

A Tribute to the Memoir of Malouin.

A movement is now on foot for the erection of a monument to the memory of Malouin, the founder of Ville Marie.

OUR MANITOBA LETTER.

From information received no doubt a large number of people of the Eastern Provinces will be seeking homes in the Prairie Province the coming season.

AGRICULTURAL.

Orchard and Nursery.

It has been more than once stated, that so far as these Notes apply to the nursery, it is not to the commercial nursery, but to the farmer's or orchardist's nursery.

Tree Seeds should be sown as early as the ground can be worked, as it is desirable to get all possible growth before the drouth of summer comes on.

Peach Seeds that have been kept in boxes of earth or mixed with earth in heaps, should be planted in nursery rows, 3 or 4 feet apart.

Budded Stocks.—Those nursery trees that were budded last summer will need attention when the buds begin to swell, and it is known that the inserted buds have "taken."

Do not Graft too Early.—Those who go about the country to do grafting wish to make their grafts as long as possible, and begin to set seeds in February.

Secure Cions if it has not been done. Cions when inserted, should always be dormant, and if not already cut, do it at once before the buds wake up.

Planting Trees is a job that should not be hurried. It is not fair treatment of a tree to put it into a hole with clods of wet, half frozen earth around its roots.

Use them in and let them wait. Select a dry place where the soil is light, open a trench, and lay in a slanting position—at an angle of 45°, one after another, carefully covering the roots and lower part of the stem of each with soil.

Late Frosts are often destructive, especially to peach trees at the South. We advise those who fear frosts on the well advanced buds or blossoms to try the method above effective in the vineyards on the Rhine.

Scene—A draper's shop. Saleswoman (to matronly party from the country): "Are you getting attention, ma'am? Matronly party: "No, ma'am, am gettin' a bannet! This fairly nonplussed the usually voluble attendant."

The proprietor of a building site in Wisconsin advertises his land for sale in this wise:—"The town of Poggis and surrounding country is the most beautiful which nature ever made. The scenery is celestial—divine; also two wagons to sell, and a yoke of steers."

A lady who is no longer in the first blush of youth is summoned as a witness in some suit. The judge: "How old are you, madame?" She (heatingly): "Thirty-nine." The judge (in the most benevolent tone, after having contemplated her an instant): "Thirty-nine? Come, madame, have courage: Go on and finish it!"

A party of gentlemen sought to make a display of their wealth. The first lighted his cigar with a ten-dollar greenback. The second "went him ten better," and consumed a twenty-dollar note in the same way.

MUTTON OR LAMB RECHAUFFE.—Cut some slices of cold undertone mutton or lamb; put into a fryingpan with enough gravy or butter to cover them. Or, if you have neither of them, make a gravy of butter, warm water and catsup.

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THE P. A. P.'S.

First Grand Annual Concert—Glistening Uniforms—Poor Attendance—Despondency—The Program.

On Thursday evening last a lodge of the society known under the above initials, gave a concert in the Mechanics Hall. The doors were opened at 7:15, and the concert commenced at 8 o'clock.

THE FIRST GRAND ANNUAL CONCERT of the St. George's Lodge, P. A. P., No. 28. The members of the band had ready-made uniforms, and were almost alike, with the exception of the big-drummer, who was, to say the least, a most remarkable character.

SECOND PART OF THE ENTERTAINMENT was opened by an address from one of the five martyrs, L. O. A. C. M. D. X. Y. Z. Grant. This gentleman was modest, and referred only to his martyrdom. We were, however, glad when he concluded. More songs, corset solos, readings, and what was termed a "vocal duet" followed.

An Avaricious Pig. On Thursday last, whilst a milkman was having a quiet little chat with a housemaid of one of our up-town houses, a Mr. Pig came quietly jogging along.

An Eccentric Individual. Toronto, February 27.—A singular and weird specimen of a human being has taken up his abode in the woods near Weston. There he lives without other shelter than an open bark shed, built beside a log, and before which he builds a fire.

A Feather in Our Cap. (Toronto Telegram.) Our Irish contemporaries sometimes complain that the Irish are set aside in Canada, and that Irishmen never get a chance to shine, simply because they are Irish.

—For fifteen years no Governor of North Carolina has served out his full term