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Oscar Hall of Elgin Dead.

On Sunday night last Mr. Oscar Hall died at his home at Elgin, in his 78th year. Deceased had been in failing health for some time, but was quite active until a week ago when pneumonia and other complications set in, which proved too much for his weakened condition. The funeral took place on Tuesday.

Dates of Fall Fairs, 1915

Brockville	Sept. 6-8
Cornwall	Sept. 9-11
Delta	Sept. 20-22
Frankville	Sept. 30, Oct. 1
Kingston	Sept. 28-30
Lansdowne	Sept. 16, 17
Lombardy	Sept. 11
Lyndhurst	Sept. 14-15
Merrickville	Sept. 16-17
Morrisburg	Aug. 3-4
Newboro	Sept. 23-24
Ottawa (Central Canada)	Sept. 10-18
Perth	Aug. 31, Sept. 2
Sjencerville	Sept. 28-29

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DEAD AMAZONS.

Burial Mound of Ancient Race Discovered in Brazil.

Sir Walter Raleigh, on returning from his South American voyage in the early part of the 17th century, reported to his sovereign that a landing party from his ship had been attacked near the mouth of a wonderful river by a swarm of women warriors and he accordingly suggested the name "Amazon" for the stream. Now comes Dr. Algot Lange, the archaeologist, who believes he has discovered evidence of this lost tribe described by Raleigh, a tribe where in the burden of war and industry was borne entirely by the females. Dr. Lange has just returned from a prolonged voyage of investigation for the Brazilian Government, during which he discovered on the headwaters of the Boju, a tributary of the Amazon, a hitherto unknown tribe, the Arandewara Indians, a peaceable, semi-agricultural group of 100 or more stark-nude savages, who had never seen a white man before and stood in terror of the explorer and his party.

The most significant thing about the tribe," says Dr. Lange, "was the entirely Semitic character of the physiognomy. This was no resemblance to which imagination was necessary, but a striking likeness that could not be overlooked by the most rudimentary observer. It was as apparent in the handsome young men and women as in the old, and it gave me distinctly the sense of looking upon an Asiatic people."

But the most interesting of Dr. Lange's discoveries were at the mouth of the Amazon, on a big, flat island, browsed on by vast herds of cattle in the dry season and washed over by the sea in the wet. This is the island of Marajo, of about 120 by 100 miles. The Amazon, which is over 200 miles wide at this point, has built the island there from its mighty stores of alluvial deposits, and the sea, fighting to hold its own, is underwashing the island, even as the river builds it.

"The island is never more than a few inches out of the water," Dr. Lange explains. "At high tide it shrinks considerably and when the Amazon is at flood no island is visible save for the mounds. One of these I excavated pretty thoroughly and found the bones and pottery of a tribe which has struck me as distinctly Asiatic. Moreover, the pottery I dug up on this mound has another and stranger characteristic. The vases and idols and burial urns and other articles are decorated with feminine symbols. The absence of male figurines is striking, and there are other evidences in the mounds to indicate that on this flat island more than a thousand years ago there existed a civilization dominated by the women. Whether or not all of the bones found in the mounds are those of females will be determined by local anthropologists to whom I shall submit various skeletons brought along for the purpose."

This funeral mound, according to the explorer, rises island-like from a tropical swamp in the centre of the great island of Marajo. It is about 15 to 20 yards wide and 100 yards long, and appears to be one mass of ancient pottery, much of it in fragments and some reduced to powder, but quantities still in good preservation.

The explorations disclosed 12 holes in the ground, and these on investigation proved to be the mouths of as many great funeral urns. Each was four or five feet high and globe or pear-shaped, filled with the bones of the dead Amazons, with pottery of many kinds and with the bones of the sea cow. Evidently this primitive race had hunted these big animals and used them as food, leaving quantities of the flesh in the funeral urns to feed the awakening dead.

Bodies of 200 Babies Found in Sewers

Human life has been destroyed in wholesale quantities in Toronto during the past two years. The city sewers have during that time given up the bodies of 200 prematurely born babies. The awesome information was given in a statement by Works Commissioner Harris yesterday. Even 200 is a small estimate of the number of slaughtered innocents, as the number found is only those caught in the screens at the sewage disposal plant at Morley avenue. No estimate of those that have gone through can be made.

The Commissioner of Works stated that the discoveries were reported to the Chief Coroner, with a view to the matter being taken up by the police. However, such a course was considered useless, as there were no clues present. The sewage comes from all parts of the city, and therefore it would be impossible to ascertain where the bodies were deposited.

The statement means that at least 100 babes are destroyed a year in Toronto. The police, however, have nothing to work upon, and the Chief Coroner can do nothing. The present average number found shows little decrease from any time during the two years.

Just a Reminder.

Jack—And after we are married, darling, the love lights will still linger in your eyes.
Maud—Yes, but the love lights won't keep the 728 bills from coming.

THE CALL.

The following poem from the pen of a Canadian soldier with the first contingent is reprinted from The London Daily Mirror.

I hear the clear note of the bugle
And the roar of the calling drum,
And I feel the swing of the marching men,
And a deep, deep voice says, Come,
For the arrow of duty points forward,
Tho' the heartstrings quiver and break.
Yet the voice of my calling country
Is one I may not forsake.
For my manhood heeds and listens
And bends an attentive ear,
And the war's alarm may bring the harm,
My road lies plain and clear.
It stretches wide from my own fire-side,
At the far end stands the foe;
And the grim death meets me eager
breath.
I am ready and glad to go,
For England asks for the sons she
loves.
To the East, West, South and
North,
And who stands by when a mother's
cry
Is bidding her sons "Stand Forth"?
The shades of the past stand clear at
last.
For the flag by land and sea;
What was duty for Wellington, Nelson
and Marston
Is doubly duty for me.
For they handed down the hard-won
crown
That is made for the victor's brow,
And the glory of deeds afloat and
ashore
Is one to remember now.
Then God send England the strong
right arm
To prosper well in the fight,
And show that the sea-girl island
Is backed by the Empire's might.
—Queen's Own.

Death of Mrs. O. O. Stowell

The death occurred in the City Hospital at Watertown, N. Y., on Tuesday morning, of Josephine Evangeline Bishop, Dr. O. O. Stowell, formerly of Addison. Mrs. Stowell had been ill over a year due to cancer of the liver. She had been in a serious condition for the past four or five months, and four weeks ago her condition became so critical that she was removed to the city hospital. Her death was unexpected.

Mrs. Stowell was born in Antwerp, N. Y., January 12, 1847, the daughter of the late Oscar and Sarah Hildreth Bishop. When ten years of age she removed with her parents to Copenhagen, where she resided until her removing to Watertown in 1892. She was a graduate of the White Seminary, Clinton. She was married to Dr. O. O. Stowell, of Copenhagen in 1872. She was a life-long member of the Episcopal church, attending the Trinity Episcopal church during her residence in Watertown. Mrs. Stowell was an enthusiastic worker of the Pomona Grange, of which she was a member, and also of the Women's Federation of Clubs. She was prominent in social and club life in Watertown.

Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Dr. Harold B. Stowell, Watertown, and Royal O. Stowell, New York City. Cyrenus Stowell of H. M.'s customs, Brockville, is a brother-in-law.

Interment was made in Copenhagen cemetery.

Mrs. David Thompson Dead

The death occurred at Brockville suddenly on Monday, Aug. 9, 1915, of Mrs. David Thompson of Athens. She went to Brockville Saturday morning at 11 o'clock to visit her daughter, Mrs. Joseph H. Morrison, King street west, and later was seized with paralysis. Her husband died on Tuesday, July 27th, and it is thought that the shock of his demise brought on the fatal attack. The deceased was born in Ireland. Her maiden name was Mary Hewitt, coming over to Canada fifty years ago as a bride and settled with her husband in Kitley township. Later they removed to Spring Valley where Mr. Thompson followed the occupation of a farmer. They were very successful and after twenty years residence at Spring Valley they removed to Athens where they have since lived retired.

Six sons and five daughters survive, viz.: John Thompson, Carthage, N.Y.; Joseph Thompson, Athens; William Thompson, Houghton, Sask.; James Thompson, M.P.P., East Peterboro; Thomas D. Thompson, Winnipeg; Gordon Thompson, London; Mrs. H. Mooney, Toronto; Mrs. W. H. Irwin, Soperston; Mrs. H. Rowsom, Lyn; Mrs. J. H. Morrison, Brockville and Mrs. F. E. Latimer, Lyn.

The funeral service will be held this afternoon at 1 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Morrison, King street west, Brockville, by Rev. S. S. Barnes. Interment will be made in Athens.

Liberals Win in Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 7.—T. C. Norris led the Liberal party in Manitoba to an overwhelming victory at the polls yesterday and will have behind him in the next Legislature over forty members out of the forty-nine who will sit there.

Forty six members were elected, of whom the straight Liberals number 38; Independent Liberals 2; Dixon in Centre Winnipeg and Ferley in Gimli; social Democrat 1; and Conservatives 5.

There are three deferred elections and if these follow precedent they will return government supporters.

The only member of Sir Rodmond Roblin's ministry who sought re-election, George Lawrence, ex-minister of agriculture, who ran in Killarney was defeated.

Sir James Aikens, Conservative leader, and W. H. Sharpe, his Lieutenant, who resigned seat in the Dominion Parliament to enter provincial provincial politics, were defeated in Brandon and Manitoba respectively.

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