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September 8

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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Young Man Believed to Be Missing

W. H. Bradford Seen at the Junction.

YOUTH ON DOWNWARD GRADE

Seat to the Industrial School—Two New Residences in Course of Erection.

Toronto Junction, Sept. 7.—A young man answering the description of William H. Bradford, who has been missing from his home on Gerrard street for three weeks, was seen in town about noon-to-day.

His toes were sticking out of his tan boots, and he was singing and talking to himself as if a free and easy life was a pleasure to him.

He appeared to be moving in the direction of the city, and is probably returning home. Bradford left his bed about 3 o'clock in the morning on Aug. 21, and, dressing himself, went out into the night without any money.

He has been traced to Orangeville and back to Islington and Lambton Mills, sleeping out at night and living on fruit. He is 22 years of age, has a sandy mustache and side whiskers. His eyes are dark, and he is 5 feet 8 inches tall. He wears brown clothes and a narrow rimmed straw hat.

John Riley, a youth about 16 years of age, was taken to Mimico Industrial School Saturday. Riley is one of those boys who come to the school by playing truant from school.

About two years ago he stole some shoes and other things from the store of Powell's shoe store. For this he was sent to Mimico school for three years, but after he had been there a year, and upon the pleadings of his parents, he was allowed out on probation.

He has been out for a year, but lately would not stay in any employment. He commenced to learn barbering, but left that and has been beating his way about the country in box cars.

Last week he stole between \$5 and \$10 from his father and mother, and he was largely instrumental in having him returned to the school.

Nathan Clarke of Orangeville is in town attending the Exhibition yesterday. He purpose being a resident, and will build a home for himself on Willowby-avenue.

Two very pretty residences are in course of erection in the southeast part of the town. That of Miss Windset, a well-known Toronto artist, will be a handsome structure, and is presently situated in a romantic spot overlooking the Indian River.

Cards have been sent out for the wedding of Miss Gertrude, eldest daughter of G. Davidson, Lachine, to Richard Maclean Charron, formerly of Toronto Junction. The wedding takes place at Montreal on Sept. 10.

Autora's rate this year will be 24 mills on the dollar. This rate is higher than last year's and is incurred by the smallpox outbreak and the low costs with Markham.

The complete works of E. P. Roe and Augusta J. Evans Wilson will be added to the Public Library.

The members of the Royal Templars attended divine service at the Methodist Church on Sunday evening. Rev. R. J. Fallis preached.

Markham. Timothy Phelan of Cedar Grove cut fifteen acres of wheat in nine hours. Markham High and Public Schools have reopened with a large attendance, and the authorities are pleased.

The death of Jacob Miller removes an old and highly respected citizen. Mr. Miller was 84 years of age and had spent the whole of his life in Markham, principally on the 21st con. He was a member of the Baptist Church, and a devoted husband and father. The funeral service was performed by the Rev. Mr. Booker.

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After a five years course of study in Leipzig, Miss Letitia A. returned to her home in Markham. She was appointed teacher in French and German at Monton Ladies' College.

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PROTEST AGAINST CRIMES ACT

John Redmond Declares Proclamation an Outrage at Meeting in Dublin.

IT WILL PUT END TO FLUNKYISM

Demonstration to Be Held in Phoenix Park on September 14.

Dublin, Sept. 7.—At the public meeting held here to-day, which was convened by a group of absent landlords, the Lord Mayor of Dublin protested against the recent proclamation of the Crimes Act in five Irish counties, it was resolved to hold a demonstration in Phoenix Park, on Sept. 14. The voting of this resolution was received with shouts of "We shall be bludgeoned, as in 1801!"

Mr. John Dillon, leader of the Irish party in the House of Commons and chairman of the United Irish League, denounced the proclamation of the Crimes Act as a gross and wicked outrage, issued at the whim of a despot and a group of absent landlords.

"That proclamation is a lie," said Mr. Redmond. "In the whole civilized world there is no city so free from crime as Dublin."

The only way to meet this proclamation, he said, was to make the political situation in Ireland too hot for these men. Let them create free agitation and Dublin will rise up as one man to join the United Irish League and make Irish misrule as the League has made it twenty years ago.

Mr. Dillon, National member of the House of Commons, approved the proposals made by Mr. Redmond.

He said that the proclamation was an outrage and a gross insult to the nation, and that it was a gross and wicked outrage, issued at the whim of a despot and a group of absent landlords.

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THE DEATH RATE ALSO REDUCED

More Immigration, Less Emigration—Similarity to Condition in France.

London, Sept. 7.—If an Englishman were told that the social fabric of his country was coming to resemble that of France more than any other European nation he would be disposed to be incredulous. Yet that this is so in important features is clearly shown in a new analysis just issued of the returns of England at the end of the century. These show that it is becoming more and more a country from which the population does not emigrate, a country whose population in the large cities shows an increasing percentage of other nationalities and a country whose age of marriage is becoming older and its birth rate lower.

The loss in population by emigration during the last decade over immigration amounted to only 9,000, whereas in the previous decade it had been 600,000. The present diminution of population from this cause is less than it has been for forty years. On the other hand, the annual immigration of Russian Jews, Poles, Belgians and Germans is on the increase.

The figures also show that the excess of births over deaths in the last decade were nearly 500,000 less than if the rate during the previous period had been maintained. The effect of both these conditions would be much more marked were it not for the decline in the birth rate, which has fallen steadily from 23.75 per 1000 annually to 18.18 in the last half century. The birth rate thirty years ago showed that 38 children were born for every 1000 living, while the last census shows a rate of 13.57.

Where the figures for England are more satisfactory than those of France is in the latter's inability to reduce its death rate. The French birth rate in 1900 was 22.4, and the mortality practically where it did five years ago. It has increased by 30,000, of whom 300,000 are in Paris in a neighborhood populated by 2,000,000, and other foreigners. In the same five years Germany added 4,000,000 and Russia 6,000,000 to her population.

Fifty years ago France was second in population among the great civilized states of the world, with about equal to Germany and ahead of England, Austria, the United States and Italy. Now she has been passed by all except Italy, who is rapidly gaining on her.

FALL FAIRS.

Berlin Industrial and Agricultural Exhibition and Opening of Sugar Refinery. Oct. 2 and 3

Arthur Oct. 12

Avenue Oct. 7-8

Belgrade Oct. 1-2

Bombay Oct. 1-12

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