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ARMS BEING SMUGGLED IN

United States Sympathizers Pouring Rifles into Mexico—Officer Commanding U.S. Troops Finds It Impossible to Keep Munitions From Being Sent to Rebels.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—How the American border patrol has found it well nigh impossible to enforce the embargo against the shipment of arms and ammunition into Mexico, was described in a report from Brig. General Bliss, commanding the forces on the border, made public yesterday at the War Department.

Gen. Bliss complained of the vagueness of the law declaring instructions to the army are so general that too much of a task was imposed upon the troops and junior officers. He recommended that two of the best equipped officers of the Government's legal force be sent down to travel along the line and decide question of doubtful rights and powers.

In this connection the general referred to instructions sent to him last June to hold troops in readiness to go to the aid of the threatened American consular representative at Piedras Negras. For several days the general pointed-out the question of possible peace or war rested entirely upon the discretion of this consul, as it was a foregone conclusion that the American soldiers would have had to fight their way into Mexico if the necessity of protecting the consulate had arisen.

PROF. LAVELL STILL MISSING

Professor's Disappearance More a Mystery Than Ever.

HAMILTON, Dec. 2.—In spite of the country-wide search that is now in progress, no tidings have been received of the missing man, Professor Lavell. His wife received word yesterday that he has passed through Ingersoll on Nov. 15, but she says he was in Columbus, Ohio, then. Her belief is that he is still living, and that he boarded a train near the spot where he left his coat and a note in a newspaper. She thinks that he went to Niagara Falls or Buffalo. The fact that he left a note, she thinks, indicates that he felt he was about to be arrested.



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Little Boy Lost A little boy named Hanna aged 3 years wandered away from home on Monday and was missed for some time. He was later found.

ROBERTS AWAITS INSPIRATION

Evan Roberts, the Welsh Revivalist, Explains Seclusion.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Evan Roberts, the young Welshman, who seven years ago led one of the greatest religious revivals known in the principality, and who mysteriously disappeared from public view at the height of his fame and has since lived in absolute seclusion with Mr. and Mrs. Penlewis at Leicester, has at last broken silence about himself. Writing in a religious paper, he says that, like Paul, he is a bond servant of God and can do nothing except as the spirit moves him. Throughout his seclusion Mr. Roberts has refused to see his aged father, his brothers or his nephew, or to hold any intercourse with them.

For weeks past public interest in the revivalist's strange conduct has been keen, and in view of the possibility of trouble on the occasion of his relatives' visit on Saturday Mr. Penlewis' house was guarded by half a dozen police. A crowd watched the arrival of the visitors, and sympathized with the old father as he was refused to see him, but there was no disturbance. Evan spends his life as a mystic. He writes a good deal in collaboration with Mrs. Penlewis, who is a well-known religious worker, and in the article in which he describes himself as a bond servant of God, he deprecates the attacks made upon her, declaring that she is a veteran in heavenly things.

MAY FINISH ON THURSDAY

Western News Enquiry Will Last Most of This Week.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—It has practically been decided that the western freight enquiry will end probably about next Thursday after being before the Railway Commission at Ottawa on Wednesday, December 3rd.

RADIAL RAILWAY IS PLANNED

Hydro Electric Line Suggested From London to Stratford.

ST. MARY'S, Dec. 1.—A scheme for a Hydro radial line from London to Stratford through St. Mary's is being formulated at the C.N.R. To-day, M. K. Cowan, K.C., counsel for the Province of Saskatchewan, will put Alex. Macdonald, of Winnipeg, on the stand to give evidence as to how a schedule of rates he (Macdonald) had compiled was drafted. Mr. Macdonald was a railroad man for several years, and his schedule is awaited with interest by both sides.

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THIRTY YEARS IN PRISON

Peter Derosch, Sentenced to Life Imprisonment for Murder, is Pardoned—Leaves Kingston 1 Toronto—Oldest Prisoner—Sees Electric Railway for First Time.

KINGSTON, Dec. 2.—Peter Derosch, aged 71, passed through the gates of the Penitentiary yesterday as a free man, after serving thirty years within the walls of the prison. Derosch was sent here from Vancouver, B.C., for murder for which he was tried, found guilty and sentenced to the hang. The mental condition of the man at the time of the murder constrained the Department of Justice to commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

He is said to be the oldest prisoner in Canada. Derosch was brought from the coast to the penitentiary before Canada had a transcontinental railway. The long journey was made by stage coach and "prairie schooner," by boat for a short distance and a tramp to Sudbury, thence by train. When he was released yesterday, Derosch looked for the first time on an electric street car and an automobile. As he was leaving the big gates of the prison an automobile passed, Derosch sprang back and broke away from his escort, trying to get behind the walls of the prison. A street car then passed and the aged prisoner showed the same signs of terror. He was taken to the G.T.R. station on the street car, but for a time he refused to go near the car.

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CHURCHILL AS A PLOT

He Runs an Aeroplane Himself For First Time.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, has become a competent aviator. He has taken lessons recently at the flying depots, and on Saturday ascended at East Church in a dual control airplane with Capt. Lushington. On Saturday morning Winston had some final lessons to complete his experience, and after lunch, donning a leather jacket and aviator's cap, he took his seat in a dual control airplane with Captain William Lushington. Reaching an altitude of 500 feet, Mr. Churchill took charge of the machine, flying up and fro in a strong wind for nearly 45 minutes and covering altogether between 30 and 40 miles. Capt. Lushington then resumed control and brought the machine to the earth.

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NO BULLETIN WAS SENT OUT

Bureau Lacked Facilities For Saturday Night's Warning—Expert From Meteorological Office Says Closing of Telegraph Offices Prevents Forecasts Sent Out.

GODERICH, Dec. 2.—Another session of the coroner's inquest in connection with the recent disaster on Lake Huron, was held here yesterday afternoon and a further adjournment was made to Saturday, Dec. 13, when it is hoped a conclusion will be reached. Coroner Hunter presided and Crown Attorney Seager conducted the investigation, which has developed into a general enquiry as to the conditions affecting lake navigation. Capt. Alex. Lawson, who navigated the lakes for many years in sailing craft, said that vessels should be compelled to use shifting boards. He thought, too, if some of the wooden lifeboats carried on some of the freighters were put into the water they would not float; the metallic boats were better. There appeared to be no boat drill, and the men would sail the freighters nowadays would not be able to handle the boats if they got them launched. Goderich harbor, he said, should be widened and deepened and with the completion of the breakwater it would be a good harbor.

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HUERTA IS TOTTERING

Wilson Says U. S. Will Wait For Usurper's Fall.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—"We shall not, I believe, be obliged to alter our policy of watchful waiting," said President Wilson yesterday in dealing with the Mexican situation in his message to Congress. He predicted that the collapse of the Huerta regime would take place speedily as a result of the internal troubles of Mexico. In his message the President said: "There is but one cloud upon our horizon. That has shown itself to the south of us, and hangs over Mexico. There can be no certain prospect of peace in America until Gen. Huerta has surrendered his usurped authority in Mexico; until it is understood on all hands, indeed, that such pretended governments will not be countenanced or dealt with by the Government of the United States. "Even if this usurper had succeeded in his purposes, in spite of the constitution of the republic and the rights of its people, he would have set up nothing but a precarious and hateful power, which could have lasted but a little while, and whose eventual downfall would have left the country in a more deplorable condition than ever. But he has not succeeded. He has forfeited the respect and the moral support even of those who were at one time willing to see him succeed. "Little by little he has been completely isolated. By a little every day his power and prestige are crumbling and the collapse is not far away. We shall not, I believe, be obliged to alter our policy of watchful waiting. And then, when the end comes, we shall hope to see constitutional order restored in distressed Mexico by the people and engaged by the leaders as prefer the liberty of their people to their own ambitions. "No Oil For Huerta. MEXICO CITY, Dec. 3.—Preferring to incur the displeasure of the Huerta Government to a very practical manifestation of the rebel wrath, the producers of oil companies of the republic yesterday cancelled their contracts for supplying the National Railways with fuel oil. This is regarded as one of the most serious blows dealt the Government, because it is likely to bring about early suspension of railway traffic, which would interfere greatly with military operations and would strike vitally at the commerce of the country. Most of the oil used by the railways is produced in the coast region of Tampico and southward. Huerta's Generals Yield. JUAREZ, Mex., Dec. 3.—Seven generals of the Mexican regular army are ready to surrender, and the backbone of the Huerta dictatorship in the north has been broken. A peace commission arrived in Juarez last night bearing terms of the surrender.

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HAVE REACHED THE SIXTIETH MILESTONE

In Their Wedded Career—Unique Privilege of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Vandewater, of Sidney, Who on December 7th Will Celebrate Their 60th Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Vandewater, a much respected couple of Sidney, have reached a period in their lives but few live to see, namely their 60th wedding anniversary. Mr. Vandewater met Miss Lucy M. Phelps, daughter of Dr. Obadiah Phelps of New York, while she was teaching school in Sidney over sixty years ago. Their friendship ripened into love and they were married at her home in Utica, N.Y. on Dec. 7th 1853. They have ever since resided in Sidney on the farm where Mr. Vandewater was born over eighty-four years ago. They still have in their possession the original deed his grandfather, Jas. Vandewater received from the crown in 1795. The family came from Holland and settled in New York when that place first became a British possession, later on coming to Canada. They have both led a very active life. Mr. Vandewater carried on an extensive dairy business in connection with his farm keeping as many as fifty cows. He was one of the prime movers in the dairying industry in this part of the country, always advocating that it was more profitable than any other branch of farming. In addition to this he operated a lumber mill for some years. Becoming wearied in this work he rented his farm and became engaged in overseeing the construction of roads in the Thunder Bay district on Lake Superior, where he went into the grain business, but finally resumed his farming and has devoted his time to that exclusively ever since. He was always interested in public affairs. He was a member of the township council for a number of years. Mr. and Mrs. Vandewater are still enjoying good health and are a great interest in all the leading questions of the day. Their children are Mrs. Biddy and Mrs. Matric of Regina, Mrs. J. K. Faulkner of St. John N.B., Mrs. G. W. Stirling of Stirling, and Mrs. G. W. Stirling of Stirling. They also have many grand and great-grand children. We extend to them our hearty congratulations and sincerely hope they may see many more wedding anniversaries.

OXFORD LODGE ELECT OFFICERS

Largely Attended Meeting of Sons of England Last Night.

Oxford Lodge No. 17 Sons of England Benefit Society held their annual elections last evening in the lodge hall. The attendance of the brethren was very large. The officers elected are: Past President—P. K. Fisher; President—R. T. Parmenter; Vice President—E. J. Follwell; Secretary—John Fenn; Treasurer—E. D. Ford; Chaplain—W. E. Armitage; 1st Committeeman—E. Stampley; 2nd Committeeman—V. L. Simpson; 3rd Committeeman—R. G. H. Barlow; 4th Committeeman—W. C. Jack; Inside Guard—Walter Scapley; Outside Guard—James Riggs; Asst. Sec.—Geo. Edwards; Auditors—J. L. Simpson, H. A. Lennox, W. J. Ridley; Trustees—Geo. Edwards, R. Oilphant, James Riggs; Grand Lodge Delegate—R. G. H. Barlow.

BRIGHT LITTLE GIRL DEAD

Elsie Mastin the thirteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Mastin, Hillside Street, died this morning of diphtheria. The little girl was born in Coneseon, Prince Edward. The obsequies were held privately this afternoon at four o'clock, the Rev. A. R. Sanderson of Holloway Street Methodist church conducting the service at the grave in Belleville cemetery. The grief-stricken parents have the deepest sympathy of the citizens in their sorrow.

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Several young ladies in going over to the west side of the lower bridge the other evening from a dance were rudely accosted by three young men and were almost frightened to death by their pursuit after they saw they were not wanted.

PLEASANT TURKEY SHOOT

About twenty of the Belleville gun and rifle shots went by motor car or carriage to the vicinity of Massena yesterday to a turkey shoot on the farm of Mr. Jose. The locals were out for birds and as a result of their unerring aim, a good many of the feathered fowl came over the bay bridge in the evening hours, the following winners being in charge of them: Messrs. H. Day, R. Day, A. Harman, J. Douch, F. Robinson, J. Thompson, M. Sprague, G. Williams, J. Woodley, R. Boulter and Hugh Howey.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

OPPOSE CENTRALISATION.

Comparison of statements by leading Imperialists in Great Britain and of Mr. Borden in Canada leads irresistibly to two conclusions—that Mr. Borden is absolutely wrong in his centralizing naval policy and that it is his whole trend of thought is of reactionary nature, repellent to the mother country as well as to Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. Mr. Borden has out-Toried the Tories in his anxiety to get back to conditions which made the Family Compact a name of evil repute in Canada.

Mr. Richard Jebb, the famous English naval and imperial authority, on November 4th, issued an appeal to the British admiralty to abandon "its present policy of naval centralization and return to the plan of well organized co-operative alliance as laid down in the admiralty memorandum to Sir Wilfrid Laurier in 1909."

Proceeding, Mr. Jebb says: "Free choice for Britain and compulsory choice for the Dominions. Is that their prescription for securing unity of the Empire until federation? The difference between 'may' and 'shall' is just the difference between the late made and sustained the present Empire and the new intolerance which by the abuse of loyalty would turn the Dominions into subject countries."

"Admiral W. H. Henderson—"Until Imperial federation is secured, which will, I think, take much longer than ten years, the only form of naval policy under existing conditions which the motherland and her daughter nations can adopt must be on the lines undertaken by the Australian Commonwealth. The question is one 'no taxation without representation', by ignoring which we lost the American colonies."

Admiral Freemantle. . . "The admiralty at the request of the Commonwealth sent out Sir Reginald Henderson to confer with the Australian government, and his proposals though thorough and entailing heavy expenditures, were accepted by all parties, and were carried out by the Labour government loyally, so that the Australian unit is now in a fair way to completion while suitable defence and training establishments are being established. SURELY THIS IS AN AN OBJECT LESSON IN THE RIGHT COURSE TO ADOPT, AND THE ENTHUSIASM OF NAVAL DEFENCE IN THE COMMONWEALTH IS IN STRONG CONTRAST TO THE UNFORTUNATE POLITICAL DIFFICULTIES IN WHICH PREMIER BORDEN HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN HIS ENDEAVOURS TO MEET THE ADMIRALTY'S VIEW."

In the light of these statements how wide of the mark are the words of Premier Borden, on the closing day of parliament. . . "In view of the fact that these proposals were made by the Government of Canada upon information which they had received from the British Government through the Admiralty, which they regarded as disclosing grave conditions, it may be possible in the future to make right that which has been wrong at the present. . . It is the firm intention and determination of this government. . . to bring down at a later date proposals for the acquisition or construction of three battle-ships as was proposed in the Naval Aid Bill of 1912. . . Canada will take over and pay for and acquire these ships and will place them at the disposal of His Majesty the King."

AND THE BUYING PUBLIC JUDGES.

One of the big mail order houses has been getting a roaring lately in a number of weekly papers on account of its "conscienceless warfare on the local merchants," and it is probable that local merchants in the towns in which the article has been printed have been benefited by the appeal to patronage for home industries. But—we took some pains to examine the pages of the weekly papers referred to, to see how many merchants were patronizing those newspapers which are also "home industries" and the absence of advertising was amazing. The mail order house referred to was seeing to it that every home practically was receiving catalogues and marked copies of newspaper advertisements and what woman is there who is not glad to look over the bargains offered in an attractive way?

In these towns, there were probably stores in which dust was lying deep on long kept goods, just because of a lack of enterprise on the part of sluggish proprietors. This is essentially a day of competition. Furthermore, the buying public is looking for "free" goods and is discerning enough to notice that the stores

that do not advertise can scarcely be depended upon to have much of anything but shelf worn stock.

We are offering no defense of the shopping by catalogue habit, especially in a town like Belleville where merchants are up-to-date and anxious to build up patronage, but we would suggest that the stores that advertise must naturally be expected to carry the most satisfactory goods.

Ontario readers will notice that all special bargains, as well as business-like reminders of the places where reliable articles can always be purchased, are all listed in its advertising sections. Make it a custom to do your shopping with the good aid of this advertising information.

NOVEL VIEW OF CHANNEL TUNNEL SCHEME.

British opposition to the construction of a tunnel under the Straits of Dover, one of the oldest and most amusing of English nineteenth century policies, has just been attacked from a new direction. Writing in a recent number of La Revue Hebdomadaire M. Benard argues that so far from being a menace to British safety and security the tunnel has become a prime necessity to England.

The arguments by which M. Benard sustains his thesis are at once interesting and novel. England, as he demonstrates, and it needs only the citation of the figures of British commerce to prove it, has become almost wholly dependent upon foreign countries for her food supplies. She draws from the wheat countries of eastern Europe and from the two Americas for bread and from Australia and the United States for meat. An interruption of this supply would mean a British defeat in war produced by starvation alone.

Such an interruption, Mr. Benard, like a host of British military and naval critics, argues, would be a certain consequence of a great European war. The supremacy of the British fleet is still conceded, but its concentration in home waters has left British commerce in the Seven Seas exposed to attack. In the Mediterranean Italy and Austria, allies of Germany, lie across the British bread line. Even in the Channel and the North Sea, German influence in Belgium and Holland would prevent the despatching of supplies, while British communication with America would surely be imperilled by German cruisers.

In such a situation the tunnel to France would be of immediate value. France still remains, next to Russia, the great food producing country of Europe. French North Africa has already taken something of the place it had in the Roman Empire, and to guard this line the French fleet remains wholly sufficient. French Atlantic ports, too, would be far more available, since less exposed, than British for receiving food supplies intended for Great Britain. All these sources of food supply would be placed beyond the peril of interrupted communications by the construction of a tunnel between Calais and Dover.

But the French are not merely interested or even chiefly in the tunnel project because of its value to England. To France it means a certain and rapid line of transportation for that British expeditionary army which is necessary to put France and Germany upon terms of equality in the Vosges. The difference between the difficulty and danger of water transportation and rail, the saving of time, the most vital of all elements, by using a tunnel, need no elucidation.

JUST BILL!

His name was just Bill. Once he had another name because his mother used to dream about the time when her wonderful little son would "grow into a great manhood, and in her visions she used to see his name written in the Temple of Fame.

Once he had another name because his father used to take him by the hand and lead him out under the stars and talk to him about the way the name could best be honored. "Don't be self-seeking, little lad. Use your gift for the benefit of others. And never, never fail to be grateful to God and to those who are kind to you," these were just some of the never-to-be-forgotten lessons that Bill learned.

He had another name, but when the gentle mother was called away, when in a few months the father travelled off into the same far country, he began to grow up as "just Bill."

The spirit of genius had presided at his birth, a poet's soul and a heart as loving and loyal as

should have come from the possession of such a mother and such a father, so Bill could do things differently from other folks.

When he was a good sized boy, he got a job in a water mill. From the very first he noticed ways to help the owner and because he had the genius he could put in strange devices that soon doubled and redoubled the income of the plant. Being a poet he made the grounds around the mill beautiful, being loyal and loving he saw his owner grow rich without envy.

Then it came to pass that, being gifted with a strange power of prophecy, Bill could tell the owner where to make investments; he could also discern the trickery and the unworthiness of men that came that way and often he would go out to the brow of the hill in the starlight and watch the light down in the village where the Owner and his family were attending some costly function and look up at the stars and thank God for all his blessings. It seemed good to be allowed to use his life for others.

So the years went on. Bill was getting old. There was no money laid aside because Bill had never accumulated, any, being just Bill his pay had been largely in old clothes and the little wage each week was always spent before it was earned. Many of his patents had been taken out in the name of the firm. The thesis by which the Owner's son took first honors at a great college had been written by Bill. And then one day careless Bill got all crushed up in the tangle of machinery. He could never be good any more, so the Owner bought him a ticket to the far South, gave him a hundred dollars grandiloquently waved aside Bill's tearful attempt to express his thanks for this and all other kindness that he had received and waved a genial good-bye as the train pulled out of the station.

And Bill? Oh, he died one day down South—it didn't matter much. He was "just Bill."—Widita Beaton.

Have taxes on food made you rich?

"Canada first, Canada last, and Canada forever."

The way the Whitney majorities are tumbling makes it look like the beginnings of a landslide.

A slump in the majorities of 300 and 250 respectively in such strongholds of conservatism as Peel and East Middlesex shows that Ontario is getting tired of a premier who does nothing but growl.

These summer temperatures may be all right for masons, and carpenters, and the sailors whose keels plough the crystal depths of the Bay of Quinte, and the stock-man whose supply of fodder is pitifully short, but have a thought for the poor coal merchant with several thousand tons of black diamonds in his bunkers, and the furrier with enough expensive fur garments on hand to purchase a king's ransom, or the dry-goods man with stacks and stacks of heavy winter garments in his exporium to shut out the rude blasts of our Canadian winter—think of these and sigh for an early touch of the real old-fashioned kind of weather, with ruddy cheeks, frost-bitten ears and icy pavements.

There is a well defined movement in our city to secure pledges from all candidates for municipal honors in regard to the protection of Zwick's island from further vandalism. A great majority of our citizens undoubtedly favor the effectual prevention of further ravages of gravel-grabbers on the outskirts of the island, but each succeeding city council seems to be as impotent as its predecessor to adopt any proper policy. As has been pointed out several times before in our columns, an adequate supply of gravel could be secured from the centre of the island and an artificial reservoir created which would be a source from which the civic waterworks could obtain an abundance of water that would be sparkling and pure. A great public utility would in this way be created, and at the same time the natural beauty of the place would be enhanced. Pledge your candidates on Zwick's island improvement, and a permanent pavement of the right kind for Front street.

While our city fathers are gazing about for a chance to spend some more money we would recommend as a proper object of consideration the posting up of new, signs for the street intersections. The most of the old boards bearing the names of the streets are no longer legible or have fallen down entirely. It is a matter of great difficulty for those not thoroughly acquainted to find a location without the inconvenience of making frequent inquiry. And while the council is about it we would like to have them change the name of the street upon which we reside. Commercial street as a name for a purely residential and bewitchingly beautiful quarter, is altogether too prosaically inappropriate. Strathcona boulevard, Laurier drive, or Sagonaska avenue are suggested as names that would be more in keeping and more to the taste of the discriminating residents of that important part of the city.

The municipal elections are now only a few weeks away and it is time we were considering men and measures for the coming year. This has been a year with a council of ten members and the experience has been fairly satisfactory.

Some of the drawbacks incidental to the smaller representative body have been realized, such as the tendency to cut and dry measures in committee or caucus, and then railroad them through the regular public meeting. But there has been a gain in getting business accomplished without the fuss and prolixity due to the larger organization. The council has not carried out all the program it announced at the beginning of the year. The most notable of this year's accomplishments have been the erection of the new school in west Belleville, the passage of the garbage by-law, and the arrangement to cover the perennial overflow by the issuance of debentures. There has also been a marked improvement in the administration of the roads' department under the new superintendent. Some very satisfactory new macadam street surfaces have also been laid. The new garbage by-law has been received with mingled feelings of censure and satisfaction, but we believe that with some necessary amendments and with greater experience in its workings that this can be transformed into an excellent measure for the city's good health and well-being. The harshest criticism that has been directed against this year's council has been on account of its failure to carry out the main plank in its platform by paving Front Street. This criticism we consider well founded. It is true the debenture market went bad early in the summer, but the paving problem should have been settled and the debentures sold long before that. The council knew the temper of the people and should have prepared to go on with the work as soon as spring opened. However there is no use grieving over this now. The question is, what are we going to do in the future. The people want to see this pavement laid and they do not want to wait longer than next summer to get it. They have seen Brockville, Lindsay and other towns not so populous or wealthy as Belleville putting down a splendid class of permanent pavements this last year and they are tired of lagging behind in the procession. We must see that a council is elected that is not only favorable to laying THE RIGHT KIND OF PAVEMENT. A majority of this year's council voted in favor of laying a pavement that had the single merit of cheapness and that would in the course of a very few years make us the laughing stock of our neighbors. Every citizen before he supports any candidate for aldermanic honors, should carefully ascertain just where the candidate stands in regard to the paving question. There is only one thing to do—apply the axe to every candidate who is opposed to paving or who favors cheap, botch pavements. Members of the present council may have changed their views since last spring and if so, give them a chance. But let us have a clear cut understanding and declaration from every candidate as to what he favors.

Hon. James Bryce, in a recent work on the countries of South America says: "The interest of these new countries lies largely in the fact that while some problems, already familiar to the Old World, have here taken on new aspects, others appear here almost for the first time in history. Some of these involve phenomena of race growth and face intermixture, for the investigation of which the data we possess are still insufficient. Others turn upon the still unascertained capacity of European races for working and thriving in tropical countries. "These countries will be the home of rich and populous nations, and possibly of great nations. The most interesting of all the questions which a journey in South America suggests are those which concern the growth of these young nations. What type of manhood will they develop? What place in the world will they ultimately hold? They need fear no attacks from the powers of the Northern Hemisphere, and they have abundant resources within. Their future is in their own hands. If one regards these nations as a whole, one is struck by the want of such an 'atmosphere of ideas' as that men breathe in Western Europe and in North America. Educated men are few, books are few; there is little stir of thought, little play of cultivated intelligence upon the problems of modern society. There are plenty of men of ability, but their talent, like the system of instruction of the country, is directed almost exclusively to practical ends, and does less than it ought either for political progress or for the expansion of the national mind. Their interest in science is almost entirely an interest in its applications."

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FARM FOR SALE

Well equipped 100 acre farm for sale, clay loam, first-class condition, school and church close by. Lot 35 4th concession Sidney. \$5,500. Donald Longwell, Foxboro, Ont.

FARM FOR SALE

Good farm 95 acres, one mile west of Wellington on Lake Ontario. Good buildings, 6 acres orchard, water, four canning factories near also driving horse. Mrs. John A. Bowerman. A14-3aw

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Lot 1 and 2, 5th Con. Tyendinaga 150 acres. Good buildings, new barn, with furnace and telephone, new barn, silo, rural mail. Apply W. G. Haslam Gilead Ont. A. F. W.

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Tenders will be received until Friday, Dec. 5th for the manufacture of cheese for season 1914 in West Huntingdon Cheese Factory. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Make for season 117,196 lbs. cheese. Apply Jas. W. Haggerty, President, West Huntingdon. N27-2tw

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Fine double frame house less than 10 minutes' walk from Front St. on Moira street west, small barn and large lot.

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CITY FATHERS MET LAST EVENING IN REGULAR SESSION

Belleville City Council last evening in regular session took up the Front Street pavement question. When the next meeting is likely there will be some change in the viewpoint of some of the members. It will be remembered that a by-law is on the books calling for a concrete pavement in answer to a petition but it is now felt that a new petition would be freely signed so that a top dressing of brick, asphalt or some other material may be placed over the concrete foundation.

Other questions under fire were the railway problems, the grounding of the Trenton Electric Co's transformers within the city for human protection, the request for remission of the Y.M.C.A. taxes for 1913.

There were present Mayor Willis, Ald. Foster, Woodley Blaker, White, Robinson and McFee.

The executive of the Y.M.C.A. formed a delegation to the council. Mr. W. B. Deacon, spokesman requested their behalf exemption from taxes except local taxes for the Y.M.C.A. for 1913, as in the past few years. The taxation is \$322.99 including \$25.99 local improvements. Mr. A. E. Bailey, President, said, the Y.M.C.A. and churches were valuable assets to the city. The bare lot had been greatly improved by the erection of the building. Two thirds of the citizens already support it. Mr. D. V. Simclair said, there were this evening before eight o'clock, more than sixty-five young men engaged before I came down here. Mr. Walter Alford also spoke. Mayor Willis said the Y.M.C.A. was one of the greatest institutions for young men in the English speaking world. The council will take it into consideration.

Ald. McFee moved that the request be granted.

Mayor Willis said it could not be taken out of the committees except printing and contingent. Four thousand dollars was set aside for this. This has been drawn upon freely. It is estimated now that \$5,000 would have been more than large to have been put in the appropriation. The Mayor said he was in favor of the motion of Ald. McFee but suggested that the committee go to the committee to see where the money is to come from.

Ald. Foster did not know what committee could stand it. Why delay it for two weeks as the request will be granted in the long run?

Ald. McFee revised his motion to

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MONTAGUE IS ELECTED

All But Three Polls Gave ex-Minister a Lead of 370.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 1.—With three polls to hear from Hon. Mr. Montague, the new Provincial Minister of Public Works, has a lead of 370 in Kildonan and St. Andrews, bye-election, held Saturday. The figures: Montague 1,122; Bredin 753; majority, 370.

At the 1910 general elections the figures were as follows: Grain (Conservative), 1,131; Bredin (Liberal), 1,043; majority, 88.

At the last election the three missing polls of Fort Alexander, Bad Throat and Rabbit Point, cast a total vote of 64, and gave a Conservative majority of 18. This indicates that final figures, possibly not available for several days, will add slightly to the Government majority.

The size of the majority is probably a surprise to both parties. Four polls—East Kildonan, Seven Oaks, Garson and Poplar Park—gave a Liberal majority, and twelve gave Conservative majorities, there being nineteen altogether. Liberal headquarters attribute their showing to short notice and consequent difficulty in getting out the vote.

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HE SMASHED THE WINDOW

Hollander Got Nothing For Pains But Stage Bills.

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—In the belief that about fifty "stage money" 100 dollar bills hanging in the window of Liggett's drug store, on Yonge street, were the real thing, Mike Stamaske, Hollander, just in from Amsterdam, an of no address, smashed the window with a huge wrench, seized as many as he could reach, and sped down Yonge street at four o'clock Saturday morning with his pockets crammed full of what he thought were real hundred dollar bills. He was later arrested at the corner of King and Bay.

The prisoner is nearly six feet in height and weighs in the neighborhood of 200 pounds; William Foster, an hotel proprietor, whose weight is estimated at 90 pounds, saw the theft and started out in pursuit of the flying Dutchman. Down Yonge to King street, along King to Church and south on Church to Colborne, along Colborne and Melinda, and up Bay to the corner of King street, the chase continued.

According to a police officer, the little fellow, called the Hollander, and at every hundred yards or so sprang to the shoulders of the fleeing man, only to be shaken off. Undaunted he would pick himself up, catch him again and the same performance took place. Foster must have been thrown a dozen times before at the corner of King and Bay he took an extra big leap at the waiting man, lighted on his shoulders, and the two went to the pavement together. Foster wound his legs round Stamaske, pinned his arms behind his back and commenced to yell.

Constable Perry, away over at the corner of York and King, heard the rumpus and came over on the run to aid ninety-pound William Foster of London, England, seated on the broad back of Michael Stamaske of Amsterdam, Holland. The constable arrested Stamaske on a charge of shop-breaking.

ANOTHER BOAT HAS BEEN LOST

Steamer I. W. Nicholls Goes Ashore in Lake Huron.

ALPENA, Mich., Dec. 1.—The steamer I. W. Nicholls, of Cleveland, which grounded off North Point in Lake Huron last Wednesday night, broke in two during the fierce storm which swept that section of the lake Saturday night. She will probably be a total loss. The crew remained aboard until hope of saving the steamer was abandoned and life-savers rescued them shortly before midnight.

The boat was bound from Port Arthur to Buffalo with 175,000 bushels of fax.

An attempt probably will be made to save part of the cargo.

The steamer Goble, coal laden, which grounded here Saturday, was released yesterday. She was not damaged.

The storm on Lake Huron moderated considerably yesterday.

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SAMPLE HANDKERCHES AT HALF LESS THAN REGULAR PRICE

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SEE WINDOWS TO-NIGHT

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The Best Flower Garden

An agreeable surprise came to C.P. Ry. station agent, Mr. T. E. Gordon, one day last week, in the form of a cheque for \$25.00 being the General Superintendent's prize for the best station flower garden. It will be recalled that Mr. Gordon also won the prize last year but at that time conditions were different as the agents all along the line were aware of the contest being on. This year the Supt. did not announce any intention of giving a prize hence the recipient's surprise upon its arrival. Mr. Gordon's flower plot has for many years been the object of various eyes and he is to be congratulated upon again securing a prize, more especially when he had no knowledge of the Superintendent's intentions which went to show that only the ordinary attention was given to the care of this little beauty spot. Those eligible for the prize comprised 11 agents on the company's line extending from Port McNichol, Owen Sound and Detroit to Smith's Falls approximately 15 hundred miles of road. Twelve

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News Gathered From Belleville's Many Suburban Districts

MOIRA

Moira, Nov. 28.—Our anniversary services were held Sunday. A good crowd was in attendance. Rev. Mr. Bick, of Iyaboo, took charge of both services and gave two splendid sermons, which all enjoyed.

Misses Maggie Cassie and Emma Elliot, of Tweed, visited their aunt, Mrs. J. B. Morton, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Surger, of West Huntingdon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe English Sunday.

Little Miss Bessie Kitchener, who has been very sick is now getting better.

Mr. Willard and Edith McLaughlin of Thornburg, spent Sunday with their cousin, Miss Evelyn Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donnon, of West Huntingdon and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clark were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson on Sunday last.

Miss Edna Ketcheson, of Bloomfield, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hollinger.

One of the old time customs "hunting bees" at Mr. John Simons Saturday evening was well attended by the men and boys of the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Haight returned today after a week's visit with friends in Toronto.

MAPLE VIEW

Maple View, Nov. 25.—We are having beautiful weather now and hope it continues for a few days.

Mr. Frank Garry and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. G. Wiley.

Miss Pearl Honeywell of Corbyville is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Messrs. Harry Acker and Frank Oertout are working on the Trent Valley survey.

Mrs. White of Swan River is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. Jas. Gutter.

Mr. Percy Mikel has returned to his work at Trenton.

Mr. E. F. Sharpe of Belleville made a number of calls in our neighborhood on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. of Wooler and Mr. and Mrs. M. Sharp visited the Rev. L. M. Sharpe of Roblin last week.

Wedding bells are ringing loudly in this part of the county.

THIRD LINE THURLOW

Third Line Thurlow, Nov. 30.—Mr. Wm. and Albert Latta had pleasant days for their sale and it proved a good success.

Mr. John Schryver, attending having a sale on December 4th.

Miss Della Sherman of Plainfield, is the guest this week of her cousin, Miss Hazel Beatty.

Mr. Frank Gaston has returned home from a visit to the West.

Our school teacher, Miss E. J. Bishop is preparing for a Xmas tree to be held in the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Daece were visiting at Mr. Samuel Dean's on day last week.

Mr. E. Graham and two children spent a couple of days last week at Mr. Joseph Beatty's.

Miss Edna Tweedy entertained some of her young friends on Thursday night. A good time was spent.

Miss Hazel Beatty entertained young people on Tuesday night and all report a good time.

Miss Della Sherman, Miss Hazel Beatty, and Miss E. Graham took tea with Miss Pearl Dean on Wednesday night.

We are having some cooler weather now and the mud is beginning to take a cold.

MADOC

Madoc, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Thompson, mother of Warden Thos. H. Thompson, has passed away in her 88th year. Until a few years ago she was quite active. The funeral took place on Thursday and was largely attended.

Fine weather prevails and farmers have finished their fall ploughing. The fine mild weather has made a great difference in the consumption of fodder. Many farmers, who had decided to sell off more of their stock owing to the feed shortage, will now be able to carry their present herds through the winter without being compelled to make undue purchases of hay or other fodder.

The Bell Telephone Company have a large force of men engaged in putting up new lines.

The heavy rain storms a few days ago caused a flooding of the basement of the new armory. The building is erected in a low-lying situation and the rush of water. A wide walk is now being put down in front, and on the west side, which will add greatly to the appearance of the building. Some of the boys facetiously suggest that it will be necessary to put a bell on the commanding officer so that he will not get lost in the immensity of the new drill shed.

Municipal politics is now becoming a frequent subject of conversation. We have not as yet learned whether our present reeve and the councillors seek re-election.

The Methodists of our village will hold their anniversary services on Sunday December 7th. On Monday a teasemeting will be held under the auspices of the ladies of the church.

WALLBRIDGE

Wallbridge, Nov. 29.—At the Women's Institute meeting held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. Phillips. Mrs. D. I. Ross gave a very interesting paper, "Cost of Living," and Mrs. Geo. Nicholson, also a very instructive paper on "Waste through Injudicious Buying." Music was furnished by Miss Nobes and a recitation by Miss Myrtle Bowser. There were twenty-five ladies present.

Our annual Institute meeting will be held December 9th in the church. Mrs. F. W. Watts of Toronto, will be the speaker. A joint meeting in the Hall is being arranged.

AMFLIASBURG

Ameliasburg, Dec. 2.—A pumpkin pie social was held the 12th at Adam school. Proceeds to go for the Sunday school.

Kenneth Parks and Orvell Carrington gave an oyster supper Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Clayton Pulver. About twenty-five guests were present. All spent a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. Clarence Spencer and Miss Mary Bunn spent Sunday at Mr. Morley Carrington's.

Mr. Roy Dempsey had the misfortune to lose three calves yesterday.

Miss Gladys Cockburn of Wellington spent last week at Mr. Wellman West's.

Mr. Budy Adams and Mr. George Simpson see each the proud father of a little baby boy.

W. West and family spent Sunday at Mr. P. Carley's.

BURR'S

Burr's, December 1st.—Some excitement was caused a few days ago when a horse, which was being driven through here became frightened and dashed away at full speed. It was some minutes before the driver regained control of the animal, and it took him some time to stand still by driving it against the fence. Aside from a few straps of the harness being broken no damage was done.

The stork visited Mr. Stanley Brooks' home and left a fine baby boy.

The large number from here who attended Mrs. Nelson Young's funeral at Melville on Thursday shows the high esteem in which he was held.

Miss Alma Reid has commenced her duties as operator at the Sprague Telephone office, Mountain View.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hicks spent Sunday in Wellington, the guests of Mrs. Hicks' brother, Mr. E. W. Marvin.

Mrs. G. Munroe and Master Lorne have returned from Picton where they spent a few days last week. Mr. Munroe has given up the mail route for the winter. Mr. John R. Marvin will take his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. Walter Youngs, Gilead.

PLEASANT VIEW

Pleasant View, Dec. 1.—Miss Olive Smith is attending O.B.C. Belleville.

Mr. N. Shorey's sale was held on Nov. 20th. It was a good sale.

Quite a number from here took in the hand concert at Foxboro.

Mr. Frank Jeffrey is spending a few weeks with his uncle at Melrose.

Mr. Harris Conger has returned to his home in Chicago after a few weeks' visit with cousin here.

Miss Acker and Miss Goy have been in the neighborhood the past week doing some sewing.

Mr. R. N. Bird occupied the pulpit Sunday evening.

On account of the darkness Sunday evening, a couple of buzzies, in coming to church, collided, the harness being badly broken and Mrs. William Holmes slightly injured, but glad to report nothing more serious.

Mr. G. Hawkins and family are moving to Foxboro this week.

The milkwagons have stopped and everyone is busy making butter.

6TH CONCESSION SIDNEY

6th Concession Sidney.—The Rev. Mr. Sanderson of West Belleville occupied the pulpit on Sunday afternoon and delivered a missionary sermon which was very much appreciated.

Miss E. Daece of Trenton and Mr. Albert Dewey of Bayreok were the guests of Mr. J. A. Lott on Sunday.

Miss Edna Ketcheson of the 5th Concession spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. M. Sine.

Quite a number from here attended the Marsh Hill church on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lott took tea at the home of Mr. Walter Scott on Sunday night.

WELLINGTON

Wellington, Dec. 1.—Friends' Missionary tea will be held at Mrs. I. B. Donald's east Wellington this Thursday evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Young will attend Friends' quarterly meeting at Wooler this Sunday.

Preparations are being made by the Methodist church and Friends' church for their Christmas trees, look out for the dates.

Miss Kathleen Trunpou is at Picton on a visit.

M. B. Trunpou was at Colborne last week on a business trip.

Mr. Clayton Morden of Picton was in Wellington on Monday. He expects to take up his residence here soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Teskey will move in where Mr. Gordon vacated. Come to church on Sunday afternoons to do your banking as the banks will not be open in the evenings.

Miss Mary Betts of Stormont visited over Sunday near here.

Do not forget to see Mrs. Young's arrival. Our B. C. church and Anglican friends are keeping it.

Lots of people are moving to and from the country.

Miss Vera Macdonald sang a solo at the Methodist church on Sunday evening and it was much enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith of Hillier and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burley of Swamp Caye were in town Monday.

A large number attended the lecture and views in the music hall on Monday night. It was very enjoyable.

Mr. Fred McConnell and family are settled in their new home.

Dinner and tea parties are all the rage these days.

A number of commercial men were in town this week.

Miss Purcell of Bloomfield spent Sunday at the home of Miss Donalds East Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin from Point Peter, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. John Mandeville.

Everybody is getting ready for Christmas and it will soon be here. Dress and meat are still very high in price.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bell were at Bloomfield one day last week.

Our bowling alley in the place for amusement there in town Monday.

Excursion walks are being built by a large number of citizens.

The Zuffel family from here attended Mrs. Zuffel's funeral at Melville last week.

We are anxious to hear Master George Young is better at Melville.

Mr. H. M. Pettengill of Rose Hill was in town Monday.

Wedding bells are soon to be heard around these parts.

Mrs. Busfield has arrived home from a visit to Picton.

Mrs. Will Luffman has a lady visitor.

Mr. G. H. F. Young is at Melville. His grandson is ill.

All our doctors are kept busy these days as a large number are on the sick list.

All are glad to learn that Rev. Dr. Baker, principal of Albert College, Belleville will preach at the Methodist church on Sunday, Dec. 14th. Rev. Dr. Baker was a former pastor here and all will be glad to hear him again.

Our insurance men are busy these days.

Judge Morrison and Lawyer Young of Picton were in town Friday.

Let Smith of Toronto was down on Sunday.

Mrs. H. Greer was at Toronto last week on a visit to her grand-daughter, who is at school there.

We are sorry to hear that little Evelyn Stonehouse is ill. All hope for a speedy recovery.

The W.M.S. of the Methodist church will meet the 2nd Tuesday in December at the home of Mrs. Gullet, East Wellington.

Sympathy is extended to the Young family of Hillier on the death of their mother.

There are a number of our boys attending the O.B.C. at Belleville.

Mr. Samuel C. Saylor is home from Goderich, Ont. where he has been at work at a cannery factory.

A large number were in town on Sunday and it was a nice day.

Miss K. Clarke of Swamp Caye was the guest of Miss M. Stinson Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Hubba was at Picton on Saturday.

Our undertakers are very busy these days as there have been a number of sudden deaths.

A fine residence is being built for Mr. Shurie.

Mrs. Manley Morden of Bloomfield spent Saturday with Mrs. Alva Platt Rev. and Mrs. Young have returned from Island Lake where they opened a new Friends' church.

Surprise parties are taking place quite frequently. There were two recently, one at the home of Mrs. A. McFaul's and the other at the home of Mrs. James Post.

Peter B. Trunpou of Toronto was here and at Picton last week.

We are glad to report that Mr. and Mrs. John N. MacDonald will not move to the west.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Spencer of Picton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McQuade have moved in rooms over Mr. Balle's former place above.

Gerald Noxon has gone to attend the O.B.C. at Belleville. All good wishes go with him.

Mr. Thomas Hardy has arrived at home from the Northwest.

St. Andrew's Anglican church will hold their bazaar on December 13th in old town hall afternoon and evening.

Lawyer O'Rourke of Trenton was in town Friday attending division court.

A very large number went to Picton, Toronto and Trenton on Saturday.

REDNERSVILLE

Rednersville, Dec. 2.—Mr. Thomas G. Thompson has been painting Mr. W. K. Ostrom's home.

Mr. Adelbert Roblin is busy digging a new well on his farm.

If the weather continues favorable until Xmas the farmers around here will be able to complete their ploughing.

Mr. Roy Anderson is again able to work after the misfortune of cutting off one of his fingers.

Mr. Stanley Brickman is doing a rushing business in hunting and trapping.

The W.M.S. of Centre held a quilting bee at the home of Mrs. Elwood Spence on Wednesday last.

Mr. Spurgeon Dempsey is erecting a new barn.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. C. H. Babbit on Thursday last. A number of ladies were present to hear the report from the Institute Convention held in Toronto, which was given by the delegate, Mrs. Morton Weese. Mrs. Weese brought back an excellent report of the work done by the several institutes which were represented at the convention. It is to be hoped her report will entice Rednersville Institute ladies to take a more decided stand against prevailing wrongs in their district.

Mrs. Lorne Brice made an interesting article on "Love in the Home." Plans for managing a husband were heartily discussed but nothing definite was decided upon. Luncheon was served by the ladies of Rednersville, and at a late hour the meeting closed.

Mr. R. G. Stafford having completed his new building, is now ready to accommodate the public along his line of work.

Mr. Archie Hubbs and Mr. Clarence Young have gone to Winnipeg for the winter.

Mr. Leigh had the misfortune of losing his fine horse. Through her playfulness she broke her leg.

OAK HILLS

Oak Hills, Dec. 1st.—Miss Gladys Alley, who has been ill we hear is better.

Mr. W. R. Stanley started sawing wood for the Eggleston Bros. one day last week.

Miss Lillian Bronson returned home after spending a week with friends at Foxboro and Corbyville.

Miss Elsie Eggleston is visiting friends near Belleville.

Several from here attended the wedding on Thursday of Miss Marguerite Whitty, one of Stirling's most popular young ladies, to Mr. Felix Raschote of Tweed. All join in wishing them a most prosperous wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stanley, Miss Bertha Hamilton and Nelson Stanley were guests of Mrs. Bronson on Sunday last.

Mr. Jack Johnston of Wellman's Corner made a flying visit to the Hills on Sunday.

Several from here attended the anniversary service at Marsh Hill last night.

Miss Ira Stanley is staying a few days with her sister, Mrs. F. Series.

Mr. G. E. Ross of Eldorado will take charge of the anniversary services at Eggleston, December 7th, both morning and evening.

Misses Evelyn Hawkins of Stirling and Sister Tempe of O.B.C. Belleville called on Miss Lillian Bronson on Thursday afternoon.

MADOC JUNC.

Madoc Junction, There was no service in the Methodist church here last Sabbath.

Miss Mae Currie and Miss Bertha Mosher of Stirling spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. Roy Welbourn has returned from visiting friends in the West.

Robert Coulson, who had proposed his sale held it December 1st.

Mrs. Demorest and grandson Arthur, are home again from the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Beard and family of Station St. are moving to their new home on Front St.

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The Cannery Factory has closed but a few of the young ladies are engaged in buying.

Misses Mabel Baird and Gladys Ketcheson visited their friend, Mabel Bailey on Friday last.

On Thursday evening a large ball was held at the Temperance House and a great many were present.

FOXBORO

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The farmers are ploughing and ditching their farms getting ready for spring's work.

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MASSASSAGA

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Mrs. B. Osborne and Mrs. J. A. Barker visited Mrs. William Wheeler recently.

The W.M.S. meeting held at the home of Mrs. D. Anderson was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gorline and son of Fish Lake spent Wednesday with their sister, Mrs. G. F. Lent.

Mrs. George Ackerman and daughter Olga are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, at Hazelock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Halladay took tea with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Simonds last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Valles attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Zuffel near Melville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Valles of Bowermans' visited their nephew, Mr. G. F. Lent, recently.

Mr. W. Hoy had the misfortune to lose a fine jersey cow on Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. Snider and Mrs. G. M. Lent attended the funeral of Mr. N. Young at Melville on Thursday last.

Mr. H. Snider is getting out gravel and sand for his new barn.

Rev. T. Wallace took dinner with Mr. W. Hoy last Sunday.

Mr. W. Carritt was around taking orders again.

MELVILLE

Melville, Dec. 1.—Again we are reminded that the grim reaper's death comes to all. Our church was the scene of two funeral services this week. On Thursday that of the late Nelson G. Young of Concession, and old and respected resident of Hillier Twp was conducted under the Orange Order. Interment at Bowermans'.

On Saturday the remains of Mrs. Harriet Zuffel were laid to rest in Bowermans' cemetery. Mrs. Zuffel had been ill for some time but she suffered a stroke of paralysis which hastened the end.

Mr. Frank Zuffel having received word of the serious illness of his brother William at Denver, Col., has started south to see him.

Mrs. James Lockin who has been visiting her brother in Rochester for the past two weeks has returned home.

A number from here attended the husking bee at the home of Mr. J. Lockin on Wednesday night and said they enjoyed getting out into the country to get a square meal.

Mr. Caleb French is shipping fowls to Belleville every Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. French were in Concession on Friday.

Mr. James Masters of Ameliasburg is engaged in putting in cement floors in the basement of Mr. French's new mill and also in raising the cement dam adjoining the mill. He is only one day from being in Allisonville one day last week.

Mr. Charles Peterson of Allisonville Superintendent of the Home Department Branch of Sunday School work visited our school on the 30th and gave a very interesting address which ought to help revive the interest in that line of work. At one time our home department was very successfully conducted by Mrs. G. Osborne. Mr. Stanley Brooks is wearing a broad smile these days, a baby boy has come to stay.

TRENTON

Trenton December 2nd, 1913.

Mr. H. V. Meredith, the new President of the Bank of Montreal, at the annual meeting of the Bank held in Montreal yesterday used plain language in advising the business men of the Dominion to go slowly in business expansion for some time to come. He warned the shareholders that while conditions were fundamentally sound, the present was no time to encourage speculation, and that merchants should go slowly in the accumulation of large stocks.

The Byron Whittaker and the "Sinebad" trawlers belonging to Frank Hall of Montreal, have reached this port where they will winter.

The Scotch Singers gave a splendid performance at Canterbury Hall last evening before a small audience. It is too bad that people will sign a subscription list, upon the strength of which artists, such as the Scotch singers are engaged and then fail to buy tickets for the performance as they lastly agreed to do.

Mr. H. A. Thompson is in Belleville to-day on business.

We understand that the Lloyd Collapsible Carriage Company will soon pass into new hands, Mr. C. S. Lloyd selling out his interest and retiring from the concern.

The Opera House will have a splendid performance at Canterbury Hall last evening before a small audience. It is too bad that people will sign a subscription list, upon the strength of which artists, such as the Scotch singers are engaged and then fail to buy tickets for the performance as they lastly agreed to do.

Mr. W. Young, a local contractor, is building six houses for O.P.H. engineers on property located close to the Division Office. We are told that he has also instructions to build forty smaller houses as soon as he can commence the work in the coming Spring.

Mr. Walter Brett sold his house in Bank Street at a substantial advance over the purchase price.

One of Mrs. Frank Hall's relatives here, came direct from Hamilton Bay.

The finest residence built in Trenton for some time is just nearing completion and will be occupied by Messrs. Herbert and Rennie Kemp.

Mr. Blezard, accountant of the Bank of Montreal here has received notice today of his transfer to the Waterford office of the Bank.

Rev. Mr. Harris of Maynooth, was a town visitor yesterday.

An open rink is one of the possibilities. We were told today by a gentleman who is interested, that arrangements are now being made to place in certain conveniently located property so as to be ready for the cold weather.

MADE A NEW MAN OF LUKE BENOIT

Another Splendid Cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Newfoundland Man Tells How He Found Quick Relief and Permanent Cure After Two Years' Suffering.

Stephenville, Nfld., Dec. 1st.—Special—Loud in his praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills, Luke Benoit, a well known and highly respected resident of this place. And there is a reason. For two years he suffered from the pains and aches of kidney disease, today he is a new man, and six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills effected the transformation.

"I cannot praise Dodd's Kidney Pills too highly," Mr. Benoit says in an interview. "I suffered for two years from headache and pains in my back. My sleep was broken and my appetite failing, and I thought the trouble must be in my kidneys.

"I sent to Thomas McMurdo, St. John's, Nfld., for six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They helped me almost from the start, and now I am a new person.

"I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all my friends. If they should suffer from pains and aches as I did."

That Mr. Benoit suffered from kidney disease is shown by his symptoms. Any two of these symptoms are proof that your kidneys are diseased. For diseased kidneys there is only one cure that never fails—Dodd's Kidney Pills.

FOUND HIS LOTS

A Calgary gentleman some time ago purchased through an agent two lots at \$350 each in a city, town or village in this section of Ontario. Hoping to come eastward he stopped over at this place and drove out to see the lots which he finally located. It is said in a low section of swampy ground.

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News Gathered From Belleville's Many Suburban Districts

HALLOWAY

Halloway, Dec. 1.—A number of our young people attended the anniversary service at Marsh Hill last Sunday evening.

Mr. John Lowery spent a week with his sister at Lakewood, recently. The Sunday School is preparing an excellent program for their Xmas Tree which is to be held on Friday evening, December 15th.

Mr. Clifford Elliott has returned home after spending the summer in Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Lawson of Trent Bridge have been renewing old acquaintances in our midst.

The Epworth League of this place spent their social evening at the home of Mr. Bruce McMillan on Thursday evening last. The ladies provided a lunch. A most social time was spent.

Mr. Milo Reid is on the sick list. Our pastor, Rev. Mr. Brown intends speaking to the young men on Sunday next, his subject being "Young Men and their Social Life." Social music is being provided, consisting of a male choir.

Mr. John Wilson, who broke his collar bone some time ago, is progressing favorably. We are glad to see him at work in the shop again.

Miss Ethel Hough spent last week at the home of Mr. Will Caldwell.

Mr. J. Kelly of Belleville has been visiting in our vicinity.

THE HILL

4th Con. Sidney, Dec. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Shores spent a few days last week at Chisholm's Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Reddick took tea on Sunday evening at Mrs. Sidney Sharp's.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spencer and little Molly spent Sunday in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gay of the Upper Fourth, spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell's.

The young people of this place have started practicing this week for their Xmas tree.

Quite a number of the girls visited Miss Reid, the new teacher, at Wallbridge school on Friday.

Antonia Sales, at the order of the day, the postponed sale of Mr. Coulson's table yesterday.

Mr. Bert Ketcheson has been out painting Mr. Bradley's house.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

Mountain View, Dec. 2.—The W. M. S. meets December 10th at Mrs. Chas. Laurier's. Every member is expected to bring a new member.

W. W. Anderson visited his brother, Geo. Anderson who is still in bed on account of the knee that was kicked sometime ago.

Miss Reed, of Borg's is central girl now.

Will Clarke's house caught fire on Sunday just as people were going to Sunday School. The neighbors turned out and helped remove the furniture and the men were called from church but by the time they arrived the fire was out. However considerable damage was done to the interior of the house.

As the fire started where there were no pipes it is hard to say what caused it unless a mouse tried to light his pipe.

Bob Brown's is making its usual weekly visits to all the neighbors door-to-door. It is always welcome.

H. G. Stafford is building a hen-house in hopes that his fowls will be induced by the beauty of their surroundings to lay maybe a dozen or so.

PLAINFIELD

Plainfield, Dec. 2nd.—The farmers in this locality are pleased to see open weather as they are busily engaged in finishing their plowing.

A number of the people of this locality attended the sales of Mr. Wm. Latta and his brother Mr. A. Latta of the 3rd Con. of Thurlo.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherman spent last Thursday with friends near Shan-nonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hall attended a wedding at Eldorado on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Joe. Gow and Mrs. L. Gillespie were the guests of Miss D. Sherman on Wednesday last.

Miss Annie Gawley entertained about 30 young people of this village on Tuesday night. All report a good time.

Mr. James H. Hall and Arthur Hall are spending a few days at Lime Lake.

Don't miss this Wednesday, Dec. 10 at Plainfield, East Church; Thursday, Dec. 11 at Bethel Church; both at 7:30 p.m. A voyage from London, England, to Capetown, South Africa, calling en route at Las Palmas, the Canaries; Sierra Leone (White Man's Grave) Mosmedem, Portugus West Africa, also having the Deep Sea Cable, Bureaus at Sea, Life on a Cadet Ship, Crossing the Line and First Introduction to Father Neptune and a host of other experiences by Capt. C. G. Williams, given in his own unique style, that makes every incident live again. Tickets 25 cents. Children 15 cents. Tickets good for either place,

CROOKSTON

Crookston, Dec. 1.—Rev. H. Clarke of Marmora circuit occupied the pulpit in our church on Sunday morning and gave us an interesting sermon on missionary work.

The annual factory meeting was largely attended on last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Arthur Jones and family of Farnsworth Corners spent a couple of days last week visiting at her home here.

The Women's Institute will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 9th. Mrs. Mark Lancaster will entertain the ladies on that date.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. John Blue's little son. We all hope for a speedy recovery.

MADOC

Madoc, Dec. 2.—The recent election of officers, 19th I.O.O.F. has resulted as follows—

N.G.—Robert Noyes
V.G.—Thos. Ridgland
Rec. Sec.—Arthur Hill
Fin. Sec.—Lester Morrice
Treas.—Benson O'Hara

The concert under the auspices of the Rebekah lodge on Friday night promises to be a grand affair. All the seats have already been sold.

Charles Gray passed away on Monday morning after a protracted illness. The funeral will be held tomorrow under Masonic auspices.

Rev. Richard Bamford, B.A., will preach in the Methodist church here.

Mr. George Kerr is slowly recovering from the stroke of paralysis he suffered some time ago.

A debate will be held between representatives of Madoc and Stirling high schools next Friday.

The fire this morning will cause a serious loss to Mr. Blue. We are informed that he will rebuild right away.

SINE

Sine, Dec. 3.—Now is the time for the annual hand-shaking of the aspirants for public office. Our Rev. and Deputy, passed through here recently but I don't know as that was their business.

All the weddings haven't occurred yet in these parts. We hear the first is later on in this week.

Mr. Boulter Johnston is to become a benedict on Wednesday. Miss Lunn of the 1st is the lucky maiden.

Miss Beatrice Sims is also to be married the same day to Mr. J. W. Wandersma of Stirling. Being apprized of this latter event a number of Beatrice's friends, young and old, gathered in a surprise party at her home on Saturday evening and presented her with a "show" of useful articles for her new home.

Several from here attended Mr. H. Morton's sale at Wellman's. Mr. W. Hawkins purchased the automobile and no doubt he will go at a greater speed than usual.

Practices for this Christmas entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock this week. They promise something good.

Agents for cream separators are thicker than flies in the summer time and have made a number of sales.

Mr. Alf Williams of Springfield, Ontario, is at the creamery one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraclok spent Sunday at their daughter's, Mrs. W. H. Walter's, after attending the "show" for Miss B. Sims, the evening before.

Mr. S. M. H. of Stirling, was selling on her friends on Saturday and also stayed over for the "show" on Sunday.

Miss Morrison of Stirling, went Sunday with Mr. Leta Green.

Henry and Miss Annie Farrell of Carmel, were at their brother John's over Sunday, also a number from Thomastown were there.

Mr. G. M. Denby is at his father's for a few days, being on the sick list.

Our local rodents are roaming the woods and fields but their success is not very great as yet. Wait till the snow comes, then Bernard will have to look sharp or they will have his brush.

Mr. John York leaves for England this week to visit friends for the winter. He is re-engaged as cheese-maker at Kingston factory for 1914 at an advanced rate.

Messrs. Roy Thrasher, W. T. and M. W. Sine attended the Cheese Board banquet in Stirling last Wednesday night, and report having had a fine time.

Several from here attended the Coulson sale in Sidney.

Daughters in bloom, December 1st. What do you think of that for Canada?

Visit Scantlebury's new store, picture framing cheap and good, wall-papers likewise, everything new.

A Standard Medicine—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, compounded of entirely vegetable substances known to have a revivifying and salutary effect upon the digestive organs, have through years of use attained so eminent a position that they rank as a standard medicine. The ailing should remember this. Simple in their composition, they can be assimilated with the weakest stomach and are certain to have a healthful and agreeable effect on the sluggish digestive organs.

GILEAD

Gilead, Dec. 1.—Everybody is delighted with the mild weather and is taking advantage of it in various outdoor pursuits.

A large number from here attended the funeral of the late Mr. Hanley today at Read.

A number of our citizens attended Mr. R. Coulson's sale in Sidney.

There was no service in the Methodist church here last Sunday.

Next Sunday a Thanksgiving service will be conducted by the Rev. E. W. Rowlands, of Enterprise.

Mr. Stanley Lippitt and sister Margaret visited at the home of Mr. E. Huffman last Sunday.

Miss Nellie Coulter is on the sick list.

Our Y.P. Society held their regular monthly meeting last Wednesday evening. The meeting was social in character and no small amount of credit is due the committee in charge for the splendid entertainment. The menu was excellent and provided and in all ten cents. The money collected in this way amounted to \$10.00.

The program consisted in part of the following:—Sings by the choir and Misses Hutchison, solos by Miss Edna Lawrence and Mr. Bruce Martin; songs by Miss Reid and Vera Shattuck. A couple of dialogues were given by local talent.

STOCKDALE

Stockdale, Dec. 1st.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Graham of this vicinity a few days last week.

Mrs. Wm. McGowan is visiting her daughter at Ottawa, Ontario.

Mr. W. E. Orr of Toronto, made a flying visit here last week.

Mr. Mark Locks spent Sunday at Mr. E. Orr's.

Miss Ethel Fox has returned home after spending a few days at the home of her brother, Mr. Wood.

Miss Mabel Wood accompanied her brother Mr. L. V. Wood of the C.P.R. Hawkeston on a visit to friends at Stockdale, Ontario.

The Young Ladies Bible class met at the home of Mrs. George Davidson on Monday and prepared a box of clothing for the Deaconess Home at Toronto.

Special services are being held in church here on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. Rev. Mr. Oaten is the speaker.

Frankford, Dec. 1st.—Our townsmen met on Wednesday evening last in the Forester's Hall to appoint the officers of our fire brigade. Mr. W. W. Pettit was elected chief.

On Wednesday, Nov. 29th a very sudden death occurred in our midst in the person of Mrs. Margaret Doreland, she had been in her usual health until about 7 p.m., when she complained to her husband of not feeling well. He assisted her to her chair and left her for a moment. When they arrived they found she had passed away. Besides the bereaved husband she leaves one daughter, Mrs. Elwood Moynes of Stirling. The deceased was a member of the Home Circle of Frankford No. 208. The funeral service which was largely attended was conducted in the Methodist church by the Rev. Jas. Easton on Friday at 2:30 p.m. Interment was in Frankford cemetery. The bearers were Messrs G. A. Ross, J. B. Lowery, E. Turley, Arthur Ford, Mr. Charles and H. Hadley. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved husband and daughter in this their time of sorrow.

Miss Hunter of Bannockburn has returned home after visiting at the home of W. E. Windover.

A number of our young people attended a party given in the Chosen Friends Hall, Stockdale on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28th.

We are pleased to learn that Miss Muriel Clarke has passed her term of probation and has been accepted as nurse-in-training at one of the hospitals at Rochester, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jordan entertained a number of young people at their home in the 5th concession at Sidney on Friday evening, Nov. 28th. Guests were present from Frankford, Wallbridge and other parts of Sidney. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Mr. Countryman and daughter of Trent spent the week-end with Mr. Countryman's niece, Mrs. W. E. Windover.

Miss Harris and Miss Page of Bannockburn are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter.

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MARMORA

Marmora, Dec. 1st.—Rev. Mr. Bick of Iroquois, preached a very interesting Missionary Sermon Sunday evening in the Methodist church.

Mr. Hasset of Toronto will give an address in the Methodist church next Sunday evening in the interest of the local option campaign.

The late Mrs. Robinson will be buried on Tuesday afternoon at 1:45 church will be held at the home of Mrs. Rowan, Wednesday afternoon, December 3rd.

Mrs. Caldwell of Toronto is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Eggleston. Last Friday evening there was a card party and dance in the new town hall. Delora Orchestra furnished the music. All report a good time.

The electricians are busy putting in the electrical fixtures in the town hall. The hall is certainly a credit to the town.

Mr. E. Bell is practicing the young ladies for a drill for the Christmas Entertainment.

STIRLING

Stirling, Dec. 3.—Mr. Bert Corbridge was the victim of a very painful accident last night while taking a number of trunks to the station. He noticed that the horse which was holding the trunks had given way and in jumping from the wagon he received two fractured bones in the leg just below the knee. Mr. Corbridge will doubtless be confined to the house for some time.

We are glad to know that Douglas holds an operation at the Kingston Hospital on Tuesday last was very successful.

Mr. Jas. Spry, who has spent the summer on his farm in the West has returned home.

The Women's Institute are holding a bazaar in the rooms of the Agricultural Bldg., tomorrow, December 3rd.

The teachers and pupils of the Methodist Sunday School are making preparations for their annual entertainment to be held in the opera house Xmas night.

About four a.m. yesterday seven cars of an east-bound freight loaded with wheat were derailed about one mile west of Stirling. The track was torn up for some distance which congested trains for some time. Wrecking crews were put over from Lindsay and Belleville but traffic was not resumed till three p.m. The cause of the wreck is unknown.

We regret to learn that Jno. Daterman, a valuable man, who was hurt in the fire which occurred at Madoc this morning.

IVANHOE

Ivanhoe, Dec. 3.—A joint meeting of the St. Andrew's Episcopal and Beulah churches was held last Tuesday evening in the Beulah Methodist Church. Reports from the delegates to the Provincial Sunday School convention held at Ottawa were given by Miss Wynne and Mrs. Harris, of Madoc, also Mr. B. Ketcheson, of Moira. Miss Pym of Madoc, and Mr. D. L. Fleming of this place each favored the audience with solo. A very enjoyable and profitable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw entertained a few friends on Thursday evening in honor of the occasion of the baptism of their little son, Thomas Milton.

Mrs. Harris, of Madoc, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. Fleming last Tuesday.

The Literary Society of the Presbyterian Church has been reorganized for the winter and intend holding a debate next Thursday evening.

Rev. Mr. Bick, of Ivanhoe and Rev. Mr. Clarke, of Marmora, exchanged pulpits on Sunday last.

Everybody is enjoying the lovely warm weather and it is almost impossible to believe we are so near winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Ketcheson, of Moira, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw on Tuesday last.

Mr. Henry Holcombe, of Chatterton visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitts on Tuesday.

MONDAY NIGHT AT Y.M.C.A.

Monday evening Mr. D. V. Sinclair rendered a complimentary paper to the several workers in the recent membership effort to add one hundred new senior members. The function was a delightful affair. The Vice President of the Members' Cabinet, Mr. Burton Brown, acted as toast-master. After justice had been done the splendid supper provided, Mr. Brown called upon each guest to rise and relate his part in the success of securing of the new members. He then called upon the host, Mr. D. V. Sinclair, who upon rising was given an ovation. Mr. Sinclair complimented the young men and assured them he would like to repeat the deed on the occasion when they reached the goal of their ambitions viz. the obtaining 300 Senior Members all told (besides the juniors and the intermediates which are striving to reach 200 in their department).

Dr. Dorner the chairman of the general committee on membership then made a happy little speech and offered to present the workers who secured the largest number of new members a fine gold ring. The Dr. wittily added that the man who qualified must secure at least five new members.

The following then kindly contributed a spicy and very appreciative program—Mr. Thos. G. Bowie, a Miss Hely Ketcheson and Mr. J. M. Booth and last to respond to well merited encores.

At the conclusion of the program the fellows then organized themselves into many various activities for the rest of the season. Next Sunday afternoon at 4:15 there will be a service held at the building at which all the students are requested to be present. Special music.

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MOIRA

Moira, December 3.—The weather still continues warm and smoky. We hope it continues that way till Xmas, a small Christmas party will be held on December 23. A good program is being prepared and a large crowd is expected.

Mrs. W. Seward spent a few days of late week renewing old acquaintances in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollard spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. J. Thompson's.

A number of our young sports attended the dance at Stockdale on Wednesday last.

Lawyer J. B. McColl, of Cobourg, passed through our village on Monday.

Mr. A. W. Wilby is spending a few days with friends in Sidney.

Recreation meetings are to be held this week at Frankford and other appointments.

Everybody seems glad to have the lovely warm weather continue. The farmers are through with their ploughing and are busy getting in wood.

The W.M.S. of this place, realizing the importance of their place in the evening of this week, a special program is being prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hollinger visited their daughter, Miss Wm. Shaw, last Wednesday evening.

Preparations are being made for remodeling the church shed.

Mr. and Mrs. Burd Phillips, of Phillipston spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Vandewater.

Rev. E. A. Tomkin took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. Thompson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Salisbury, of their home in Toronto, were here on Friday last. Farmers realizing that the price of wheat is at a low ebb, are being re-elected as our president for the following year.

GRAVEL ROAD

Gravel Road, Dec. 3.—The neighbors of this place gave Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hayse a variety shower on Friday evening. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Hayse many years of wedded life.

Mrs. Mary Anderson, Toronto, with Miss M. A. Deacy.

Mrs. W. O. Sullivan, sr., with Mrs. E. O. Sullivan on Sunday.

Miss H. Sheehan Westhook, with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Mosinger.

Mr. J. Y. Fahey, Toronto, is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Lena Fahey was removed to Hotel Dietl, Kingston. She being threatened with appendicitis.

Miss Lulu Drummy with Miss M. Cassidy.

A good many lives were taken on Wednesday and Thursday it being turkey day in Napanee.

Small but potent—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are small, but they are effective in action. Their fine qualities as a corrector of stomach troubles are known to thousands and they are in constant demand everywhere by those who know what a safe and simple remedy they are. They need no introduction to those acquainted with them, but to those who may not know them they are presented as the best preparation on the market for disorders of the stomach.

Harry Smith light housekeeper, was doing some work on the light house in the harbor yesterday and accidentally slipped from the platform into the water. No further harm than a cold bath resulted. Mr. Smith swam and climbed up the plankings.

HOLLOWAY ST. EPWORTH LEAGUE

'A rather very successful meeting' was the verdict of those present on Monday evening at the Epworth League of Bridge Street Methodist Ch. The meeting was in charge of Miss E. Berkeley, the subject being 'A Call to Prayer.' Misses E. Farley and A. Morton gave two very interesting papers on the subject of 'Prayer and How to Pray' during the evening the society were treated to two vocal numbers by the young ladies of Miss Berkeley's Sunday school class. This organization of the church is growing very rapidly. Monday evening several new members joined, and each week seems to bring something newer and better than ever.

A regular meeting of the Anglican Young People's Association was held in Christ Church Parish Hall last evening, a large number being present. The meeting was devotional and missionary in character. In the absence of the president the chair was ably filled by the Vice President, Mr. Batton. After the opening exercises Rev. E. E. Morton of the Carrying Place gave a splendid address on matters devotional. He said that while the A.Y.P.A. was designed to promote a social spirit among the younger people of the church, it was also designed for the purpose of edification. While it is natural for young people to look for the brighter side of life they should bear in mind the fact that in order to be happy one must be a good Christian and have pure thoughts and high ideals and endeavor to follow in the footsteps of our Blessed Lord. Mr. Morton's address was much enjoyed by a large number of the church.

Mr. Fred Burke sang in his usual pleasing style 'There is a green hill far away' and as an encore 'Just for today.'

A number of lantern slides showing views of China and the Missionaries working there were shown and explained by Rev. Mr. Morton.

Solos by Mr. D. Batchelor and Mrs. Summers were much enjoyed. Miss Kathleen Diamond acted as accompanist throughout the evening.

Mrs. Percy Mitchell left this morning for Toronto, and will remain there till the beginning of the New year.

Mrs. Blake Chown of Pittsburg, Pa. is in town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bateman, 17 Station Street left this morning on No. 2 for Halifax, whence they call on Saturday, December 6th for Liverpool, on a two months' visit with friends and relatives. They will also visit Birmingham and other cities while there.

Visit Scantlebury's new store—watch for the flag near Victoria Ave.

Mr. Stagg suffered out on the thumb and first finger of the left hand, yesterday when they were in contact with a saw. The injuries are not serious.

At Scantlebury's new store near Victoria Avenue watch for the flag. Everything new—new mouldings, new picture—new framings, new papers—low priced.

"The Store with the Christmas Spirit"

Hand Bags Make Ideal Christmas Gifts

Remembrances of a personal nature leave a deeper feeling of gratitude than any others, and what could one suggest that would please a woman more than a new Bag?

The Hand Bags we are displaying now are of the finest shapes and leathers in colors to harmonize with almost any costume, and, too, the Silver and Gun Metal Mesh Bags—the latter being extremely popular just now—are to be found in an abundant array of designs. For instance the following list of some of the more prominent numbers in our stock:

The new Muff Strap Handle Bag, made especially to hang over the wrist while wearing a muff, is to be had in genuine goat seal leather. It is developed in black, tan, brown, with a lining throughout of cape leather and contains in the inside pocket a small change purse. It is to be had in either gold or silver mount. Price \$3.75

For wear at afternoon teas or when making calls are two delightfully quaint Beaded Bags with metal fringe and gold cord handles. Made of the very finest corded silk in old gold shade with gold top and fasteners. They are priced at \$5.00.

At \$4.00 is shown a very strikingly handsome Grained Calf Skin. To be had in tan, purple or green leather, lined with a change purse of the same material. The new Push-Back Clasp is used on this bag and is to be had in German silver only.

A smart appearing Street Bag of Suede may be had at \$1.50 and comes in colors of blue, black, violet, tan and red. Silk lined with vanity mirror and change purse. (Suede Belts to match 75c).

A Gunmetal Bag of fine mesh is moderately priced at \$4.50.

Kid Lined German Silver Bags, square tops, in fancy boxes, are \$2.50.

The Display of Japanese Hand Hammered Brass Ware is Attracting Much Attention

Such Brass Ware we are safe in saying has never been shown in this city before. Intricate designs worked out of the solid material and highly polished make for an appearance of rare charm.

Such gifts are sure to delight any mother or wife. For instance: a Jardiniere or Vase or Candlesticks can find a place in any home, comfortably and this Brass Ware is suitable for any home, priced at from 75c to \$6.00 each



Ribbons Ribbons Ribbons

I've ribbons and laces To set off the faces Of pretty young sweethearts and wives.

"H. M. S. Pinafore"

All that is New in Holiday Neckwear is Here

Frills, Ruffles, Ruchings and all the colors of the rainbow are characteristic of this season's neckwear.

Anything may be had here from the simplest collar form to the most lavish display of ruffling, and all at a price that is sure to meet with your favor.

Hand-made Silk Cluny Collars, Baby and Imitation Baby Irish Lace Collars, are to be found in great abundance and moderate prices.

Ketcheson & Earle

MILLINERY

Our Millinery is admired not only for its beauty, but for the moderate price. Imported hats from Paris and New York, while others equally as nice of our own production. See our

MILLINERY

Miss M. Campbell Phone 117

McCrodon & Sills

We recommend our patrons who must have something distinctive and different to see this early showing of ours. It embraces everything from simple tailored effects to the very elaborate models for dressy occasions

Friedheim Recital

World Famous Pianist (pupil of Franz Liszt) IN THE CITY HALL Tues. Eve. Dec. 9 at 8.15 o'clock. Admission \$1.00 Pre-eminently the greatest musical attraction of the season. Plan at Doyle's Monday at 9 a.m.

SIX RAILWAY CARS DERAILED

Near Stirling Yesterday Morning—Traffic on the Midland Held Up all Day.

A somewhat serious accident took place on the Peterborough branch of the Grand Trunk railway yesterday morning when six freight cars loaded with grain were derailed about half a mile west of Stirling station. The train was a double-header through freight, carrying grain from Midland and consisted of nineteen cars, all new and of the latest steel frame type of freight carrier. Conductor Leslie Wollacott was in charge. Where the accident occurred there is a rather stiff grade and a curve. The speed of the train was therefore slow. The cause of the accident has not yet been ascertained. As soon as the accident was reported at Belleville an auxiliary was made up and despatched to the scene. But the smash-up was so serious that the track could not be cleared for traffic up to a late hour last night. Behind the wrecked train there were four other double-headers coming at short intervals and these helped to complicate matters still further. The passengers seat and west were transferred without serious delay.

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Wm. Burch, was fined \$1 on a charge of being drunk.

MRS. C. YOUNG DROPPED DEAD

Well-Known Lady of Hillier Spiffen With Heart Malady.

Death's call was sudden to Mrs. Charles Young of Hillier on Saturday morning. She had arisen and was about to get breakfast. In walking from the stove to the table she fell, her head having struck the mantel. Her husband who happened to come into the room saw her fall and ran to her assistance but she had already expired. She was over sixty years of age and leaves in addition to her husband six daughters. Mrs. Young's heart had not been strong of late, but it was not thought to be in a dangerous state.

Mr. Austin Palmer of this city is a nephew.

Runaway on Front Street

An exciting runaway took place on South Front street on Saturday afternoon about five o'clock. A horse became startled at a passing train and was run down by the north, and was stopped near the Moisons bank.

Dog Was Run Over

A dog trespassed on the Canadian Northern Railway bridge over the Moire and was run down by the wheels. Nothing was left to tell the tale but his nerveless tongue which lay on a tie. The poor little fellow's other departments had apparently fallen into the river.

Prayers for Missions.

Sunday and Monday were the days set apart in the Anglican churches for petitions for Missions. Rev. Bishop Bidwell spoke at St. Thomas' church on Monday evening.

CUPID'S COURT

WALSH--MANLEY

On Saturday morning, Nov. 29th, the holy bonds of matrimony at St. Michael's church when Miss Margaret Manley, sister of Mr. Thos. Manley of this sister became the bride of Mr. Hugh Walsh. The nuptial mass was celebrated by the parish priest, Rev. Father Killen, in the presence of immediate relatives. The witnesses to the ceremony were Miss Maud Black of Shammonville and Mr. Jas. Manley, late of Ireland. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh will reside in Belleville at 81 Mill street and will have the best wishes of a host of friends for a happy wedded life.

MR. BLAGRAVE AT HALIFAX

The earnest and eloquent young pastor of Christ church, Rev. R. C. Blagrove, seems to be creating a deep impression by his inspiring addresses at the Anglican Mission bow being held at Halifax. Thursday's issue of the Evening Mail gives a column to Mr. Blagrove's address of the preceding evening and says by preference. At St. Mary's last evening, Mr. Blagrove, the zealous and effective missioner, addressed a large congregation. He is holding highly successful services for the children daily, in the afternoon, and meetings for a adults immediately following. Last night with deep earnestness he reminded the people that the mission—the time of special opportunity—close on Sunday. He speaks with a simplicity that is very attractive and is in itself arresting. His theme last night was "The place that feeling ought to have in life."

BRANDON MAN IS SUCCESSFUL

J. D. McGregor Takes Prize After Prize at Chicago—Cattle Contests Are Keen—Judging of Fat Steers Results in Victories for Western Canadian Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Yesterday at the International Live Stock Show in the cattle class, the time was taken up with the judging of fat steers. Entries in these classes were very much in excess of any previous exhibition and competition was keen, twenty and even twenty-five in a class was not uncommon.

J. D. McGregor, Brandon, took one first, one fourth and two championships. The first-class in which he showed was that of steers, calved between Jan. 1 and Sept. 1, 1911. There were 23 in the class and he got fourth with Glencarnock Advance. The next class was that of calves dropped between Sept. 1, 1911, and Jan. 1, 1912. In this class he got first, with Glencarnock Victor II, against 19 competitors.

The next struggle was for the championship of all grades and cross breeds by ages. It was a fateful moment, as it is always felt that the grand champion of grades and cross breeds has an excellent chance for the championship of the show. Finally the award was made to the Manitoba steer Glencarnock Victor II.

Next came the classes of three, made up of one two-year-old, one yearling and one calf. The McGregor herd was made up of Glencarnock Advance, Glencarnock Victor II, and Glencarnock Boy, the last named a June calf. With this herd J. D. McGregor pulled off another prize of \$75. This win meant that he had the three best cross bred or grade steers in the show. There was four prizes in the class and every one of them was taken by a Black herd.



Mr. Reginald Swell of the Bank of Montreal, Montreal, is in town.

Mr. G. H. Green of Springfield was in the city on Monday on business.

Mr. Harry Hunter, of St. Catharines, returned to his home here last evening.

Miss Keitha Woodley has returned to the city after an extended visit to Detroit.

Mr. John Elliott was at Read yesterday attending the obsequies of the late J. C. Hanley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dyer of Picton, returned home this afternoon after visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Logue and Mrs. DeWitt of Barrie and Mr. Charles Logue of Toronto were in the city today in attendance at the obsequies of the late Mrs. Florence Adamson.

Mrs. D. McGowan, Sidney Crossing wishes to publicly thank her many friends and neighbors for their card shower received on her 70th birthday.

S. S. No. 23, Thurlow

Senior Fourth Nellie Yorke Grace Martin Earl Carter Clarence Martin Clifford Wallace

Senior Third Harry Wallace Arthur Wallace

Junior Third Clifford Clark Willie Martin

Senior Second Arthur Beaucourt Ernest Carter

Junior Second Harold Spencer Floyd Sheffield Muriel Hutchinson Marjorie Hutchinson

First Freddie Wallace Anna Martin Vera Sheffield

M. W. REID, teacher

S. S. No. 22, Tyendinaga

Senior Fourth Wilfred Shannon Blanche Laurenson, absent

Junior Third Francis Glass

Junior Second Russell Laurenson Herbert Laurenson, absent

Senior First Arthur Shannon, honors Russell Glas Willie Shannon

Senior Prizer Freddie Barber Laura Parks Frank Parks

Junior Prizer Reta Shannon

Junior Prizer Marjorie Shannon Helen McCraay Granville Burley, absent

Helen Gilbert, teacher

Unless Worms be expelled from the system, no child can be healthy. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is the best medicine extant to destroy worms.

UNUSUAL BARGAINS

This Last Week of Sale

ALUMINUMWARE

Our entire stock of this high grade kitchenware, including Tea Kettles, Preserve Kettles, Fry Pans, Tea and Coffee Pots, Sauce Pans. All on sale this week at exactly cost price.

CHILDREN'S SWEATERS

All Wool Sweaters Coats for Children, well made and finished, with pockets, buster belts and pearl buttons, in colors Navy, Cardinal and Scarlet, all sizes, good value at \$1.25, during sale only 75c.

DRY GOODS SPECIALS

These are during sale only, which closes this week: Flannelette Blankets \$1.10 pair; Women's Undervests 15c; Linen Towelling 7 1-2c yard; Men's Overalls 75c and 49c; Prints in good designs 6 1-2c yard

McINTOSH BROTHERS

Come and See

our Special Bargains in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Ready-to-wear Clothing, of which the following values are a small sample:

- Men's Blue Serge Suits, well tailored and in the latest styles, regular \$18.50 \$15.00
- Men's Overcoats in Back Melton and Tweeds, in good styles and well made, at exceptional values.
- Ladies' Winter Coats in the new Curli and Blanket Cloths, in all good colors and styles, at reasonable prices.
- Ladies' Furs in Mink, Marmot, Persian Lamb, Wolf and Opossum, in all the latest models, at exceptionally low prices.

Don't Forget the Place

D. Phillips 331 Front Street Hanley Block

Cutter and Sleigh Purchasers

We have just got in from our factory at Oshawa a large consignment of Cutters of different styles—the most up-to-date ever offered in Belleville. These will be sold at reasonable prices. Give us a call before purchasing. Remember the place: West end of Lower Bridge on Bridge Street

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MISS ADAMSON LAID IN GRAVE

The funeral of the late Mary Florence Adamson which took place from the residence of her parents, 15 Station Street, at 8.30 this morning was largely attended. Solemn High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Killen and the services at the grave was conducted by Rev. Father Corrigan. The pall bearers were Messrs. C. Doran, W. H. Doran, A. J. Doran, R. J. Milne, T. Milne and L. Taubner. The steem in which the deceased was held was demonstrated by the many spiritual and floral offerings extended among which were spiritual offerings from Sisters of St. Michael's Convent, Junior Fourth Class of St. Michael's Academy, Mark Adamson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Doran, Mrs. Doran and Mrs. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Logue, Mr. and Mrs. John Logue, Mrs. DeWitt, Miss Lena Brown, Mr. and Mrs. T. Daley, Louis Taubner, T. Manley, jr., Miss Stella Manley, Mary Lillian and Frances Milne, Mr. and Mrs. H. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. B. Shaven, Mr. and Mrs. E. Milne, Children of Mary, Mrs. Carey and Miss Simnot, Agnes Logue, Mrs. P. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Bremner, Mr. and Mrs. H. Logue, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown, Mr. W. J. Hogan, and Miss Mary Wills, Mr. and Mrs. P. Logue, Mr. Charles Logue, Mr. and Mrs. T. Collins.

Floral offerings were received from B. of L. F. and E. Lodge No. 68, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. T. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gorton, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pato, Mrs. J. Merrin and family, Kingston, Mrs. and Mr's Thomas.

John Cavanaugh who was again taken into keeping by the police last night on a charge of vagrancy was this morning given one week's remand.

SEVEN HORSES WERE BURNED

When Blue's Hotel Stables Were Destroyed This Morning. (Special to The Ontario.)

Madoc, Dec. 2.—Seven horses were burned to death this morning when Blue's hotel stables were destroyed by fire at four o'clock this morning. When the fire was discovered it had gained such headway that almost none of the contents could be saved and the firemen confined their efforts to saving the surrounding buildings. The origin of the fire is unknown. Five of the horses burned belonged to Mr. Blue, the hotel proprietor, while two were owned by outsiders. A number of wagons and buggies were burned in addition to harness and other equipment, while the loft was filled with hay. The loss will amount to about \$2,500 upon which there is only a small insurance.

FESTIVAL AND SALE

In the Salvation Army Citadel last evening a musical festival was given by the band from 7.30 to 8.15. For an hour then a bazaar was held in charge of Mrs. Burke. The sale consisted of fancy work; homemade goods, bread, cake, candies, refreshments. At 8.15 the band gave another festival of songs. There were recitations by Messrs. Wardie, a cornet solo by deputy bandmaster D. Sward, vocal trio by Songster Lester Parks, Band Sergeant Adams and Bandsman J. Cordes.

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HINDUS MAY NOW ENTER

Chief Justice of B. C. Gives Sweeping Decision.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—Chief Justice Hunter has given a sweeping decision condemning all the Federal orders-in-council which have hitherto kept Hindus out of British Columbia. The only ground on which a Hindu may now be excluded are those of race, disease, crime or mendacity, merely grounds which apply against British-born citizens entering Canadian eastern ports. For instance, there is now nothing to prevent an entire shipload of Hindus entering British Columbia, and judging from the persistence with which they have for three years been pressing the question, they may not be slow in taking advantage of the chance to come.

The decision specifically is in favor of a Sikh priest named Bhagwan Singh. Three days ago the chief justice gave an oral judgment giving Bhagwan Singh his freedom on habeas corpus proceedings. On Saturday, Chief Justice Hunter added a written judgment which went further than his brief court pronouncement. If Saturday's decision is good in law, it is difficult at this distance to see how the new regulations can be made effective by the Government to keep the Hindus out without directly mentioning them in a manner that might give serious offence to their British citizenship.

As to the other order-in-council referring to natives or citizens coming by a continuous journey from India, and which had been previously declared ultra vires by Justice Morrison in the case of re Rahim, the learned chief justice concurs as the order-in-council refers to "natives or citizens," whereas the statute merely says "a native or naturalized citizen."

This hardly says he assumes the Legislature had some manifest intention when it amended the act in 1908 to insert the word "naturalized" to give it large classification. He holds the word "natives" is to be used as an adjective qualifying the word "citizen."

Foreigner Run Over

A foreigner was run over at the corner of Front and Bridge streets early Saturday evening. The driver was Miss Hooper of Redville. Who once reported the matter to the police. The man who was struck has not been found.

A Great Record

At Mr. Robert Coulson's sale yesterday, Dec. 1st, Mr. Norman Montgomery, auctioneer, sold all Mr. Coulson's farm implements, wagons, harnesses, horses, cows, chickens, ducks in a little over four hours, amounting to \$4,178.00.

FREE OF ALL THREE DISEASES

"Fruit-a-Tives" Brought Him Perfect Health

AVON, Ont., May 14th, 1913.

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No other medicine I could get was so good and I took lots of different remedies before I found out how good 'Fruit-a-Tives' were.

I keep 'Fruit-a-Tives' on hand all the time, and am never without them. I even take them with me when I go motoring, as I can leave them handy 'Fruit-a-Tives' are worthy of every good word I can say about them. The fact that they cured me of Piles, was something to be everlastingly thankful for."

—GEORGE LAUR.

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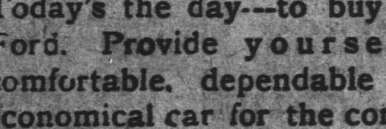
LAST OF THE FLEET CLEARS

Twenty-five Freighters Left Fort William Yesterday.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Dec. 1.—In the final rush to get on their way down the lakes before midnight and thus avoid the necessity of having their insurance extended, twenty-five freighters, carrying about eight million bushels of grain, cleared for the east Saturday. All week ships have been lying two, three and even four abreast at the docks awaiting their turn to slip under the spouts at the elevators, and the elevator men have been working anywhere from 14 to 20 hours a day to keep the streams of grain running into the holds of the vessels.

November had been a record month for grain shipment and more than 250 vessels have cleared from this harbor during the last week. More than 60 vessels with something like sixty million bushels of grain have gone east. It is estimated that about half of these vessels were bound for American ports.

Small but Potent—Parnele's Vegetable Pills are small, but they are effective in action. Their fine qualities as a corrector of stomach troubles are known to thousands and they are in constant demand everywhere by those who know what a safe and simple remedy they are. They need no introduction to those acquainted with them, but to those who may not know them they are presented as the best preparation on the market for disorders of the stomach.



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GRADED FINE DEPRESSION

By His Opening Sermons Yesterday in John Street Presbyterian Church—Rev. E. C. Currie Begins his Pastorate Here Under Favorable Conditions.

(From Monday's Daily)

Considering the threatening weather there was a large attendance at John St. Presbyterian Church yesterday at both morning and evening services to listen to the first sermons delivered by their new pastor since assuming ministerial charge of this congregation. The newly inducted pastor created a fine impression by his earnest, unassuming presentation of the gospel message. Rev. E. C. Currie has now arrived at the mid-life when his intellectual power should be greatest. He is gifted with a pleasing, pleasant, deep, pleasing and an interesting style as well as grace of delivery. His sermons yesterday noted breadth of scholarship, a thorough acquaintance with literature and philosophy, but most important, that these are not mere academic mind and a deep knowledge of the everyday problems of life.

Mr. Currie chose for his morning text I Chronicles 25-5.—"And David said, Solomon my son, be diligent, tender, and the house that is to be builded for the Lord must be excelled magnificent, of fame and of glory throughout all countries; I will therefore now make preparation for it. So David prepared abundantly before his death."

This was not a common text out of full of practical suggestion, said Mr. Currie. The thought of building a temple arose from a feeling of gratitude in David's mind on account of deliverance from his enemies and from the fact that the hand of pestilence had been stayed, David was not satisfied with receding into the past. He would build a temple. There are some who take life at its narrowest dimensions. They try to see how little they can do or give to be contented with a worthy imbecile of the church society. But the great men of the ages have been cast in a different mould.

Gathered around the text were two or three helpful lines of thought. First among these was the thought of the disabling power of past sin. Of no one was this more true than of David. David was too often misjudged. He should be considered in the light of his time. David was a consecrated, successful man. He rose from the shepherd's cot to the royal station. But his hands were stained with blood. He was disabled if it was not for him to build the temple. It was the great man of high-souled patriot, master of all the knowledge of the Egyptians, yet he never set foot in Canaan.

We all know from our own experience the disabling power of past sin. The story of David was not the story of a man going down to utter ruin at the end of life, but the story of what the best men may be after sin.

Many men might have built temples but for the consequences of fatal sin. Bad habits, wasted opportunities, strive as will we, we cannot rear the temple of our dreams.

The second leading thought surrounding the text was the lofty ideal that David had of the work in hand. David was then an old man, but old age had not made him cynical or shrivelled his manhood. Nothing could be too splendid to be lavished on the temple.

Constantly one meets people who belittle themselves and the work that part in life. This was false humility. To be meek does not denote servility. To belittle our part in life is to belittle the work of the Almighty. Hitch your wagon to a star and see how lofty was every characteristic of Jesus Christ. There was none so meek as He, but none who took so lofty a view of his mission. Deep down in our hearts there should be the abiding conviction that we are about the Lord's business.

The last thought suggested by the text was that the truest service may be unrecognized. David made tremendous preparations for the building of the temple. He gathered much of the materials from which it was subsequently built. Yet no one ever called it David's temple. But his eyes were which never fall to us. What our fathers were and what our mothers were may explain what we are. If we cannot all do great or glorious things, we can prepare the way for others.

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HOLY! HOLY! HOLY! LORD OF HOSTS

Knowledge of God's Character Shall Yet Fill the Earth.

A CLEARER LIGHT IS SHINING

The Pastor's Special Thanksgiving—Character Is Known by Plans and Works—Holiness Not an Empty Title—He That Doeth Righteousness Is Righteous—He That Plans and Does Holy Things in His Heart—God Has Been Slandered—In Bible Language—Blasphemed—Six Plans Attributed to Him—Satan, the Deceiver, to Blame—Doctrines of Devils Were Worked into Our Creeds in the Dark Ages to Turn Us From God and the Bible—Clearer Light Shining.

New York, Nov. 30.—Pastor Russell spoke here twice to-day. We report one of his themes from the text, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts: the whole earth shall be full of His glory" (Isaiah 6:3).

He spoke without notes as usual, saying in part:

Since shortly after the Second Century the Christian Church has been gradually led into a total misconception of the Divine character as manifested in the Divine attitude toward humanity. Little by little heathenish doctrines respecting an eternity of torture for all except the favored few were preached. Gradually men with fervent spirit enlarged upon the errors until today the most horrible descriptions of the Almighty God are printed in Christian publications, essays, commentaries, etc. No heathenism, however, has ever pictured their god in so devilish a light. Ugly, fierce, devilish, though their idols be, they cannot compare with the Satanic descriptions which Christians in the creeds of the Dark Ages have given of the God of all Grace and Father of Mercies—1 Corinthians 1:3.

The noblest and best people in Christendom have abandoned the horrible teachings of their fathers, and are more and more worshipping the God of Love, the Father of Mercies. But the world still judges our God by our printed misrepresentations of Him. In heathen lands, the missionaries are more blinded, perhaps, than ministers in the home land. The rein of orthodoxy is more tightly drawn on them. No wonder they do not see the little impression on the heathen, who openly declare that they could not worship so unjust and vicious a God as the missionaries present—a God who has already sentenced their forefathers to everlasting torture, because of their ignorance of Jesus, in whose name alone is salvation!

It appears to me, therefore, that to whatever extent any intelligent Christian to-day gives open or secret support to these slanderous, blasphemous statements of the creeds, he is responsible. Nor does it seem to be sufficient that either a Christian or a congregation here and there should privately disown these doctrines. Denominational names stand as representatives of the doctrine which led to the formation of these denunciations. Would not the only honorable way of rectifying matters now be either as denunciations, publicly, openly and in round terms, to repudiate the slanders of the Deity; or, since this would be tedious work, should not each individual set himself straight by as public a withdrawal from such creeds as was his endorsement in joining? The latter surely is the surest and quickest method of rectifying the difficulty. Moreover, it is the right method: for the Bible never authorized any one to organize various sects and parties. The Bible recognizes only the one Church of Christ—"The Church of the First-born, written in Christ as his Saviour and consecrated his life to be a footsteps follower of Jesus—all such, begotten of the Holy Spirit, are members of the one true Church. Their names are written in the Lamb's Book of Life, and they have the promise that they will be granted abundant entrance into His Kingdom in the First Resurrection—if they abide faithful. "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."

Let me not be misunderstood. I am not charging that these blasphemous doctrines were intentionally brought in to misrepresent God or to deceive the Church of the world. I prefer to take the Apostle Paul's explanation. He wrote prophetically, "I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtlety, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ." (2 Corinthians 11:3.) This is exactly what has happened. The Church of Christ has been beguiled by earthly favors, not only into a wrong attitude toward the Kingdoms of this world, but, as St. Paul declares, from the simplicity of the Truth into a mass of confusing and blasphemous errors. And first came the beheading of the bishops into thinking that they were successors to The Twelve Apostles and equally inspired authorities and mouthpieces of Christ. Thus the doctrine of Apostolic Succession was gradually established. Jesus prophesied of these, describing them as false apostles, "which say they are

A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Pleasing Function at Pope Street Residence on Saturday Afternoon.

The residence of Mrs. E. E. Gerow, Pope street, was on Saturday the scene of a happy reunion when her mother Mrs. A. B. Jinks of Crofton celebrated her 78th birthday. Only relatives were present at the function. At the table twenty-five of them sat down to a sumptuous dinner. Felicitations and the hope for many more such events were expressed to Mrs. Jinks.

COUNTY CASE IN COURT

George Wessels was charged in police court this morning with assaulting Fleet Demille at the residence of Mr. Walter Scott in Sidney on Nov. 26th. Mr. Wessels is a tenant of Mr. Demille's and both met at Mr. Scott's and happened to talk over some mooted points. The result was a verbal assault on Demille over the floor. Wessels was fined \$2 and costs in all \$10.52. Another charge for assaulting the sons of Mr. Demille was not pressed as a question of title was likely to occur. Mr. Anderson prosecuted and Mr. White defended.

TUBERCULOSIS AND OUR TOWN

At the evening service of Victoria Avenue Baptist church, the pastor, Rev. C. G. Smith, B.D., urged all citizens to cooperate in the support of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. He took for his text, Luke 11:8. "The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach and to heal."

The triple ministry is the only effective one. "To preach, to teach and to heal." The elimination of any one of these means is a handicap. To heal the sick is a cardinal duty. We owe to ourselves and humanity. It is an appalling fact that tuberculosis took 2,900 lives here in Ontario last year. The majority under thirty years of age. Where there is an affliction there is cause. Unsanitary conditions in workrooms are one cause. foul air in office and home, closed windows throughout the winter—all these tend to weaken the body and make it easy prey for the microbe of tuberculosis. Alcohol is responsible for sixty per cent of the consumption prevalent today. John Burroughs, the great naturalist says that compared with most largely curable and fatal diseases, tuberculosis is a mild one. He doesn't know how to live. When he does disease will be as scarce as the black plague. Plain foods, temperate habits, houses well aired and good ventilation are the weapons with which to effectively fight the white plague.

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Upon this foundation, the great Adversary built them by item, the terrible doctrines of purgatory and of eternal torture. When finally, in the Sixteenth Century, the Bible again began to be consulted, Satan worked matters that some of our forefathers retained the Hell of infernal torture for all except the elect few—reputating because not Scriptural the only ameliorating feature—the purgatory theory.

Their eyes blinded with the errors of fourteen centuries of no Bible study—the error of demon theories and of setting of demons—can we wonder that the enlightenment of the past three centuries has come very slowly? Even when we were setting free from the errors, Satan, our wily foe, entrapped our forefathers into the making of creeds, and thus hindered further progress out of the darkness into the light, for which we all cry.

The seducing spirits mentioned by St. Paul are surely none others than the fallen angels of whom Satan is the chief, or "prince of devils." As St. Paul suggests, there is a similarity between the deception of the Church and the original deception of Mother Eve. Eve was beguiled into believing that God's threat, "Dying thou shalt die," would not be true. The serpent declared, "Ye shall not surely die." Thus deceived by the serpent's lie, Mother Eve was enraptured and led her husband and our race into death.

And now note the parallel. The seducing spirits, the fallen angels, have sought to perpetuate in the Church the very same falsehood which misled Mother Eve. And they have succeeded. By visions, dreams, hyping tables, trance mediums, clairaudient powers, mesmerism, powers, hypnotic powers, they have deceived the Christian Church, even as they had previously deceived the heathen, into thinking that the dead are really alive. Upon that foundation they have built the doctrine of the torments of Hell and Purgatory, and subsequently, doctrines of masses and prayers for the deliverance of the dead from Purgatory, and doctrines respecting God's having ordained and predestinated all except the elect to eternal anguish.

On Thursday last, when my heart went out to God in special thanksgiving for all the mercies of life, I gave Him special thanks that gradually the eyes of my understanding are opening, enabling me to see Him in the glorious light of His great, loving Plan of Salvation for the church and for the world. My thanks for all temporal mercies and blessings were dwarfed in the anthem of my soul went up, and I repeated the text of to-day, "Holy, holy, holy, Lord of Hosts!"

Al! I am blessed thought that God has already made provision that Messiah's Kingdom shall be established; that Satan shall be bound and shall deceive men no more; and that, instead of the darkness of ignorance and superstition, the glorious light of God's goodness shall be forth, causing the earth to be filled with His praise!

With great patience God has permitted His plans and His character to be misrepresented and traduced. Yet we can see a wisdom in this; for eventually, when all the blind eyes shall be opened and all the deaf ears shall be unstopped, when all the delusions of the past—the hobgoblins of seducing spirits and the doctrines of devils—shall have gone, the Lord's precious character and loving provision for our fallen race will stand forth in glorious radiance.

The Saviour declares, "This is life eternal, that they might know the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom Thou hast sent." (John 17:3.) Evidently He meant by this that whoever would have an intimate acquaintance with God must be received again into God's family; that those who do not come back into God's family will never know Him in the true sense of the word—be able to appreciate the glories of His grand character—His Justice, His Wisdom, His Power and His Love. Such knowledge is imparted only to those brought into the family and made partakers of God's Spirit.

In the present time only a very few of our fallen race are able to take the steps which lead to this intense, deep knowledge of Jehovah. The great mass of mankind are blinded by ignorance, superstition and the weaknesses of their fallen nature. But God is not content that merely the elect Church shall have this knowledge of Him and His opportunity for everlasting life. His glorious purposes encompass the world of mankind. His Divine arrangement is two-fold: first, that "all the blind eyes shall be opened and all the deaf ears shall be unstopped"; second, that "the glory of the Lord shall be revealed and all flesh shall see it together," and that "the knowledge of God's glory shall fill the whole earth," as the waters cover the great deep."

We may be sure that when the true enlightenment shall reach humanity the real character of the Heavenly Father will be manifested, and there will be a hallelujah chorus on earth which will rival the Heavenly acclaim of "Glory to God in the Highest." It is not for us to say that all, or even the majority of the human family, enlightened and set free from the bondage to Sin and Death, will become the willing servants of God, righteousness and Truth. We cannot judge from our own experiences. We must remember that God recognizes human free agency, the will; and that He seeketh only such to worship Him as worship Him in spirit and in truth.

The Scriptures make clear that only those who shall learn to love righteousness and to hate iniquity,

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evil—in the present time as members of the elect Church, or in the future as members restored humanity—only such will be judged worthy of life by the Great Judge. Any sympathy with sin, after having known of its bitter fruits, and after having been recovered from the curse, will be a crime—an evidence of failure to learn the great lessons of seven thousand years—lessons of the exceeding sinfulness of sin—lessons of God's Justice in punishing sin—lessons in God's Mercy in providing forgiveness for our sins and release from them and from their penalty in the humility of our Redeemer—lessons in the cost of recovery from Sin and Death.

Whoever, after all these lessons, would still be sympathetic with sin, would, according to the Bible, be worthy of everlasting life. The Scriptures assure us that death is the penalty for sin, that the soul that sinneth must die, and that the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord, which will be given only to those who are loyal enough to use it in accord with the great Creator's regulations and laws, framed for the benefit of His creatures and for the glory of His name.

Those whose eyes of understanding are gradually opening to see the real glory of Jehovah's character as reflected in His great Plan of the Ages may well have patience with others who see not as yet. The fact that our own eyes were so long in opening, the fact that we were so honest and sincere before as we are now, should lead us to assume that the same conditions apply to our brethren, professed people of God, everywhere. Moreover, we are not to judge one of another. Proclaiming the Truth in as nearly as possible the Bible words, we are to be content to deliver our Message and to leave to the Lord the result.

It is ours to point out the horrible confusion into which the Lord's people got during the Dark Ages, and which justified the Lord in calling the nominal church Babylon. It is ours to point out the Message of the Lord, saying, "Babylon is fallen, is fallen (from Divine favor)! Come out of her, My people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues." Whoever sees that the entire nominal church is fallen (from Divine favor)! Come out of her, My people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues." Whoever sees that the entire nominal church is fallen (from Divine favor)! Come out of her, My people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues." Whoever sees that the entire nominal church is fallen (from Divine favor)! Come out of her, My people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues."

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Whoever, after seeing the real character of Babylon and the horrible work which Satan has deluded her into doing, shall have sympathy with her and with her work and with her blasphemies and distortions of the Truth—such persons deserve to share in the confusion that is shortly to come to Babylon when she shall fall as a great millstone into the sea. "Light is now for the upright in heart." Those who do not receive the Truth as meat in due season have reason to fear that they do not belong to the class described by the Prophet as the righteous who shall be the upright in heart. Honesty seems to be a quality which the Lord holds in very high esteem. The dishonest in word or conduct or in their thoughts are an abomination to Him, and should not expect to receive special favor or light or knowledge.

We may well imagine that the entire Millennium Day will be one grand Thanksgiving Day, in which the numbers who will praise God will be continually increasing as more and more they awaken from the tomb. Their eyes shall see and their ears shall hear of the grace and love of God, every tongue will confess, while every knee shall bow, not only to Jesus the Redeemer, but to the glorious Creator, who formed the Plan which the Millennium will execute.

The Master gives assurance that ultimately there will be no place where curses and blasphemies will be heard—no place where rebels against God and His goodness will remain. All such willful, intelligent sinners will finally be destroyed in the Second Death. Then will come the grand anthem of the Universe: "Every creature in Heaven, and in earth, heard I saying, Praise, glory, honor, dominion and might be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb, and never."

That will be the glorious Day, mentioned by our Master in His prayer, "Thy Kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is done in Heaven." And because God's will shall be as completely done on earth as in Heaven, therefore sin, sorrow, sickness, pain and death will no longer be conditions on earth, even as they are not conditions in Heaven. Thus will be fulfilled the Master's words, that there shall be no more dying, crying, sighing, for all the former things shall have passed away. He that sits upon the Throne shall have made all things new, and that in His Messianic Kingdom God will have wiped away all tears from off all faces.

Parts of a Watch

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The average watch is composed of 175 different pieces.

Butterflies

Butterflies

There are 30,000 different kinds of butterflies.

ARTILLERY SERGEANTS HELD SMOKER

Most Enjoyable Function in Battery Quarters on Church Street.

One of the most enjoyable military affairs in the history of the local organization was that held last evening in the artillery quarters, Church street under the auspices of the 34th Battery, R.C.F.A. Sergeants Mess.

LIST OF NON-JURY CASES

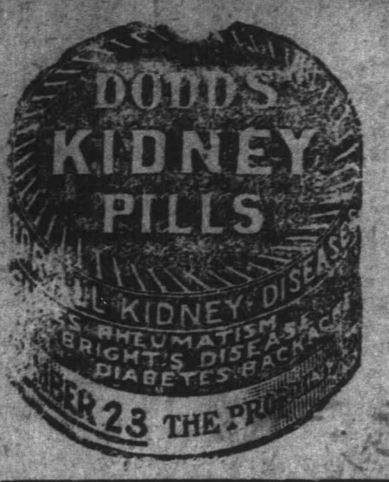
Entered for trial at the sittings of the Supreme Court of Ontario, High Court Division, at the City of Belleville, in the County of Hastings (Autumn Sittings) held on Tuesday, the 24th day of October, A.D. 1913, before the Honorable Sir Glenholme Falconbridge, Chief Justice of the King's Bench and postponed for trial to Thursday, the 4th day of December A.D. 1913, before the Hon. Sir Glenholme Falconbridge, C.K.B.

VALUABLE FARM HAS BEEN SOLD

A turnover of property on the Kenla Plains, which has been in process of negotiation for several months, has been completed. Mr. Thomas Ismond has become the owner of the Bonisteel farm, tenanted by Mr. Bruce Hubble, and in possession in a special way for \$13,500 in the price. Mr. Ismond is to be congratulated on securing for that price this beautiful farm of 480 acres, as it is considered one of the best in the locality, and especially well watered, which means everything in this country.

BIBLE SOCIETY

The last report of the British and Foreign Bible Society shows that "The Magic of God's Message" is still working wonders in every quarter of the globe, and many are the testimonies that this report tells of the way in which, in most unpromising places, the entrance of the Divine Word giveth light. Marvellous indeed has been the work of the society.



COUNTY COUNCIL

The County Council for Hastings began its December session on Tuesday afternoon in Shire Hall, the Warden Mr. T. H. Thompson in the chair. The warden said it was a pleasure to meet all the county councillors again. The past year had been exceptionally good for work on roads and the erection of bridges. A great amount of repairs and new construction had been done. He had inspected the work from time to time and under the able superintendence of Mr. Helecker, road superintendent, good results had been accomplished.

The Finance Committee has had a very strenuous session to the condition of the county's financial position. Mr. Coulter has been a worthy chairman and has carried on the work of bridge building to the satisfaction of the county. Mr. Montgomery has carefully looked into all the details of the farm work of the House of Refuge. A satisfactory report is expected in January. The sale of the O.E.R. right of way has been completed. The Finance Committee desires \$6000 for the property.

Delegations' visit will pay the county well for the expenditure. The Highways Commission met on Nov. 4th in Shire Hall. The chairman of the committee met and presented by the Reeve of Thurlow their suggestions. It is an honor to have the President of the Good Roads Association in the council in the person of Mr. Nathaniel Vermilyea. The warden also referred to the great assistance Mr. John Elliott, manager of the Standard Bank, had been to the Finance Committee in the matter of the sale of debentures and the generous treatment accorded by that financial institution since the transfer of the accounts of the county to the Standard Bank. On Wednesday morning at the County Council a letter was read from Mr. McGarr, C.P.R. Engineer of construction work stating that it was necessary to have a ditch made at a certain point where the track crosses in Tyendinaga township. Mr. McLaughlin, of Tyendinaga township stated the ditch would be 8 feet wide and 4 feet in depth and should protect the Standard Bank.

A committee composed of the road superintendent, chairman of the road committee, and Mr. McLaughlin was appointed to act in this matter. Mr. Montgomery brought up the question of neglected bridges in the County. Something would have to be done in the way of making provision for their care. The expense to the County in having children in the Children's Shelter is growing rapidly. A committee should be appointed to consider the matter. Warden Thompson stated this year the county will pay out for neglected children over \$1700. Something should be done at once. Mr. Ketcheson suggested that the provincial government make the Children's Aid Society a provincial institution. Mr. Vermilyea was of the opinion that the city and county should cooperate in this matter. The law in regard to the Children's Aid could be thought remedied and secure the means to be reached. Mr. W. H. Hubble suggested a conference on the problem to see if the city and county could not unite in having a suitable building erected. Mr. Colling, P.E.I. for North Hastings addressed the council asking for an increase in the allowance granted to him for traveling expenses. He was at present receiving \$180 which was not sufficient. He asked for an allowance of \$600 per year. Mr. Morrison supported the resolution of Inspector Colling. The matter was referred to ways and means. Mr. P. E. Clarke moved seconded by Mr. Loughead, that the Government be recommended to change the law that the close season for salmon or mountain trout as to make it from the 20th day of September to the first day of November each year; and that the close season for bass be extended to the first day of July in each year and that Domestic License be granted to residents to catch white fish for family consumption, but not for sale. Mr. Morrison supported the resolution to extend the close season for trout to the first of November in each year in all the inland lakes in the county of Hastings, North of the township of Marmora, "subject to the approval of the provincial government." The resolution was forwarded to the Dominion and Provincial Governments through the respective fish wardens. The motion was unanimously adopted after Mr. Clark explained his resolution. Mr. Tammen moved, seconded by Mr. Brown, that the chairman of roads and bridges, and superintendent of roads and bridge be instructed to examine that portion of the Hungerford and Belleville County road just North of Roslin and to take whatever steps they deem advisable to remedy conditions for winter travel.

The motion carried. Council went into Committee of the whole on the ways and means. G. L. Sills, \$25.75; Baneroff Times, \$1.80. The request of Inspector Colling for an increase in his expense allowance was referred to the January session.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Mr. Maxwell stated that an old steel bridge at Bancroft had been replaced by a new bridge and the Township of Duncannon would like to purchase the old bridge as it could be used over a place in the township. The question of the value of the material at the old bridge was referred to the bridge committee to report at the session. A delegation was then heard from the Children's Aid Society of Belleville on the matter of proposed cooperation in the erection and maintenance of a proper shelter. Dr. J. J. Farley, president of the Children's Aid Society of Belleville, said that the county council was familiar with the Children's Shelter work on the score of economy and the seriousness of the problem. Belleville has an active society, but its building is inadequate. He urged the council to join with the city in putting up a shelter for both municipalities. Mr. Thomas Ritchie referred to Prof. Fernow's report on the Trent River watershed, the abandoned farms and the unhappy position of families who have not been able to move out. These people are tending towards degenerating conditions worse than the slums of big cities exist. He thought the counties of Hastings, Haliburton, Peterborough, Lennox and Addington should unite to cope with the problem. Mr. W. H. Wrightmeyer said the city would like to know what attitude

the county would take. He thought it would be possible under the act to cooperate with the city and understood that the county was willing to do so. In answer to a question by Mr. Ketcheson, he said children outside of Hastings could be excluded by the county and city. The council acts acutely the pressing urgency of the problem, said Mr. Vermilyea, who suggested cooperation between Hastings, Trenton and Belleville and possibly Prince Edward. Mr. Ritchie said citizens of Belleville and by contributions, personal work and clothing. The difficulty is not the cost of new buildings. The agent Mr. Wrightmeyer is busy day and night in connection with the children's aid duties. This county and the neighboring counties provide an extensive field for good work. Mr. Vermilyea said it was as yet only a question of getting a basis for cooperation. Mr. Ritchie stated that only a few of the children in the shelter were from Belleville. Mr. P. E. Clark stated the care of the children had now become a public duty instead of a private charity. Mr. Vermilyea suggested a committee from the county of Hastings, council to meet one of the city council and to confer with the Children's Aid. Mr. Clark thought that the duty should devolve upon all the citizens and residents of the county and that those who desired to contribute should do so as they wished. Dr. Farley expressed the belief that the fact should not be enlarged too widely. He thought Hastings, Trenton and Belleville would be sufficient in area for effective work. Mr. Wrightmeyer said he could not handle any more work than would lie within the bounds of the county, Belleville and Trenton.

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AT J. Sutcliffe & Son's IN TRENTON

A Special Sale of Ladies' New Coats For those who have not yet bought their new winter coat this is an opportunity that should not be passed. They are the season's newest styles, most of them being garments that have just come in, which were late purchases brought at much under manufacturers' prices. We have divided them into three lots. Remember the styles are the very best and the materials are new and of the highest quality. They go on sale Friday; you should make an early selection. The savings are manifest.

LOT NO. 1 - \$25 COATS FOR \$19.50 These are smart \$25.00 coats and are in very handsome styles and beautiful cloths. Some have the new deep shawl and draped close bottom effect. They are richly lined throughout and are coats that would sell at \$25.00 and \$35.00 in the early part of the season. A number to choose from for \$19.50

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Beautiful Afternoon and Evening Gowns that should be added to your wardrobe in time for the coming holiday dances and gatherings. We have a magnificent range that represent the latest Paris and New York styles. We have also a beautiful showing of Lace Overdresses in black, white, cream and cream. These will make an old dress look like a handsome new one. Prices \$7.75 to \$16.50. The materials are the very newest and of the best quality. The prices are extremely low and stylish and are in good reliable, durable cloths and other materials. Buy quick and get yours selected. Sale price \$9.95

New Housefurnishing Department On the second floor we have now opened up a fine large space to take care of this end of the business. We are now able to show you most everything that is right and good for home outfitting. We have a handsome assortment of rugs in the different qualities and sizes; and each represents extra good value. We have a complete stock of the best quality window shades. To get good qualities and good values in house furnishings you should visit this new department.

A Snap in Sweater Coats at 47c This was a manufacturer's clean-up. It means a great saving to you. They are regular 75c boys' and girls' sweater coats with pockets; assortment of colors, now in sale at 47c. Also a line of \$1.00 and \$1.25 sweater coats for men on sale at only 75c. Be sure and see these. Sutcliffe's Xmas Gift Buying Folders If you have not received one of these be sure and ask or send for one. It contains many helpful suggestions for Christmas shoppers. There are only 16 shopping days left. Early selections are wise.

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AUCTION SALE At the residence of William Johnson, lot 13, Con. 7, Township of Tyendinaga, Tuesday, December 31st at 12:30 p.m., sharp, consisting of farm stock and implements, grain and poultry. J. L. Palmer, auctioneer.

Will the party, who is known to have taken the job out of G. J. Osborne's drive-house, kindly return same at once and save further trouble. G. J. Osborne, McVills, Ont. 17w

THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Black rust in Argentina and green bugs in Texas brought about a bulge today in the wheat market. Only a part of the effect, however, was lasting, and the close being made at an advance of 1/4c to 1/2c net. Corn finished unchanged to 1/4c higher, and oats the same. Liverpool wheat closed 1/4c to 1/2c higher, extra to 1/2c higher.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET. Wheat, fall bushel, \$0.86 to \$0.89. Barley, bushel, \$0.63 to \$0.64. Oats, bushel, \$0.28 to \$0.29. Rye, bushel, \$0.65 to \$0.66. Buckwheat, bushel, \$0.60 to \$0.61.

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET. Butter, creamery, 1/2 roll, \$0.25 to \$0.27. Butter, separator, dairy, \$0.27 to \$0.28. Butter, creamery, solid, \$0.27 to \$0.28. Cheese, old, lb., \$0.15 to \$0.16. Cheese, new, lb., \$0.14 to \$0.15. Eggs, new, doz., \$0.89 to \$0.90. Eggs, old, doz., \$0.88 to \$0.89. Honey, extracted, lb., \$0.10 to \$0.11.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. WHEAT—No. 1 northern, \$1.30; No. 2 northern, \$1.28; No. 3 northern, \$1.26; No. 4 northern, \$1.24. RYE—No. 1 red winter, \$0.75; No. 2 do., \$0.73; No. 3 do., \$0.71; No. 4 do., \$0.69. CORN—No. 2 C.W., \$0.33; No. 4 C.W., \$0.31. BARLEY—No. 3, \$0.43; No. 4, \$0.41; No. 5, \$0.39; No. 6, \$0.37. OATS—No. 1 white, \$0.34; No. 2 do., \$0.32; No. 3 do., \$0.30; No. 4 do., \$0.28.

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET. DULUTH, Dec. 2.—Close—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$0.86; No. 1 northern, \$0.84; No. 2 do., \$0.82; No. 3 do., \$0.80; No. 4 do., \$0.78. RYE—No. 1, \$0.64; No. 2, \$0.62; No. 3, \$0.60; No. 4, \$0.58. CORN—No. 2 yellow, \$0.30 to \$0.31. OATS—No. 1 white, \$0.34; No. 2 do., \$0.32; No. 3 do., \$0.30; No. 4 do., \$0.28.

CATTLE MARKETS UNION STOCK YARDS. TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards were 83 carloads, comprising 1342 cattle, 1039 hogs, 557 sheep and lambs and 158 calves. Butchers. Choice butchers' steers sold at \$7.50 to \$8.00; medium, \$6.25 to \$6.75; common, \$5.50 to \$6; choice cows, \$6 to \$6.50; good cows, \$5.50 to \$6.25; common cows, \$4 to \$4.25; extra bulls, \$6.50 to \$7.25; butchers' bulls, \$5.50 to \$6; common bulls, \$4.25 to \$4.50. Stockers and Feeders. The demand for stockers and feeders still continues to be strong and prices were firm as follows: Steers, 1000 to 1250 lbs., sold at \$4.40 to \$4.75; 1250 to 1500 lbs., at \$4.30 to \$4.65; stockers, 500 to 800 lbs., at \$3.25 to \$3.60; rough eastern stockers, \$2.90 to \$3.25. Milkers and Springers. A fair supply of milkers and springers sold at \$7 to \$8 each, the bulk going to \$7 to \$8 each. Veal Calves. The receipts of calves were not equal to the demand and prices remained firm. Choice veal sold at \$8.50 to \$9; medium, \$7 to \$8; common, \$6 to \$6.50; rough calves, \$4.50 to \$5. Sheep and Lambs. Receipts of sheep and lambs were light and prices remained steady. Sheep, light ewes, sold at \$5 to \$6; heavy ewes, at \$4.25 to \$5; culls and rams, \$3.50 to \$4.50; lambs, \$3.25 to \$4. Hogs. Selects, fed and watered, sold at \$3.50 to \$3.80; 13 to 15 lbs. extra, at \$3.75; welch'd off cars.

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Churchill's Comrade Killed. EASTCHURCH, Kent, Dec. 3.—Captain Gilbert V. Wildman-Lushington, commander of the British naval flying corps, with whom Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, made a long flight Saturday, was killed yesterday at the naval flying ground here by a fall with his biplane. The well-known aviator was flying with a brother officer, Capt. Henry Fawcett, of the Royal Marines, who was piloting the aeroplane and who suffered slight injuries while the machine crashed to earth and was splintered to matchwood.

Texas Town Flooded. BELTON, Texas, Dec. 3.—Ten persons were reported to have perished in a thirty-foot wave which came without warning down Nolan Creek before daybreak. The creek runs through the centre of this city. Fifty houses along the creek's banks in Belton were swept away. In the heart of the town Mrs. W. C. Polk and her four children were caught in their home and drowned. Polk, carrying the fifth child, an infant, escaped to high ground.

May Limit Sky-scrapers. NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Eighteen stories may be the limit for skyscrapers to be erected in New York in future. The committee on building height restrictions, which reported to Borough President McAnany yesterday, recommended that no building be higher, and that they should not have towers.

Cure For Typhoid Fever. NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—A Paris cable says: A successful new method of curing typhoid fever was announced yesterday by Dr. Young-Baker. It is called auto-vaccination; the vaccine used being the culture of eberth bacilli, made of the patient's own blood. After two days' culture in sterilized heat, two hundred million germs are injected into the patient three times at intervals of twelve hours.

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John Campbell of Woodville Takes First Place in Event For Wethers at Chicago—Glencarrow Victor. II. Sweeps the Board in Events For Fat Stock—He Breaks the Record.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—J. D. McGregor of Brandon, Man., has pulled off the grand championship of the International Live Stock Show of Chicago, the biggest show of its kind on earth. Glencarrow Victor II. has dived all corners in the steer classes, and there were scores of them. He was first in his class as a grade yearling, then champion of all grades and cross-breeds, and then champion of all yearlings, and finally grand champion over all pure breeds and grades. He was bred by J. D. McGregor, his sire was Golden Glen, and he was first in his class as a grade yearling, then champion of all grades and cross-breeds, and then champion of all yearlings, and finally grand champion over all pure breeds and grades.

Ontario sent the finest wether to the show. This is owned by John Campbell of Woodville, Ont. A feature of the Percheron show was the magnificent silver cup, presented by the Canadian Percheron Society for the best Percheron stallion and four mares owned by one exhibitor. This class will not be decided until Friday and competition will be keen. The International Show's board of management and the American Percheron Society directors are loud in their expression of gratitude to the Canadian Percheron breeders for this token of good-will.

In cattle classes there was something doing every minute. The older breeding class of Aberdeen Angus were judged. The classes were large and competition keen, but there were no Canadian exhibits. During the afternoon it was announced that the championship and reserve in the carlots of fat steers had been captured by Escher and Ryan of Irwin, Iowa, with Aberdeen Angus yearlings and two-year-olds. The showing of short-horns is enormous. In the aged bull class, Leslie Smith of St. Cloud, Minn., secured first with his famous bull Ringmaster.

Over in the sheep barns Ontario continued to do herself proud. The grand championship to John Campbell of Woodville was awarded almost at the moment when the McGregor steer topped the cattle rings and was an exact repetition of the performance of last year. In 1912 Campbell won with a pure-bred Shropshire some grade of the same breed. Experts pronounced him superior sheep, and certainly he has a back like a table.

J. D. McGregor refuses to have Glencarrow Victor auctioned at Chicago. He will be shipped home and loaned first to the agricultural schools of Alberta and a demonstration trip through Saskatchewan will be made, and later Mr. McGregor declares he will be slaughtered at Brandon and presented to his friends to eat.

French Chefs Imported as Artists, Declare Hotelmen. NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—James Malton, chef of the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, was indicted by the U.S. grand jury for violating the contract labor law in hiring eighty or more cooks through agents in France. The indictment is said to be the first fruit of a Government crusade against the importation of cooks, practiced by many of the big New York hotels and restaurants. The hotelmen have taken the ground that a French cook is an artist and that by hiring them abroad they are no more amenable to the contract labor law than the managers of grand opera are when they engage their European singers.

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CONSERVATIVE MAJORITY IS REDUCED Conservative Plurality in E. Middlesex is Nearly Cut in Two. LONDON, Nov. 23.—John McFarlan, of Nisour, yesterday defeated John W. Laidlaw, Alliance-Liberal candidate for the Legislature, by a majority of 233.

JOHN CONNOR HANLEY HAS PASSED AWAY Was an Ex-Warden of the County and Highly Respected Resident of Tyendinaga. (From Friday's Daily) The death of John Connor Hanley of Read, a member of one of the best known families of this county and a highly respected resident of Tyendinaga, died at Kingston last morning.

SIR AEMILIUS IRVING DIED IN HIS SLEEP Dean of Canadian Lawyers Passes Away in His 91st Year. TORONTO, Nov. 23.—Sir Aemilius Irving, the Grand Old Man of the legal profession in Canada, passed away at his residence, 19 Russell street, at the age of nearly 91 years.

NEWS ITEMS FROM TRENTON Trenton, Nov. 27th.—The Steamer "Robert R. Thompson" of the W. R. Hall line, came into port today to lay up for the winter. The B. Weddell Company has leased from Mr. A. B. Bywater the southern portion of the Reppour dock.

CABINET NOT SPLIT ON HOME RULE BILL Prem. Asquith Denies Division—No Conference Held So Far. LEEDS, Eng., Nov. 23.—Premier Asquith's speech yesterday, at the meeting of the National Liberal Federation, which was eagerly awaited because it was expected to throw light on the question of how far the negotiations for a settlement of home rule by agreement had been successful, disappointed those who were sanguine of a peaceful issue.

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"BLASTING" NUISANCE Young Men Have a Novel Way of Hunting Around Carmel. (Special to The Ontario) Carmel, Nov. 23.—Two young ninny-rods journeyed to the city on Saturday last and purchased a few feet of gas pipe and some explosives, such as dynamite or dynamite to fit, and then having hired a coach-dog from a neighbor, which was made secure behind buggy with a common wrapping chain, they took themselves to the ninth Con. of Tyendinaga then to demonstrate to the natives of that burg how efficiently they could wipe out of existence all the game covered with hair of feathers that sojourn in the northern end of the township.

CONSERVATISM A DYING FORCE (Special to The Ontario) London, Nov. 23.—East Middlesex was an election of significant beginning, beginning which as they develop will have a profound determining influence on Provincial politics. One beginning was a definite and actual movement of Conservatives against the Government on the Temperance issue.

SCOUT THE THEORY OF MURDER Citizens of the Soo District Say That Unfortunate Minister Shot Self. SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Nov. 23.—Residents of the district who were intimately acquainted with Rev. Frank Butler, whose body was found by the water near St. Joe Island two weeks ago, with the throat cut, scout the theory of murder as advanced before a coroner's jury, and believe he ended his own life. 3-ey say he had suffered from melancholia for a year.

WEDDING BELLS A lovely fall wedding took place in St. James Church Stirling, Thursday, Nov. 27th, when Marguerite, only daughter of Mr. and George Whitey was married to Felix Rabbott, of Tweed. The bride wearing a beautiful gown of white duchess satin with Juliet cap and veil, entered the church to the Lohengrin wedding march.

GOVERNMENT INSPECT BOG A move has been made which leads us to believe that something may yet be done with the rich bog lands in this vicinity. Last week two experts, Messrs. Andrie and Hooper, were sent out by the Government from Ottawa to make a report on Mr. A. Keilly's 100 acre bog bed near Stoco and from the opinion given out they were very favorably impressed with the quality.

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MISS STAGG WAS LUCKY ONE She Wins a Husband and Four Children in Hot Contest. NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Ernest W. Darrow, a contracting mason of Patchogue, Long Island, celebrated his Thanksgiving Day by taking his pick of over 400 women who had offered to be his life mate. Darrow had been advertising for a wife since last May, and not only did the several hundred applicants besiege him by letter, by telegraph and telephone, but many visited him in person.

Struck on Head A workman engaged at the erection of the new Bell Telephone Exchange on Flincoe Street, was the victim of an accident yesterday. He was standing near the elevator at the rear when a block of wood fell, striking him on the head. A doctor was called and patched up the cut in his head. Fortunately it was not very serious, but it might have been.

BASKET BALL LEAGUE STANDING City League Teams won Lost % Business College 1 0 1000 High School 0 0 000 Y. M. C. A. 0 0 000 Albert College 0 0 000 Commercial League Teams won Lost % Belleville H. Co. 1 0 1000 Bankers 0 0 000 Springer Lock Co. 0 0 000 15th Regt Co. 0 0 000 From Street 0 0 000 Saturday night at the Y.M.C.A. the Springer Lock Co. (and the Co. 42nd team from the 15th meet in a commercial league game. After the surprise of the last game when Belle Ville Hardware triumphed Front Street is no use trying to pick winners.

Police Notes Six tramps were sheltered at the police station last night. The collyer at the G.F.R. reports that some one removed his wheel during the night. There was a call to a house last night where John Berlevoort had got into a man's brain.

Elected Officers Belleville Lodge No. 81, L.O.O.F. last evening elected their officers for 1914 J.P.G.—W. J. Carter N.G.—Leon Walsley V.G.—E. E. Timmerman F.S.—E. A. Barstow and W. Adams F.S.—R. W. Adams Treas.—J. A. Coon Trustees—L. O. Pascoe, B. W. Adams, H. D. Hanson

PAID FIRST VISIT TO CITY

Bishop Bidwell Preached in St. Thomas and Christ Churches on Advent Sunday—Large Congregations Present Both in the Morning and Evening.

(From Monday's Daily)
His Lordship Rev. E. J. Bidwell, D.D., Bishop of Kingston and coadjutor Bishop of Ontario has paid his first visit to Belleville since his consecration to that high office. On Sunday morning he was at St. Thomas church and in the evening at Christ church. In the morning His Lordship spoke on the text—"Art Thou He that should come?" or do we look for another." St. Matt. x-3.
This was the message sent by John the Baptist from his prison to our Lord. The impatience he appears to have felt was not unnatural. He had no doubt expected that Christ would openly declare His Messiahship and summon the people to take part in some great movement for the establishment of His claims. But nothing was done. Enthusiasm seemed to wane rather than increase, and John thought he might be mistaken. Our Lord in His reply bids His questioners look, not on what they expected, but what was actually being done. If they were in doubt about His person, surely the wonderful works he did was sufficient proof. But the chief evidence of His Messiahship He based on the fact that the poor had the gospel preached to them, showing the universal nature of His claim. He added a warning that His work was to be done by Divine and not human methods.
Advent season suggests this same question. The progress of Christ's Kingdom is so slow that men become impatient. Some turn away to sheer materialism, and concentrate entirely upon things of this world. Others seek new religions which they imagine are better than the gospel message; others take refuge in a flat and uninspiring agnosticism.
The point is that among those who are looking for another there is no agreement. Nothing which can meet the real needs of men, or can provide a power to overcome sin has yet been discovered. At least among those who believe that Christ is "He who should come" there is a bond of agreement which nothing can break.
But intellectual acceptance of Him is not sufficient. It is of no use to hear His sayings, and then do exactly the opposite, or to believe that He will judge our lives, and act just as if we did not. Christ taught men the meaning and opportunities of life. But with opportunity there comes responsibility, and responsibility is inevitably followed by judgment. How long it may take for Christ's kingdom to come largely follows, humanly speaking, on men realizing these truths; indifference is now, as always, the great obstacle. But a man who believes that Christ was "He that should come" and accepts Him as Lord, and lives His life in view of the judgment to come finds an opportunity and meaning, and indeed a nobility in life which can be found here and here-only.

BADLY INJURED BY DYNAMITE

Nicolai Tapity and Ben Weese Blown Up When Dynamite Exploded at Point Anne—Amputations May Be Necessary—Both Men in Hospital.

(From Monday's Daily)
A serious dynamite accident occurred at Point Anne on Saturday afternoon about five o'clock at the daily blowing of rock for the cement works. Two men named Nicolai Tapity and Benjamin Weese were engaged in blasting. It is said that a stick of dynamite became lodged in a drill hole and in endeavoring to get it down or drive another past it, the explosive was set off by concussion.
Weese suffered the more painful and serious injury. His arm was blown open, the bones fractured, and the flesh lacerated and filled with mud, rock and wood. His leg was badly torn, being virtually blown open on the inside.
Nicolai Tapity suffered slighter injuries to the groin and abdomen.
Both men were hurriedly picked up, wrapped in blankets and rushed in all haste to Belleville hospital in two demerits. Drivers on the road were shouted at to get off the track as the teams drove furiously to the hospital.
The men are both alive today. Mr. Weese's injuries may yet demand amputations.
Dr. A. E. MacColl is attending the unfortunate men who are both married.

MISS FLORENCE ADAMSON DEAD

Death Was Sudden and Unexpected on Saturday Evening at Her Home.

It was a great shock to her many friends to learn that Mary Florence Adamson passed away suddenly on Saturday evening at 6.30 at her home on Station street. While she had been in poor health for several months, it was only a week ago that she was taken seriously ill and her decease was not expected.
The late Mary Florence Adamson was only twenty years of age, having been born in Belleville in the year 1893. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Adamson and had lived here all her life. Surviving besides her parents, are two sisters, Mrs. Charles Dye and Miss Lillian A. Adamson and two brothers, Mark and William L., all of Belleville.
She was a member of St. Michael's church, of the "Children of Mary" and a promoter of the "Sacred Heart" and altar society.
The deepest sympathy is expressed for the family in their great affliction.
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BASKET BALL AT Y.M.C.A.

Standing of teams in Commercial League

Teams	won	lost	%
Belleville Hd. Co.	1	0	1000
Springer Lock Co.	0	0	000
Bankers	0	0	000
G. T. R.	0	0	000
Co. "E"	0	1	000
Front Street	0	1	000

Teams City League

Teams	won	lost	%
Y.M.C.A.	1	0	1000
Business College	1	0	1000
High School	0	1	000
Albert College	0	1	000

The B.H.S. and Y.M.C.A. game was so fast that it appeared very rough to some of the spectators not familiar with the rules, but in the opinion of some athletic experts that were in the city over Sunday it was a good game and the officials did their full duty.
The score board during the Springer Lock and Co game looked like a game of saw-saw, the final score being 26-24 in favor of Springer.
The game between the Y.M.C.A. and B.H.S. about decided definitely their relative merits of the two teams. The score was Y.M.C.A. 52 B.H.S. 22.
The line-up was:
Y.M.C.A. Forward B.H.S. Moore, Capt. Forward Nurse, Capt. Finkle Ketcheson Center Yeomans Alexander Guard Clark Robinson Guard Mordon
Officials— Referee—Mr. Pitney Umpire—Mr. Maule Timekeeper—Mr. Holland Scorer—Mr. Wiseman

MOIRA CHEESE CO. HAD A GOOD YEAR

The Moira Cheese Manufacturing Company held their annual meeting on Friday afternoon last. There was a large attendance of patrons and visitors. All appeared to be greatly pleased with the season's output and turns. Ex-Reeve Jos. English occupied the chair and caused everything to pass off with the utmost good feeling. The annual statement showed the following interesting facts— Total lbs milk received 1614504 Total lbs cheese mfg. 143737 Average lbs milk for lb cheese 11.23 Average price for lb cheese 12.74c Average price per standard 22.83c
After the annual statement had been approved last year's board of directors was re-elected with the exception that Charles Holden was appointed to succeed J. E. Foster who had removed. Last year's board consisted of Walker Sayers, president and Salesman, Peter Vandewater, David Thompson, Fred Ketcheson, W. T. Wannamaker, Jas. Forsythe, and J. E. Foster, directors.
Mr. John Elliott of the Standard bank and Mr. F. C. Billingsley of the Union Bank, Belleville were present, and addressed the patrons.
Mr. A. Herity who has been continuously cheesemaker in this factory for a period of thirty-eight years was reengaged as manufacturer for another year with a substantial increase in salary. Mr. Walker Sayers who has also been the greatest satisfaction as salesman the past season was also engaged for another year and accorded an increase.

ANNUAL MEETING OF BRONK CHEESE FACTORY

The annual meeting of the Bronk Cheese Factory Company will be held on Friday afternoon, Dec. 5th. The annual statement that will be submitted should be most satisfactory for it discloses the fact that Bronk's will this season pay one of the highest dividends that is paid by any factory in the county. These are the figures:
Total lbs of milk 2,027,654
Total lbs of cheese 186,538
Total amt. money rec. \$2,108,977
Cost of manufacturing 1,679,000
Cost of milk drawing 1,134,181
Improvement to plant \$569,077
Av. lbs milk to make lb cheese 10.86
Av. selling price per lb 12.75c
Paid per standard to stockholders 30.69
The officers for 1913 are Jas. Sills, president; Wilnot Clare, secretary; Jas. Huffman, auditor; Edward Carter, cheesemaker; John Elliott, banker.

Havelock After Hydro-Electric

The local Electric Light Co. have at last realized that they must provide more light and are negotiating for the immediate purchase of an auxiliary plant, which will be installed as speedily as possible, in an endeavor to improve the present service. Reeve Kindred is also working for better service, and has communicated with the Hydro Electric and the Seymour Power Co., both of whom are considering the best means of serving the town's interests. It is very probably that the council will decide to submit a plebiscite to the ratepayers at the next municipal elections, asking for authority to enter into a contract with the Hydro or Seymour people, if the local Company is unable to guarantee a satisfactory service.—Standard.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster of Moira were in the city over Saturday night the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morton, Victoria Avenue



CHRISTMAS IS COMING

Just think of it--Christmas only a little more than three weeks away and we think we know what these weeks will be: the busiest of the whole year. From an experience of many years we would suggest that the best time to do your Christmas shopping is now. There is nothing to gain from delay--our stock is now filled to overflowing with goods specially selected for the Christmas Season and while early buyers must of necessity get the first and best choice, they will also get a better service, for while we at all times do our very best, the rush of Christmas shopping of past seasons, compels the suggestion, that the wise will do their shopping early and avoid the Christmas rush.

Ladies' Waists for Christmas

We have just placed in stock our final shipments of Ladies' Waists for Xmas shopping. These include some of the very daintiest waists that we have ever shown, in Sheer Voiles beautifully embroidered, Printed Crepe-de-Chines, Shadow Nets, Rosebud Chiffons, etc., a waist collection that our store is very proud of. See these waists in our window.

Handkerchiefs for Christmas

It is now almost a year since we placed our order for this season's Christmas Handkerchiefs and now these goods are here, ready for your inspection in a greater variety of every kind of handkerchiefs than we have ever before shown. We also show a lot of very pretty handkerchiefs specially boxed for the holiday season, gifts that every one will fully appreciate. Prices 3c to \$5

Xmas Linens \$1.10

We have ten patterns of handsome Double Damask Table Linen, the most beautiful designs we have ever seen at this price, in fact these are regular \$1.50 Table Linens, to clear for only \$1.10 yard.

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Velvet Cords and Moires 75c yd.

These are a lot of very choice Velvets in New Colored Moires and Velvet Cords, including all the new dress colorings, in Browns, Navys, Greys, Wine, Greens, Taupe, Purple and Black, regular 90c and \$1.00 Velvets, to clear for only 75c yd.

Ladies' Kimonos

For the Christmas season we show a lot of Ladies' Crepe Duckling Fleece, Eider, Galt Fleece, Silk and Satin Kimonos, most acceptable gifts for the Christmas season. Prices \$1.00 to 12.50

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Christmas Fancy Linens

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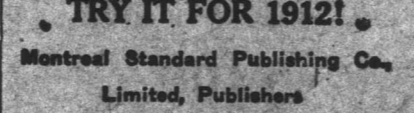
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Big Development at Healey Falls

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On Sunday morning the water was diverted from the regular channel into the canal proper. A large number of fish were taken from the river bed, many of them being good sized bass. The juice is expected to be turned on this week.—Campbellford Herald.

Mr. Howard W. Rathman, teller of the Bank of Montreal here spent Sunday in the city and returned at midnight to Deseronto for a few days.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

FOOTBALL

The School for the Deaf football team have made such a fine record and established so good a reputation for themselves this season that they are now looked upon, to quote the words of one well qualified to speak on the subject, namely Mr. E. V. Ilsey, manager of the Standard bank in Trenton, as the best football team in the Bay of Quinte district. The occasion of this remark on the part of this popular bank manager was at the close of a little oyster supper tendered by him to the O.S.D. team and their team of bankers after a game played in that town on Thursday afternoon.
Mr. Ilsey, having gathered together a strong team, had invited the O.S.D. boys to come over and be trimmed. So, taking advantage of the fine weather they drove over in the handsome new O.S.D. rig kindly placed at their service by the Superintendent, whose eyes nothing is too good for the boys, to give battle to the and undry who might compose this same bankers' team.
A little plot of common ground with a gentle slope rising towards each goal was chosen for the site of the contest. This tiny plot lies opposite the high school and is used by the students as a playing field for baseball and it was found necessary to remove some of the bases, so while the principal of the H.S. wasn't looking Mr. Ilsey stole third and cast it forth to the addlepates. At 3:45 the ball was kicked off with Mr. Kurser, of the O.S.D. as referee. During the half, while the deaf boys were finding themselves, as it were, and the less practiced bankers were fresh the play was very even. In the earlier stages of the game, particularly as he fired somewhat later on Mr. Foster, who when not playing football for the bankers, is the Presbyterian minister in the busy town on the Trent, gave such an exhibition of how skillfully he can handle the ball, that it required no Sherlock Holmes to divine that, in the days of his not very far gone youth, he had played football. From remarks made by the high school girls grouped on the steps of the school during the game we gathered that Mr. Foster is not only an object of interest to the fair sex in Trenton but that he must be still a single object. We trust that another Presbyterian minister of whom we have heard, he will not be obliged to find safety, not in numbers, but in exodus. If so Trenton will lose a fine player. Both teams tried hard to score during this half but with both defenses working well neither side managed to do so. In the second half, the O.S.D. boys, having got accustomed to the ground, settled down to their usual combination game and it was all off with the bankers, the deaf goal never being in danger again, except once on a free kick. The deaf boys kept the ball contently about their opponents' goal, but still found it hard to score. At last McDougall, getting the ball on a pass after a pretty piece of team play kicked into the goal for the first and, as it ultimately proved, the only score of the game, the match ending with the score 1-0 in favor of the boys of the O.S.D. The deaf boys have now played twelve games this season of which they have won nine, tied two, and lost one.
After the game Mr. Ilsey treated the two elevens to an oyster supper in Robertson's restaurant, at the close of which the deaf boys, in a neat speech, he spoke in terms of the warmest praise of the conduct and play of the deaf boys. Mr. Minns, Mr. Nurse and Mr. Pratt replied on behalf of the O.S.D., thanking their hosts for the very kind and courteous treatment extended to them. Mr. Chas. Ford, goal keeper for the deaf team, then, in his own language, moved his hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Ilsey and his team and with this, by uplifted hand, the deaf boys showed they were in hearty accord. The very pleasant proceedings were then brought to a close by singing "God Save the King" and the deaf boys, led by Mr. Nurse, signing as the others sang. The teams were

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Mitchell Backs Ford
Hawley Backs Forrester
Cuff Backs Hughes
Foster Half Backs Payne
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Kerr Forwards Tait
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Billings Forwards Brown
Ilsey Forwards McDougall
Brown Forwards Martin
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ESCAPE OF MOTORISTS

Occupants Got Off Scot Free, Except For the Nervous Shock—An Indian's Hospitality.
A remarkable automobile story which did not find its way into the daily papers is told by some Toronto people who were touring recently in the vicinity of Deseronto. Those in the car at the time of the accident were Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Fitz-Gerald, of 584 Manning Avenue Toronto, and Mrs. Fitz-Gerald's sister and niece, Mrs. S. and Miss A. Smith, of Napanee. The car in which they were driving was struck by lightning and completely disabled, but the occupants got off unscathed, except for the nervous shock.
Mrs. Fitz-Gerald's story follows: "We were touring down to my sister's home in Napanee from Toronto. At Belleville we were undecided whether or not to proceed, owing to the portentous darkening of the sky in the west. However, we made up our minds to race the eastward storm clouds. For some time we seemed to be holding our own, indeed, we had passed through Deseronto, and were well on our way to Napanee when the first heavy drops came down. In spite of the high speed of our forty horse-power car we were running a losing race. In a few minutes the fury of the most terrific electric storm I have ever witnessed was upon us. The rain descended in torrents, and all around us the lightning played. It was magnificent—spectacular. We seemed to be in the center of the storm. Then the lightning struck the car. We seemed to be engulfed in a blinding white flame. None of us remembered what immediately followed. Whether we were struck temporarily senseless by the force of the electric discharge that rushed through our car or by the dazzling brilliancy of the electric spark I do not know. Fortunately, the road was straight at that point, so we did not ditch; but when we regained consciousness the car was stalled in the middle of the road."
Mrs. Fitz-Gerald and her niece weathered the shock better than did her sister and husband.
A Good Samaritan.
We were in the Reserve. Nearly lived Louis, the son of the chief. He came to our rescue, and helped us out of the car and to his home. My husband was suffering so severely from shock that we had little difficulty in persuading him to go to bed. My sister was soon prevailed upon to follow his example. Louis and his father-in-law were the personification of hospitality. They extended every courtesy and kindness at their disposal to us. For two days and nights, we, per force, remained their guests, but still found it hard to score. At last McDougall, getting the ball on a pass after a pretty piece of team play kicked into the goal for the first and, as it ultimately proved, the only score of the game, the match ending with the score 1-0 in favor of the boys of the O.S.D. The deaf boys have now played twelve games this season of which they have won nine, tied two, and lost one.
After the game Mr. Ilsey treated the two elevens to an oyster supper in Robertson's restaurant, at the close of which the deaf boys, in a neat speech, he spoke in terms of the warmest praise of the conduct and play of the deaf boys. Mr. Minns, Mr. Nurse and Mr. Pratt replied on behalf of the O.S.D., thanking their hosts for the very kind and courteous treatment extended to them. Mr. Chas. Ford, goal keeper for the deaf team, then, in his own language, moved his hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Ilsey and his team and with this, by uplifted hand, the deaf boys showed they were in hearty accord. The very pleasant proceedings were then brought to a close by singing "God Save the King" and the deaf boys, led by Mr. Nurse, signing as the others sang. The teams were

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DEATHS

ADAMSON—In Belleville, on Saturday, November 29th, 1913, Mary Florence Adamson, aged 20 years and three months.

NELLIS in Belleville on Friday, Nov. 28th, 1913, Mrs. Bertha Nellis, aged 30 years and 8 months.

Sergeant Francis Nephin was able to be out today after a week's indisposition.
Messrs. Crosby, LaBelle, and Gould of Trenton, were visitors in the city yesterday.

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HIGH SCHOOL WOMEN'S INST.

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Mrs. McFee will briefly explain the Government Lecture Course of ten lessons in sewing, and all ladies wishing to join it will please send in their names to her on Monday. The meeting will be held upstairs in the High School.

STEEL WORKERS' JOLLY BANQUET

Last evening there was a jolly gathering at Wallace's restaurant when Mr. J. A. Higgs of the Steel Company of Canada tendered a complimentary banquet to the crew of the nine-inch mill for the phenomenal "turn" of 91015 lbs of No 8 light horse shoe bar. Mr. Bert McCoy of the office staff occupied the post of honor at the head of the table and carried out the exciting duties of toastmaster with great credit to himself and pleasure to the company. After the good things had been properly disposed of a miscellaneous program of impromptu speeches, songs and instrumental music was put through on schedule time. The most conspicuous note in the speech-making was that of enthusiasm for the interests of the company and loyalty in its behalf. Among those making speeches were Mr. Thos. Moore, Mr. J. A. Higgs, Mr. I. Sturgis and various members of the crew of No. 8 mills were contributed by various members of the working staff of the mill. Much of

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1876	\$ 396,129	\$ 501,250		\$1,277,170
1880	841,418	509,750	7,500	1,665,150
1885	2,422,345	803,700	220,000	3,548,266
1890	3,421,403	1,000,000	460,000	5,702,799
1895	5,437,181	1,000,000	600,000	7,704,525
1900	7,335,114	1,000,000	700,000	10,561,047
1905	12,592,409	1,000,000	1,000,000	14,592,409
1910	23,520,527	2,000,000	2,430,000	30,144,756
1913	\$32,017,153	\$2,429,275	\$3,129,275	\$41,234,487

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AN ATTRACTIVE KITCHEN

The Room Where the Housewife Works Should be Made Pleasant

Has it ever occurred to you that for the same amount of money an attractive rather than an unattractive kitchen can be made? This part of the house, where the housewife spends much of her time, receives little consideration along convenient or attractive lines. Why not have it pretty? There are so many ways it can be done.

The walls of the kitchen can be painted with a yellow or Delft blue. They can be finished in wash paint that is sanitary and requires very little effort to keep clean. The woodwork can be white or it may be a darker shade of yellow, both of which take very little time to clean. The shelves may be covered with white enamel, or oilcloth, neatly put on with brass-headed nails. If the closet room is limited, the saucepans may hang from brass hooks on the walls, ranging from the smallest to the largest sizes. A series of brass hooks is placed over the sink like those at the sides of the shelves, and on these are hung different sizes of enamel spoons, dippers and measures. The dishpan and drainer are kept out of sight in the sink closet.

If the kitchen is finished in blue, which is very effective, a roller or white crash with a broad blue border may be placed on the floor leading to the pantry. Dutch curtains of the blue and white crash on brass rods are placed at the windows. The kitchen table, when not in use, also has a blue and white crash cloth.

Underneath one of the windows two pine shelves may be placed and painted to match the rest of the room. They hold the book books, which are covered with removable covers of the blue and white crash.

Window boxes can be fitted for the kitchen windows, one to hold pansies, which is most luxuriant, another to contain sweet alyssum, which blooms late in the spring, and at a third window a plain board shelf may be placed where a sewing basket, book or magazine may be laid. A large rocking chair, standard at this window, affords a restful place for odd minutes, especially on busy days—Mother's Magazine.

PROPER BREATHING

Few People Allow Their Lungs to Get Full Play

Correct breathing is not only the best health-giver, but it is also the greatest beautifier and does much to give roundness to the figure and a healthy bloom to the cheek. Let it be understood that the human body consists of millions upon millions of cells; that each cell must have its equitum of oxygen to support life; that the more the cell breathes the more it lives; that a withdrawing of oxygen means a flagging, a slow-dying—consumption. Every cell that has sufficient oxygen for its needs is a healthy cell; the body that is composed of healthy cells is a disease-resisting body. It is known that the bacillus of tuberculosis cannot endure oxygen; therefore, to ward off consumption and other forms of disease enough oxygen must be inhaled. From personal experience extending over many years I can say that the habit of full, easy breathing—that is, filling the chest slowly from the diaphragm to the collar-bone without strain of any kind—will convert a narrow, muddy complexion into one of glowing health, for oxygen burns up the waste material, and it is eliminated from the body in a variety of ways. But what is not generally understood is that the vast majority of people cannot breathe fully and freely through the natural channel—the nose—on account of some congestion.—J. W. Williams, in the "Pall Mall Gazette."

Housewives' League

The Housewives' League of St. Paul, insists that its members plan their orders so that one delivery a day is necessary; pay cash or settle their accounts promptly; patronize only tradesmen who comply with the laws; refrain from handling goods that are exposed for sale and give preference to food-distributing stores which close not later than 7 p.m. This shows disposition on the part of the women of St. Paul to help not only themselves, but the honest and clean grocer and his employees.

Glue Linoleum

Instead of tacking linoleum at edges and where widths are joined together, use prepared glue on wrong side. It not only looks better, but when taking it up it doesn't leave any holes, and no bugs can make a hiding place under the edge.

Lace theatre caps which are out of fashion can be turned into charming bags by running cords and tassels in where the elastic was.

GRAND TRUNK SHOPS WERE BURNED DOWN

Loss Estimated at Close to Million Dollars—550 Men Out of Work.

SARNIA, Nov. 27.—At an early hour yesterday morning Port Huron was visited by a most disastrous fire, which completely destroyed the Block I shops of the Grand Trunk Railway. The mammoth shops of the company comprised a coach and cabinet department, freight car department, blacksmith department and lumber yard. To-day the entire plant is a mass of ruins, nothing being left standing but the charred walls and some of the buildings in addition to the destruction of the plant, some sixteen railway coaches that were under construction and receiving repairs were destroyed, including freight cars, buffer cars and motor cars.

By the destruction of the shops 500 men are thrown out of employment. Of this number are some scores of Sarnia men. Everything in the shops was destroyed, with several thousands of dollars' worth of tools belonging to the employees. One Sarnia man estimates his loss at \$200. The total loss will reach near the million mark. Only two weeks ago, the terrific waves of Lake Huron worked \$50,000 damage to the shops, which are at the mouth of the river. This work was just being repaired and things getting in good order again.

The reason given for the wiping out of the plant is that no water was available for the firemen of the city or the private brigades of the company, owing to the pumps being made down while repairs were being made to a broken water main. For more than an hour no water was played on the building.

The following comprised the plant: On the ground floor of the main building, which was nearly 800 feet long and two stories high, of brick construction, were the general offices, stores department, the enlarged machine shop, and the coach shop. On the second floor were the plans and drawings; the record room with its various records, which will be hard to replace; the paint room for sash and doors used in the coaches; back of this the cabinet shop and machinery department, where the iron work was done on the coaches. In this room were four coaches, all of which were destroyed.

A rough estimate of the loss is that it will run close to a million dollars. Does this take into consideration the loss of the pay envelopes of 588 men.

EDMONTON, Alta., Nov. 27.—A \$200,000 fire broke out Tuesday evening in the McKimsey wholesale block on Fourth street, in the wholesale district, and badly damaged the building and destroyed almost all the stock of the wholesale arms which were occupants. The cause of the fire is as yet unknown.

A HUNTER'S CLOSE SHAVE

A local sportsman experienced one of the dangers of hunting deer this fall which will soon be forgotten by him owing to the unique nature of the incident. After letting his dog loose in a large rock which slanted off sharply on the swamp side. The tongueing of the dogs brought a rabbit from the bush within close range of him and, while he was looking at the boulder on which he got down from the intention of stopping them, when he beheld a deer came running over the rock upon which he had been standing and leaping into the air would have landed squarely upon him had he not thrown himself out of its way. The shock was sufficient to produce a critical attack of "back fever" as although a shot or two was fired at the fleeing deer it escaped unscathed as the hunter barely time to recover his equilibrium before his game was out of sight. The sportsman in question will now not fully comprehend what it really means to be given a close shave and the leading figure in the drama (the deer) was in inexplicable luck to escape freedom from the sin of a good marksman as ever touched finger to a trigger.—Tweed Advocate

TRAIN RECEIVED

NEWS BY WIRELESS
Scranton, Pa., Nov. 26th — News bulletins received by wireless telegraphy were displayed on a moving passenger train yesterday on the Lackawanna Railroad. The train, fully laden with the rate of 60 miles an hour between this city and Binghamton, N.Y. A Scranton newspaper sent 250 words from the Lackawanna wireless station. One of the dispatches was on the battle in Mexico, another regarding the threatened strike in Schenectady.

INSTALLATION OF K.O.F.C. OFFICERS

Tuesday evening Belleville Council Knights of Columbus was officially visited by D.D. Dr. Dolan and his staff who installed the officers-elect for the coming year.

After the installation ceremonies were concluded, Grand Knight, W.S. Belair, who presided, announced that a program had been prepared for a smoker, which was proceeded with and carried to a most successful conclusion about midnight. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Father Corrigan, D.D., Dr. Dolan, Past District Deputy E. J. Butler, F.G.K. L. P. Hughes, G.K. W. N. Belair and these were interspersed with many vocal and instrumental numbers under the able direction of Mr. H. L. Ingram, accompanist.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH BAZAAR

Long before the annual bazaar closed last evening in the parish house of St. Thomas Church, the ladies and all who had labored to make it a success found that the realization was beyond their brightest hopes. In the afternoon of Tuesday and Wednesday the sale of work and dainty articles was pursued and on both evenings the hall was well filled for the programs which had been arranged by Prof. Wheatley, organist of the church and Professor of Music at St. Agnes School.

Last evening the same high standard of excellence was maintained in the performance which began at eight-thirty.

The players were Mrs. Wilmot, Mrs. MacCall, and Prof. Wheatley. Six young ladies of St. Agnes School danced in gypsy measures and in the romantic costumes of the Zingari. Their graceful movements and the novelty of the feature resulted in an encore.

Mr. A. D. Harper's highly cultivated voice was heard to excellent effect in a song, which was directed by Miss Helen Simpkins, as Queen of Song treated the audience to a song in the Italian tongue and delighted them that she was called upon to respond several times to insistent demands for more.

"Wallace and Ketchbridge" with this semi-barbaric announcement the curtains opened on a roadway where sat in a dog cart two men and a woman. Wallace and Percy Ketchbridge, only they had undergone a process of translation of transmigration into St. Luke, a fine pair of observant farmers, who could read signs and crack jokes on Belleville and local institutions as if they had known them all their lives.

Mrs. Chas. Wilmot sang "The Will of the Wind" in her incomparable style and rendered an encore. Miss Joy Higgs was never heard to better advantage than in her interpretation of various numbers on her favored instrument the violin. All but one of these were encores. Robert Burns came in for a turn and it being near St. Andrew's night, by what more beautiful song than "My Love is Like a Red Red Rose" could he be represented? The latter pretter was Mr. James Booth, a promising young vocalist, who repeated the last stanza by unanimous request.

"Archibald, the son of a poor, poor man in vaudiville last night. His street name is Mr. Wheatley. His style was English and he wore a "glave". Six young ladies stepped the measures with him and some amusing situations occurred. Three or more times the settable were called before the audience, their last appearance being individual curtsies, bows, and blushes.

CHIEFTAIN'S CHALLENGE TO VIRILE YOUNG LIBERALS

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Inspiring Appeal to His Fellow-Canadians to Fight on in Battle of Public Service.

HAMILTON, Nov. 27.—It was the ringing message of a Canadian seventy-two years young to his fellow-young Canadians, when Sir Wilfrid Laurier addressed the Federation of Liberal Clubs at their big banquet here last night. It was a challenge to follow—not to march alone. It was the inspiring note of the leader who leads, who is ready to begin the fight, not to end it. It was the announcement of a new slogan to meet new conditions in the generations-old struggle of Liberalism to serve the people. "I call you to fight, you strong and virile young Liberals," sounded the voice of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, while the men and women before him leaped to their feet with eager cheers.

"I call you to fight with me, to fight the battle of your country and its citizenship. We will fight together. (Cheers.) Never mind reverses if they come. Fight on." (Renewed cheers.)

W. B. Preston, as toastmaster, welcomed the occasion as one marking

SOME OF THE CLUBS THAT WERE REPRESENTED

- Hamilton, Nov. 26.—Some of the clubs represented at the banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., tonight were: Hamilton Liberal Club, Hamilton Canada Forward Club, University of Toronto Liberal Club, Rowell Liberal Club, North Toronto; Kingston Liberal Club; London Liberal Club, Berlin Liberal Club, Owen Sound Liberal Club, Stratford Liberal Club, St. Catharines Liberal Club, Prescott Liberal Club, Pelham Liberal Club, Woodstock Liberal Club. Other clubs were Barrie, Orillia, King City, Clifford, Cardinal, Eglinton, Brampton, Milton, Burlington, Midland, and Belleville Twentieth Century Liberal Club.

"I do."

"Somebody will say that the tariff which is in force to-day is the Fielding tariff of 1897. So it is, but the Fielding tariff was made for the needs of that time, not for all eternity. It has been the policy of the Liberal party at all times to stand so far as possible for stability in tariff, but when the needs of the people call for action, action must be taken."

"Stand to your ideals. Stand fast, that belong to British citizenship. Keep your ideal before you like the cloud by day and the pillar of fire by night which guided the people of God

able to Capt. Corbett it is very evident, judging from the number obtained, that Stoco Lake is only maintaining its reputation as a rendezvous for the game. During last season Mr Corbett's record was 181 ducks. This year this season he has 75 to his credit and is sanguine that he will yet outnumber last year.—Tweed Advocate.

Late Mrs. T. Sheehan's Funeral

The obsequies of the late Mrs. T. Sheehan who died in Walkerton, Wis., took place this morning from the residence of her father, Mr. James Marshall, Victoria Avenue, to St. Michael's church where the Rev. Father Killen celebrated requiem mass. Interment was in St. James cemetery, the bereaved being relatives. The funeral was highly attended and many floral and spirit offerings marked the public service.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER

The acceptance of historic principles to the twentieth century systems. In the young men of the country the Opposition found its opportunity. There the youth of the day was the backbone of national enterprise.

Sir Wilfrid received an enthusiastic ovation on rising to speak. "The question was not free from difficulties, and those difficulties were enhanced and made worse by the position of the nations of Europe. The condition of Europe to-day," he said, "is a disgrace and a shame to the civilization of the twentieth century. Europe to-day is an armed camp. The leading nations of Europe—England, Germany, France, Austria, Hungary, Russia, Italy—each of these nations is spending upon its armament from one-third to over half of its revenue. Yet there is not at present among these nations any discord.

"They are friendly, I say, but they are distrustful of one another, and it is because they are distrustful that they dare not act as between man and man and say 'let us be friends.' That is what they call the European concert; I would call it a furnace. And there are men who wait us as Canadians to step into that furnace. (Speaking as a Liberal to Liberals.) I believe, now, I feel certain, I am convinced in my mind and heart, the policy which has been followed by the Liberal party upon the ground of absolute autonomy is the only policy that will be acceptable to the Canadian people.

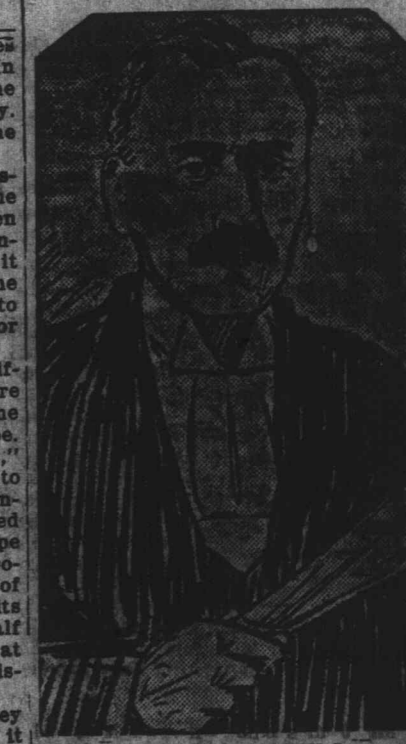
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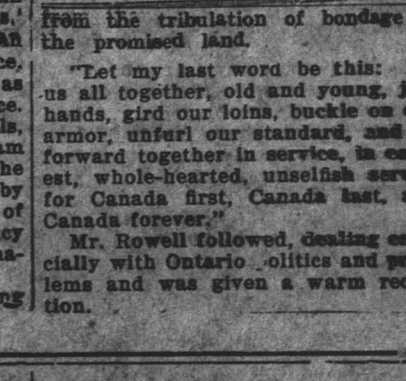
Mr. H. Ashley has just returned from the National Live Stock and Horticultural show held at Toronto last week where the Ashley Stock Farm exhibited an even dozen standard bred horses, winning \$15,000 in prizes. The stock was greatly admired by all who saw them.

CHAMPION DUCK HUNTER

Apparently not content with simply holding the honors of champion marksman at the rifle ranges, Capt. Corbett has gone it one better and from his latest exploit can unflatteringly be termed the champion duck hunter of the district. One day recently, silent and alone, he betook himself to the lake just as the bright or down of the moon appeared, and immediately after sunrise began the onslaught. Shortly after the dinner hour he returned to the landing with his game where he found it necessary to get the services of a boy with a wheelbarrow to assist him in getting it home having bagged 17 golden-eyed whistlers. Besides being very credit-



N. W. ROWELL, K.C.



from the tribulation of bondage to the promised land.

"Let my last word be this: Let us all together, old and young, join hands, gird our loins, buckle on our armor, unfurl our standard, and go forward together in service, in earnest, whole-hearted, unselfish service for Canada first, Canada last, and Canada forever."

HOLLOWAY ST. LEAGUE

Visitors From Foxboro Took Charge of the Meeting in Holloway Street Lecture Room Last Evening.

A very pleasant evening was spent in the lecture last evening. We were visited by Foxboro league who took charge of the meeting and furnished a most excellent program. The topic was "Jesus" three erring disciples, Peter, Thomas and Judas. Rev. Mr. Brown, president of the Foxboro League had the chair and spoke of the work being done by their league. Miss Denney, Mrs. Chisholm and Mrs. Frederick gave a character sketch of the three disciples which was much enjoyed. Recitations by Mrs. Gay and Earl Francis were very profitable. Some by Mrs. Henderson and S. C. Gay, a duet by Mrs. Hoard and Mrs. Chisholm, and a quartette by Mrs. Hoard, Mrs. Chisholm, Mr. Gay and Mr. Brown were much appreciated. Mr. Mulholland favored these present with two piano solos. Refreshments were then served by the ladies.

COOPERATE WITH THE "Y'S"

The cogitations of the "Y's" at their business meeting resulted in plans for a "Topic Party" for Tuesday evening, December 9th and Christmas hamper of goodies, books, clothing, etc. for those not liable to be remembered at the Christmas tide. However the success of these plans all depend on your cooperation. There is in our treasury, \$300.00 that we believe in our work can show it by attending our "early" especially young ladies and gentlemen, and by giving donations of money, clothes, clothing, etc. for those not liable to be remembered at the Christmas tide. However the success of these plans all depend on your cooperation. There is in our treasury, \$300.00 that we believe in our work can show it by attending our "early" especially young ladies and gentlemen, and by giving donations of money, clothes, clothing, etc. for those not liable to be remembered at the Christmas tide.

Miss Robina Templeton 246 John St., Superintendent of our Flowers, Fruit and Delicacy Mission will be delighted to receive these donations also any kind of jolly or grape juice for the sick, pretty cards, books and magazines for the shut-ins. Help your children realize "it is more blessed to give than receive" get them dividing their toys and planning for the pleasure and joy of others these not so well supplied. Encourage your young folks to take part in those things that make for a better and higher life not the temporal. A word of discouragement may have results never dreamed of by you. Be careful that your is not the hand to set the ball rolling in the wrong direction, that you may shortly be powerless to resist. Keep the thought in the "Y" motto foremost. "To make this life worth while and Heaven a surer heritage."

Stole a Sweater.

Three men representing themselves to be railway brakemen, blew into town on the last Montreal express from Toronto on Sunday morning and secured a room at the Armstrong house. Early in the morning they departed unseen and with them disappeared the sweater of Mr. John Roche, who occupied the room opposite them. Mr. Roche's trunk had also been taken from his room into the one occupied by the three men, and an attempt made to force it open. The sweater, which was a dark blue, was found in a box in the trunk of one of the men. The men were identified as Robt. Jones, J. Clarke and Jno. Armstrong of Toronto.—Bavelock Standard

Mr. T. W. Wanchope has been in Peterboro for a couple of days acting as expert in writing on a loggers case.

Mr. James Knox and daughter, Miss Georgia Knox, have gone to Los Angeles, California where they will spend the winter months before proceeding to Vancouver, B.C. to reside. Mr. Knox has been a resident of Belleville for many years and is a former member of the city council. In his removal to the West he carries with him the best wishes of a large number of friends.

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SERMON TO THE FARMERS

The following significant letter, which can be read with profit by many farmers in the Belleville district appeared in a recent issue of the Montreal Gazette:

"Sir,—The cattle upon a thousand hills are mine," said the Psalmist, but conditions have greatly changed since those days. In scriptural times a man's financial standing was estimated by his flocks and herds. Now, farmers of our country are shipping out everything that can walk, and literally "selling their birthright for a mess of pottage." What would we think of a manufacturer who accepted the offer of a profit on his raw material to the detriment of his business for years? It is the same of a little ready money. That is what our farmers are doing, young cattle, old cattle, scrub, and anything on the hoof are being rushed to the United States for a paltry profit. In two or three years the young cattle would quadruple in value, to say nothing of the milk, butter and cheese which they would produce. The United States are laughing up their sleeves at the green Canadian farmers who are sacrificing their cattle for the "fish pots of Egypt."

"We used to have a very large export of cattle to Great Britain and other countries. Where is it all now? At one time we supplied the Mother Country with a large quantity of the butter she used, nearly 600,000 packages being shipped in 1905. Where is that trade now? Echo answers "Where?" And our cheese, the Canadian dairy cheese which could hold up its head higher than that of any other country in the world, in 1903 the exports were 2,400,000 boxes, and 1913 will be nearly a million boxes short of that quantity. Wake up, farmers of Canada! Do not let your neighbors on the other side of the fine goldbrick you. Save your cattle for the future and don't forget that you have as a heritage the greatest farming country on earth, and golden opportunities not to be lost sight of. CANADIAN.

REV. BLAGRAVE AT HALIFAX

The Halifax papers speak very favorably of the special mission work being conducted by the Rev. R. C. Blagrove, B.D., at St. Mark's church Halifax, and comment upon his success in holding services both for children and adults. Crowded congregations have greeted him, and abstracts of his sermons appear in the "Chronicle" and other dailies. The pulpits of the other churches are filled by Rev. Dr. Peterson Smith, Rev. Dr. Robinson, Bishop Richardson, Ven. Dean Mantell and others, all conducting a great mission campaign.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

The members of the choir and some of the members of the Church and Sunday School met at the church on Saturday evening last to present Miss Hettie Ketcheson, our church organist, with a beautiful silver tea service and tray before leaving our midst. Mr. W. M. Shorey, our S. S. superintendent, acted as chairman and spoke of how she would be missed in the Sunday School, especially by the juveniles, she having been the teacher in that department for several years. The following address was read by Mrs. C. J. Massey: To Miss Hettie Ketcheson,—As the time of your departure from us has arrived we desire to give expression to our deep regret for the loss we are to sustain in your removal from our midst.

In the community your services have ever been effective, your influence always for good and your friendship commanding. In the church you have been a most earnest laborer from your earliest days, rendering valuable service in almost every department of the same. As a member of the choir you have not only been a blessing to all by the splendid assistance you have given but your untiring zeal and faithfulness have stimulated others to greater activity and usefulness. In the Sunday School you have succeeded in winning the hearts and directing the lives of all those who have been privileged to come under your care, while many others have been helped by the encouragement you have so freely given.

While words in some measure reveal the deep regard we have for you yet we wish to convey to you in a more tangible way our heartfelt esteem by asking you to accept this gift as a token of the good will and best wishes of your many friends.

Signed, Mrs. C. J. Massey, Miss Bird, Mr. Shorey.

Mrs. George Johnson and her daughter, Mrs. Woodworth, of Detroit, Mich., who many years ago were residents of Sidney township, have been visiting friends in the city for the past fortnight left for home this week.

In a contest conducted by the Toronto Star Weekly to name "the ten Torontoians" who would be most missed, the first prize was carried off by G. VanHercum, an old Belleville boy, who has resided in the Queen City for a number of years, where he is the editor of the Shoe and Leather Journal. A very large number took part in the competition which was decided last week.

VERY LARGE MARKET TODAY

Only Two Changes Over Last Week's Quotations—Eggs Still Soaring to "Sky-High" Prices.

(From Saturday's Daily) Despite the heavy roads due to the recent rains, the market this morning was very large, so that even at noon there was a good many buyers still at work making purchases. There are only two changes of note this morning. Hogs have gone down again. Last week dressed pork stood at \$12, today it is down to \$11.50 per hundred weight. The other change in price was for butter. Last week it went as low as 30c. This morning's quotations were around 35c per pound. Sheats are extremely high in price \$9 per pair. Eggs in some baskets had high prices. Some brought 40c, part being fresh and part packed eggs of three weeks' standing. Some dozens of "strictly fresh" changed owners at 45 cents per dozen. There was nothing new in the vegetable and fruit markets. Poultry is unchanged. From 75c to one dollar was the range. Ducks were worth 75c each. Buyers are paying 18c per pound for turkeys, a few were offered for sale at two dollars each. Some good geese were to be had. Hay was selling at \$14 to \$15 per ton. There are no changes in the hide market. Lambskins 75c, buckskins 12-14c; fanners 9c to 11c; shearlins 45c; horsehides \$3; deerskins 75c; veals 10c to 13c. There was a plentiful supply of apples.

MRS. BERTHA NELLIS DEAD

(From Saturday's Daily) The death place on November 28th, at her home Lime St. this city of Mrs. Bertha Nellis, aged thirty years and eight months. Deceased was twice married her first husband being the late Archibald Morrey. Her second husband did not long ago. Surviving are two children, Gertrude and James. The late Mrs. Nellis leaving one sister, Mrs. Hannah Brooks, Kingston, and Mrs. Mary Hare, Hamilton.

C.P.R. Smoker.

The C.P.R. smoker and smoker in the town hall on Tuesday night was a big success, and provided a program decidedly novel to Havelock. It was well attended, and after full justice had been done the estates, chairman W. J. Brown, took charge of the program and proposed the loss of railway department, to which Mr. J. A. Sixsmith, M.P., and Jas. Thompson, M.P.P. ably responded. Ye editor to "The Press," H. F. McNichol to the "Banking Institutions," C. A. Gheut to "The Ladies and Assistant," Tansley to the "C.P.R." The most interesting events were the sparring contests of which there were three "Bee" McBurney and P. Innis gave a nice exhibition of three rounds. Messrs. Darling and Parsons mixed it up strenuously for three rounds, and "White Hope" Bill Hitchins and Mr. Darling in two rounds, served to show the former's splendid ability with the gloves. "Scottie" White gave several good imitations of Herby Lester, attired in full Highland costume bare knees and all. Mr. Andrews gave three good recitations in his inimitable style, while Messrs. Les, Norris, Will C. Campbell, McBurney and chairman Brown rendered excellent solos. Mr. McGeach gave an exhibition of his skill with the bones and Chas. Southgate contributed a piano solo. The gathering broke up at 11:30 with "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King." The event, so cheerfully initiated, would be succeeded by several others during the coming winter, and needless to say will be awaited with eagerness by all.—Havelock Standard.

ALBERT LANG DIED IN DETROIT

Albert Lang, a former resident of Belleville, and son of the late Chas. Lang of this city died on Nov. 16th in Detroit after an illness of only 3 days of pleuro-pneumonia. The remains were buried in Detroit. He leaves a wife but no family. Mr. Lang was a resident of Belleville and for several years a barber with the late Chas. Diet. About ten years ago he went to Detroit, where he lived until his death.

WAGES CASE IN COURT

William Morrison brought a wages case for eleven dollars into the court this morning and was given an order for that amount and costs against John Pepper. There was no contention as to the amount, but Mr. Pepper said he had had some disputes with his employer, who is having a residence erected.

POINT ANNE LIQUOR CASE

Judgment was last evening reserved by Magistrate Mason for a week into the case of Frau Julica, charged with having liquor for sale on her premises and with allowing it to be sold in a local option township. Rev. J. P. McInnes of Foxboro brought the charge.

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MAYOR BOWERS ON A HUNTING EXPEDITION

Mayor Bowers of Moira has been enjoying a well earned holiday amid the wilds of Parry Sound and from the distant village of Loring sends us a brief message telling of the good time he is having.

Loring, Nov. 25th, 1913. Dear Editor,—Kindly allow me a few lines of space in your valuable paper to describe my impressions of this wild country in which I now find myself. The Ontario reaches me regularly and I gather great satisfaction in perusing its newly pages. It is better than a message from home in that it gives all the news from the surrounding country.

This is a rough, rocky district, but the scenery is simply magnificent. The numerous streams dotted with islands, and the mighty rivers that wind their sinuous course through the rocky defiles when once seen can never be forgotten. Vast stretches of country are still clothed in splendid forests, growing in all their primeval luxuriance. Maple, birch, basswood, hemlock, and cedar are all plentifully distributed, but there is little to be seen here for example, birch or cedar.

This is not a farming country, but there are some thrifty settlements, where there are some up-to-date farm buildings. The agricultural has no trouble to dispose of all his surplus produce to the lumbermen for most remunerative prices.

This is truly a hunter's and fisherman's paradise. The lakes and streams fairly swarm with all kinds of fish. Whitefish, herring, pickerel, salmon, lake trout, pike, lunge and other varieties, are found here in immense numbers. Some of the lunge caught here are of great size, one was seen to tip the beam at 40 pounds. Pike are often captured that weigh from 15 to 27 pounds.

I have been out in the woods 26 miles and saw many fine deer. I was successful in bringing down one fine buck that weighed nearly 300 lbs. This is an extremely healthy place. I have gained every day since coming here. As I have just returned from a long hunting expedition, I am very tired and will now close. Kind regards to all my old friends. Jeremiah Bowers.

BROUGHT TO HIS HOME

The funeral of the late John Connor Hanley who died yesterday at Kingston hospital will take place from the family residence, Tyendinaga, on Sunday morning, to St. Charles church, Rev. Dr. Brown officiating. The remains were brought to his late home in Tyendinaga last evening, his son, Mr. James C. Hanley, accompanying them.

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Auction Sale

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CELEBRATED THE EVENT

Sons of Scotland and Their Friends Celebrated Anniversary of Their Patron Saint Last Evening.

Camp, Rob. Roy, No. 41, Sons of Scotland, and hundreds of their friends celebrated the annual festival of St. Andrew, their patron saint, by a Scottish Song-Drumma recital in the Griffin Opera House last evening. The patronage of the ideal Scots with sprigs of heather on the lapels, English, Irish and Canadian was highly satisfactory.

The recital was novel being what is known as Scottish song-drama, the great ballad literature of the north country, having been drawn upon arrangements made of the musical settings for the purpose of having the scenes enacted on the stage. Mr. Hamisk Mackay and Miss Morlich MacLeod appeared in the dress of the ancient Celtic monarchs and had their own stage setting scenery there. The rear was furnished by a green "drop," while there was an ancient set covered with an animal skin. The setting added a touch of romance and made the understanding of the ancient ballads easier and more vivid. The royal costumes is worn as a protest against the decoration of the hill.

Mr. Mackay has a very effective speaking voice and is gifted with histrionic power. One might say he is a born actor, but he prefers to sing the songs of Scotland. As a singer his own personality together with a most pleasing and dramatic voice wins for him instant favor. Miss MacLeod, his partner in the duets was very effective in both tragic and sentimental songs. Her rendering of "The Land of the Leal" by Lady Nairn reached the acme of pathos while in the tragic, "The Four Marys," her interpretation revealed the terror, immense pity, and final resignation at the coming execution of one of the ladies in waiting to Mary, Queen of Scots. The little drama of "Huntingtower" was played with all its resources being exercised, while her horror stalked about in the scene of "The Land of the Leal" by Lady Nairn reached the acme of pathos while in the tragic, "The Four Marys," her interpretation revealed the terror, immense pity, and final resignation at the coming execution of one of the ladies in waiting to Mary, Queen of Scots.

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Pipe Major Albert Johnstone opened the program with a fine pipe selection, which prepared the audience for visions of heather and dreams of Scottish glens. He wore kilts and never has he given more delight to Belleville audiences than he did last evening. His skill on the pipe was shown in three numbers, and one of them in an encore. The program was as follows:—Piano Solo—"Hondo Brillante" and encore, Miss J. Buchanan. Dramatic Solo—"The Four Marys" (with Violin Obligato), Miss MacLeod. Songs—"Skye Boat Song," "The Piper of Dundee," and "The Crookit Bawbee," Miss MacLeod and Mr. Mackay. Interval.

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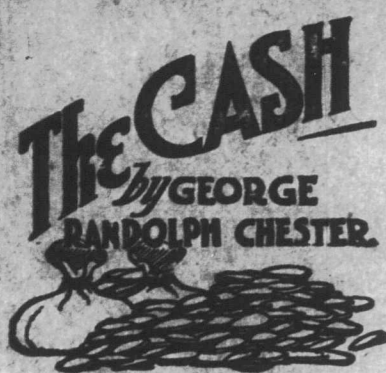
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Henry Breed, master of millions, who reduces the price of bread, dominates the railways and corners the cash of the country; Phillip Kelvin, annihilator of the Stock Exchange and breaker of trusts; Elsie White, daughter of the people, who loves Kelvin; Lillian Breed, heiress and tigress, who would be an empress; Sumner Rollins, railroad king and champion of liberty; Dr. Zephan, who believes all Americans are crazy; George Blagg, wireless expert and anarchist—these are the leading characters in a remarkable romance that excites the imagination, provokes thought and claims the interest from start to finish.

Breed waved his hand. "Much larger," said he. "This is only an incident. I wish you would tell me just what reforms you propose instituting, Mr. Rollins."

"First of all," said Rollins earnestly, reassured. "I would secure for every through line 120 pound open hearth steel rails, made in new mills from larger ingots, with the same of impurity cast entirely aside and the composition kneaded into a proper consistency by an entirely new system of rolls. There are other things that need to be done—the establishment of perfect block systems, of automatic brakes and other accident preventing devices and the abolition of grade crossings—but the main matter of public safety rests in perfect rails. Two years ago I tried to fight this proposition, and I nearly succeeded. The Tallahassee Iron and Coal company offered to make open hearth rails to my specifications. The United Steel corporation found that to control the stock of the Tallahassee Iron and Coal company was much cheaper and more profitable than to spend the needed millions in re-equipping their plant."

"Your first step, then, I suppose, would be to begin a fight on the United Steel corporation," observed Breed.

"That, in a nutshell, is our problem," declared Rollins.

"Your problem is already solved, Mr. Rollins," said Kelvin, with a smile. "Mr. Breed's control of the railroads has left the United Steel corporation high and dry. Moreover, we have secured entire control of the Ingot Iron range, and, no matter what the United Steel corporation does, we shall set up our own rolling mills and make rails by our own process from our own ore."

"But the program will be left entirely to your own discretion," interrupted Breed. "You shall have a contract for one year, renewable for ten years if your preliminary steps meet with my approval."

"Allow me to understand," said Rollins. "In that year, I am to be absolutely without interference in any way?"

"With two exceptions," replied Breed. "I want a private rebate on all shipments of bread or cereal stuffs. Next, here is a list of names. These men are not to be employed in any capacity nor benefited in any way."

Rollins looked over the list and smiled. "There isn't a man here whom I would lift a finger to save. There is not a man in that list but has had an interest in car company, a locomotive company, a brake company, a cooperative tire company or some other manufacturing concern which furnished supplies to his own railroad at enormous prices. There is to be no graft in the new construction."

"Certainly not," agreed Breed. "These rebates must be conducted for legitimate profit and public safety. If there is any graft I want it myself, and I am content to take dividends for mine. For one year you are the absolute dictator of the largest empire in the world—the combined railroads of the United States."

From his desk he took a contract, confined to one sheet of paper, which he handed to Rollins.

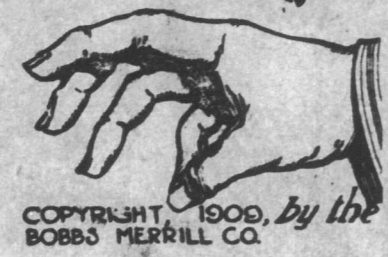
That gentleman took the paper, read it over and caught his breath. "It is a generous salary," he admitted, "more generous than I should have dared to ask for."

"Eh! I am saving money on it," declared Breed. "It's only a portion of a thousand fancy salaries that I expect you to stop at once."

Rollins nodded his head in comprehension. "I will take great pleasure in stopping a few of them."

Kevin conducted Rollins to a room, next to his own, that had been fitted with a commodious desk and all that should go with it. Rollins sat upon the desk and looked about him smilingly.

INTRIGUE



Blagg's eyes snapped. "Deeds" he declared. "Let inequality and oppression go on for but a short time more and there will be such a revolt from the darker depths of this country as not even 'Frag' has ever known. There exists even now a close organization of the underground who are ready at a word to rise and undo the wrongs to which justice has grown blind."

"You seem to know a lot about it," commented Rollins.

Blagg calmed down his excitement with an effort. "I keep fairly well posted," said he. "Among other things I know that there is a branch of that organization which needs just such men as you."

"I am, rather busy as it is," returned Rollins dryly and walked over to his own office. "Have you prepared the data I asked you to get ready, Nelson?" inquired Rollins.

"Yes, sir," replied Nelson. He walked across to a filing cabinet, brought from it a drawer, which he set upon Rollins' desk, and lifted up the spring. Rollins leaped through the indexed flaps, beneath which, very carefully arranged, were displayed the mileage distances by various routes between all important points in the United States with the percentage of grade resistance figured in units, these, compounded with the mileage, showing the ultimate hauling resistance. It had been a tremendous task. It was neatly and perfectly accomplished, yet Nelson showed neither elation nor diffidence.

"This is splendidly done," observed Rollins after a long interval of careful inspection.

"Thank you," said Nelson quietly. Rollins glanced up at him with puzzled curiosity. "That will do just now," said he, with a slight frown, and Jens walked composedly into his own room, a fathomless enigma to Rollins.

CHAPTER VII.

IN the meantime Dr. Zephan, crossing the library, paused before the door at the far side of the open door and at a moment of frowning hesitation resolutely thrust open the door and entered. To his surprise Henry Breed was not there.

In the corner of the room, on the same side as the safe, a door stood open, and Zephan, with an angry determination to see everything here, approached that closet. He put his hand upon the rear wall at the deeper side, and it yielded to his touch, swinging backward into a narrow space from which came a damp odor and a faint gleam of light.

"So," said Dr. Zephan aloud, and immediately he squeezed back into the narrow space and descended the two flights of narrow stairs to the big vault, the existence of which he had never even suspected. In the center of the vault, with the light from a cluster of electric bulbs gleaming down upon his bald head, with one of the many iron drawers upon his knees and with an old, well thumbed Bible on the bench at his side, sat Henry Breed. In his hands was a package of the paper money with which the drawer was filled, and he was gazing, rapt at the opposite side of the vault. He turned without surprise toward the familiar figure of Dr. Zephan and chuckled as he patted the drawer.

"This is the first row of all that side to be filled," said he. "I began at the lower corner. All the other rows are empty, but they'll fill up—they'll fill up," and he nodded his head in satisfaction. "Those other sides were filled by the bread business, but this is railroad dividends in cash, solid cash!"

Dr. Zephan was looking about him in amazement. "There must be millions here!" he gasped.

"Millions," chuckled Breed, his wrinkled old face breaking into a leathery smile; "there's over a billion and a half! How did you come here?" he cried. "You were told that that little room upstairs was my strictly private study—that I wished no one to come into it."

"Bravely," agreed Zephan dryly. "But now that I have found the way I am coming whenever you do or I am not going to stay at Forest Lakes."

"Don't go away, doctor!" pleaded Breed in sudden fright. "Don't leave me. When you arrived I was a nervous wreck, but since you came I have been able to do a lot of work—good work, splendid work!"

"That's because you at first did what I told you. But of late you've grown careless. You give me the slip every morning now, and I can't find you. When you should be out in the fresh air you are down here in this unhealthy atmosphere with unhealthy thoughts, counting money—not the money that you have, but the money you expect to make. I hadn't the slightest idea that you were a mere miser."

"A miser, doctor?" Breed smilingly expostulated, "is a man who hoards his money for his own sake. He never uses it for pleasure or comfort; he never even puts it to work. But this money of mine by the mere fact of its being here is a tremendous dynamo, by the mighty current of which I can sway almost the entire social and economic universe—to its own good, to its own good," he hastily added.

"With it, when duly increased, I can right great wrongs, change unjust laws, destroy and build anew entire civilizations, shatter and recreate governments! Think, doctor! Handled with my experience and the genius of young Kelvin, this money has already bankrupted nearly every enemy I had in the world, destroyed the iniquity of the New York Stock Exchange and given me absolute control of every mile of railroad in the United States. No miser's money could have done that."

"Incidentally," observed Zephan, "several hundred thousand people were thrown out of work, a thousand or so starved to death, a few hundred committed suicide and other hundreds deserted their families."

"For their iniquities the Lord shall bring suffering upon his people," solemnly declared Breed, and reached down a nervous hand for his Bible. Zephan looked at him sternly. "I want you to come out of this place at once and stay out," he ordered.

"No, no!" objected Breed nervously. "Not! I must come in every day, doctor—just a little while."

"Yes, I suppose you must," admitted Zephan. "I'll give you thirty minutes every day, but some one must be with you."

"My granddaughter usually comes with me," explained Breed. "She is the only one besides myself who knows the combination to these locks, and only we four—Lillian and Kelvin and you and I—know of its existence. You must guard this secret well, Zephan."

"No danger of my telling it," scorned the doctor. "I don't want to ruin any human soul with the knowledge that all this money is here, guarded only by iron bolts and your handful of armed guards. There's a curse on the stuff. More than enough to live on has never done any one any good. Look at yourself!"

"What is the matter with me?" asked Breed quickly.

"Oh, nothing," said Zephan quietly, "only you are losing your mind, that is all. If you don't keep away from this silent brooding you'll be a fibbering idiot in less than a year. Unless you obey me implicitly I shall leave you. I had a notion to do so this morning, but Mr. Rollins came and I changed my mind."

"Rollins!" exclaimed Breed. "Is he here? Good! I must see him at once. You'll do nothing of the sort," asserted Zephan, closing the door after him.

"Not see Rollins? Nonsense!" exclaimed Breed as he threw the bolt and touched the button to turn out the light. "This is important, I must see Rollins."

"Important or not, you are coming out with me for a half hour's walk before you see any one."

"Then you may go!" declared Breed, turning on him with sudden scowl. "Leave Forest Lakes as soon as you like, go now!"

"I'll not do that either," announced Zephan fatly. "I'm interested now, and I intend to remain."

Kevin, in the bow of the boat, looked at his watch and began feeling in his line. "I am sorry, but I shall have to leave you," said he. "I must be back at the office in fifteen minutes."

His look caught on the oak lock, and he leaned forward to disengage it. Lillian, sitting just in front of him, deliberately leaned back, though with a pretense of helping him, until her rounded shoulder touched his cheek.

"Don't do," she said, sinking her voice ever so little below its ordinary conversational tone.

Phillip suddenly drew his cheek away from that insidious touch, and came with himself that, until reason came to his aid, his blood had leaped to the unspoken call.

Herbert offered his hand to Lillian, who, barely touching it, sprang herself upon the guano and police with a splendid muscular effort far up the bank. As Kelvin stepped out he once more looked at his watch.

"You will pardon me if I hurry on?" he said.

"Oh, we are all going," returned Lillian. "It's too now for the fish to bite any more anyhow."

Kevin was already passing her. The bank was very steep at this point. Near the top she slipped, and he was compelled to throw his arm hastily about her. She let her shoulders rest limply back in his embrace and allowed him to drag her dead weight up over the little rise, and Kelvin almost cursed himself aloud, for again he had found that contact more than pleasurable. "After all"—Phillip brought himself back to the future with a jerk. "No entanglements with women. That had been the one warning motto he had set for himself, and he must observe it if he would accomplish his boundless ambitions."

Mrs. Rensselaer, puffing from the exertion of being dragged up the bank by Herbert, turned to that young man with severity. "Herbert," she admonished him, "really I think you are neglecting your opportunities most shamefully. It is within your reach to make the name of Rensselaer precisely what it used to be."

"With Miss Breed's money," commented Herbert with ill concealed disdain. "If I loved her or if she herself were capable of love it would be different."

"You are perfectly absurd, Dr. Herbert," she insisted. "Lillian is the

most beautiful girl in the world. After she married her little eccentricities, impossible in a girl, will only enhance her charm. Let me be perfectly frank with you. This girl, while she thinks she has her mind set upon Phillip Kelvin, really wants a husband. I scarcely dare usher her into society unmarried—she would disgrace us all. But any strong man, such as you, could marry her, master her and make her content, and she would be most presentable."

"But I want to work, to carve out my own fortune as Kelvin has done. I am not so clever as he. I could not make a million in five years, as he did, but I could try, which, if you only knew, is a great satisfaction. Instead of that you make me stop work. You give up practically your whole income to keep me an idler at a few good clubs in New York, don't you see how you can consistently object? You are yourself accepting a salary."

"Herbert," she exclaimed. "I am a guest here, and the money I receive from Mr. Breed is the income from investments which he has made for me."

He laughed. "Ten thousand dollars," said he, "and on that Breed pays you dividends of ten thousand a year. It's a salary, nothing else."

"How crude you are!" she protested. "How do you know that Mr. Breed does not make 100 per cent on the money I gave him? How do I know? I tell you, you are ungrateful!"

As they neared the house Elsie White, who had been gathering flowers for Lillian's room, went up on the porch, where Rollins met her and stopped to "talk" with her for a moment.

"If you must know," Rensselaer said, "there is an illustration of why the thought of Lillian is so distasteful to me. There's the kind of girl I want to marry."

"Lillian's is all!" his aunt exclaimed. "Herbert, you are really past belief."

"You needn't worry about her. I don't want that particular one, and if I did I couldn't have her. Her eyes see no one but Phillip."

"Do you mean to say that if you went to this girl of no class whatever and offered her the Rensselaer name she would refuse you?"

"She certainly would," replied Herbert promptly. "To her position means but very little, love means much, and she is beautiful enough to command love."

"She is handsome," reluctantly admitted his aunt, "but rather vulgarly healthy, don't you think?"

"Go! is vulgar in a good many things he does," replied Herbert wearily. "Sunsets and flowers, for instance. Dreadfully loud colors he uses sometimes."

CHAPTER XIII.

BREED came out and called Kelvin into the library, where Kelvin was already seated. The old man was almost childish in his admiration of his two lieutenants, as he chose to call them.

"I have been waiting for years for this," said he, rubbing his clawlike hands together as he looked from the one to the other of them. "In all my years of money making my only worry was that when the time came I might not find capable men through which to wield the ultimate power I craved. Like most worry, it was wasted. You two young men have done wonderful work, but it has only just begun."

"Precisely my errand," said Rollins, with a rather weak smile. "The work is only just begun, and at the outset I have found so much opposition that I ran down here for moral support."

"You've come to the right place," laughed Kelvin. "At Forest Lakes we are dealing almost exclusively in moral support."

"Backed by the dead weight of more cash than was ever in one man's control since time began," chuckled Breed. "What are your difficulties, Mr. Rollins?"

"Well," said Rollins, "I have practically put the United Steel corporation out of business as a monopoly. Here is a communication I had from MacDougal. If ever a big man made a white in a letter MacDougal is the man, and here is this white."

And with huge contempt he tossed down a three page missive which Kelvin read, with a smile, to Rollins. "Is open hearth steel and the control of transportation. I have put them in direct competition with our own plants, and they are underbidding us. I intend to let them have some large contracts at a price we cannot touch. Now I begin to have dreams."

"I don't see any difficulty in that," laughed Kelvin. "A man doesn't dream many dreams in the face of failures. It's success that brings dreams. I have dreams of my own. I have done a little thinking about these dreams of late."

"I know you have," interposed Rollins. "Somebody has been doing a great deal of thinking around here. At first I thought it was Mr. Breed, but now I know that he hires his thinking."

Breed himself was the first to acknowledge by a chuckle the truth of this remark.

"I used to have to do it myself when I was poor," he admitted, "but that is not the way to success. You can't get rich the way any more than you can by performing all your own manual labor. My success is built on an unusual ability to discover men who can think for me. But you two go ahead and exchange your dreams; I am interested."

"I have no objection to telling mine," said Kelvin. "I want to do a little trust building."

"I've tried it, and that's why I'm here," insisted Rollins. "Trust building with absolute control of every mile of railroad in the United States, is the easiest thing in the world. Raymond, Speed, Melton Sears & Co. and all the others have been making life

a burden to me. Strangely enough, they don't want to be drawn and quartered."

"I hate them, every one," suddenly snapped Breed. "A dozen times they tried to gobble me up in the early days. I have their photographs, too. We'll let you check them off by and by," he replied Rollins. "They are crippled now, but it was a task. Even with all my experience I didn't appreciate the full extent of the private car craft. It was a colossal trick, serving merely as a disguise for excessive and absurd rebates."

"Well, you stopped it," Kelvin consoled him.

"Yes, I stopped it," admitted Rollins, with a sigh "and the next thing that happened I had all the big packers on my neck."

"The only way to forget the attacks of the packers," suggested Kelvin, "is to attack the other monopolies. Hamstring them the first stroke."

"Good!" said Rollins, with relief. "It's a pleasure to find that we want the same thing without argument. It's simple enough. I've merely to establish my flat freight rate without undue reduction for quantity and without equal chance with the big one. The interstate commerce law may then go out of commission, for we will do the same work which it was designed to do, but in which it failed."

Kevin and Breed exchanged glances. "Don't misunderstand me," went on Rollins. "I consider the trusts as much a product of nature as the attraction of gravity, but where they attain to stupendous fatness merely on account they cease to fulfill the need which brought them into existence. The greatest abuse of which the monopolies have been guilty is in transportation. Probably more than half of the freight carried is shipped by large corporations, nearly every ton of it being subject to a rebate or a drawback. Year after year millions every year must be made up by the small shippers. I can lower the present ostensible cost of transportation on a flat rate basis and make more money for our stockholders."

Breed looked at Kelvin inquiringly. Phillip nodded his head.

"I have been over some of the figures," said Breed. "The aggregate is appalling, but I am afraid that, after all, we shall be successful in certain places."

Rollins turned slightly pale. "I have been waiting for that remark," he said, "but I want you to understand that there will be no concession of any sort. Exception I grant you, and that is the secret rebate on Mr. Breed's bread, wheat and cereal shipments, which was agreed upon in the first place; other than that, absolutely none. I propose to manage these united railroads unhampered or I propose to create such a stench that public opinion will revolt at the next stockholders' meeting and you will be utterly unable to secure proxies. Without proxies you have no railroad domination."

Again Breed and Kelvin exchanged glances. Again Phillip nodded his head.

"You are quite right in your contention, Mr. Rollins," admitted Kelvin. "But you misunderstand us. We don't intend to interfere with your absolute control. We do hope, however, to have you see that our way of planning is right. Until then we shall not even bother you with advice. In the meantime promulgate your flat rate sheet and we'll stand behind you."

Rollins studied the matter over for some time. "Very well," said he. "I think that I shall remain at Forest Lakes for a month or so. I had just as lief have the avalanche of protest come to me here as in New York. I understand by this that you will neither promise nor attempt to make any concessions to these people."

"Absolutely none," declared Kelvin. "We'll give you our bond on that."

"Your word is enough at present," replied Rollins dryly. "If you will scribble to the letter of that I am perfectly satisfied."

After Rollins had left the room Kelvin turned inquiringly to Breed. "Will he come in?" he asked anxiously.

"Who's the time is, ripe, yes," asserted Breed confidently. "It is in his blood, and when the time comes he'll listen."

That evening Rollins met Elsie White coming down the kitchen steps and joined her. She was so frank, so wholesome, that he always had an indefinable impression of being the better for having talked with her, even though nothing of moment had been said.

"How the country agrees with you" he observed as he joined her. "You were looking rather pale when I first saw you here, but you have found some marvelous rouge among these trees."

"I like it very much," she admitted, turning his compliment with a smile. "I have already grown to have a certain amount of supercilious pity for city dwellers."

"They really need it," he agreed, with a laugh, "and to prove that I am sincere in that remark I am going to stop with you for a month or so."

"Good!" she exclaimed. "More people to enjoy Forest Lakes is all that we need."

"Do they never have any visitors," Rollins inquired, "week end parties and the like?"

"Never," she replied. "For festivities of that sort they go down occasionally to Mr. Breed's other place in Virginia, but Mr. Breed is very jealous of having any social life whatever here."

Rollins strolled by her side until they reached the cottage, where the garrulous Mrs. White met them at the door.

Mrs. White was delighted to be introduced to Mr. Rollins.

"Elsie has told me all about what a fine man you are, and fine men are scarce enough any place. Are you going to stay long this time?"

"He promises me a month at least, mother."

"That's nice," asserted Mrs. White. "It's nice to have a lot of good looking men around. My goodness! I tell Elsie she never will have a chance to get married if she stays here."

Rollins was so thankful to Elsie that he laughed from sheer amusement. He and Elsie had given her a chance to join her. His amusement and also his repressed embarrassment were heightened when after Elsie had invited him to sit on the vine clad little front stoop, Mrs. White suddenly and conspicuously absented herself. The two were silent for a time, when they heard approaching voices.

"You had better come in with us," said the voice of Blagg from just beyond the door of the house. "The organization now numbers more than a quarter of a million, all of the donors, sworn to serve the best interests of the poor."

"But if they are all poor people what can they do to help themselves?" objected the voice of Ben White.

"Rise up and overwhelm the existing condition of things by the mere weight of numbers," responded Blagg quickly and tensely. "Moreover, the organization is not so poor as the might think. It has quite a snug little sun in its own treasury, and besides that, I know where there is \$500,000,000 in cash that we can seize upon the moment we rise. Look here, Mr. White, I want to explain to you the system of our organization."

By the sound of the voices they were slowly walking away, Elsie turned to Rollins with a troubled frown. "I don't like this Mr. Blagg," she declared. "He talks nearly every evening with father about some secret society he wishes him to join, and I am afraid."

Rollins laughed easily. "These so-called organizations never do anything," he told her.

He thought no more of the matter just then, but he did think more and more frequently of Elsie White as the days wore on. He knew that the first time she saw him with Lillian's maid, but he did not care to hold caste with Mrs. Rensselaer. The Rollins men folk had held it as their right to marry whom they chose, and he began a deliberate courtship of Elsie White.

He avoided Lillian Breed from fastidious choice, but he spent much time in his spare hours with Kelvin and young Rensselaer.

One drowsy night he had dropped to sleep upon a bench on the porch in the shadow of a climbing rosebush. He was awakened by the scrape of chairs and became conscious of low and tense voices quite near him.

"You, too, could love as I love," said the voice of Blagg, trembling with repressed intensity. "Could love with a heart that would strike the throbs of which would hurt and hurt and hurt!"

"You are almost poetical in your anatomy of the emotions," drawled the contemptuous voice of Lillian Breed. "I had no idea that the love of money could affect one in that precise way."

"You don't mean that since," he protested angrily. "You know that I had had not a dollar in my pocket since I was a child, but that strikes me, this love that parches me, this flame that burns me, this agony that makes me cry out in the night!"

"You ought not to encourage yourself in that attitude," she said, with less contempt. "You are making a breach in the confidence that is placed in you here."

"I would make a breach in the wall of heaven," he retorted passionately. "I would break and destroy it utterly, its dust to be atoms, would scatter its dust to the four winds, if by that I might win you. And you could love, I tell you, as madly as I do."

"Yes," she admitted slowly, "but not you."

"I know," he responded bitterly. "But you are wasting your affections. Kelvin cares for no one but himself."

"Who told you to speak his name? Don't make me hate you."

"I'd rather that than indifference," he declared. "So hate me, for hate at least is an emotion. As for Kelvin, I will not be silent about him, for I think you're mistaken about even your self. It is not Kelvin to whom you are attracted, but the force he represents. The power to achieve, that is what you worship, but in your dreams of the power he might acquire you are blind to other possibilities. I, too, can give you power. Join with me and future historians will acclaim us as the great liberators of the chained and unmanacled American people."

"Splendid!" she exclaimed, laughing lightly. "I didn't even know they needed liberation."

"You have much to learn," he returned. "Do you know that the army of the unemployed now numbers nearly a million? Do you know that there is an organization among them and their more fortunate brothers, aggregating a quarter of a million, which is sworn to change the existing order of things so that every man shall have an equal opportunity? Listen a moment. I could gain control of this organization and increase it to 10,000,000 if I had your opportunity to command a billion and a half dollars of cash."

"Of what are you talking?" Her tone now was a frightened one.

"The possibilities of a new and glorious order of things, a new social system, a new form of government which guarantees to every man an equal distribution of earning capacity. I need to rally 10,000,000 men to the new cause. It will cost \$150 per man. That amounts to a billion and a half to be continued"

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