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PLENTY OF CHALK.

A Block That Was Once as Large as the Continent of Europe.

The small piece of chalk which is in constant use in the schoolroom, the lecture room, the billiard room and the workshop has a strange history, the unraveling of which through all its complexities is one of the most difficult problems with which the science of the present day is called upon to deal. This piece is in reality a chip of an immense block of chalk that once filled an area the size of the continent of Europe and of which even yet several gigantic fragments remain, each hundreds of square miles in extent. These patches are scattered over the region lying between Ireland on the west and China on the east and extend in the other direction from Sweden in the north to Portugal in the south.

In the British Isles the chalk is found in greatest perfection and continuity in the east and southeast of England. A sheet of chalk more than a thousand feet in thickness underlies all that portion of England which is situated in the southeast of the time crossing the island diagonally from the North Sea at Flamborough Head to the coast on the English Channel in Dorset. This enormous sheet of chalk is tilted up slightly on the west, and its depressed eastern portions that dip toward the waters of the North Sea are usually buried from sight by means of overlying sands and clays. While the edges of the chalk floor come upon the sea the cliff scenery is strikingly grand and beautiful. Any one who has once seen the magnificent rocks of Flamborough and Beachy Head, the jagged stacks of the Needles or the dizzy mass of Shakespeare's cliff, near Dover, can understand why the white cliffs of Albion have grown into a stock phrase.

This massive sheet of chalk appears again in France, in many parts of Europe as far east as the Crimea and even in Central Asia beyond the sea of Aral. How far it stretched westward into what is now the Atlantic may never be known, but chalk cliffs of at least 200 feet in thickness are seen at Antrim, in Ireland, and less conspicuous formations are found in Scotland, in Argyll and Aberdeen. There can be little question that all these now isolated patches were once connected in a continuous sheet, which must therefore have occupied a superficial area about 3,000 miles long by nearly 1,000 broad, an extent larger than that of the present continent of Europe.

Unnecessary Hurry.

You have promised, let us say, to call for a friend at his office, so as to go down into the country together. He is a stockbroker, merchant, what you will. His place of business being ten minutes' walk from the station, you call after business hours, about a quarter of an hour before the train starts. You find him cheerfully doing nothing unless a cigarette counts for work. He absolutely declines to start. It is too absurdly early. After five minutes you suggest departure. By no means will he move. He never takes him more than seven minutes at the utmost. Knowing his walking capacities, you doubt, but acquiesce. At last you are off, and halfway to the train he says: "By Jove, old man, we must hurry up. My watch is slow." So you run—ignominiously you run. If luck befriended you, you just catch the moving train, and as you sink perspiring and breathless into your seat he says: "You see, we were in plenty of time. Never missed a train in my life." Plenty of time, indeed! And all this hurry for nothing. If he had been doing anything had a letter to write or the like—in those wasted eight minutes, you could forgive him, but he hadn't, or at all events he didn't. You mop your brow and, though he is your very good friend, remember this with complacency that this "just catching trains leads to many coroners' inquests.—London Saturday Review.

The American Collector.

"Historic Bibles in America" is a very remarkable record of American enterprise. Among these Bibles are volumes that belonged to Charles I., George III., Queen Anne, Prince Henry, son of James I., the Duke of Sussex (Gen.), and Richard III. Will the crown jewels and their way over the Atlantic.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

SONG OF THE PLOUGH.

I'll sing you a song of the plough, deep with my tempered share
I furrow the earth, the rich brown earth, paving the way for spoil.
With joy I bend to my task, guided with sturdy care—
From dawn till dusk I follow the way through loam and fragrant soil.
And I sing as I go my way,
From dawn till the sunset's gold,
And I sleep when the world is gray—
Deep in the morn's enfold.

I come with the lark and thrush, and my good steel shimmers bright,
Steady I turn my furrows deep that fields may grow and wave;
The bread of the world is mine, reared by my strength and might,
And I scatter it wide, from land to land, that all may say a gave.
And I sing as I go my way,
From dawn till the sunset's gold,
And I sleep when the world is gray—
Deep in the morn's enfold.

My share came from the earth, and I'll sing as I cleave,
And I shall cling to its breast forever, to serve my master, man;
And never shall I forsake, and never my master leave,
Till the world and Time are old and gray in this, God's earthly plan.
But I sing as I go my way,
From dawn till the sunset's gold,
And I sleep when the world is gray—
Deep in the morn's enfold.

Canada's Very Own.

John Colin Forbes, R.C.A., whose recent portrait of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman has caused such widespread and favorable comment, is one of Canada's very own artists. Mr. Forbes was born at Toronto in 1846, and educated at Upper Canada College. While still a lad he evinced a liking for sketching and drawing, and one of his first efforts, a drawing of Toronto Bay, took first prize at the Provincial Exhibition in 1866. Soon after this young Forbes went to England, where he studied at the South Kensington Museum and at the Royal Academy. On his return to Canada he was commissioned to paint several portraits of public men, among them the Earl of Dufferin, Sir John A. Macdonald, Sir Charles Tupper, Sir Oliver Mowat, Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, and Hon. Edward Blake. He has also painted a series of Rocky Mountain scenes for the Canadian Pacific Railway. In 1891 Mr. Forbes was sent to England by a number of prominent members of the Canadian Liberal party, and there executed a full-length portrait of Mr. Gladstone, which was afterwards presented to the National Liberal Club of London. His work has won favorable notices from English critics for its refinement and faithfulness.

A GOOD MOTTO.

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THE BERESFORDS.

As a Family They Are Superstitious—Family Ghost Appears Before Lord Delaval's Death in Soo Wreck.

Lord Delaval Beresford's death in the Soo railroad wreck a fortnight ago seems to have been heralded in the customary manner by the appearance of the ghost of the wife of Sir Tristram Beresford at Carraghmore, the ancestral home of the Beresfords and one of the grandest country places in the south of Ireland, writes the Marquis de Fontenay. This ghostly Lady Beresford, arrayed in the dress of the beginning of the eighteenth century, with fair hair and a broad black ribbon tied round the wrist of her left arm, always shows herself when any death or misfortune is about to overtake the house of Beresford.

It is, perhaps, by reason of this that the Beresfords are all so intensely superstitious. Indeed, the present head of the house, Lord Waterford, gave an amusing illustration of this peculiarity on the occasion of the birth of his eldest son and heir, little Lord Tyrone. He owns a fine house in Cavendish square, London, which unfortunately bears the number thirteen, and so alarmed was he lest this unlucky number should cast a blighting influence over the so-called "happy event" that he actually leased for a couple of months another furnished house in the same square, and it was there that the birth of the child took place.

Young Lord Waterford, who is married to a daughter of Lord Lansdowne, has now two boys. After the death of the line of succession to the marquise and estates comes Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, who has no sons, and after him the 10-year old son of the late Lord William Beresford and of his American wife, a daughter of Commodore Cicero Price of the United States.

With regard to the Lady Beresford who always heralds a death in the Beresford family there is a strange story with regard to the black ribbon which her ghost is said to wear at ways on the wrist, and which figures also on her portrait. It seems that she had a romantic affection for the Lord Tyrone of her day, and, filled with doubts and fears as to the value of their religious opinions, they made a solemn promise to one another that whoever of the two died first should, if permitted by the Almighty, appear to the survivor, for the purpose of proving the existence of the Divinity.

Fifteen years later she came down one morning to breakfast looking much agitated, with a black ribbon tied round her wrist. Her husband asked her if she had hurt herself, whereupon she earnestly entreated him not to inquire as to the cause of her wearing it, saying, "You will never see me again while I wear it." Then eagerly and anxiously asked whether any letters had arrived, and on being questioned by her husband, remarked that she expected to hear of Lord Tyrone's death, which, she declared, had taken place the previous Tuesday. Her husband, who was then a young man, was much surprised, but in the afternoon a letter was brought in stating that Lord Tyrone had died Tuesday morning at Dublin. To the amazement of Sir Tristram Beresford, his wife, instead of manifesting grief, showed feelings of relief, and exclaimed, "I can now give you a most satisfactory piece of intelligence. I am going to become a mother. It will be a boy and an heir to your estates." The son was born within the year, and in course of time, inherited not only the title and estates, but, marrying Lord Tyrone's only child and heiress of all the Le Poer property, was created Earl of Tyrone himself, his father-in-law's title being revived in his favor.

Many years afterwards, when on his deathbed, Lady Beresford revealed to her eldest son and to Archbishop William King of Dublin, her spiritual adviser and most intimate friend, the reason for wearing the black ribbon on her wrist. She declared that, on the night preceding the arrival of the announcement of the death of the last of the Le Poer earls of Tyrone he had appeared to her sitting by the side of her bed. On her screaming with fright he exclaimed: "Have you forgotten our promise to each other? I died Tuesday morning, and I have been permitted to appear to you to assure you that the revealed religion is the true and only one by which we can be saved. I am suffering to inform you that you will, seven months hence, become the mother of a son, who will marry my infant heiress, and that you will die in your sixty-eighth year."

Lady Beresford continued: "I begged him for some convincing sign or proof, so that when the morning came I might be able to rely on his appearance had been real, and not merely the phantom of my imagination. He thereupon laid his hand, which was as cold as marble, on my wrist, and where the fingers touched it the sinews shrank up and the nerves withered. 'Now,' said he, 'let no mortal eye while you live ever see that wrist.'"

After Lady Beresford's death, which occurred precisely as had been predicted, in her sixty-eighth year, her eldest son and the archbishop of Dublin untied the black ribbon, and found the wrist precisely as she had described it, with the sinews withered and the sinews shrank, the discovery being placed on written record by both King and Archbishop. Archbishop William King of Dublin and the first of the Beresford Earls of Tyrone.

As for Lord Delaval Beresford, he was the youngest of the brothers of the late marquise, and had practically spent his entire life since the attaining of manhood ranching in Texas, Mexico, and Canada. He visited England occasionally, and formerly held a commission in the army, but had little fondness for the constraints of life in England, preferring the free and untrammelled existence of the Mexican border. His brother, Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, is sailing from England on leave of absence, in order to attend to the liquidation of the dead man's extensive interests on this side of the Atlantic, and incidentally to deal with the claims which have been put forward by Lord Delaval's octoroon housekeeper to his estate, on the plea of being his common law wife, according to Mexican and Texan laws.

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Choosing a Wife.

From Punch, with his celebrated "don't," on through the ethical writers of high and low degree, the number of those who advise on the subject of matrimony is legion. Here is rather a new suggestion from a writer in a recent magazine:

"In selecting a wife always go by the mother of the girl. It is a good rule, and I've never known it yet to fail. There's a good long stretch of future before most people who make up their minds to get married and for a considerable portion of that stretch their wife will be much more like her mother than like herself. It's easy enough to choose a wife so far as the present is concerned, but if you want to know something of your wife for the future you should take her mother into account. When you see a pretty sure thing that she is to be depended upon when she reaches the same age. Long before I was more than aware of the existence of my wife, I thought her mother was one of the loveliest women in the world. I was only a little chap, and she, a do-nothing young man, was, of course, unaware of my devotion; but my allegiance never let its hold, and when I grew up I promptly fell in love with the daughter of the woman I had so long admired."

Editing a Newspaper.

Mr. Rendal Snell, who is laying down the pen as editor of The Marmora Herald for the past eight years, publishes a valedictory in harmony with his editorials of recent years, and in it says of his matter: "I do not know what feeling most people have towards me, but to me life has seemed so wonderful, so divine a thing that I never could hate anyone if I tried. You may rest assured that when I say I like you the word 'like' is not simply giving my opinion, or what you are. Editing a newspaper to me has been no light matter. I do not think the writers of the Bible could have felt a greater call to their souls to tell the truth. This is not saying I may not have made great errors, but I believe this is true of very many newspaper men. Mothers do not love their babes more than we do our paper when it rolls off the press, this notwithstanding its smallness and imperfections."

Treating Wrong Disease.

Many times women call on their family physicians, suffering, as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another from nervous exhaustion, or prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they all present to the physician a mass of symptoms, and only symptoms, and the physician, ignorant of the cause of suffering, encourages this practice until the patient is weary of the doctor, and the doctor is weary of the patient. The patient gets no better, but probably worse, by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications. A proper medicine, like Pierce's Favorite Prescription, directed to the cause, would have entirely removed the disease, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms, and restoring comfort, instead of prolonging misery. It has been well said, that "a disease known is half cured."

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CHURCHES

HOURS OF SERVICE

The services in all the churches in the city are held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., except the following:—
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.
St. Joseph's R. C.—7.30; 9.00; 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.
First Baptist—11 and 7.30.
Union A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.

NOTICE TO PASTORS.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matters received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

INTERNATIONAL S. S. LESSON FOR TO-MORROW.

The Story of Cain and Abel—Gen. 4, 2-15. Study the chapter.

Golden Text—Whoever hateth his brother is a murderer—1 John, 3, 15.

In this lesson God gives us an account of the first death, a man hated without a cause, murdered and martyred by his own brother for his religion. Abel was a man of God, Cain was on the evil one, see 7, John, 3, 12. Cain, as Adam's eldest son, would rule the rest; both brothers are believers in God, have a religion of different kind, V. 3—Cain being a farmer brings an offering of fruit.

V. 4—Abel, a shepherd, offers the best and fattest of the firstlings of his flock.
Cain had only an outward form of worship; Abel a broken and a contrite heart. The Lord had respect unto Abel and his offering; but unto Cain and his offering he had not respect.

Satan stirs Cain to envy, hatred, malice, and finally murder, because his works were evil and his brother's righteous. Satan hates true religion that worships God through the shed blood; a sinner's covenant with God made with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sin. See Heb. 11, 4. Cain's offering was a sacrifice of the wicked, which is an abomination to God—Prov. 15, 8.

We can't be right with God and wrong our brother. See Matt. 5, 24. As they talked together about their religious differences, Cain got mad, and when alone in the field, slew Abel. People will get hot over religion quicker than anything else, and our anger is a sure sign we are wrong; true religion doesn't get angry, for it is the love of God and man.

Cain's answer to God is insulting and gives him time for repentance. Cain evidently had more faith in God's mercy than man's; he feared the wrath of God, but he feared the wrath of man less. He was a fugitive and a wanderer, sending him forth as a marked man, yet he protected him from the vengeance of his fellows, and we hope the goodness of God led him to repent.

Which of these two men do we resemble?

CHURCH NOTES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, pastor. The pastor will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Septagesima Sunday.

Rev. Robt. McCosh, rector, will conduct the services and occupy the pulpit on both occasions to-morrow. He will be assisted by Rev. W. H. Colles.

Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Holy Communion will be administered the first Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock a. m. and on the third Sunday early celebration at half-past eight.

ST. ANDREW'S.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. J. R. Battisby, will conduct both services to-morrow.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning service to-morrow.

HOLY TRINITY.

Septagesima Sunday.

Rev. Edward Settle, Morphet, will preach on both occasions to-morrow. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. to-morrow.

Holy communion on the first Sunday in the month at 11 a. m. and the third Sunday at 8 a. m.

Baptism any Sunday at 4 p. m. when previous notice has been given.

PARK ST. METHODIST.

Rev. W. L. Rutledge, pastor.

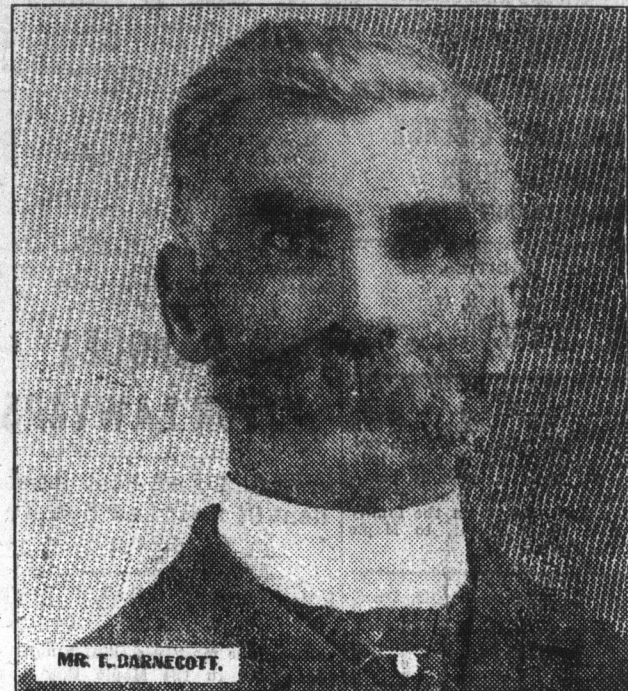
The Rev. A. J. Langford, of Dresden, will preach morning and evening.

Christian fellowship meeting to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, in S. S. Hall.

Sunday School and Bible Class to-morrow at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday evening at 8.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS LA GRIPPE PE-RU-NA RECOMMENDED.



A WELL-KNOWN BUSINESS MAN AND AN OLD RESIDENT OF AYLMER GIVES HIS EXPERIENCE WITH THE USE OF PERUNA AS A CURATIVE AND PREVENTIVE OF LA GRIPPE AND COLDS.

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WILLIAM ST. BAPTIST.

Rev. Mr. Soergell, of Strathroy, will occupy the pulpit in the William street Baptist church next Sunday.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Prayer meeting to-morrow morning at 10.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

VICTORIA AVE METHODIST.

Rev. F. E. Mallet, B. A., B. D., pastor.

Classes meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock and 12 noon.

The pastor will preach in the morning on "Things Secret and Things Revealed," evening theme, "How I Got on in the World."

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Services will be conducted to-morrow as usual.

Religious Society every Sunday evening at 8.15.

Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Prayer service to-morrow at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer service on Wednesday evening at eight. Question box at the door.

SALVATION ARMY.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m. meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m.

Christian fellowship meeting at 3 p. m., soul-winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

CAMTBELL A. M. E.

The pastor, Rev. Wm. Clark, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Sunday School at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

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W. T. Nickerson, pastor. Services will be held as usual to-morrow.

Sabbath School at 12.30.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

B. M. E.

Services will be held to-morrow at the usual hours.

A. U. M. E.

Services will be held as usual to-morrow, the pastor, Rev. C. M. Walker, preaching both morning and evening.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 8.

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