

## That Son-in-Law of Pa's—By Wellington

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## Canada Invites Guests and Then Refuses Accommodation For Them When They Arrive

In the matter of immigration, we (in Canada) are in the position of a person who has invited guests and, when they arrive at her house, says to them: "I am very sorry, we have no room for you but if you will pitch a tent on the lawn until I prepare a guest room, I shall be delighted to have you." We are in the position of inviting people to come to Canada for whom there is no provision of homes.

The sting of this indictment lies in its truth, as demonstrated by the accompanying illustration and the facts cited below. It is futile to argue that these immigrants should look after themselves. We cannot expect them to lay sewers and plan streets, nor to refuse to live in unsanitary houses, when the only alternative is to do without shelter entirely.

Forethought by those responsible for the oversight of growing towns, is always needed; it is particularly needful in a country where communities are expanding from hamlet town, and from town to city within a decade. Our civic fathers, boards of trade, etc. do devote much forethought to the growth of our cities, but not often of the right kind. The rapidity of the expansion is the only thing considered. To induce industries to locate in their cities, they grant bonuses, tax exemptions, free land sites, and various other gifts and privileges to manufacturers, railroad companies and others, but give no attention to the poor workers who are to work in

the factories and shops and who will become the future citizens. The accompanying data as to the congestion in the foreign quarters of some of our Canadian cities were collected by Mr. Bruce M. Stewart, M.A., under the auspices of the Canadian Presbyterian board of social and moral reform. The figures and diagrams speak for themselves, and need no comment.

27 Families	
Married men	24
Married women	24
Children	79
Widows	1
Single women	1
Single men	1
Boarders	126

Total ..... 257  
"Here wages are lower than in the west, and fewer immigrant families own their houses. In this block two-thirds of the families rented. In the blocks surveyed in Port William, Ont., two-thirds were owners. The average rent paid by the 13 families was \$11.04 per month. The houses were of many varieties:

Double houses	4
Five-family houses	1
Three-family houses	1
One-family houses (2 shacks)	9
One-family houses, with stores	4

Houses occupied	19
Houses vacant	3
Total	22

"There were 144 rooms and 11 inside toilets. Nearly all had water connection. The average number of persons per house was 13.5 and an average of 9 in each apartment."

## Will Not Seize Britisher's Ranch

EL PASO, March 11.—The order of confiscation against the ranch of General W. B. Symman, a British subject of Chihuahua, was revoked yesterday by General Villa. The news was received in a telegram from Calvert G. Scobell, British vice-consul at Chihuahua, to a son of General Symman in this city.

The commission appointed by General Carranza to investigate the killing of Wm. S. Benton is still in Juarez and has never been away. At Chihuahua and at the constitutionalist consulate here last Saturday it was stated that the commission had gone to Chihuahua, where Benton's body is said to be buried.

When General Frauste, head of the

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Police statistics show that married men are less given to disorderly conduct than bachelors. They have learned the futility of it, in other words.

## DIES POOR WHILE FIGHT GOES ON

Clergyman's Patent Worth Millions, Yet He Realized Little.

NEW YORK, March 11.—A decision upholding the patent claims of the Rev. Hannibal B. Goodwin against the Eastman Kodak Company of Rochester, involving millions of dollars in royalties, was given by the Court of Appeals here to-day, Judge John R. Hazel giving the opinion. The decision says that the Rev. Hannibal B. Goodwin is undoubtedly the inventor and entitled to all the benefits of basic patent on photographic films. The case will be taken to the Supreme Court of the United States. Goodwin died more than 13 years ago, a poor man.

For many years Mr. Goodwin was rector of the Episcopal House of Prayer, at Newark, N. J. He was fond of dabbling in photography and was an amateur chemist. In 1887 he discovered a process for making photographic films and applied for a patent. The Eastman Company contested his claims and it was not until 1898 that the patent was used. A suit against the Eastman Company was instituted in December, 1900. Mr. Goodwin died while his suit was still pending. The litigation was carried on by the heirs. The lower courts upheld his contentions and the company appealed.

## CROWN MADE BARGAIN IN KRAFCHEKNO CASE

A Promise of Immunity to John Buxton, Jun.

Arrangement Admitted—Some Startling Testimony Given in the Trial of Two Men Charged With Complicity in the Escape of a Murderer.

WINNIPEG, March 11.—The trial of Percy E. Hazel and John Westlake for complicity in the escape of Krafchenko, charged with murder and who was afterwards recaptured, opened yesterday afternoon at the court house here before Mr. Justice Curran. Several new and important points were brought out in cross-examination during the afternoon, the principal one being the statement by Deputy Chief of Police Newton, under cross-examination of R. A. Borden, K.C., counsel for Hazel, that J. H. Buxton, Jr., had been promised "consideration" if he would reveal the whereabouts of Krafchenko. Newton admitted further that Deputy Crown Attorney Allen and others were present when this immunity was promised, and that the Attorney General himself had been consulted. The admission of the deputy chief, Mr. Borden, to remark, "And Manitoba has come down to this: that a man can buy his liberty."

Mr. Anderson, K.C., Crown Prosec-



"Most everyone has got the craze to dance the tango these here days. But I don't care for it," said Bob just after rising from a flop.

## LANGFORD

(From our own Correspondent)

Rev. Mr. Cook had charge of the services on Sunday morning, but there were not many out on account of so many having colds and whooping cough.

All enjoyed the entertainment of Brant Church last Wednesday evening given by the Laurie Bro. of Hamilton. Miss Hyde returned to her home in the city after spending nearly two weeks the guest of Mrs. James W. Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Flanders were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lampkin.

Miss Gladys Mulligan entertained a lady friend on Sunday.

Mrs. Roberts is somewhat improved after having had the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Flanders spent one day last week with Mrs. M. E. Vanderlip.

Mr. Haley has a bee drawing hay to the car on Wednesday. They had something over two hundred ton pressed.

Several from around here attended the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Madison Wilson last Friday evening.

## NORTHFIELD CENTRE

(From our own correspondent.)

The semi-annual tea which was held at Mrs. W. McCormack's last Thursday was well attended.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Smith met at their home last Wednesday night after spending the evening in music and games, presented them with a beautiful china casket.

Mr. and Mrs. Tanger of Buffalo, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Arthur.

The Misses Pearl and Addie Bowman of Paris spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Sanford Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neil spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Mordue of Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Swift, spent a few days of last week with friends in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Armour spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. Armour, who is under the doctor's care.

## SCOTLAND

(From our own correspondent.)

We are very sorry to report the sudden death of one of our eldest residents in the person of Mrs. William Malcolm on Thursday night. The funeral took place on Sunday to the Scotland burying ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stuart are moving to the village.

Mrs. James Mitchiner is spending a few days visiting friends at St. George. A number from here took in the concert held at the new school south of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs who have been spending the winter visiting in Washington, D. C., have returned to the village.

The young people are busy practicing for the entertainment on Wednesday night in aid of the Public Library.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kelly spent a few days with the latter's mother before moving to Hamilton.

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## KELVIN

(From our own correspondent.)

Mr. and Mrs. C. Munn, entertained some of their relatives on Sunday evening.

Mr. Page also Mr. Cleaver of MT. Vernon were in this place on business one day last week.

Mrs. Joseph Colwell spent Thursday at Cedar Lawn.

Miss Maggie Almas entertained some of her relatives on Friday last.

Rev. Mr. Freeman was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Crabb on Tuesday.

The Ladies Aid propose holding a concert in the very near future.

Mr. T. Colwell is very poorly indeed; we hope for his speedy recovery.

A number of relatives and friends were entertained on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wilcox.

A number around here are making preparations for tapping their sugar maples.

Mr. and Mrs. William Almas, are spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Hamilton, Grimsby, Beamsville and Silverdale Station.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Miler were calling on some of their friends one day last week.

When a married man keeps a lot of ready-made excuses on tap his marriage is something of a failure.

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