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District Doings

RICHMOND.

The choir from Chalmers assisted in the services on Sunday last.

Miss McAllister is visiting her sister, Mrs. Urquhart.

Mr. Clark, of Bear Creek, was visiting friends in this vicinity on Sunday last.

Mr. Thomas Loney is reading the story in The Planet and reports it a good story. He thinks The Planet a No. 1 paper and thinks he could not get along without it.

Communion will take place at New St. Andrew's on Sunday next; service at 11 a. m.

The Ladies Aid and Willing Workers of New St. Andrew's intend to

have a garden party at New St. Andrew's church on the 28th inst. A good program is being prepared. Refreshments will be served on the grounds. A football match between Oungah and Mitchell's Bay will no doubt make a very interesting game.

The electric storm that passed through here on Sunday was fierce, but not much rain.

The crops look beautiful, especially the wheat. If nothing happens to the wheat it will be a record breaker.

The Chatham, Wallaceburg & Lake Erie Railway is making its way out Baldwin street very rapidly. It looks fine by way of improvement.

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ABSENCE OF RECIPROCITY.

This is What is Wrong With Modern Society According to the Novelist Mme. Sarah Grand.

Mme Sarah Grand, the novelist writes:

The idea in the air at the present time is that the more complex life becomes the less pleasant; that in the making of more machines is no lasting joy; that our vaunted progress has been in our manufactures only, and that individuals are neither better nor happier, but rather worse and more miserable than they ever were.

We advance in a spiral; culmination of excess. We have carnage in excess, poverty in excess, riches in excess, philanthropy in excess (some only), callousness in excess for sure; pretentiousness and vulgarity—every thing in excess but the one thing most desirable, and that, it would seem has suffered blight in this atmosphere reeking with excesses. There is no excess of happiness. Greatness also if it be still with us, travels in disguise and is mistaken for more centrality. It is mediocrity, for the most part, that has all its own way. We have no Titans now in literature, in art, in music or in any of the happy influences of life. War, the dirty work of the world, call forth only such strength as is necessary to do the dirty work. Mediocrity in politics, poisons altruism and keeps men crouching, ready to spring at each other's throats. Religion is being degraded in a profitable commercial onterprise.

All this must be stopped some say. And some say, How? The sin 'is life! But what constitutes the simple life? The phrase means to the imagination of many of us great discomfort—unnecessary privation, work done ill by us which others might with profit to themselves be doing well, and all that contracts instead of expanding our hearts and our higher nature. A simple life which finds expression in surrounding of the mind with refinement, in garments not immaculate, in manners that are an offense and in the absence of all that makes for beauty is not simple at all, but ugly.

There is nothing morally wrong in a miserable cottage and no collars, but the choice, when it is not a necessity, is apt to set up a sense of superiority which is a great principle inordinate conceit. People may, with a fine affectation of simplicity, be all pretension and pose.

The test of a principle is, does it make for happiness? Not the happiness of the individual, but the general good. The one includes the other, of course, but this is not always evident, and there are in consequence numbers who, rejecting the great principle, regulate their conduct by a petty theory which promises them some personal advantage—at the expense of others as a rule. Self interest governs the world; individuals only are disinterested. The self interested do not as a whole, but in little sections, each little section being in relation to their own little selves and not to humanity at large, and they suffer for their narrowness in that the course they pursue does not result in the happiness they had anticipated. Life is a growing fabric into which each individual should be helping to weave a portion of one beautiful design.

It is the absence of reciprocity that makes life such a dull business. Tea parties, garden parties, dinners, almost our only openings for social intercourse—everybody jeers at them, everybody goes to them, and suffers an exposition of dullness. Why? Because the desire to please is absent from the minds of most of the people we meet. Go to an entertainment and ask yourself afterward why you have or have not enjoyed it, and you will find the reason in the attitude of the people present toward you. You may take plenty of diverting conversation yourself and come away with it all on your hands, because the atmosphere for some reason or other was charged with antagonism. Or you may, if you are a person of consequence, come away with the flattering sense of having been a social success because people thought it worth their while to pay you great attention. But seldom in society as it is at present constituted do people's hearts expand to each other in the genial glow of a mutual desire to please.

We all of us know all about the simple life. In the song it is asserted that the lark said, "Give us glory," but the dove said, "Give us peace." The dove, however, indignantly repudiated this assertion. She declared that what she did say was, "Give love, and give us peace." And there is much to be said for the dove's contention.

But after all it is what we have in ourselves that decides it. If we cultivate right thinking, right speaking and right doing, all other matters will arrange themselves in the right way.

An Exhibition Relic.

Manager Orr has received a copy in massive frame of a diploma issued by the Toronto Exhibition of 1850. In the centre is the rim of a medal very artistically engraved, surmounted in a division at the top by the Royal Coat of Arms. Inscribed in the inside of the rim is "Presented by the Citizens of Toronto to the County of York, and the Toronto Mechanics Institute, to John Thomas Smith, for specimens of copper and silver ore, exhibited at the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, 1850, in connection with the exhibition of the industry of all nations in London, 1851." At the foot is the crest of the city, and outside that again, and below the rim, the seals of the city, George W. Smith, Mayor, of the Mechanics Institute, Incorporated 1847, Henry Croft, president, and of the County of York, Franklin Jackson, warden. The whole is signed by Thomas Wheeler, secretary.

His View of Bernhardt.

Of all the stories told of the extreme slenderness of Mme. Sarah Bernhardt the following probably caps the climax? Two Boston men were talking about the famous actress during her last visit to this country when one of them asked the other if he would like to see her. "Yes," was his friend's delighted reply. "Well, wait past that coupe and look in and you'll see her." The other did as directed and then came back looking disappointed. "Didn't you see her?" inquired his friend. "I looked in and saw nothing." "Well, that's she!"

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Miss Ethel Glover has returned home, after a week's visit in the Maple City.

A number of young people from here went on a boat excursion last Thursday evening. All report a good time.

Rev. A. I. Brown and wife have returned home, after attending the golden wedding of his father and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson and daughter, Irene, are spending a few days in Detroit.

Gordon Stewart, teacher of S. S. No. 11, is on the sick list again.

Misses Luck and Clara McMath are spending their holidays at the residence of James Wemp.

Miss Grace Jackson is visiting in Wallaceburg.

Miss Flo Belle Jackson entertains a few friends to ice cream on Saturday evening.

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