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Killed by drinking Lye.

A most distressing accident occurred in Godrich township last week which resulted in the death of a well-known resident of the township in the person of George McIlwain. The unfortunate man drank diluted Gillett's lye in mistake for buttermilk. For years he had been troubled with a stomach ailment and had been in the habit of drinking buttermilk as a remedy. On the day of the accident the vessel containing the buttermilk had been emptied and removed from its accustomed place. When Mr. McIlwain went to get a drink the only vessel to be seen was the one containing the Gillett's lye and he took two mouthfuls of the deadly liquid before he discovered his mistake. Medical aid was summoned at once, antidotes were administered, but despite all that could be done blood poisoning set in and death ensued Wednesday afternoon. The deceased was seventy one years of age.

Grabbed by Camel.

At a circus in St. Catharines on May 10 a small boy was standing watching the menagerie before the performance in the big show commenced suddenly one of the camels came at him. He seized the lad's

shoulder in his teeth, and lifting him off his feet, proceeded to shake him vigorously. Whether the angry brute's next move would have been to put the boy under his feet and trample him to death is uncertain, for a keeper, witnessing the incident ran up and grabbed the camel's halter, shouting to him to let go. The camel seemed inclined to destroy, and in fact, hung on to the boy, who was screaming with terror, until literally forced by the keeper to let go.

Etiquette For Husbands.

The model husband should learn Esperanto. It contains no swear words.

The husband of a woman with a mission should not drink more than just enough to produce semi-oblivion.

The husband of a lady doctor should not boast of what "we" know. He doesn't know anything; his wife knows it all.

The husband of a school teacher should never stay out late at night without bringing home a written excuse in the morning.

The husband of a landlady of a select boarding house should efface himself as much as possible. The guests will be more reconciled to their own condition if they believe he is worse off than they are. He should answer back to his wife, as such a conduct has a tendency to tempt the boarders to do likewise. Above all else, he should avoid being fat for that might lead them to suspect that he was getting "bites" between meals. His role should be that of the clinging vine, pure and simple—especially simple.

Jardine Careless.

The death watch placed on Edward Jardine, who will hang on June 16, report that the prisoner regards his position in the coolest manner possible. He is careless and light-hearted, spending much of his time in playing a mouth organ, which was secured for him at his own request. He has ordered several photographs which he will give to his friends before the day of his execution. The corridor where Jardine spends his

days lately became infected with rats, and a trap was set for the rodents. The prisoner's greatest pleasure is to catch a rat and to each he gives a name, calling it after some official who figured in his trial. Rev. Geo. E. Ross goes to see Jardine three times each week, and is the only one who is permitted with the prisoner besides his guard. He says that the young man is troubled with his conscience, but that physically he is improving in health. It is stated that a final attempt to appeal, the case to the court of appeal made by the prisoner's counsel, L. E. Dancey, has failed.

Happy Bachelor.

The bachelor is feeling good

And deems himself a lucky wight;

He saws and splits no kindling wood,

He has no kitchen fire to light.

When day is done his cares are o'er

And once in bed he takes his ease;

He need not rise to walk the floor

This chilly night a child to please.

For him there are no household cares,

No breakfast bell his slumber breaks,

He dresses and descends the stairs

To oatmeal, mush or buckwheat cakes.

For him life's river smoothly runs;

He's happy jolly and content,

He has no wife and little ones.

On whom his earning must be spent.

Let him enjoy it while he can,

When age and loneliness shall come

He'll wish he were a married man

With sons and daughters, wife and home.

Deal Tenderly With Her.

"Taint every feller as I'd trust my little gal to," said Farmer Skinner of Minnesota when the young man asked for her hand.

The little gal was five feet eleven in her bare feet, and she hid her blushing face in her father's shoulder, as he resumed:—

"You must take care of my wee birdie, Jack. Recollect, she's been raised tenderlike. Two acres a day is all I ever asked her to plough and an acre of corn is all she's been used to hoe in a

day. She kin do light work sich as rail-splitting, digging postholes, and sich like; but she ain't used to rough work, and you must be gentle with her. I'll have to split my own wood and dig my own taters now! But go, my little 'un, and be happy!"

U. S. Bank Robberies.

Since last fall no less than a hundred country banks in Kansas, Oklahoma, and Nebraska have been robbed. In each instance from \$1,000 to \$7,000 was taken and practically the same procedure was followed in each case.

In the three States named are approximately 2,500 banks, 2,000 of them in little towns and villages with practically no police protection. This is the usual programme in the cases reported:

Soon after midnight the residents are aroused by two or three explosions. Those daring enough to venture on the streets see an automobile standing in front of the bank and two men with guns giving orders to stand back. Inside are their companions, filling sacks with money from the safe. Having gathered all the cash possible the burglars enter the machine, fire a few intimidating shots and go racing out of town.

Then come the gathering of a posse, the cranking up of cars and a desperate attempt to follow and capture the robbers. In no instance has there been a capture, and despite offers of rich rewards for the robbers, dead or alive, the robberies continue.

Sometimes several weeks go by without a robbery; then there will be two or three in a single night.

The automobile is blamed for much of this crime.

Lenghen Public School Course.

Probably the most important move taken by the trustees section of the Ontario Educational Association at their annual convention was a resolution adopted to petition the Government to add another year to the public school course and make this final year just as compulsory as the earlier years. The change in the extent of the elementary training which the trustees propose is merely to make the graduation class general in the Public Schools of the province and require all pupils this additional year before writing examinations for entrance into high schools. The last year would include many of the subjects now taught in form one of the high schools, and a change in the grading of the latter necessary was proposed by Mr. J. H. Laughton of the Parkhill School Board, who also made a plea for a more stringent enforcement of the compulsory education and truancy acts.

Too Many Cooks.

A case where too many cooks spoiled the broth was served up here last Friday when Reeves Izzard of Port Elgin, McLean of Bruce and Dobson of Southampton, met in conjunction with Reeve Henderson here, to let the contract for the repair of the east end bridge. Tenders for the work were submitted by Jacob Palm of Mildmay and J. J. Zettler and Conrad Schnurr of Walkerton. Before the contract could be let, however, so much discussion took place over the affair and so many opinions were voiced on the matter, that it was decided to adjourn the debate to the June Session of the County Council. The matter in dispute is whether the bridge is of sufficient length to be construed as a county bridge or not. It has a span of 165 feet, and with the abutments that Reeve Henderson proposes to put on it could easily be brought up to the required 300 feet, which is the length necessary to make it a county structure. As the County Council have been distributing their favors pretty liberal elsewhere, it is up to them to humor Walkerton a little in this matter.—Bruce Times.

June Bug Pest.

The June bug pest has arrived in Midsex county. On a fine evening just after nightfall, the rustle of their wings sounds like the rush of an express train. The air seems full of them. At Clendeboye, the branches of the plum and cherry trees are loaded. Blossoms and leaves are swept clean from the plum and cherry trees and the apple blossoms are being attacked. Farmers are lighting fires and hanging out lanterns over tubs in a vain attempt to stem the invasion. The bugs flying at present are only the vanguard of the main army, which fills the ground and which will continue coming out for a month. Prospects are for an entire destruction of the fruit crop in this district. Millions of eggs will be laid to hatch out into the destructive white grub that created such havoc in this district last year. The grub pest will be due two years from this spring. So far, the only help in destroying both grubs and beetles is the blackbird. They feed on nothing else, while either grubs or beetles are obtainable.

A Hot May.

Last week was a record breaker for heat in the month of May. With the thermometer hanging around the nineties it reminds us of the sultry days of July and August. What is unusual is that after every thunderstorm the weather turned warmer instead of colder as is usually the custom in this province in the month of May. Old probs seemed to have slipped a cog and jumped into dog days with a suddenness that has made people shed their flannels with an alacrity hitherto unknown. The frequent showers and warm weather have brought on the grass and spring crops so rapidly that the meadows and sown fields look as far advanced as they usually do in the first week of June. The prospects of an abundant hay and grain harvest are excellent. There's nothing like getting a good start. But the first week in June isn't over yet. In 1896 the prospects were almost as rosy as this year when a blighting frost did thousands of dollars worth of mischief in one night. In old Ontario the June frost is almost as much dreaded as the early autumn frost in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. But there is no use losing sleep over something that may not happen in the year of grace 1911. Sufficient to the day is the evil thereof.

Peculiar Accidents.

The Hillsburg Beaver in glancing over the papers has discovered a number of cases where people have been injured in various parts of the anatomy. Here are a few of the cases: While Miss Kinsure, of Elora, was coming down stairs she bruised herself on the landing. Amos Mifflin, of Arthur, while harnessing a horse was kicked just south of the corn crib. While Harold Green, of Beulah, was escorting Miss Violet Good home from a church social on Saturday night a savage dog set upon them and bit him four times on the public square. Joe Tutt, of Hamilton climbed up on the roof of his house last week and fell striking on his back porch and causing serious injuries. Isaiah Dobbery, of Guelph, was playing with a cat on Friday when the animal scratched him on the veranda. And the Toronto Star of Saturday said the Star photographer caught Miss Wilmott just south of the armories.

The Wise old Man.

The old man sits in his figtree's shade, and fills himself with pink lemonade, and he smokes his pipe as he glances o'er the thrilling facts of the baseball score. He has no grief and he has no care, and he just leans back in his rocking chair, and views the world with a cheerful smile, for his larder's full, and he has his pile. The plan he followed you will endorse! He used to work like a bald-faced horse; he swung the axe and he plied the spade, and he knuckled down at the blacksmith's trade; wherever he worked, in the field or town, a part of his roubles he salted down. He saw the folly of spendthrift men, and took to the bank a large brass yen; they burned their money as though with fire; he took to the bank a big tin fire. And now he sits in his figtree's shade and eats ice cream with a wooden spade and people smile as they look at him; he's fat and sassy and full of vim and where are the fellows who drew their wage and blew it in, in that lonesome age? Do they lean back in the rocking chairs, serene and happy and free from cares? Have they their figtrees and stuff to eat? Oh, ask the copper who walks your beat. Walt Mason.



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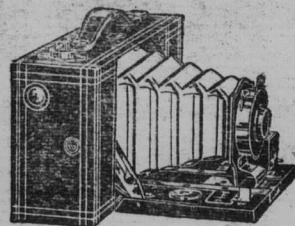
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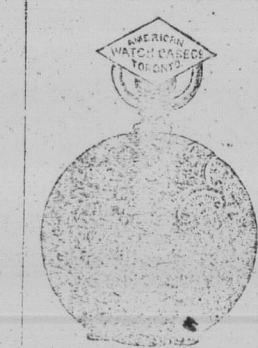
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