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JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

Mr. L. Barnard and Miss E. Barnard, of Nilestown, both have the grip.

Seeding is somewhat late around Nilestown, but the farmers are beginning to push forth now.

A meeting of the directors of the Dorchester cheese factory was held at Dorchester on Monday evening, April 24, at which it was decided to call a meeting of the patrons on Wednesday, May 3, at 7:30 p.m., at the factory, to appoint an auditor.

Barriester A. Grant, acting for Wm. Clark, of South Dorchester, has issued a writ in an action for damages against John Pierson, of the same township. The plaintiff charges that the defendant caused him damages by alienating the affections of his wife, who is 40 years of age. He alleges that defendant induced his wife to leave him and go to Aylmer. While there she had a lively rig, had a gay old time, damaged the rig badly, was arrested and brought before Police Magistrate Macdormid, of Aylmer, and fined and ordered to pay damages or go to jail. She was released. The amount of damages sought is not stated in the writ.

GLEN OAK.

Glen Oak, April 25.—The land is in excellent condition to work, and everyone is busy seeding. The fall wheat may be only half a crop; it needs rain badly. There is a large area of cloverseeded. It is splendid weather for work of all kinds.

DELAWARE.

Delaware, April 26.—Mr. Charles A. Revell, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. W. Arthur, left last week to take charge of a large skimming station, which the St. Marys Creamery Company are erecting on the farm of John Sinclair, near Devizes. Mr. Revell is a practical dairyman, having been engaged in the business for a number of years. He learned the art of butter making under the instruction of Prof. C. C. McDonald, dairy commissioner of Manitoba, while in Regina, N. W. T.

The German measles epidemic, which has been prevailing here for some time, seems to be abating, probably owing to the lack of new subjects. Nearly every family in the community has had them, and some very severe cases have been reported among the old people.

Rev. Mr. Moyer is improving slowly and is expected to be around again in a few days.

"I go a-fishing" seems to be the passion with everybody here now. Large numbers of fish are being caught in the river, owing to the break in the Cashmere dam, which has allowed them to come up stream.

Spring work is progressing very rapidly, some having finished their seeding already. Rain is needed very much to start the wheat and clover growing.

Messrs. T. Spettigue and Watson, of London, are expected to address the



TALKING ABOUT THE EXODUS

Opposition Politicians Trying to Raise a Scare.

But Canada Is Getting More Population Than She Is Losing.

The Incorporation of Benevolent Societies Made Easter—Insurance Companies Reserve Fund—The Oil Duty Again.

Ottawa, April 27.—In the house yesterday, a question by Mr. McAlister (Restigouche) afforded the minister of the interior an opportunity to give a denial to the statements which have appeared in various newspapers recently of the alleged exodus of large numbers of Canadians to the United States. Mr. Sifton said that the information in the possession of the government is that there is no foundation for the reports. On the other hand, the government has definite information that thousands of Canadians who had gone to the United States in past years came back to reside in Canada last year, and thousands more intend coming back this summer.

The minister of finance introduced two government measures, one to simplify the process of incorporation of benevolent societies, and the other lowering the rate of interest in calculations made in connection with the reserve fund of insurance companies from 4½ to 3½ per cent. This rate is intended to apply to new business after Jan. 1, next, and will not affect existing business until a period of some seven years has elapsed. In relation to the power of investment of various companies, that matter has been dealt with by separate bills, and the power of investment varies with different companies.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

The finance minister also introduced a bill, entitled, "an act respecting the incorporation of benevolent societies." Benevolent societies, incorporated under the laws of the several provinces, frequently came to parliament, he explained, for Dominion legislation, and the question of the powers which should be given them, promoters of one bill accepted the standard of safety fixed by the authorities of the finance department, and the bill passed. Another bill, with a less standard of safety, after passing the commons, was thrown out in the upper house. It was therefore proposed to take the provisions of the proposed act, and by complying with its requirements, obtain such incorporation, somewhat after the manner of letters patent, and without special legislation.

Both bills were read a first time and will be referred to the committee on banking and commerce.

THE "EXODUS."

Mr. McAlister inquired if the attention of the government had been drawn to several dispatches in the St. John Sun from places in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia noting the departure of scores of people for the United States.

In reply, Mr. Sifton made a speech, in which he said the telegrams appeared to him to be manufactured for political rather than news purposes. But he read an extract from the Toronto Mail and Empire, in which the statement was made that "Canadians are not now going in any numbers to the United States."

THE TOBACCO DUTIES.

Mr. Cowan (Lib., Essex) quoted a paragraph from a newspaper, stating that the government had given the Tobacco Association of Essex to understand that no change would be made in the tobacco duties or regulations during the present year.

Mr. Fielding said no such announcement could be made before the budget.

YUKON SURVEYS.

Col. Hughes asked about the survey by Messrs. Dibble and Dupont from Edmonton towards the Yukon last summer, and especially if the government was "aware that one or both of the gentlemen named was lost for some weeks."

Mr. Sifton replied that Mr. Dibble was to commence operations near the mouth of the Parsnip and Omenequa Rivers and work westward. Mr. Dupont was to start from the same place and work east to Edmonton. The government was not aware that either was lost for some weeks. The

government has Mr. Dupont's field notes, but not Mr. Dibble's.

COAL OIL DUTIES.

Mr. Moore (Conservative, Stenstead) moved the following resolution: "That in the opinion of this house, it would be in the interest of the farming and laboring classes, and the country generally, to reduce the duty upon coal oil for illuminating and manufacturing purposes. That it would also be in the interest of the consumers of coal oil, for lighting or manufacturing purposes, to permit its storage in tanks and its distribution therefrom, and also from suitable vehicles, to dealers and consumers, thus saving to the latter the cost of barrels and coopers, and to take such means as may be deemed necessary to protect the Canadian people from the evil effects of trusts, combines and monopolies upon this important industry." Speaking to his motion, the mover said both parties had given greater protection to coal oil than consideration to the interests of the consumer justified. Oil, he said, which sold in the United States for 10 cents, cost 25 cents in Canada. By allowing distribution in tank wagons the cost would be reduced about 3 cents a gallon, while if the privilege were allowed to dealers in Canadian oil, only the duty could be reduced. He quoted figures to show that the duty was most oppressive.

Mr. Beattie, who moved the adjournment of the debate, contradicted the assertions of Mr. Moore. Messrs. Rogers (Falcon), Oliver and Richardson supported the resolution. The finance minister supported the motion for adjournment of the debate, and the minister of inland revenue pointed out the objections, from the consumers' standpoint, of the tank wagon distribution.

Mr. Clancy criticised the regulations, and pointed to the fact that the reduction in the duty had not reduced the price of oil.

Mr. Clarke Wallace contended that by controlling the refineries, the Standard Oil people controlled the output of coal oil, and for this he blamed the government. Mr. McInnis moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Naturalization Act, the purpose of which is to make it more difficult for Chinese and Japanese to become naturalized, and thus obtain fishing licenses in British Columbia.

The objection being raised that the proposed amendment would render the naturalization law too complex, the bill was temporarily shelved by adjournment of the debate, on motion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Mr. Britton's bill, "respecting certain works constructed over navigable waters," was read a third time and passed.

IN THE SENATE.

In the senate, Messrs. Perley and Boulton spoke of the reports of the large exodus from the Maritime Provinces to the United States, the former attacking the class of European immigrants brought into the country.

Senator Mills said he was not surprised at the two speeches on this subject, though they were the last that might be expected from two senators from the Northwest. Both speeches were unworthy of the senators who had delivered them. He wanted to know what right either of the senators had to criticize the immigrants of Europe. The new settlers brought out by the government had been members of the Roman Catholic Church for over a thousand years, and yet they were characterized as barbarians. He would like to know how the government was going to keep out the class of the Maritime Provinces in Canada who wished to leave. Did they want the government to issue grants to detain them? Both Senators Perley and Boulton, he feared, were actuated more by political motives than from any desire for the public welfare.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell moved the adjournment of the house, and congratulated Senators Perley and Boulton on having aroused the ire of the minister of justice. The minister often spoke at random, and he had done so in his reference to immigration. There had been a wonderful change in Mr. Mills' opinion since the days when he declared that the National Policy was driving the people out of the country. He quoted from returns to show that Mr. Mills' statement regarding the increase in immigration during the last three years was not fair.

Senator Mills said that Sir Mackenzie's quotation did not justify his strictures on the government. They did not show the number of people who had crossed the border, while the census returns had shown that during the regime of the late government there were 100,000 less people in the country than the minister of agriculture at that time had claimed there were. He alluded to the great increase in the population of British Columbia during the past three years. Then there was a city with a population of 30,000, that had sprung into existence within the past two years.



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The second statue is one that was set up by King Usertesen I., in honor of his father, back in the days of Amenhotep. On the lap of this effigy is a slab, upon which are carved inscriptions, proving the antiquity of the work. Accompanying M. Legrain when he made the discovery was Charles M. Crawford, corresponding secretary of the Chicago Society of Egyptian Research, who is touring Egypt in the interest of the society he represents.

AWFUL CRIME

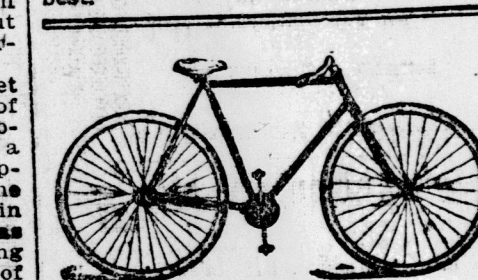
A Widow and Her Four Children Murdered—Boy Drowned While Bathing.

St. Louis, Mo., April 27.—A special from Malheur, in Southeastern Missouri, says Mrs. Jane Tuttleton, widow of Wash Tuttleton, a prominent man of that section, and her four children were murdered last night. The bodies were completely incinerated in the murderer's home, which was set on fire by the murderer, J. H. Tuttleton, a son of Wash Tuttleton by his first wife, is under arrest for the crime. A dispute over the division of some property is said to be the cause of the crime.

BATHER DROWNED. Fresherton, Ont., April 27.—Yesterday afternoon, while some boys were

bathing in a pond near here, Thomas McAuley, eldest son of Andrew McAuley, cattle dealer, was drowned. SUDDEN DEATH AT CHATHAM. Chatham, Ont., April 27.—William Palling, of Chatham township, died suddenly on Tuesday. He was seen on the streets a few days ago looking as well as ever, and the sudden ending of his life was very unexpected.

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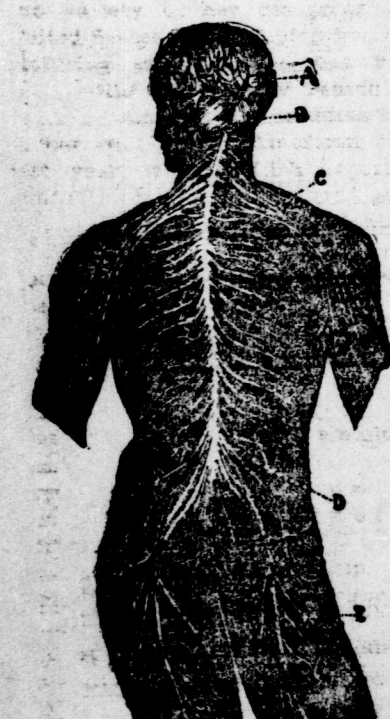
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