

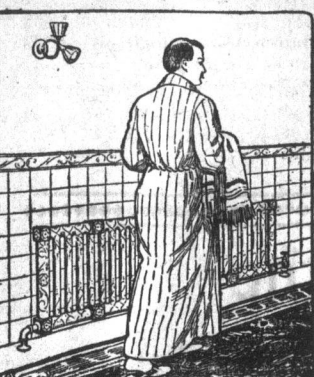
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Christ Church—11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 First Presbyterian—11 and 7.
 Holy Trinity—11 and 7.
 St. Andrew's—11 and 7.
 St. Joseph's R. C.—8:30, 10:30, 7:30.
 Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7.
 William St. Baptist—11 and 7.
 Park St. Methodist—11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
 Latter Day Saints—11 and 7.
 Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7:30.
 First Baptist—11 and 7:30.
 St. John's A. U. M. P.—11 and 7.
 British Methodist—11 and 7:30.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

International Bible Lesson for Tomorrow—David Spares Saul; Practical Forgiveness.

Golden Text—"Love your enemies; do good to them that hate you."

King Saul, with 3,000 picked men, were on the watch after David, but he had his spies watching their movements, and as they camp for the night in false security every one of them fell into a sound sleep from the Lord. David and Abishai steal in amongst them and, finding the king, Abishai would have killed him with one thrust but David forbade him, and desires him to take his spear and drinking cup from beside his pillow as a proof of their midnight visit. David would not have them stain their hands with the blood of the Lord's anointed. From a distant hill top David arouses the sleeping camp and rebukes their carelessness of the king's safety. Saul recognizes David's voice and feels the rebuke keenly, confessing his sin and folly in persecuting David, who has again overcome evil with good. How shall we treat our enemies?

1. Watch them. You need to know their plans for your good and their good also.
2. Do them no harm when in your power; act in mercy.
3. There are some good points in all men.
4. Have proof of their guilt in your hands.
5. Accept their apologies, but keep out of their way.
6. Be strictly just. "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, saith the Lord."

CHURCH NOTES.

The pastor, Rev. Robt. McCosh, will conduct the services and preach in Christ Church on both occasions tomorrow.

The pastor, Rev. W. Knowles, will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on both occasions tomorrow.

Rev. Alexander W. Torrie, B. A., will preach in William St. Baptist Church tomorrow both morning and evening.

The Park St. Methodist congregation will worship in the Grand Opera House tomorrow, and each Sunday during the renovation of the church. The pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobbleick, M. A., B. D., will preach morning and evening tomorrow.

The pastor, Rev. F. E. Malott, B. A., B. D., will preach at both services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church tomorrow, the morning subject being "How to Get Even with Your Enemy." In the evening the sermon will be on "Cain," the first of a series of sermons on "Lessons from the lives of men who have failed."

Rev. W. H. G. Colles will conduct the services and preach in Holy Trinity Church tomorrow, morning and evening.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a. m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship at 3 p. m., soul winning service at 7:30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

Services in the Latter Day Saints Auditorium, King St. West, tomorrow as follows—Sunday school at 2 p. m., prayer meeting at 3 p. m., preaching service at 7 p. m. Religious Society meets every Friday at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Services will be held in the St. John's A. U. M. P. Church tomorrow as follows:—11 a. m., Scripture lesson and preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey; S. S. at 3 p. m.; 7 p. m., song service and prayer meeting by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Holt.

The services in the First Baptist Church tomorrow will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Holt.

Park St. Bible Class will meet at 3 o'clock, in the body of the church. A splendid orchestra in attendance each Sunday.

Prayer meeting will be held in the William St. Baptist Church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Class meeting in connection with the A. U. M. P. Church is held every Tuesday evening.

William St. Baptist Church Sunday morning prayer meeting at 10 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church Sunday School tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Prayer meeting is held every Wednesday evening in the S. S. Hall of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

The meetings of Park St. Epworth League, Junior League, Young Men's

A Quart Baby.

Now and again there is an item in the newspapers concerning the birth of a puny baby so small that a quart cup holds it comfortably. If the article told all the facts it would probably tell also of a mother who in weakness and misery had looked forward to the baby's advent with shrinking and fear.

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Club and Mission Band are suspended during July and August.

St. Andrew's Church Sunday School and Bible Class tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Sunday School in connection with the British Methodist Church will assemble tomorrow at 3 p. m.

Christ Church Sunday School will be held in the morning, instead of the afternoon, during July and August. Teachers and scholars will meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The B. Y. P. U. meets in the lecture room of the Baptist Church every Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Strangers are cordially invited to all the services in Christ Church. Sidemen will be pleased to provide them with seats. Pews are all free at evening service.

Young Men's Class is held in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

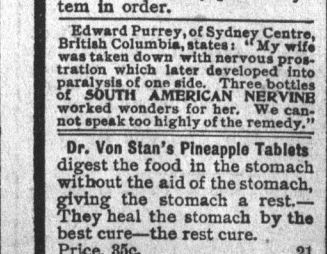
The regular weekly prayer service will be held at St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening at 8.

Prayer meeting in the British Methodist Church on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Sunday evening prayer meeting in the William St. Baptist Church is conducted by the B. Y. P. U. at 6:30.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The Sunday School of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church is held every Sunday at 3 p. m.

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A HERMIT'S DEATH.

Romance of the Laurentian Range—Why Honore Paquette Fled From and Shunned Men of Men.

Honore Paquette, the hermit of the sixth range, Quebec, is dead. Thirty years ago a man of this name, in the full flush of manhood, loved a pretty country maiden of St. Jerome, and seemingly fortune smiled for him, for the wedding day was named, and the bans were published in the little church near the girl's home. But before the hour of Honore's happiness arrived, even as he stood bedecked for the ceremony, a man came with a note, and the expected bridegroom crushed it in his hand. The friends who had gathered learned afterwards the contents of that note; it had told that the girl had gone with another lover. But Honore would not believe it. He would have known his great sorrow. He went into the backwoods, into the Laurentian Hills, and thereafter, repelling all advances of friend or stranger, eked out his lonely life. Few persons ever saw him, for he chose an unfrequented part of the range, and seldom again sought the haunts of man.

But a few days ago some lumbermen came by chance upon the hermit's home. In the little clearing surrounding the dilapidated shack lay the old man, prone upon the ground, one hand clutching the tin which he had been about to prepare a meal. How long he had been there could not be told, for the body was fast returning to the dust from which it had come. A shirt, trousers, boots, scarcely holding together, were the only protection. The shack had but one room, and all that it contained was a stove, a heap of straw for bed, and a few cooking utensils. Rumor had credited the mysterious hermit with having much gold, but all the treasure that has been found is a bag containing \$160.

Buried treasure is a magic word, and the minds of an imaginative people cling tenaciously to pet theories. Everyone had heard that the hermit was wealthy; not a man in the country but had spoken of gold which the strange old man had hidden in the earth and guarded with the zealous watchfulness of a miser.

So, ever since the discovery of the body, when the sun has shone bright down upon the little clearing in the sixth range, men have probed and dug, hunting for the treasure. But Honore has taken the secret, if any, to the burial ground in the village of St. Adolphe de Howard.

After a Break in Prices.
 People whose money goes in a slump of the stock market, are, as a rule, blamed more than they are pitied. Sympathy for them there is, but it is of the mixed kind to which the great heart of the public is moved by the case of the culprit caught and brought to punishment. Mercy tempered with justice, rather than justice tempered with mercy, is the portion of the unsuccessful stock dealer. When Job's sores were in the rawest state his friends gathered about him to comfort him with words of sharp reproof for his former naughtiness. So when the unfortunate victim of a stock market reaction is trying to staunch the fresh financial gashes that are fast bleeding him white, he is forced to listen to the lectures and the censures of the innocents who never speculate. This salting of his wounds may be a moral duty and a public service. It makes the wretch writhe when he might be taking a little ease between spasms, and thus helps to keep him in a state of suffering, which should be to all beholders a warning against the temptations of the stock market.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Our Chinese Placer Mines.
 A place where the Chinese have assumed control of a British Columbia industry is on Wild Horse Creek, in East Kootenay. This is one of the most famous historical placer mining camps, and from it fully \$15,000,000 were taken in the early days. The Celestials work the "side-hill ground" with modern hydraulic appliances and no little success. The gold they obtain is worth \$18.25 an ounce, and the exact amount they win is never told, though it is expected to reach \$50,000 for the current year. That it is considerable is shown by their staying by the creek. The Bun Quon company has two six-inch "giants" in operation on the lower part of the lavette ground. The Nip and Tuck ground has been leased by Celestials, and several other Chinese outfits are working along the bed of the creek, taking out on an average from three to five dollars a day per man.

To Encourage Latin.
 An interim schedule of regulations for high school examinations has been published. One change is to give encouragement to pupils to take the Latin option in languages by allowing all marks over 50 per cent. in Latin to count as a bonus on the other subjects. The examinations for the commercial course diploma are abolished, and hereafter each school board will lay out its own commercial course, and grant its own diploma, the object of the change being to provide greater elasticity. Each district may now teach the commercial subjects best suited to its individual requirements. For instance, cities may place emphasis on stenography, and in towns the greater stress may be put on simpler forms of bookkeeping.

Old, So Old, But Good.
 Romantic Young Lady (spending summer on a farm)—Just hear how those old trees in the orchard moan and groan in the storm, like the crying of a lost soul!
 Small Boy—Well, I guess you'd make a worse racket if you were as full of green apples as they are!

Toronto's "Growing Time."
 The growth of Canada's thistles and sweet clover on the vacant lots in Toronto has become a decided nuisance.—The Globe.

OF INTEREST TO MOTHERS

A Safeguard for Children Cutting Teeth in Hot Weather.

The time when children are cutting teeth is always an anxious one for mothers and when this occurs during the hot weather solicitude often deepens into alarm. So many little ones often result fatally are liable to ensue that every mother will be interested in a medical discovery that robs this period of many dangers. Mrs. R. Ferguson, of 105 Mansfield street, Montreal, Que., gives her experience for the benefit of other mothers. She says: "My baby has always been small and delicate, and suffered so much last summer with his teeth that I did not think he would live. The medicine the doctor ordered for him did not do him much good. Then he was attacked with dysentery and a very hot skin and cough. I sent for Baby's Own Tablets, and they did him a wonderful amount of good, and he is now getting along splendidly."

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SAME OLD SIGN.

The festive goat is dining. On the man in the lane; And the orn-grinder's grinding. Once more his tuneless strain. One day we wear an ulster thick. And the next a duster thin—All of which denotes that spring is beginning to be—fall.

FRANK LESLIE'S POPULAR MONTHLY FOR SEPTEMBER.

Besides keeping up its summer record of nine short stories and a serial, Leslie's Monthly for September has a varied assortment of more serious articles. The first and most attractive of them is a little essay called "The Heart of a Man," which interprets a delightful series of drawings of children by E. B. Knipe. There are some heroic tales of the cod fisheries off the banks more thrilling than any fiction, and a vivid account of the war between the cattle and sheep on the Western ranges.

Among the short stories, that by J. J. Bell, the author of "Wee McGregor," is a delightful love story, and the fishing trip of a Few Real Boys, particularly amusing. There is a story by Jack London, who wrote the "Call of the Wild," a romance of the savage Northwest, and one by Justus Miles Forman of a more sophisticated kind of sentiment. There is a striking study of a conflict between a manufacturer, a trust and a walking delegate that comes just now at a particularly appropriate time, and also a number of other stories and articles and some clever skits in Marginalia and in Men, Women and Books.

DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

August 29.—Mrs. N. Kelly, who has been visiting her mother here, returned to her home in London today.

Rev. Mr. Johnson will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Green, of Sombra, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Jacobs.

Miss N. Hagan, of the dressmaking department in J. S. Richardson's store, leaves today to visit her parents at Hensall.

Rev. R. J. McCormick, of Jeannette's Creek, will conduct Methodist church services here tomorrow morning. Rev. H. J. Uren going to Jeannette's Creek to conduct quarterly services.

The flax harvest is well advanced and the spreading will be completed this week. The crop is a good one and a successful run of the local factory is anticipated.

H. P. Adams has taken out an auctioneer's license for Kent County.

BLENHHEIM

August 29.—Mrs. Crookshanks, of Barrie, is visiting at Mr. John Crookshanks.

Mrs. Geo. Bounsall entertained last evening in honor of her son's 21st birthday.

The old reliable play, East Lynne, will be put on at the Opera House on Monday, 31st August.

Mrs. T. S. Bell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McCullough, at Detroit.

Miss Hattie Corcoran, of Leamington, is visiting her friend, Miss H. Best.

Drs. Story and Langford are in London attending the Medical Association.

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