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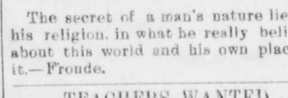
Most touching was the appeal made in St. Joseph's church, Ottawa, on the last Sunday in November, by the venerable Bishop Grignon of Athabasca, for his poverty-stricken missions of the far North. As the aged prelate spoke, in simple and affecting language of his own labors, which all too evidently he minimized, and of those of his fellow missionaries, the thought was uppermost in every mind of the fifty years during which that holy evangelist had been carrying the message of the gospel, and enduring hardships, privations and trials unpeppered, while the greater number even of professing Catholics sat at home and could scarcely be persuaded to contribute a pittance towards missionary work.

AN APOSTLE OF THE NORTH

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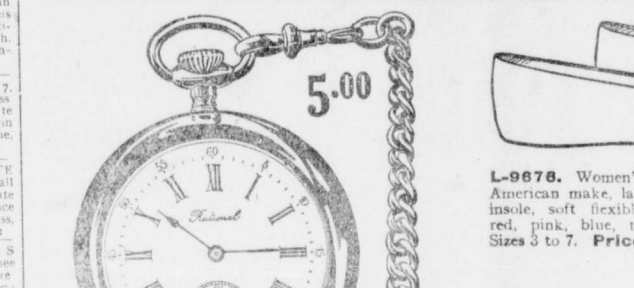
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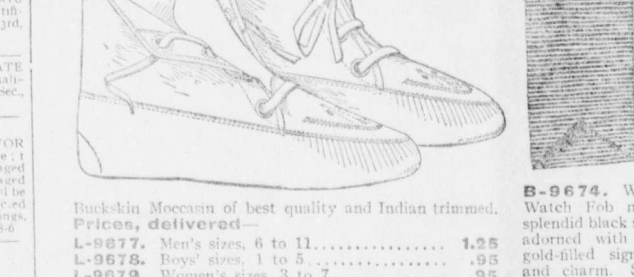
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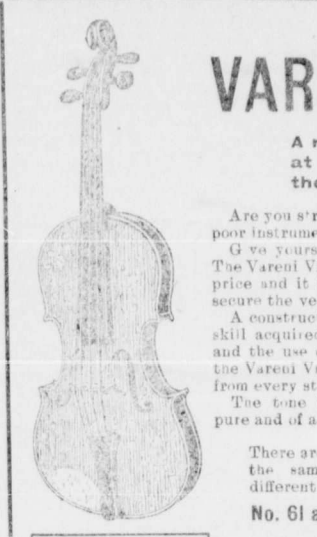
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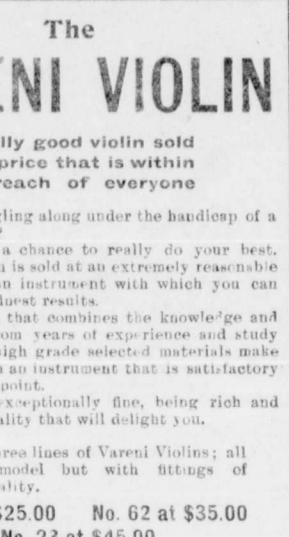
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