

### Alex. Templin Arranged Murder Some Time Ahead

The following letters were left by Alex. Templin:

"I will end it all. O God, forgive me, and all I say no more. God knows it all. Send my remains to my brother in Welland, Ont."

"I can't stand it any longer. I must go to another world, and as is going with me."

"Love to all my friends. Good-bye, with love to all."

"Alex. Templin, Welland, Ont."

The second note reads:

"God forgive me for all I have done, and, dear mother and sisters, forgive me. I must do it. I must die, and she too, for we both die together. O, God, knows it all."

"Send my remains to my brother in Welland, Ont. That is all. I say good-bye to all, with love to all."

The police found on Templin a note reading as follows:

"If anything happens to me, it will be He told me he would kill me some day."

More drastic regulations for the inspection of travellers came into effect at Niagara Falls last night. It was necessary not only to have a certificate of vaccination, but to show that it had been successful. It was alleged that there was a deal of trafficking in certificates, and that some had been given without vaccination. Many were turned back. Now it is necessary to wait ten minutes after vaccination while the serum dries.

### EASY TO DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

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When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally. So every day, preparing this mixture, though at home is messy and troublesome. At little cost you can buy at a drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compounds." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. In morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger.

This evening a Methodist mass meeting will be held in First Methodist Church which will be addressed by Rev. C. I. McIrvine.

### SPICY BOOKS KEPT IN LIBRARY, SAYS RECTOR, QUITTING

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be present, it was decided to restore the book to the shelves. On learning this, I resigned."

"At a meeting of Colonel Kirby chapter, Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, in Fort Erie on Wednesday afternoon, Canon Smith spoke of the need for watchfulness over educative processes.

"I would wish," he told the chapter, "that you ladies watch especially over the class of books which are admitted to the public library."

J. C. Dunham, chairman of the library board, declined to join in the controversy over the book except to say that the canon evidently had misunderstood him.

"I did not agree with him that Mary Olivier is an improper book," he said, "I merely told him that if he objected to it I would do what I could to withdraw it. For that promise, the other members of the board got after me, as they had a right to do, and by a resolution which passed without a dissenting vote the book was replaced on the shelves."

Canon Smith promises that his resignation hasn't ended the affair. The annual meeting of the subscribers to the library will be held on January 16th. There are rumors in the village that an attempt will be made to oust the seven other members of the board who kept Mary Olivier in circulation.

The controversy has been waging for many weeks. It has made Mary Olivier the most popular of the 4000 odd volumes on the shelves, although village folk who have read it say that it is not easy going for minds which have been trained on Robert W. Chambers and Harold Bell Wright.

The power was off for a time this morning delaying the street car service.

### NOTICE!

A Court of Inquiry will assemble at the Armouries at St. Catharines, Ontario, at 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, January 13th, to inquire into certain financial affairs of the 19th Regiment, Canadian Militia, during the time it formed part of the Welland Canal Guard.

Those persons having any knowledge of the same are invited to attend and to report to the President, Brig-General E. A. Cruikshank, with a view to giving evidence.

EUGENE FISET,  
Major General,  
Deputy Minister, Militia and Defence,  
Ottawa, Jan. 5th, 1920. j 8 9 10

### STRENGTH FOR YOUNG MOTHERS

#### How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restores Health and Strength.

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Women who are in Mrs. Bowers' condition should not continue to suffer from weakness and pain—but profit from her experience and give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial.

For suggestions in regard to your condition write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their 40 years' experience is at your service.

### GENEROUS DONATIONS MADE TO ORPHANS HOME ARE HERE ACKNOWLEDGED

The Board of the Orphan's Home beg to acknowledge with thanks the following donations:

Miss Gemmill and Mrs. Johnston, fancy bag of candy for each child.

Nut Krust Bakery: Several donations of buns and currant bread.

Mrs. Rutherford, fancy packages of candy for all.

Fancy caps and scarfs for girls, A. Friend.

Two cans fruit, Mrs. McBain.

Candy, three Robinson children.

Toys, Mrs. Jos. Mills.

Toys, Mrs. Klotz.

Candy and Toys, Mrs. Jenckes.

2 dozen oranges, Mr. Geo. Montgomery.

Flowers, Mr. Howard Tish.

Pop corn, boxes of chocolates and candy stockings, Mrs. Simmons.

Chickens, Mr. Harry McKelvie.

Woolen sweaters, caps and bloomers suits for children, Madill and Co. Clothing, Mrs. McKelvie.

Mrs. Shurley for entertaining the children and Matron at her home a New Year's eve.

Mr. J. W. Glass for tuning Home piano for many years.

The G. W. Veterans for entertaining children at their Christmas Tree in Armoury and giving each a valuable present.

The Y.M.C.A. Boys Department for entertainment and gifts.

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Members of the New City Council have been called to meet at the City Hall tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. It is understood that the standing committees for next year will be struck and the names of those who are to go on public boards will be considered.

### LOCAL NEWS

We buy everything you want to sell. McGuire & Co.

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Martha Burell, who is employed at the Arlington hotel in Bridge street, Niagara Falls, Ont., was fined \$300 by Magistrate Frazer yesterday, when she was charged with having three bottles of gin on the premises.

The remains of Alexander Templin were buried this afternoon at Victoria Lawn from Grobb's undertaking rooms. Two brothers claimed the body and arranged for the funeral.

The cold stormy blasts of winter began to exercise themselves again this morning with a good deal of vigor and boisterous display. While the temperature was not low the wind was brisk.

Maurice J. MacMahon of the Customs staff, Niagara Falls, Ont., has received patent papers for Canada for a new match. It is called "MacMahon's Two-in-one-match." The match gives two chances to light, and is practically two matches on one, and consequently does away with large wood waste in matches. Mr. MacMahon has several offers for the disposition of his invention, which he is considering.

Yesterday afternoon the remains of the late Mrs. George Burley, Thorold, were very tenderly laid to rest in the family plot at Lakeview cemetery. Although the funeral was announced as a private one, a large number of relatives and personal friends were present to show their last respects to one who has spent her life time in the town where she was dearly loved by every person with whom she came in contact with the services were conducted by Rev. Canon Piper, rector of St. John's Church, where the deceased had been a long and faithful member. The bearers were: Hubert Walker and Earlley Grisdale, and George Harry and Richard Raynor. The floral tributes were conveyed to the cemetery by special conveyance.



Crown work of interior quality is one of the most dangerous pieces of Dental work that can be placed in the mouth.

A crown that is so thin that it is soon punctured, consequently allowing leakage or one that is inaccurately fitted, permitting food particles and the acids of the mouth to enter, will cause decay of the roots and often serious infections of the gums and jawbone.

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### APPLES FOR ONTARIO

Some Varieties Recommended for Home Orchards.

Early Bearers and Annual Producers Desirable — Also Varieties Not Easily Liable to Disease—Hardiness Also a Good Quality—Keep Potato Rot From Spreading.

(Contributed by Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.)

THE home orchard should provide high-class dessert and cooking apples throughout the entire apple season, or from the middle of July until the following spring. It is quite easy to select varieties for any part of old Ontario which will do this satisfactorily. The varieties selected should come into bearing early, should produce annually, and should be as free as possible from diseases of all kinds, so that they may be handled with a minimum of expense and care. Throughout this article the varieties mentioned are listed in the order of their season of use, so that intending planters may be guided in making a selection to cover the season.

In order to simplify the selection of varieties for any given district a classification of the most desirable varieties is given herewith based on their relative hardiness, which is their ability to withstand cold winters successfully.

Hardest:—Transparent, Duchess, Dudley, McIntosh, Ribernal, Crab. These are hardy as far north as Parry Sound, and can be grown successfully even further north.

Second Hardest:—Astrachan, Alexander, St. Lawrence, Wealthy, Colvert, Snow, Scarlet Pippin, Wolf River, Golden Russet.

Third Hardest:—Blenheim, Tolman, Spy.

Fourth Hardest:—Gravenstein, Wagner, Stark, Greening, Ben Davis.

Fifth Hardest:—These varieties are more or less tender and thrive best south of a line drawn from Hamilton to Brantford and Goderich—Ribston, Hubbardston, Grimes, Ontario.

Sixth Hardest:—These varieties are tender and thrive best in the Lake Erie coast, although they are not entirely satisfactory even there—Jonathan Winesap, Spitzenberg, Newtown.

King and Baldwin are omitted from the above classification for the reason that their inclusion would probably be misleading. It is true that these varieties were formerly listed in about the fourth grade for hardiness, but intending planters would do well to make careful note of the fact that they have winter killed badly of recent years, even in the most southerly counties of Ontario.

The varieties which come into bearing earliest (about five or six years) are Duchess, Wealthy, Milwaukee, Wagner and Ontario. Most of the other varieties listed should begin bearing at about seven or eight years, but Blenheim and Spy are notorious exceptions to this, and frequently do not produce fruit until they reach fifteen to eighteen years of age.

The varieties which are least subject to apple scab are Duchess, Ribston, Blenheim, Hibernial, Baldwin and Russet.—Prof. J. W. Crow, O. A. College, Guelph.

**Keep Potato Rot From Spreading.**

When harvesting potatoes, more especially in damp seasons, it is essential to pick them over and discard any specimens that are diseased, particularly those that show any indication of rot. If this is not done, the disease is liable to spread through the whole mass during storage. If wet or dry rot (Fusarium) or black leg and wet rot (B. solanaceae) or late blight (Phytophthora infestans) has been noticed in the growing crop, it may be taken for granted that a percentage of the tubers will be infected. These diseases may be found in all stages of development in the tubers produced by an affected plant. These are the diseases most liable to spread to a greater or less extent through a pile or bag of stored tubers if any of them are affected at the time they are stored away. Consequently, the greatest care should be taken when harvesting a crop that has shown diseases when growing in the field.

These diseases show themselves on the tubers, either as a dry moldy rot or a wet slimy rot, or as brown or blackish discolorations. On some tubers the diseased condition may be fairly well advanced and consequently easily noticed. On other tubers the disease may be of recent development and not easily seen.

Where practicable it is desirable to pick out all tubers in which the disease is readily seen and then to wash the remainder either in a tub of water or by turning a hose on to them. This washing not only removes any soil that may be sticking on, but it intensifies the discolorations produced by the disease, and so makes it a comparatively easy matter to pick out those tubers which are only lightly affected. After washing, the undesirable specimens should be removed and the remainder thrown out in a thin layer to dry before being stored away.—Prof. D. H. Jones, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

**Fertile Soils for Alfalfa.**

Alfalfa will not thrive on poor land, or that which is deficient in lime. Even soils that are moderately fertile and produce good average grain crops will not produce profitable crops of alfalfa unless first limed and then planted in sweet clover, which should be turned under while it is green and juicy in the fall or late summer.

**Install farm motors for pumping water, pulping turps, cutting straw, etc.**

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**PAWN TICKET EXPIRED.**  
She—I tol you to ask me in six months about accepting the ring.  
Jack DeBroke—Well?  
She—Well, the six months are up.  
DeBroke—Yes; unfortunately, so is the ring.  
The snow storm is tying up many street cars on the local lines to-day.

**CHICAGO, Jan. 8.**—The high price on record was paid here for dark No. 1 spring wheat for milling purposes. The consignment shipped from an Illinois point, brought the unprecedented price of \$9.49 a bushel. Flour also took an unexpected jump, selling at \$16.25 a barrel as compared with \$14.85 a week ago.

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**Niagara-on-the-Lake Branch—F. W. Wilson, Manager**

THE holidays are ended. The elections are over. Our congratulations to the successful; our sympathy to the defeated.

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**MURDER**

**Man Aided in Brutal Killing Near Roches**

**Husband, She Murdered Former Lover, Accused to Their Confession**

**CHESTER, Jan. 10.**—James and his wife, Pearl, were charged with murder in the first degree yesterday. The alleged victim, Edward Kneip, whose body was found yesterday beneath a culvert on Mosquito road, south of the village of Roches, was the former driver of the car in which Odell, his wife, and alleged victim drove to the scene of the crime, the latter and Kneip, are held as witnesses. The police say they have confessed to the crime, the latter and Kneip two years before the crime was revenge for a relations between the young man and Odell in this city on the 16th, last.

In her confession, Mrs. Odell said that Kneip wronged her when she was sixteen years old. After Kneip was released from jail, she told her of her former relations.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell were arrested in county court yesterday. Judge Willis K. Gilchrist charged of murder, first degree, pleading not guilty, first trial and were held for jury.

Odell was on the point of being hanged before the crowd gathered in the courtroom, but his execution was stayed by the order of the better.

While the story as told by Mrs. Odell, her confession, the authorities are still investigating the murder with every resource. If the murder was one of revenge with a sordid sex story to it, the evidence is complete on other motive the two are at present unknown. It is hinted at by Kneip's mother's claim that Kneip wronged her before their marriage was true, but so far the police are unable to check up much.

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**KILLED AT PORT COLBOR**

Walsh was killed while on the elevator at Port Colborne. He was an employee of the Dominion Bridge Co., and was a worker. No one witnessed the accident, but when he was taken to the hospital, the doctor found a wound at the foot of the elevator shaft, which had fallen from between the shaft and the wall, 100 feet. He was 29 years of age and survived by three sisters, one at Dundas and one at St. Catharines, and also one at Port Colborne. An inquest was held on the 13th.

**Youth Who is Wanted Here For Per**

Yesterday afternoon Toronto police and plainclothesmen picked up of suspects, Poole, a restaurant and other places visited with the rest of the men were picked up on the streets. Among them was a young man named Griffin who is wanted by the police on a charge of being a burglar in connection with the Griffin Opera House. This was in connection with the Griffin Opera House. Chief Greene said at noon he was sending over for the man who will probably appear in court on Monday morning.