flying across the ocean with messages.

When asked in what other utilities it is practical to employ these waves, Signor Marconi said that in time power will be transmitted between two distant points without any visible medium of communication. However, he has spent but little time on this phase of the question, he said, his work being mainly taken up with the development of wireless telegraphy.

Hertzian waves are now being employed in naval warfare to a considerable extent, Marconi says. Every ship of the British navy with any pretensions whatever besides being equipped with his system of wireless telegraphy and telephony, is made more deadly by an apparatus invented by him, which by the employment of these waves controls and explodes torpedoes at a considerable distance.

The Paris cable dispatch of recent date that an Austrian electrician is attempting to obtain financial support there for an invention which he says will nullify wireless messages in war time has not created any consternation among the Marconi people at the Cape Breton station. It will be remembered that the inventor declares that the apparatus makes unintelligible all messages sent within a radius of 700 miles. The mechanism is quite simple, consisting merely of a revolving tower with one or more batteries which send flashes varying in strength. The radius is stated to be so deluged that the operators will not be able to distinguish one message from another.

The Marconi people admit that this is very interesting, but the answer is obvious. Even admitting that the Austrian's apparatus is capable of doing what he represents, what then? It only means that while a wire can be put out with a blow, and a cable can be put out of business with a few blows, it will require the erection of an expensive plant to put the wireless out of business.

King Frederick of Denmark presents the curious spectacle of a father who has become a king at a later date than his son. When King Haakon of Norway was lately at Copenhagen King Frederick is said to have asked him: "How do you like being king?" "I will rather ask you," replied Haakon, "I've been king longer than you have."

WOODS' FAIR

Utopian Art China. China at Less Than Half Price.

Have you seen the Utopian Art China this week in our basement? There are 27 pieces left no two pieces alike. We bought a sample lot at a great sacrifice to the maker, and can make a profit and sell it at less than half regular price. This is exactly the same goods as are usually sold by the best jewelry dealers, and is strictly high class, and all hand decorated. Buy a piece and lay it away for Christmas presents. You never will have a better chance. The prices are from 50¢ to \$4.50 each. Don't fail to see it and get a piece.

Big Reduction in Tiffany Glass Vases This Week.

We have a quantity of the above goods and to clear it out quickly have marked it down, in some instances more than half. Handsome shapes, rich colorings. It will pay you to see it in our basement before the best is all picked out.

J. M. THOMSON.

Haakon was elected king of Norway by the Storting on Nov. 18, 1905, while Frederick, his father, did not succeed to the throne of Denmark until Jan. 29, 1906, on the death of King Christian.

In the North Atlantic division—the New England States, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania—the proportion of unmarried men over 20 years of age to the whole male population is 51 per cent; of the unmarried women, 26.2.

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