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Gloom comes over the home when sickness enters the door. The situation is made serious when it is the head of the house, the bread-winner, who has been laid low, on whom mother, on whom rest so great responsibilities, is assailed by disease. Can we fully understand what it means to the home when father and mother are both together stricken with sickness? This was the case a short time since in the family of Mr. S. Phillips, the well-known grocer of Wiarton, Ont. Mr. Phillips had suffered for years with dyspepsia, and was constantly under doctors' treatment, his case only becoming worse as the months passed by. Unfortunately for the happiness of the family, Mrs. Phillips was likewise an invalid, a great sufferer from stomach troubles. Last summer Mr. Phillips' case became worse. As he says himself, he was very low, and having tried the regular methods of recovery, both through the medium of his physicians and various proprietary medicines, it was a vexed problem what to do next. Nervine was suggested. He secured a bottle, and great was his rejoicing, in place of disappointment, which was all that he had expected, "Before I had taken half a bottle," says he, "I found very great relief, and since taking it my spirits have gone up. That distressing feeling has left me. In fact I find myself a much better and heartier man than I have been for years. What I eat now I can enjoy, and I have no hesitation in saying that Nervine has worked this great change for the better in me." Naturally, seeing her husband restored to his usual health before her own eyes, Mrs. Phillips was disposed to see if this remedy could do anything for her. She says: "I was completely run down. Seeing the effect Nervine was having on my husband, I thought I would give it a trial. I found great relief. I am much stronger than for years, and I feel certain that the taking of Nervine has brought about this result. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are highly respected residents of Wiarton. The people know them. They had known of their indisposition. They know their condition to-day, and it is not surprising that South American Nervine is a favorite medicine in Wiarton. For the happiness of mankind it is a good thing that Nervine is known and valued the whole Dominion over. It is daily working remarkable cures; there is no reason why father or mother, son or daughter, should remain afflicted when this medicine is within the reach of every one, and will do in each case what it has done in that of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, and so many others.

The Nestor of Fast Passenger Service.

The New York Central system was the Nestor of fast passenger service in the United States. Away back in 1878 that road was running "flyers." The "White Mail" was put on in 1876, and ran between [illegible] fortune-night service throughout the country to the enterprise and pluck of the New York Central System.—Dixie.

Kicked in the Stomach, Will Die.

Hamilton, Dec. 7.—Hattie Finlayson, 9, living at 41 Elgin-street, was kicked in the stomach by a 7-year-old and named Johnson last Sunday afternoon, just coming out of Knox Sunday school. Her condition is so serious that fatal results are regarded as certain.

An increase in the United States army is advocated by Gen. Schofield. Rations for the present force are cooked with Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Explains the $300 Deal.

Salliem Elis, the Syriac, has made a further explanation respecting the story which appeared in Thursday's World with reference to the alleged deal by which, it was said, he was to procure a wife for a friend. He states that that part of the story originated from a loan which the girl named had made to a brother Syriac and his refusal to repay it.

Mr. John Blackwell, of the Bank of Commerce, Toronto, writes: "Having suffered for over four years from Dyspepsia and weak stomach, and having tried numerous remedies with but little effect, I was at last advised to give Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery a trial. I did so with a happy result, receiving great benefit from one bottle. I then tried a second and a third bottle and now I find my appetite so much restored and stomach strengthened that I can partake of a hearty meal without any of the unpleasantness I formerly experienced."

Poverty and Its Causes.

McMaster University Literary and Scientific Society last evening a debate on a present day topic: "Resolved, that existing poverty is due more to moral than to economic causes." The affirmative was maintained by J. J. Reeve and C. E. Scott, and the negative by A. N. Marshall and S. R. Vichert. The audience decided that "the negative had it." President S. R. Parr was in the chair, and there was a large attendance of the members and friends of the society. The Glee Club rendered "The Huntsmen's Hymn," Misses Timpany and Wolverton and Messrs Langford and Campbell sang the quartet, "Twilight on the Sea," Miss Gile gave a reading, "Carl the Martyr," W. J. Torold recited "Spartacus' Address to the Gladiators." A paper on "Aqueous Agency in Land Formations," was read by W. S. McAlpine. The open meeting was very successful.

DEVONSHIRE.

At the swell dinner given by the 11th (Devonshire) Regiment Deutz & Geldermann's Gold Lack Sec Champagne was specially selected.

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FOR BETTER GOVERNMENT.

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best interests of the city of Toronto alone. When any great question came up at the City Hall they could not get it settled; The matter was allowed to run on for 12 months, the aldermen, actuated by their own interests, pulling some one way and some another. He personally did not suppose that it was possible for such a state of things to exist in the city as had been exposed at the boodling investigation. We could not shut our eyes to the facts. It behoved us to forget the past, forget what had taken place and vigorously and determinedly apply the remedy by putting in fit and proper men to represent us.

Want Business Men in the Council.

R. C. Steele regretted that he could not forcefully enough express himself in seconding the resolution. It was the duty of every man to guide the affairs of the community for the good of all concerned. He was surprised that, considering the work to be done, Toronto had secured so many good aldermen. Men had often been elected to the council who could not secure any position in a business house, because of their unfamiliarity with the simplest business principles. (Applause.) If good men come forward, they would be sure of election, and the speaker appealed to those whose names had been mentioned to take up the cause of the people.

The resolution was carried without opposition.

William McCabe presented the report of the special committee, reporting the names of those who had been selected as the permanent Citizens' Committee, to continue in office until the reforms are carried out.

Your special committee respectfully recommend that the following gentlemen be appointed members of the Citizens' Permanent Committee, with power to add to their number, to continue in office until the improvements in civic government contemplated in the resolution just passed, and such other improvements as may appear to them advisable, be secured, viz., Rev. Dr. Thomas, Hon. T. W. Anglin, Emerson Coatsworth, M.P., George R. R. Cockburn, M.P., Col. F. C. Denison, M.P., Senator Aikins, Hon. S. C. Wood, Senator Ferguson, D. J. O'Donoghue, A. F. Jury, W. Carlyle, Frederick Wyld, Stapleton Caldecott, Hugh Blain, B. H. James, Robert Jaffray, S. F. McKinnon, W. R. Brock, George H. Bertram, Alexander Manning, John Burns, John Armstrong, T. W. Banton, James Coulter, S. C. Thompson, George A. Cox, R. C. Steele, Edward Gurney, Col. Davidson, James Lumbers, W. W. Keighley, A. A. Allen, George Anderson, David Walker, Hugh McMath, John Maughan, A. W. Smith, J. K. Macdonald, E. F. Clarke, R. H. Matson, H. Sutherland, R. H. Gray, Robert Glockling, William Wilson, R. Score, Bernard Saunders, George Faulkner, R. J. Fleming, Malcolm Gibbs, James Hewlett, H. L. Hime, Daniel Ross, R. J. Hovenden, George Rathbun, R. B. Orr, M.D., J. H. Burns, W. T. Aikins, J. A. Burgess, Richard Brown, E. R. C. Clarkson, S. E. Townsend, A. E. Ames, J. B. Boustead, E. B. Osler, Mr. Hammond, Charles Pearson, Edwin Pearson, C. D. Massey, John Massey, Joseph Tait, C. B. Jackes, J. L. Maclaren, George H. Watson, John Firstbrook, T. Eaton, W. T. Murray, Frederick Walker, William Sloan, James Thorburn, J. H. Westman, J. M. Might, William Carlyle, R. U. McPherson, Hugh Crane, Robert L. Fraser, J. A. McIlwain, E. Galley, S. Crane, J. P. Jackson, William C. Hewish, J. O. Buchanan, C. March, Rev. J. E. Starr, Rev. R. N. Burns, Rev. Dr. Potts, Rev. D J. Macdonnell, Rev. J. J. McCann, Right Rev. Bishop Campbell, Rev. Dr. Thomas, H. H. Cook, W. J. Peck, Isaac Anderson, J. B. Perry, John Leckie, W. H. P. Clement, A. E. F. Gianelli, Sturgeon Stewart, J. R. Lee, John Fenson, Robert Swan, Adam Beaty, J. J. Withrow, J. S. Boddy, W. Radcliffe, Newman L. Steiner, W. J. Hambly, Dr. Wm. Oldright, Samuel Parker, Thomas Mounce, William N. Eastwood, S. R. Heakes, John B. Graham, Edwin Jenkinson, Dr. G. S. Cleland, Dr. J. A. Burgess, Rev. William Frizzel, R. Reynolds, Charles Bugg, James Stewart, William Lamb, S. James, Geo. C. Campbell, David Plewes, Alexander Nairn, T. G. Mason, Alfred McDougall, D. A. Carey, E. J. Barrick, William McCabe, D. N. Defoe, D. R. Wilkie, B. E. Walker, R. D. Gamble, M. Basso, Col. James Mason, P. G. Close, James Crocker, W. Reynolds, John K. Leslie, Rev. Dr. Langtry, Rev. Dr. Dewart, Walter Brunill, Felix Belcher, S. T. Wood, J. H. Mason, R. H. Tomlinson, George G. S. Lindsey, John Kane, Principal Caven, W. B. Hamilton, Rev. Mr. Woold, J. D. Hay, John Bertram, ex-Mayor Manning, ex-Mayor Beaty, Hon. S. C. Biggs, Dr. Alex. Smith, Stewart Lyon, H. M. Pellatt. All of which is respectfully submitted. William McCabe, chairman.

Abolish the Ward System.

John Armstrong moved a resolution asking that the council be given permissive legislation to abolish the ward system, and that the polls remain open until 8 p.m. Mr. Armstrong pointed out the evils of the ward system, and asked why could not aldermen represent the whole of the city, as well as the Mayor? By the passage of the wished-for legislation the ward heeler would be done away with. It would be in the interest of the workingmen to have the polls open until 8 o'clock in the evening.

A. F. Jury seconded the resolution, saying that it would broaden the sphere of municipal government. It would do away with petty influences in the election of aldermen. The members of the council should represent opinions, not signs or passwords. (Applause.) The resolution was carried amid cheers.

To Meet at City Hall.

Malcolm Gibbs moved the last resolution, which was carried unanimously, while the audience dispersed.

"That this meeting respectfully requests His Worship the Mayor and the City Council to allow the Citizens' Committee the use of the Council Chamber for the purpose of holding its meetings at such times as shall not interfere with the business of the corporation, the first meeting of the said Citizens' Committee to be held on the evening of Tuesday next, the 11th inst., at 8 o'clock."

Gold or silver, or both, what shall our money be? Bimetallists and monometallists alike prefer Dr Price's Cream Baking Powder to any other.

R. R. Waddell of Hamilton.

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 7.—Mr. R.R. Waddell, the well-known barrister, died at his residence here this afternoon, of diabetes, after being confined to his bed for only two days. He had been a member of both the City and County Councils, and for over 40 years has been one of the most staunch Conservatives in Hamilton. He had acted as solicitor for the county for a number of years.

Earl of Orford Dead.

London, Dec. 7.—H. Walpole, fourth Earl of Orford, died to-day. He was 81 years old.

Ferdinand De Lesseps Gone.

Paris, Dec. 7.—Count de Lesseps died to-day at Lachenaie, near Vatan, in the Department of L'Intre.

Killed By a Car in a Fog.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 7.—A dense fog settled on the city last night. Robert Crawford, the Alleghany wharf master, was run down and killed by an electric car. Several other accidents are reported.

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TRIED TO BRIBE A JURYMAN.

When Challenged at the London Assize Juror Mawson Admitted That He Had Been Approached.

London, Ont., Dec. 7.—At the Sessions to-day, when the Exeter woollen mill robbery case was called, the complete jury was not found, but some unusual things happened. Of the full docket of 48 jurors nine did not answer to their names. Of the 39 remaining only eight were unobjected to.

John Munson, a middle-aged farmer, residing on concession 12, lot 20, of McGillivray, was called. "I challenge him for cause," said the Crown Attorney. "The cause is that he has been approached on behalf of prisoner Hodgins to give a verdict in his favor. I am prepared to prove it now."

The statement was made deliberately and caused a sensation in court.

A good deal of argument followed as to the proper legal course. Finally two jurors were ordered to try the case. Mawson admitted that he had been approached. The judge expressed surprise that Mawson had not resented the bribe to break his oath, and agreed with the trying jurors, who said they thought it would be more satisfactory if Mawson was challenged.

NOT YET OUT OF THE BUSH.

Who Says This Is a Settled Country?—Is It?

Judging from the statistical report re the Area of Ontario and its Forests, we read in one portion thereof that this province has 197,000 square miles only, while in another we are told that our interests in forests and woodlands cover 219,650 square miles. Where do you jam in the surplus cordwood? However, there is one thing certain, that you can have two dollars and not get squeezed out of value in Men's Boots if you purchase them at howell's, 112 Queen east and 542 Queen west.

Grand Opera House.

"Wang," with its wealth of former prosperity, comes this season with everything bright and new. Preparation for the tour has been going on the past summer with a costly elaboration that utterly ignored hard times. It will be seen at the Grand Opera House for three nights, commencing Monday, Dec. 10, and a special Wednesday matinee, and already the demand for seats is large. "Wang" has but two acts, yet the drops spoken of for its production will cost several thousands, while the total bill for scenery and accessories will probably reach $15,000.

Academy of Music.

The Academy will be closed next week, as the company engaged is unable to reach here. For the week of Dec. 17 Fields & Harrison's "Drawing Cards" will be the attraction. This is said to be a very strong aggregation of vaudeville stars. The engagement of "The Police Patrol" terminates to-night.

"The Two Sisters."

In "The Old Homestead" and in "The Two Sisters," Denman Thompson and George Ryer have turned out two great plays. They have, so to say, cut out a small slice of the real world and put it on the stage for people to look at, in the stage for people to look at, deepening its shadows and heightening its lights just enough, and only just enough, to keep it from seeming flat and colorless under the glow of the footlights. The play of "The Two Sisters" has been seen here before, and the announcement that it will be produced at the Toronto Opera House Monday night will doubtless be received with much satisfaction by all theatregoers who appreciate pure, noble, elevating plays. The plot of the play is as simple as that of "The Old Homestead," but amply equal to the task of upholding weighty popular favor. If "The Two Sisters" receives the recognition here that its sterling quality and golden worth merit, the house will be crowded during the entire week.

"Messiah."

It is intended to inaugurate regular Christmas performances of Handel's "Messiah" in Toronto. The first rendering will be on Dec. 13 in the Massey Hall. The directors of the chorus venture to appeal to all lovers of music for their co-operation, and particularly to those specially interested in sacred music, and can do so with confidence, as they have provided a splendid chorus, eminent soloists and an effective orchestra.

The plan for subscribers opens at Messrs. Nordheimers' Monday morning and to the general public on Tuesday.

Those desirous of attending this performance will do well to secure their seats in advance.

Varsity Glee Club.

Those who love music and mirth will find them on Friday evening, Dec. 14, when the Varsity Glee Club gives its annual concert in the Massey Hall. The Glee Club, the Ladies' Glee Club, the Banjo and Guitar Club and Mandolin Club will occupy the stage, and the students of the various faculties of Toronto University, the S.P.S. and other colleges will occupy, en masse, the top gallery.

"Scotland and Scotsmen"

A lecture on "Scotland and Scotsmen" will be delivered in Association Hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 18, by Hon. Wallace Bruce, late U.S. Consul at Edinburgh. The proceeds are for the charitable funds of the St. Andrew's Society, and the lecture will doubtless be largely attended, as Hon. Mr. Bruce has a world-wide reputation as a lecturer. Plan will open at Nordheimer's on Thursday Dec. 13.

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Queen's Own Smoker.

The audience at the Sergeants' mess of the Queen's Own Rifles last night presented a picturesque appearance, the white shell tunics of the Kilties contrasting prettily with the scarlet of the Grenadiers, 13th Battalion, Royal Canadian School Infantry and the dark uniform of the Queen's Own, Field Battery, Body Guards, and Royal Canadian Dragoons.

The occasion was a grand smoker, given by the Queen's Own sergeants to the fraternity, which was in every respect a success. The program consisted of limelight views by Dr. King of Royal Grenadiers and Mr. Mos, Pres. and Vice-Pres. of the Toronto Camera Club and the following gentlemen also took part: Messrs. Blackie, Taylor, Tom Baker, Frank Wright, Bert Harvey, Tuppin, McClure, Westman, Tupper, Kennedy, Musgrove and others, and the Zingara Quartette. It was early this morning when the guests dispersed, all voting the evening a most enjoyable one.

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ASSAULTS ON WOMEN AND GIRLS

Alarming Increase in This Class of Crime in Ontario—Many Prisoners Awaiting the Cat.

There are at present no less than 14 prisoners in the Central serving time for assaults on women and children. There are several others in the county jails awaiting transference to the prison and eight or ten are awaiting trial. Of the 14 in the prison, four will shortly be lashed. Two others, not yet brought to the prison, will likewise receive the "cat." Warden Massie said yesterday that he could assign no reason whatever for the increase in this class of crime. The infliction of the cat he deemed the most deterrent punishment for this class of criminals, but would not give the first instalment until at least six months after the admission of the prisoner to the prison, as he then would have had sufficient time in which to reflect upon the enormity of his crime.

The contemplation of the coming lash often had a more reformatory influence than had the whipping itself, and the half hour at the triangle was not in every case the most productive of good results. The Warden also stated that he believed these punishments should be given all the publicity through the medium of the press as possible, as such publicity would have a wholesome effect in the prevention of similar crime.

PRACTICAL SCIENTISTS.

The Annual Dinner of the S.P.S. a Great Success—The Toasts and the Responses.

The School of Practical Science gave its annual dinner at Webb's last night, and it passed off joyously, as do all the events at this institution. Mr. Arthur Blackwood occupied the chair and proposed the various toasts.

In response to "Canada," Mr. Laschinger delivered a witty speech. Mr. J. E. McAllister proposed the "Faculty," which was responded to by Profs. Galbraith, Ellis, Coleman and Messrs L. B. Stewart and C. H. C. Wright. In response to "Sister Institutions," the representative of Cornell, Mr. Zarbell, and of McGill, Mr. A. H. Holden, spoke. Mr. R. G. Black proposed "The Engineering Profession," and Messrs. Alan McDougall, Niven, Willis and Chipman replied. "The Graduates and Undergraduates" was proposed by R. M. Brown, and J. Chewitt and J. E. Moore replied. G. Wright proposed "Athletics," to which D. K. Smith and C. McPherson responded.

A. L. McAllister humorously asked the students to drink to "University Politics," and James A. Tucker replied. "The Press," "The Freshmen" and "The Ladies" were also proposed. The committeemen were: A. E. Blackwood, chairman; G. M. Campbell, vice-chairman; A. A. Allan, secretary; J. E. McAllister, H. Bueth, Sims, F. J. Robinson, C. P. Fowler, C. Gurney, H. P. Taylor and F. M. Perry.

CENTRAL PRISON OVERCROWDED.

No More Vagrants Can Be Given Accommodation at Present.

Warden Massey stated yesterday that no more prisoners except those convicted of criminal offences can be admitted to the Central Prison, as neither accommodation nor work can be provided for them. While there are but 364 cells in the prison, there are 400 prisoners at the present time, which necessitates the very objectionable system of doubling up.

KILLED WHILE ASLEEP.

Fatality on the C.P.R. Near North Bay Yesterday.

North Bay, Ont., Dec. 7.—John Quigley of Powassan was killed here this morning by a freight train going east. It is supposed that he started to walk to Powassan, for which place he had a ticket in his pocket, and fell asleep on the track.

Six Oils. — The most conclusive testimony, repeatedly laid before the public in the columns of the daily press, proves that Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil — an absolutely pure combination of six of the finest remedial oils in existence — remedies rheumatic pain, eradicates affections of the throat and lungs, and cures piles, wounds, sores, lameness, tumors, burns and injuries of horses and cattle.

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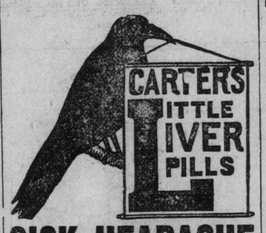

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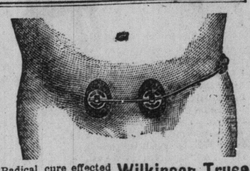

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