

The Planet.

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OFFENCES THAT ARE HUSHED.

A bank clerk from Ingersoll was arrested and put in the county jail at Woodstock, charged by his employers with stealing seven hundred dollars. Bail was produced, he was liberated, and when the case came up for trial nobody appeared against him, he pleaded not guilty, and was acquitted.

The Sentinel-Review considers this a case that ought to be investigated by the Attorney-General. Of this case we have only the bare facts as here given, and it is possible that the whole thing may have been a misunderstanding, as the result would indicate. But in this or in some other case resembling it, there should be a full enquiry by the authorities, for the opinion is very general that embezzlements and thefts go unpunished very frequently—sometimes even after arrests have been made—when the relatives of the offender are willing to pay up, and protect the employers and the guarantee company from loss. When a man is arrested on a criminal charge the affair should not be capable of settlement by a payment of money. It means that a man may commit a theft, knowing that he is not making himself liable to the law, but merely imposing on the indulgence of his family. In most cases there is no noise, no arrest, but a settlement in private. In such cases the authorities, knowing nothing about it, can take no action, but where criminal proceedings are begun, the authorities should investigate, so that the idea will not prevail that the law is polite and particular in this respect for persons.

ONLY FIVE FATHERS LEFT.

That excellent publication, The Year Book of Canada for 1903, gives the following list of survivors of the fathers of confederation:—

Hon. William McDougall, C. B., born January 25, 1822.
Hon. Sir Hector Langevin, K. C. M. G., C. B., born August 25, 1826.
Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., G. C. M. G., C. B., born July 2, 1821.
Hon. Sir Ambrose Shea, K. C. M. G., Nfld., born 1818.
Hon. A. A. McDonald, senator, born February 14, 1829.

The most recent deaths were those of Sir Oliver Mowatt, April 18, 1903, and Hon. R. B. Dickey, K. C., on July 14, 1903. Of Canadian representatives the oldest, but by no means the least vigorous, is Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. William McDougall is a veritable link with the past in this part of Canada. He was publishing the North American some 54 years ago, with a platform so boldly radical that it was denounced by "The Globe as revolutionary." Brown and McDougall afterwards joined forces; The North American was merged into the Globe, and Mr. McDougall joined the Globe staff. But both men had too much individuality and force of will to dwell together in amity, and even old-time reformers remember them as antagonists. McDougall was an admirable writer and speaker, with a kind of French neatness of style that contrasted strongly with the rush and volume of the stream poured out by Brown.

RESULTS OF ONE MAN'S WORK.

One of the most religious gatherings of the year is the international congress of the Salvation Army now in progress in London. At the demonstration in the Crystal Palace a hundred thousand Salvationists from almost every part of the civilized world, and some parts that are not civilized, were present. We don't know how many persons were represented by these delegates, but it is certain that the number who have come under the army's good influences and have received either spiritual or material benefit from it can be computed in millions.

Rarely has the originator of a religious movement lived to see his work bear such fruit as General Booth sees as the results of his labors. He started the army movement in 1865 while working as a Methodist preacher in the east end of London; but it was not until thirteen years later that he gave the organization which he had formed the name of Salvation Army. Since it got that name its growth has been wonderful. Its work extends to 49 countries, embracing 7,565 posts, and is in charge of 16,020 officers and employees, with 45,000 local officers and about 50,000 musicians. Originally intended as an organization for religious evangelization only, the army has in later years branched out into sociological work, and in this it has been eminently successful. It has 668 so-

cial relief institutions under the charge of nearly 3,000 officers. It has 413 rescue homes through which about 7,000 unfortunate women pass annually, 132 "settlements" in the slums of great cities, besides numerous industrial homes, workmen's hotels and lodging houses, labor bureaus, food depots, and several farm colonies.

All this vast and complex machinery for the good of humanity originated in the busy brain and big heart of one man—"the general," and is kept working and being constantly extended by means of his organizing genius and untiring energy. The Salvation Army is militant in organization as well as in spirit and method. It is a one-man organization. All its vast energies center in General Booth and receive their impetus from him. He is more than a dictator; he is the soul, the motive power of the whole. But the general is an old man now. He cannot live much longer. What will become of the army when he goes? Personal loyalty to him is a powerful cohesive force to hold the units of the great organization together. It is hardly to be expected that that loyalty can be transferred to another. When he goes, it is more than likely that the army will rapidly disintegrate.

But even if it should be disbanded to-morrow, the army has done an incalculable amount of good in the world. Among the lowest classes of the population of large cities its beneficial work has been especially great. What the churches should do but have failed to do, it has done. It has gone into the highways and byways seeking out the fallen and friendless and unfortunate in order to help them. And indirectly by its example as well as directly by its own efforts it has been a most potent influence for good in its time. The churches have caught the contagion of its enthusiasm and are doing better work because of the spiritual stimulus they have received from the army.

How much can be done by one man or woman who is profoundly in earnest!

This great home journal is really too much concerned in fulfilling its mission of supplying the people of this fine western peninsula with a wide-awake and vigorous daily newspaper, to mingle in a snarl with an unfortunate midget who has already been sufficiently chastised, and for whom it has only the most profound pity and sympathy.

SEEN' THE SIGHTS

"Say Bill, how did you like the percession," said a farmer on King St., on Saturday. "Wasn't it real fine though. Me and Cynthia and the kids have been in town ever since five o'clock this morning and we have our wagon loaded with vittals. We got excited when we heard the percession coming and Cynthia, she nearly had hysterics. You see we all had our eyes peeled for different things. The kids was looking out for the monkey cage and the animals. Cynthia she was waitin' for the steam plany and the clowns, and I was just crazy to have a look at those beautiful gals ridin' on horseback. One of them threw me a kiss, but Cynthia caught it, and would not pass it on, but gave the gal such a fierce look that her horse shied from fright. Say, do you think, Bill, a fellow could keep a lot of them circus cattle on a farm. Just think of your camel and having an elephant and camel for a house pet. The thoughts of it makes me awful thirsty, Bill. Well, I don't mind if I do."

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Baby's Own Soap

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WORLD OF SPORT

BASKETBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Saturday Games.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati..... R.H.E.
5 10 2
Philadelphia..... 2 8 3
Batteries—Walker and Peltz; Mitchell and Doon. Umpire, Zimmer. Attendance, 3,340.

At Pittsburgh—
Pittsburgh..... R.H.E.
6 7 1
Boston..... 0 2 2
Batteries—Flaherty and Smith; Willis, McNichols and Moran. Umpires, Johnston and Carpenter. Attendance, 5,630.

At Chicago—
Chicago..... R.H.E.
4 9 0
Brooklyn..... 3 9 0
Batteries—Weimer and Kling; Poole and Ritter. Umpire, Moran. Attendance, 6,000.

At St. Louis—First game.
St. Louis..... R.H.E.
2 11 1
New York..... 5 10 0
Batteries—Taylor and Zearfoss; Mathewson, McGinnity and Bowerman. Umpires, O'Day and Emslie.

At St. Louis—Second game.
St. Louis..... R.H.E.
3 8 3
New York..... 5 9 2
Batteries—McFarland and Zearfoss; Wiltse, McGinnity and Warner. Umpires, O'Day and Emslie. Attendance, 9,300.

Sunday Games.

At Chicago—
Chicago..... R.H.E.
3 9 1
Brooklyn..... 2 7 1
Batteries—Corrigan and O'Neil; Jones and Bergen. Umpire, Moran.

At Cincinnati—First game.
Cincinnati..... R.H.E.
1 6 0
Philadelphia..... 4 6 1
Batteries—Harper and Peitz; Fraser and Doon.

At Cincinnati—Second game.
Cincinnati..... R.H.E.
7 10 1
Philadelphia..... 1 6 4
Batteries—Ewing and Schiel; McPherson and Doon. Umpire, Zimmer. Attendance, 10,250.

At St. Louis—First game.
St. Louis..... R.H.E.
3 9 0
New York..... 2 8 1
Batteries—Nichols and Zearfoss; McGinnity and Warner.

At St. Louis—Second game.
St. Louis..... R.H.E.
1 5 1
New York..... 3 9 0
Batteries—O'Neil and Zearfoss; Taylor and Bowerman. Umpires, Emslie and O'Day. Attendance, 19,800.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Saturday Games.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis..... R.H.E.
0 4 2
Chicago..... 1 5 1
Batteries—Howell and Kahoe; Altrock and McFarland. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 800.

At New York—
Boston..... R.H.E.
2 8 5
New York..... 1 5 1
Batteries—Young and Origer; Chasbro and McGuire. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 21,093.

At Philadelphia—First game.
Philadelphia..... R.H.E.
3 6 0
Washington..... 0 3 2
Batteries—Waddell and Schreckengost; Patten and Kitzredge. Umpires, Dwyer and King.

At Philadelphia—Second game.
Philadelphia..... R.H.E.
11 16 1
Washington..... 3 7 5
Batteries—Orth and Clarke; Henley, Bender and Schreckengost and Powers. Umpires, Dwyer and King. Attendance, 14,812.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland..... R.H.E.
3 9 3
Detroit..... 5 8 2
Batteries—Moore and Abbott; Donovan and Buelow. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 4,105.

Sunday Games.
At St. Louis—First game.
Chicago..... R.H.E.
2 8 0
St. Louis..... 1 7 1
Batteries—White and Sullivan; Petty and Kahoe.

At St. Louis—Second game.
Chicago..... R.H.E.
5 11 2
St. Louis..... 6 12 2
Batteries—Sever, Sudhoff and Sugden; Patterson and Sullivan. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Saturday Games.

At Providence—
Newark..... R.H.E.
6 12 4
Providence..... 4 8 2
Batteries—Burke and Lynch; McIligan and Toft. Umpires, Conohan and Haskell. Attendance, 4,100.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore..... R.H.E.
5 10 0
Jersey City..... 3 14 1
Batteries—Adkins and Byers; Barnett, Pfannmiller and Carisch. Umpire, Sullivan. Attendance, 6,158.

Sunday Games.
At Providence—
Providence..... R.H.E.
3 10 1
Jersey City..... 0 5 1
Batteries—Putnam and Toft; Eason and Carisch. Umpires, Conohan and Haskell. Attendance, 5,000.

The person who groans a good deal about the sins of others will bear watching.

Bigger and Better Than Ever

are the values we are giving during our July Clearing Sale. Extremely low prices prevail all over the store, but quality or style has not been slighted in order to accomplish this end. This week's lists will appeal strongly to careful cash buyers. Come and see for yourself the many dollar-saving chances this sale offers.

BIG REDUCTIONS IN CARPETS—

All our \$1.25 velvet carpets clearing at a yard \$1.10.

All our \$1.25 Brussels carpets at a yard \$1.10.

All our \$1.00 and \$1.10 Brussels carpets at a yard .88c.

All our 85c Brussels carpets at a yard .68c.

All our 55c and 60c Tapestry carpets at a yard .48c.

All our 65c Tapestry carpets at a yard .58c.

All our 40c and 45c Tapestry carpets at a yard .35c.

Six pieces heavy union carpet, full yard wide, regular 50c a yard, sale price .38c.

Eight pieces heavy union carpet, regular 87 1-2c to 40c a yard, sale price .35c.

60c LINOLEUMS AT 50c YARD—

Six pieces heavy English and Scotch linoleums, choice patterns, 3 yards and 4 yards wide, worth 60c a yard, special at .50c.

12 1-2c MATTINGS AT 10c YD.—

Japan mattings full yd wide, reversible patterns, regular 12 1-2c a yard, sale price .10c.

All over 15c Japan mattings, at 12 1-2c.

6 PCS JAPAN MATTINGS—

In new patterns, worth 25c a yard, sale price .18c.

9 PCS JAPAN MATTING—

Superior quality, worth 28c to 30c a yard, sale price .23c.

40 PCS HEAVY FLOOR OIL CLOTH—

In wide range of patterns, splendid wearing quality, 1, 1 1-4, 1 1-2 and 2 yds wide, at a sq yd .25c.

20 DOZEN WINDOW SHADES—

Full size, colors cream, Terra Cotta, and greens, mounted on spring rollers, sale price each .25c.

10 DOZEN EXTRA QUALITY WINDOW SHADES—

Full size, mounted on spring rollers, trimmed with deep lace or insertion, colors cream, green, and Terra Cotta, worth 75c each, sale price .48c.

25 PAIRS NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS—

In new fishnet designs, overlook edges, 54 in wide, 3 yds long, regular 90c a pair, sale price .75c.

ALL OVER \$1.25 LACE CURTAINS—

3 yds and 3 1-2 yds long, choice styles, sale price .98c.

\$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 CURTAINS FOR \$1.38 A PAIR—

38 Pair Fine Nottingham Lace Curtains, full 3 1-2 yards long, 50 in. to 54 in. wide, handsome new designs, overlook edges, regular \$1.50 to \$2.00 a pair; sale price \$1.38.

\$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00 LACE CURTAINS AT \$1.89—

Odd pairs and broken lots in our choicest designs, regular \$2.50 to \$3.00 a pair, clearing at sale price \$1.89.

CURTAIN LACE—

42 inches wide, taped on both edges, choice new designs, regular 12 1-2c to 15c a yard, sale price .1c.

Regular 15c to 20c a yard, price .1c.

SEVEN STORES The NORTHWAY CO'Y, Limited TWO FACTORY

DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

July 9.—Wm. Irwin, who was injured at his brother's barn raising, on Monday, died on Tuesday afternoon and was buried in the Dresden cemetery on Thursday. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of Zion Church, Tupperville, and was held at the home of his brother on the 12th con. Chatham township, at 10 o'clock, after which the funeral cortege proceeded to the Dresden cemetery, where interment took place. The funeral procession was one of the largest on record, numbering over one hundred rigs.

The Shiloh Church picnic which was to have been held on Wednesday, has been postponed to Wednesday, July 20th.

Mr. Rufus Carscadden and Mrs. Roselle, both of Dresden, were quietly married in Windsor on Tuesday and have taken up their residence in Mr. Carscadden's house, North Chatham.

Miss Josie Houston, a former Dresdenite, but now resident in the state of Indiana, is the guest of the Misses Lawrence, Sydenham St.

Menzo Simpson, of Cleveland, who has been visiting friends in town, returned home yesterday.

The Orange ladies of Dawn will attend divine service in Christ Church to-morrow night.

A large number from Dresden and vicinity took in the big circus in Chatham to-day.

July 11.—Miss Ethel McKim, who has been visiting friends in Detroit for the past week, returned home on Saturday.

Dr. W. W. Thornton was a Chatham visitor on Saturday.

Miss Ada Shain, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Shaw, Victoria avenue.

S. P. Sturgis was in Chatham Saturday on county business.

Miss Jennie Slater returned Saturday from a visit with Maple City friends.

Miss Annie Hodder has returned from a visit with friends in Detroit.

Rev. Chas. Carscadden, B. A., of Black Falls, Alberta, who has been visiting relatives in town, is spending a few days in Woodale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Tape were Chatham visitors on Saturday.

Alex. McRitchie, of Bothwell, was the guest of Dresden friends yesterday.

A large number from Dresden and vicinity attended the circus in Chatham on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Cuthbert spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit and Walkerville.

The annual excursion of the Methodist Sunday school will be held on Friday next to Walpole Island, on the steamer Winona.

Miss Lannigan, who has been nursing in town, returned to Chatham Saturday night.

The Orangemen of Dresden and Dawn attended divine service in Christ Church last night.

Mr. Ingram, of the local Bank of Commerce, spent Sunday with friends in Sarnia.

TILBURY

July 9.—Miss Maggie Stewart left yesterday to visit in Ridgeway.

Miss Jennie Anderson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson, returns to St. Thomas to-morrow, accompanied by her sister, Jessie, who will visit relatives there for a couple of weeks.

Miss Stinson spent yesterday in Detroit.

Miss Pearl Wilson leaves to-day to visit relatives in Detroit and Ypsilanti.

Misses Mary and Lily Gardiner were Detroit visitors yesterday.

Quite a number from the village are attending the circus in Chatham to-day.

July 11.—Mrs. Hugh Johnston and

daughter Myrtle leave to-day on a visit with relatives in Toronto.

Mrs. Albert Keith, of Wyandotte, Mich., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Keith.

Mr. Le Blanc, of Comber, formerly of Tilbury, while hauling logs here on Saturday last, had one of his legs broken just above the ankle by a log falling on him.

J. P. Gullot spent Sunday in Windsor.

Miss Bell Shaw, of Port Rowan, arrives to-day to spend vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Shaw.

Mrs. Dusty spent Sunday with her daughter in Windsor.

Mr. Washburn, student in charge of Comber, conducted services in the English church here last evening.

Rev. Mr. Dobson taking the service and administering the communion at Comber.

Mrs. James Foster left on Saturday to visit relatives at Iona.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Veale, of Windsor, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Richardson, yesterday.

BLENHEIM

July 11.—The semi-annual installation of the officers of Rondeau Lodge, No. 40, I. O. O. F., will take place on Friday, July 22nd.

James Samson has taken a position in Mr. W. D. Samson's hardware store.

Two lacrosse matches will take place to-morrow. In the morning the Rodney and Blenheim junior teams, in the afternoon Chatham Bugle Band and the Kents of Blenheim. It is expected that a large crowd will be present to witness both matches.

Rev. Mr. Godwin and family, of Exeter, former pastor of the Methodist Church, are visiting at Mr. T. B. Shillington's.

Howe Bates and party passed through town on Friday with his handsome new automobile.

Miss Young, of Florence, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Faust.

Miss Flo Byram is taken very sick. The doctor is in constant attendance on her.

Mr. and Mrs. Banning, of Detroit, are visiting at John Pickering's.

Bowling matches will take place this evening between local bowlers. Each rink will be skipped by a green skip.

A good number attended the circus at Chatham on Saturday.

WALLACEBURG

July 11.—Miss Reta McGregor entertained a number of her friends to a birthday party last week.

Miss McPhedran, of Wainstead, is visiting in town.

The Orange Young Britains attended service in St. James church yesterday morning. Rev. Mr. Farr conducting the service.

Rev. Mr. Lindsay, of Dresden, preached two eloquent sermons in the Presbyterian church yesterday; Rev. Mr. Nichol was in Dresden.

Mr. Wm. Heap left this morning for his home in Mosley, England, for a short visit.

Miss Alice Steer, a missionary in the Indian Territory of the States, is visiting at her home north of the town.

Work is progressing rapidly on the New Empire Hotel, which is being erected by Michael Doyle. When finished this will be one of the best hotels in town.

Captain Kelly and family will move out to Walpole this week for the summer.

The Presbyterian Sunday school expect to run an excursion to Stag Island next week. Date will be mentioned later.

Word was received in town on Saturday last of the death of Tom Buckingham, formerly a resident near this town. Mr. Buckingham was killed by a kick from a horse. Mr. Buckingham is a son of Mr. Geo. Buckingham, a retired farmer, of this town. He married a Miss Julia Clear about

seven years ago. He has been in Yale, Mich., about two years, and is now in Toronto, where he will be brought to this town mentioned later.

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Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North Western Line, from Chicago August 15th to Sept. 10th. Choice routes going and returning. Correspondingly low rates from all points in Canada. Two trains a day from Chicago through without change. Daily and personally conducted tourist car excursions. Write for itinerary and full particulars regarding special train leaving Chicago, Aug. 18th and 25th.

Do not forget that New York Central will run a cheap excursion to New York on July 14th for \$10.25 return from Suspension Bridge, and Buffalo, good 15 days, returning with privileges of trip on Hudson River boats between Albany and New York in both directions. Write Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1-2 Yonge Street, Toronto.

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