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VILLAGE COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the village council was held on Monday evening last. All the members were present except Mr. Blanchard. After the reading and adoption of the minutes the clerk read the draft of by law to regulate the erection of buildings, to define the fire limits and for the prevention of fires. Briefly summarized the principal provisions are as follows:

The fire limits A, B and C were established. Limit A includes both sides of Main street 150 feet on either side from Elgin street to Elma and Ried streets. Limit B includes all Elgin street and 150 feet on either side from Main street to Prince street. Limit C includes all Victoria street and 150 feet on either side from Main to Central street.

NOTE BY CLERK—The description of kind of building and the materials to be used is too lengthy for description here, but the by-law is open for inspection at his office.

SECTION 7 provides that an inspector of buildings shall be appointed whose duty it shall be to inspect all buildings to be erected or repaired inside the three fire limits and a copy of the plan of building or repair shall be filed with him and his permission in writing obtained before the work is commenced.

SECTION 15 provides that it shall not be lawful for any person to smoke or have any lighted pipe, cigar or cigarette in any cabinet makers shop, carpenter shop, warehouse or any place where hay, straw, shavings or other combustible material is kept, or carry a lighted lamp or candle in such place unless it is properly protected.

SECTION 16a provides that no cake shop or bakery shall use wood for fuel after the 1st day of July, 1907, within the fire limits.

SECTION 16 provides that no ashes shall be kept in any house or building except in ash-houses of stone, brick or cement, or in metal vessels.

SECTION 19 provides that no coal oil, naphtha, benzine, alcohol or gasoline in more than five barrel lots, or keep more than 10 empty oil barrels within 75 feet of any other building.

SECTION 20 provides that the chief of fire department is empowered to cause to be pulled down or demolish any building which he shall deem necessary to be taken down to prevent the further spreading of any fire as well as to have power to exclude all persons excepting the owners or residents from coming within such space as he may prescribe and has power to order the police force to enforce his orders.

SECTION 24 makes it unlawful for any person to use fire-alarms except for fire purposes.

SECTION 27 provides that no person shall sell or offer for sale any squib, fire cracker, or torpedo and prohibits the setting off of all kinds of fire-works within the limits of the corporation.

The said by-law to come into force immediately after the passing thereof excepting section 16 A as therein defined.

The by-law was finally passed and signed by the reverend clerk and the seal of Corporation attached.

W. F. Earl presented an offer to place 15 or more acetylene gas lamps on the streets, keep them in order and furnish a man to attend them from dark until 11 o'clock every night requiring light, for \$20 per light, per year, with a five years franchise. The matter was laid over for consideration.

Taylor and Judson moved that the office of village engineer under the ditches and Watercourse Act be declared vacant.

Judson and Taylor moved that the account of W. A. Lewis for \$20.00 for legal services at Court of Revision in 1906 be paid and an order given him for the amount.

Orders were drawn on the treasurer for the following:

B. Loverin, janitor, \$12.50 for quarters salary; W. F. Earl, \$15.75, gas bill for town hall from Jan 2nd to April 1st; Wm. Shumack, \$2.00 for drawing engine to beaugies fire; B. Loverin, clerk, \$5.50 for Municipal World and Assessors Guide.

Council adjourned to call of fivee.

B. LOVERIN, Clerk.

BROWN-RAPPELL

A pretty wedding took place at high noon on Good Friday at the residence of Mrs. Mary Rappell, Elgin street, when her daughter Miss Hazel was married to Albert E. Brown, a thrifty farmer of Morton. About 30 guests were present, and the ceremony took place under a large bell, Rev. S. J. Hughes officiating. The bride was given away by her uncle, Robert Mackie, ex-reeve of Kitley, and her twin sister, Miss Chrystal Rappell played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The bride was unattended and was becomingly dressed in a dainty gown of d'esprit over white silk lace, and her bouquet was of white carnations and smilax. The grooms gift to the bride was a gold locket and chain and to the pianist an opal ring. At the conclusion of the ceremony and congratulations the guests repaired to the dining room where an exquisite dejeuner was partaken of and later the happy wedded pair left for their home at Morton amidst showers of rice and good wishes. Her going away gown was a grey tweed with touches of brown, and trimmings of brown buttons and velvet with hat, veil and gloves to match. The presents received were pretty and many, and included a fur-lined coat and a substantial cheque. Some of the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. Mustard, Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rappell, Brockville; R. Mackie, Frankville; Miss Ethel Rhodes, Seeley's Bay and Miss Mabel Slack, Montreal.

The Reporter extends congratulations.

A.P.S. HONOR ROLL

FORM III.
Sr.—Kathleen Massey, Gertrude Weeks, Keith McLaughlin, Mina Donnelley, Bessie Cowan, Carrie Robinson, Marjorie Moore, Lloyd Earl, Jim Scott, Winford Gifford.
Jr.—John Kelly, Gladys Gainford, Winona Massey, Nellie Kelly, Jennie Murdoch, Fern Cross, Charlie Broad, Marion Covey, Eric Dobbs, Grant Darling.
Aggregate attendance, 543.
Average attendance, 27.
Percentage, 94.
M. B. MORRIS, Teacher.

GIBSON-KNAPP

At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. H. Smith, Plum Hollow, Thursday evening, Rev. S. J. Hughes, of Athens, united in marriage Miss Agnes, daughter of the late Ithmer Knapp, to Mr. Earnest A. Gibson, of Toronto, formerly of Chantry. Owing to a recent bereavement in the bride's family the ceremony was quietly carried out.
Mr. and Mrs. Gibson will reside in Toronto.

OBITUARY

T. R. Moles

The funeral of the late T. R. Moles took place Good Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock from his late residence, Reid street, to the church of the Holiness Movement, and was very largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Claxton. Deceased had always resided in Athens or vicinity and was a farmer by occupation, but several years ago gave up farming and moved to Athens. He has been a sufferer for many months with cancer of the spine and at times his sufferings were intense, but were borne with great fortitude and Christian patience. He leaves a wife and family of two sons and two daughters, viz., H. E. Moles, Montreal; Dr. E. Moles, Norwich; Mrs. R. Austin, Lansdowne and Mrs. P. Giffin, Brockville, who have the sympathy of all in their sorrow and bereavement.
The pall-bearers were Messrs. Wm. Henderson, Malvin Wittse, Jas. Gordon, Ransome Brown, Frank Boucher and Andrew Henderson.

Thomas Weston

There passed away Wednesday afternoon, at his residence, Mill st., from heart failure, one in the person of Thomas Weston, in his 66th year. The deceased had been in the best of health up to the time of his death. He leaves to mourn his loss a mother, a wife, four sons, five daughters, two brothers and six sisters.
The funeral took place at the family residence on Friday at 2 p.m., Rev. S. J. Hughes officiating.

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Sunday School.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON IV.—APRIL 29, 1907.

Joseph Faithful in Prison. Gen. xxxix. 1 to 21. 15.

Commentary.—Joseph cast into prison (vs. 23-25). Into the prison—This probably implies an edifice, or portion of the official mansion, mostly subterranean, of which the roof or vault, rising immediately from the surface of the ground, was round, or shaped like an inverted bowl. In chapter xii, 14 it is called "the dungeon." Such dungeons are still, under similar circumstances, used in the East.—Aitto. His imprisonment must have been very severe at first. In Psalm cv. 17, 18, we read that they hurt his feet with fetters; he was laid in iron. But God greatly blessed him and it was not long before he appeared in his favor shown him. He was there—Joseph was in prison three years.

21. The Lord was with Joseph.—This is an example of the strength of God's consolations in the worst trials. Joseph had been with him, which enabled him to press forward. The discipline was very dark before him. The discipline seemed severe; he was suffering as a martyr. But he learned to trust God, and with gladness of heart he goes to slavery, persecution and imprisonment. God's eye was upon him, and no weapon formed against him prospered. He always did right and made the best of everything. 22. Keeper of the prison.—An inferior officer who was charged with the actual discipline of the prison.—Home. Com. Committed to Joseph's hand influence. It is not the influence of rank, but of character. Make all men equal in rank to-day, and to-morrow there will be found those who have acquired influence over the others. These prisoners were in the same position, but very soon Joseph's character had gained him influence.—Robertson.

23. Because the Lord, etc.—The reason of his influence was the God within him. Just so far as a man is Christlike will he have influence.—"Wisdom and virtue will shine in the narrowest spheres. A good man will do good wherever he is, and will be a blessing even in bonds and banishments, for the Spirit of the Lord is not bound or banished."—Henry.

II. The outer and baker cast into prison (vs. 1-4). The helper—Or cup-bearer, the overseer of the king's wines. Baker—Another officer who had charge of the king's bread or food. Both of these men were important officers and held positions of trust. We are not told how they offended. 2. Was wrath.—Oriental despots have a great deal of power of life and death, and their subjects were liable at any moment to be sacrificed. These officers would especially be subject to suspicion because of the ease with which they could poison the king's food. 3. House of the captain.—That is, the house of Potiphar. The prison was in connection with the residence.

4. Charged Joseph, etc.—The captain of the guard himself, who was Potiphar, charged Joseph with them, which intended to him, and perhaps to be reconciled to his innocence.—Henry. He served them—Joseph waited upon them. So long as God is with him, Joseph will shine even in the dungeon. "Pharaoh's officers are sent to witness his graces, which he is not permitted to come forth to show." Joseph is thus brought into close and familiar contact with them. This was of great advantage to him in view of what was before him. It gave him ample opportunity to become acquainted with the court and its ways, and with the general condition of the people.—Peloubet.

III. Joseph interpreting dreams (vs. 5-19). 5. Each man dreamt in one night.—This shows that the dreams were of no special significance, yet it can not be doubted that the God has in many cases, especially in nearly times, spoken in dreams, according to the interpretation.—This expression is used to show that the dreams were not meaningless, but suited to each man's case and capable of a sound interpretation.—Hom. Com. 6. Sad—They were sure their dreams had more than an ordinary meaning. 7. Wherefore—so sadly—Joseph spoke kindly to them; he, too, was a common sufferer with them, and understood their feelings. 8. No interpreter.—One thing that troubled them was that they were not in a position to submit their dreams to the magicians of Egypt, who were supposed to be able to interpret dreams. But Joseph pointed them to God as the one who could reveal difficult things. Tell me them—Thus had God at last brought Joseph prominently before these officers. 9. 10. The butler dreamed that a vine was before him with three branches, and it brought forth grapes, and he pressed them into three vessels. 11. Pressed them into three vessels. 12. From this we find that wine anciently was the pure juice of the grape, without fermentation. The cup-bearer took the bunch, pressed the juice into the cup, and immediately delivered it into the hands of his master.—Clarke.

12. Three branches are three days.—Human knowledge could not have known that these branches had reference to time, or if they did have whether three days, months or years were intended. It was wisely ordered that one part of the dream should require a divinely inspired interpreter. It was God's design to assure the butler that Joseph obtained his wisdom not from man, but by revelation from above.—Bush. 13. Joseph said that in three days the king would restore the butler to his place. He then requested the butler to remember him and use his influence in bringing him out of prison. The baker then told his dream. He said he dreamed that he had three white baskets on his head and in the upper one was "bake-meats" for Pharaoh and the birds eat them out of the basket. Joseph told him that in three days the king would hang him on a tree and the birds would eat his flesh. On the third day after this Pharaoh made a birthday feast, and the butler was restored to his office, and the baker was hanged, as Joseph had interpreted to them. The butler, however, forgot Joseph. It is supposed that Joseph had at this time been in prison one year, and he must wait "two full years" yet before God's time would come for his release. Joseph knew the future of the butler and baker, but his own future was wisely hidden from his view. He

must walk by faith and not by sight. Thoughts.—There is both a dark and a bright side to our experiences. If Joseph had been looking for the dark side, he could have found it painted in strong lines—hatred, enslavement, unjust accusation, wrong treatment. But what were Joseph's comforts in the dungeon? 1. There was the Lord's presence (chap. xxxix. 21). Joseph was not alone in his cell, for a mighty Comforter was by his side; and a prison with God is happier than a palace without Him. 2. There was the keeper's favor (chap. xxxix. 21). There was something in Joseph which won the regard of all who came in contact with him. 3. There was his occupation in the care of his fellow-prisoners (chap. xxxix. 22-40). Work is not a misfortune, it is a blessing. 4. Another of Joseph's comforts in prison was his helpful spirit, his interest in others (chap. xl. 6-13). He was not absorbed in his own wrongs, though he had enough reason to be. Another great blessing to Joseph in his prison was a good conscience (chap. xl. 14, 15).—Illustrative Notes.

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS. I. Joseph's imprisonment.—"He was there in the prison. But the Lord was with Joseph" (vs. 20, 21). Every Christian who has it in him to do good work for the Lord must expect to be brought into conditions for the best service through severe discipline. Joseph was trained for the ruling of Egypt by several years of servitude. Stephen gives us the secret of his life during these years when he says: "The patriarchs, moved with envy, sold Joseph into Egypt, but God was with him" (Acts vii. 9). There, in the home of Potiphar, where he met and resisted the great temptation and suffered so unjustly from the vile charge and grave suspicion, "the Lord was with Joseph" (vs. 21). There, in the prison where his feet were hurt with fetters, and his soul was bound with irons (Psa. cv. 18), and there seemed no possibility of the fulfillment of his dreams, "the Lord was with Joseph" (vs. 21). Bunyan, shut in Bedford jail twelve years, wrote a book that was worth a thousand times more than all his preaching, for God was with him. Paul, with his feet in the stocks and the grit of the dungeon floor mixing with the blood of his unwashed stripes, sang a hymn of praise at midnight, for he knew that God was with him, and immediately there was an earthquake and the foundations of the prison were shaken. John the Revelator, banished to Patmos, where there were only a few fishermen's huts, did there the best work of his life.

II. Joseph's integrity.—"The keeper of the prison committed to Joseph's hand all the prisoners" (vs. 12, 13). Joseph looked not to anything (vs. 22, 23). Joseph's brothers stripped him of his coat; they could not strip him of his character; they sold his body; they could not sell his soul. Through all the years of his dungeon life he stood firm in his integrity. He won the heart of the keeper, and, though placed there for being a scoundrel, he soon convinced the jailer that he was an innocent and trustworthy man, and, released from close confinement, he became a general superintendent of prison affairs. Wherever Joseph went he became the first man, and is an illustration of the truth that infidel and worldly are compelled to honor in their hearts, though they may not eulogize with their lips, a Christian firm in persecution, cheerful in poverty, trustful in losses, triumphant in death. There are Christians in all professions and occupations who are respected, honored and successful.

III. Joseph's interest.—"Wherefore look ye so sadly" (v. 7). "Pharaoh's great officers were impatient and Joseph had charge of them" (vs. 14). Prisoners are not generally very cheerful, but one morning these two men were more sad than usual—showed their trouble in their faces, so that Joseph noticed it. He at once sympathized with them in their sufferings, and manifested a kindly interest in their distress." IV. Joseph's interpretation.—"And Joseph said... this is the interpretation" (v. 12). "When Joseph knew that the prisoners were grieving because there was no one to interpret their dreams, he suggested that his interpretations be long to God and he communicates the power to whom he will, they tell him their dreams (vs. 7, 8). He thus is careful like Daniel (Dan. 2. 30) to transmit the glory to God. His interpretation foretold the chief butlers deliverance. Today God sometimes foretells future events by dreams."

V. Joseph's innocence.—"I... have done nothing that they should put me into the dungeon" (v. 15). Like Paul, toward God and toward man (Acts 24. 16). Conscious of his innocence, he sought the chief butler, whose speedy restoration he had foretold, to speak for his deliverance when he should again stand before Pharaoh. The ungrateful butler forgot the request for two long years (v. 23). But God reminded him of it and so brought about Joseph's exaltation (J. 9. 16). The life of Joseph is an illustration of the text, "All things work together for good to them that love God."—A. C. M.

A YOUNG SUBJECT. OBJECTS TO HYPNOTISM MEWEN USING HIM. Winnipeg, April 1.—A statement of claim was filed yesterday afternoon against P. H. Mewen, who is giving performances here. Mewen is a widely-known hypnotist and black art entertainer. The plaintiff, J. W. Phillips, is the guardian, duly appointed by the Surrogate Court of Manitoba, of his brother, E. H. Phillips, who is under age, and brought this action in his capacity of guardian. He alleges that Mewen has been using the younger Phillips as a hypnotic subject at his performances, and that he also exposed the boy in a hypnotic trance on the afternoon of Monday in the window of a store at the corner of Portage avenue and Main street. The guardian warned Mewen not to use his brother, but Mewen still used him on Monday night and Tuesday. It is contended that Mewen has injured the boy, both mentally and physically, and an order of the court was asked for restraining Mewen from using any hypnotic influence over the boy. This order was granted.

The Government has decided to open a branch of the Labor Bureau at London.

British and Foreign. Andrew Carnegie has endorsed President Roosevelt's attitude towards the United States.

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NEWS IN BRIEF CANADIAN.

Robbers blew open the safe in the postoffice located in the Fuller-Hugben Company's store at Somers, Conn., yesterday, and made away with \$200 in money and about \$4,000 in notes. Alexander DuLoche, who some months ago, at Montreal, shot and badly wounded Alphonse Desrosiers, and who a few weeks ago escaped from the Long Point Insane Asylum, has been arrested at Burlington, Vt.

Excited to northern migration by the recent warm weather, thousands of Canadian geese crossed over Long Island on Tuesday night, and by their clamorous honking disturbed the residents' slumbers. The flight, which began shortly after midnight, continued until almost day-break. Clifford Prime, a Sandfield, Conn., farmer, after being pinned to the ground for nearly four hours by a heavy log which fell on his leg, probably was saved from death yesterday by his dog. Seemingly to realize his master's danger the dog ran home, a distance of several miles, and by barking and whining got members of the household to accompany it to the imprisoned man, who was unconscious when released.

Clive Chu, a goodlooking Toronto Chinese, obtained the release on bail last night of Ida Hopps, a well-dressed young woman whom he claimed that he was to wed to-day. Mr. James, General Superintendent of the Canadian Northern Railway in Winnipeg, now in Chicago, will, it is understood, retire from the Canadian Northern service at an early date. St. Catharines City Council has decided to pave Ontario and James streets, two of the principal thoroughfares, with vitrified brick and the contract will be given to T. Hageman of Rochester, N. Y.

At St. Thomas a public meeting of citizens last night endorsed a scheme to give \$5,000 bonus to a go-cart concern at Elkhart, Indiana, to locate a Canadian branch there. The Council will be asked to submit the by-law. The by-law providing for municipal ownership of the water and gas plants of Deseronto, was carried by a vote of 213 to 22. It calls for an expenditure of \$50,000, payable in thirty years, with interest at 4 1/2 per cent. A Rousseau, nineteen years of age, whose home was at Isle Perrot, was killed to-day at Vaudreuil Station by being run over by the International Limited. Rousseau tried to run across the tracks in front of the train, but miscalculated the speed.

When taking the oath in the Recorder's Court, it will no longer be necessary to kiss the Bible. On Wednesday, for the first time the oath was taken by simply laying the right hand on the Bible and this practice will be maintained in future. Charles W. Hand, a moulder, 28 years of age, of Churchill avenue, Toronto Junction, went home on Tuesday night and lay down on the bed without taking off his clothes. When his mother went to call him yesterday morning she found him dead. The town of Marieville, Que., which had the misfortune to lose its college only a few weeks ago, has been visited with another disaster in the complete destruction of the Roman Catholic Church, which was burned to the ground on Wednesday, with all contents.

At Kalamazoo a shower of insects of a kind never seen in that vicinity, large in size and greenish in color, together with very small frogs, fairly covered the territory between Kalamazoo and Battle Creek yesterday afternoon. Mr. Lemieux, Postmaster-General, accompanied by Deputy Postmaster-General Coulter and Secretary Smith of the department, left Ottawa yesterday for Washington, where they will confer to-morrow with the Postmaster-General and chief officials of the United States Postal Department with regard to arranging a new postal treaty between the two countries.

As the G. T. R. train from Pembroke was nearing Carleton Place on Tuesday afternoon, while running at a high rate of speed, the engineer saw the body of a man on the track. The locomotive was promptly reversed and the train was stopped within a very few feet of the man, who was found to be sound asleep, with his head resting on a rail. He proved to be Joseph Gilmour of Almonte, and an empty liquor flask was found lying beside him.

Market Reports OF The Week.

TORONTO FARMERS' MARKET. Receipts of grain were light today. Wheat steady, 200 bushels of Fall sowing at 73 to 74 and 100 bushels of winter at 82. 100 bushels selling at 92 a bushel. Butter is firm, with small lots of dairy robes selling at 22 1/2. Eggs easy, at 13 to 14 per dozen. Hay is firm, with sales of 25 loads at \$11 to \$12 a ton for timothy, and at \$10 to \$11 for mixed. Straw nominal at \$12.50 a ton. Dressed hogs are unchanged, with light quoted at \$25 to \$26, and heavy at \$24 to \$25. White, white, bush... \$0.72 \$0.74 Do, red... \$0.70 \$0.71 Do, spring, bush... \$0.68 \$0.69 Do, goose, bush... \$0.68 \$0.69 Oat, bush... \$0.65 \$0.66 Barley, bush... \$0.55 \$0.56 Peas, bush... \$0.73 \$0.74 Hay, timothy, ton... \$12.00 \$12.00 Do, mixed, ton... \$11.00 \$11.00 Straw, per ton... \$12.50 \$12.50 Seeds, re-cleaned... \$14.50 \$15.00 Red clover, per swt... \$14.50 \$15.00 Alkali clover, per cwt... \$10.20 \$10.00 Timothy, per cwt... \$6.00 \$6.00 Dressed hogs... \$9.00 \$9.20 Eggs, new laid... \$0.19 \$0.21 Butter, dairy... \$0.23 \$0.25 Do, creamery... \$0.20 \$0.23 Cheese, dressed, lb... \$0.11 \$0.12 Do, spring, lb... \$0.14 \$0.14 Dukes, per lb... \$0.12 \$0.13 Apples, per bush... \$0.17 \$0.20 Potatoes, per bag... \$0.80 \$0.80 Cabbage, per cwt... \$0.25 \$0.26 Onions, per bag... \$1.75 \$1.75 Beef, blackquarters... \$4.50 \$5.00 Do, forequarters... \$4.50 \$5.00 Do, choice carcass... \$6.75 \$7.00 Do, medium, carcass... \$5.50 \$6.00 Pork, per cwt... \$9.00 \$9.00 Veal, per cwt... \$12.00 \$12.50 Lamb, per cwt... \$12.00 \$12.50

FLLOUR PRICES. Flour—Manitoba patent, \$3.35, track, \$2.70 bid for export; Manitoba patent, special brand, \$2.25; stone, \$2.40. BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS. London—Liverpool and London cows are steady at 11c to 12c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 8 1/2c to 9c per lb. TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET. Receipts of live stock at the city market, as reported by the railways, since last Tuesday, were 60 car loads, composed of 730 cattle, 1401 hogs, 625 sheep and lambs, and about 100 head calves. The quality of fat cattle was fair. Trade was dull and drab, with prices generally steady as well as being well quoted. Some dealers who held cattle over from Tuesday's market sold them for less money than was then offered. Milk cows and export bulls, as well as common fat cows, were away off in prices. Exporters—No loads of export cattle were offered and none apparently wanted. Export bulls were a drug on the market, selling from \$2.40 to \$4 per cwt. Butchers—The demand for butchers' was not nearly so strong. Choice picked loins sold at \$4.75 to \$5 per cwt.; loose ribs, \$4.40 to \$4.85; fair to good cows at \$4 to \$4.25; fair cows, \$3.60 to \$3.90; common cows, \$2.75 to \$3.25; canners, \$1.25 to \$1.50. Hogs—Receipts were not large. Mr. Harris quoted prices unchanged at \$2.50 for sows and \$2.60 for lights and fat pigs. Feeders and stockers—Mr. Murby bought two car loads of stockers and feeders, as follows: Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs., \$2.50 to \$4 per cwt.; feeders, 1000 to 1100 lbs., each, at \$1.25 to \$1.60 per cwt. Bought and shipped one load butchers' to the north. Milk cows—Trade in milkers and springers was dull owing to the quality generally not being good, but especially on account of there being no Montreal dealers on the market. Prices ranged from \$20 to \$25 each. Veal calves—Few good calves were on sale, the best selling from \$2.50 to \$2.75 per cwt., with a few at \$7 to \$7.25 per cwt. Sheep and lambs—Export ewes sold at \$3 to \$3.50 per cwt.; hogs at \$4.20 per cwt.; springing lambs, \$6 to \$7.75 per cwt.; springing lambs, \$5 to \$10 each.

RETAIL TRADE REVIEW. Montreal: The way in which payments are being met is still the major of general interest here. As was stated a week ago payments have not been made in any way satisfactory, but some measure of improvement is noted. Those from the west are coming forward more freely and cash receipts are showing a better tone. General trade conditions remain a healthy tone. The volume of retail trade is about normal, and wholesalers are busy sending out delayed spring goods and looking after what sorting orders are coming forward. Collections are being made on these sorting orders as fast as they are received. In the dry goods trade they are inclined to be a little light. The slowness of manufacturers' deliveries continue to be a source of worry to the trader and there is no sign of relief in sight. Deliveries of lines are particularly slow. It is reported certain lines cannot be delivered until the end of the month. The entire hardware trade is active and nearly all lines are meeting with forward more freely and cash receipts are showing a better tone. In a fact, however, that ready money is in very great demand here, and that is unusually scarce. Sugar is firm and canned goods continue to hold a strong position. Tea and coffees are fairly active and firm in tone. Winnipeg: General trade shows increased activity in all lines, although considerable relief is still felt from the slowness of deliveries from the east. Dry goods jobbers, on this account, are behind on their deliveries to the country. Collections are still a little slow, but they are showing improvement. A big summer trade is looked for in all directions, and the proposed railroad building program is already coming in and the year's immigration is expected to break all records. Vancouver and Victoria: General trade here is active. Wholesale trade is profiting from the arrival of goods which have long been delayed by freight congestion. The lumber trade continues very active, with prices firm. Mining and other provinces' industries show steady expansion. Collections are generally fairly good. Quebec: Trade conditions show no marked improvement over preceding week. Bad roads hamper the movements of travelers and orders show a slight falling off. Hamilton: There is little complaint regarding trade conditions here. Spring business is moving well in all departments. The dry goods trade is particularly active and the millinery business has been large. Local industrial concerns continue very busy. Production is coming forward fairly well with prices firm. London: All lines of retail trade are moving. The demand for spring and summer clothing continues to be heavy. The wholesale trade is busy endeavoring to fill orders, although the sorting trade has not yet opened out to any great extent. Collections are fair to good. Ottawa: The sorting trade in spring lines is showing some life. There is also a forward movement of placing business for the fall trade. Collections are generally fair. Considerable activity is reported in the lumber trade. Building materials are meeting with active demand, but large quantities of lumber are still in coming forward and prices are firm.

COBALT NOTES. The development work on the Little Nipissing and the Princess has proved very encouraging. There is considerable talk at Cobalt about the discovery of two new veins on the Silver Bird property. At the Rochester Cobalt the new plant is installed and the steam drill at work.

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DIVINITY DOCTORS. FOUR PROMINENT PRESBYTERIANS TO BE HONORED BY KNOX. Senate of the University Approves of Degrees to Revs. R. E. Welsh, J. G. Shearer, J. H. Ratcliffe and Hugh Mackay. Toronto, April 1.—Four Doctors of Divinity will be created by Knox College next Thursday evening in connection with the closing exercises of the present session. The gentlemen selected for this honor by the Senate of the college, are, Rev. R. E. Welsh, M. A., of Toronto, General Secretary of the Canadian



Bible Society, who is nominated for the chair of apologetics in the Presbyterian College, Montreal, who will be presented for laureation by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario; Rev. J. G. Shearer, B. A., of Toronto, Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada, and formerly pastor of Erskine Church, Hamilton, who will be presented by Mr. John A. Paterson, M. A., A. C.; Rev. J. H. Ratcliffe, B. A., minister of First Presbyterian Church, St. Catharines, who will be presented by Rev. Dr. Fletcher, of Hamilton, and Rev. Hugh Mackay, B. A., missionary to the Indians, Round Lake, Sask.

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District News

DAYTOWN

Mar. 30.—The snow has disappeared and the roads are muddy.

The prospects for syrup are very poor, very little being made here as yet.

Shirley Wood has purchased a fine three year old colt.

Thos. Sim has sold his mare to W. Cheney of Elgin.

CAINTOWN

Mr. Thomas Tennant goes to Syracuse this week. He will soon after go to Edmonton and Calgary to remain some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reid of Caintown goes to Rochester, N. Y., from there to Calgary.

Rev. Mr. Pocock has had charge of the Presbyterian Churches in Caintown, Mallorytown and Lyn since November last. The induction occurred in the Caintown Church. This Rev. gentleman in his pastoral work in these three prosperous churches is highly appreciated and much admired by all the members of his charge. He is gentle and also a very earnest and popular preacher.

Miss Alice Tennant is spending her Easter vacation at her old home Caintown. Her school in Cedar Grove a short distance from Toronto is a picturesque locality. The high esteem in which Miss Tennant is held by church and school is evinced in many ways.

Brockville Business College Notes

Miss Lena Healy, of Smith's Falls, is now one of our students. Her sister Miss Lours, graduated this week.

Wm. Young left for Montreal, Monday, to take an office position.

On Tuesday the G.T.R. applied to us for a male stenographer, but we could not fill the position. Our young men are sure of quick appointment as soon as competent.

We have been advised by the employment bureau of the United Typewriter Co., of Toronto, that they have placed Miss Mooney, an ex-student, with the Canadian Fairbank Co.

This week closes the most successful year of the Brockville Business College. It was just a year ago since Messrs. Shaw and Rogers took over the management of the school, and although perfect strangers to Brockville they have made a record year.

Business College notes will be discontinued until August next.

Most of the students are spending Easter at home. Miss Fairbairn spends a few days in Montreal.

Night school closed till Oct. 1st. Easter term opened April 2nd.

Fly The Flag

The Department of Education, in order to encourage a spirit of patriotism, are considering the question of supplying every rural school in the Province with a large flag, the Union Jack, upon which will be emblazoned the Canadian coat of arms. The Government will call for tenders for flag poles and a pole will be erected in every school ground, from which the flag will fly on every school day, the pupils to salute the raising of the flag each morning.

Your Summer Outing

If you are fond of fishing, canoeing, or the study of wild animals look up the Algonquin National Park of Ontario for your summer outing. A fish and game preserve of 2,000,000 acres interspersed with 1,200 lakes and rivers, is awaiting you, offering all the attractions that Nature can bestow. Magnificent canoe trips. Altitude 2,000 feet above the sea level. Pure and exhilarating atmosphere. Just the place for a young man to spend his summer holidays. An interesting profusely illustrated descriptive publication telling you about it sent free on application to J. Quinlan, Ronaventure Station, Montreal, Que.

"Diamond Dust" Post Card

The postmistress here has received a circular from the Department to the effect that certain pictorial post cards upon which there are illustrations outlined with what is known as "diamond dust" will be excluded from the mails in future. The "diamond dust" causes injury to the electric stamping machines in use at city post offices. No objection will of course be made to these cards being forwarded to destination if enclosed in suitable envelopes.

The Kidneys and the Skin.

In the spring, the kidneys have much to do. If they are weak or torpid, they will not do it well, and the skin will be pimply or blotchy. That is telling the story in a few words.

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The desirability of having as representative for Brockville riding a man qualified to present fully and authoritatively the importance of the dairy industry was pleasingly manifested a few days ago in a debate that took place in the Dominion parliament on the subject of cold storage. Mr. Derbyshire's prominence in dairy circles and his thorough personal knowledge of every aspect of the question made his speech of special interest. His address was a valuable contribution to the debate, and the following extracts from it will be read with interest:—

We never delivered our goods on the British market in so fine a condition, nor received as much money for them as we did last year. In connection with our butter business, we had over 200 cars more than we did the year before. We also had a very eminent inspector in Montreal who, as soon as the cars arrived in Montreal made an inspection to see if the butter or cheese was in proper condition. In connection with our cheese business we had 300 cars more in 1906 than we ever had before. The goods were delivered in Montreal in first class condition last year. In cases where goods did not reach their destination in a first class condition, it will generally be found that it is due to the fact that the shippers did not look after them properly at time of shipping.

In regard to ocean steamships, in 1902 we sent 80,337 boxes of cheese in cooled air chambers; 1903, 80,284; 1904, 102,238, and in 1905, 127,633. In 1906, 406,029, showing that we made great improvements in the system of handling and delivering our cheese. We not only had at these steamships an inspector to watch the goods as they went in to see that they were placed in compartments at a proper temperature and to see that proper provision was made in the handling of these goods, but we had men to inspect these goods on their arrival in the Old Country. When vessels landed at Liverpool they were watched to see at what temperature the goods were kept in when they were delivered. Last year was most satisfactory in that respect, and, as a result of this service, the consumption increased and better prices were obtained. The Surrey dock at London was built, and they put in a refrigerator there for the accommodation of the goods delivered, and at Bristol they are going to spend a large amount of money in improving their docks, so that they can receive the goods in as good condition as they are received at London. The goods will be transferred from the vessel into refrigerator compartments and delivered to the proper parties for distribution.

Last year we shipped \$6,500,000 worth of butter, and I may say that the report showed that that butter was delivered in fine condition in the Old Country. We shipped \$25,000,000 worth of cheese and this cheese was never delivered in the Old Country in as fine condition. We shipped \$15,000,000 worth of bacon, and it is due to the continuous improvement in the system that we are getting this large amount of money, which is \$6,000,000 more than we received in any previous year in the history of the country. We know the value of this \$6,000,000 to the people of Canada. It means that every industry in our land will be prosperous, and that there will be increased buying power on account of this large amount of money that they got in excess of that which they received in any previous year.

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Officers Appointed

The annual vestries of the churches in this parish were held as usual on Easter Monday and the result on the whole, showed the parish in better standing than ever before in its history.

The officers of Trinity Church appointed for the ensuing year are as follows:

Wardens—M. J. Johnston, J. David Johnston

Sidesmen—Clifford Green, Raymond Green, Arthur Johnston.

Delegate to Synod—Ormand Green.

Auditors—Watson R. Green, Useby Kendrick.

The officers for Christ's Church, Athens, are as follows:

Wardens—Wm. Steacy, W. G. Johnson.

Sidesmen—Edward Fair, Ogle Webster, Wm. Karley, Stanley Rowson, E. C. Tribute.

Delegate to Synod—Wm. Steacy.

Auditors—W. G. Parish, Wm. Karley.

Look and Reputations.

"Nobody gifted with a sense of humor can fail to be diverted by the Puck-like manner in which luck makes and unmake reputations for business ability," says Will Payne in Everybody's. "Years ago a gentleman named Jennings was an extensive owner of downtown real estate in Chicago. He was the first, I believe, to develop on a large scale the modern system of the ninety-nine year lease, whereby the owner insures to himself and his heirs for a century an absolutely fixed rental, free and clear of all charges. After Mr. Jennings had leased a lot of his lands for ninety-nine years a depression came on. Other people's incomes were curtailed, but his was stable. 'What foresight!' said the town. 'What sagacity!' 'What superb business judgment!' Mr. Jennings views on the business situation and outlook were eagerly sought. The depression passed. Realty prices advanced immensely. The Jennings lots could have been leased at twice the rental named in the old indenture. The town shook its head sympathetically over poor Mr. Jennings' deplorable shortsightedness."

Woes of a Drummer.

"I'm just a little discouraged with my work," said the tall New York boy who has started out on the road. "I was making my second trip west when I met an old drummer who had been on the road for more than thirty years. He sat with grip between his knees and talked to me. 'Chuck it, my boy,' he said. 'If there's anything else in the world you can do, do it. Look at my gray hairs. I don't know what it is to have a home. For thirty years I have seen my wife about once in five weeks. I know that I've a wife and children in a flat in New York, but that's all I do know about them. The children have grown up and married, but I have not had time to attend their weddings. My wife has grown gray, too, but she has had the best of it. She has had a home and the children. If there is anything else in the world you can do, my boy,' he repeated, 'quit drumming, and do it!'"

Curious Blunders.

Some remarkable mistakes in memorials have totally escaped notice until it was too late to rectify them. The spurs on the boots of Cromwell's statue at Westminster abbey, London, are the most interesting feature of the monument, although they generally get no attention at all from sightseers. They are worn upside down. In a painted window on the staircase which leads from the floor of Westminster palace to the committee rooms an inscription on a sword wielded by the "Black Prince" has the words "Prince of Wales." Again, in the fresco depicting the embarkation of the pilgrim fathers in the corridor leading from the outer lobby at St. Stephen's to the house of lords the Mayflower is shown to be hoisting the union jack, a flag which did not come into existence until 250 years after the days of the historic Mayflower.

A "Ringers' Jug."

A beer jug in a beiry is happily somewhat of a rarity in these days. At the beginning of the last century, however, people were not so particular. The ringers' jug at Beccles, in Suffolk, holds six gallons, a sufficiency to sustain the ten weary ringers, though the weight of the bells did exceed six tons. The vessel is made of red earthenware and has three handles, one of which is concealed by the neck. It bears the following inscription in quaint spelling: "When I am fill'd with liquor strong Each Man drink once and then ding don. Drink not too much to Cloud your Knoes Least you forget to make the Bobbs."

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YOUR EYESIGHT.

Relationship Between Eyestrain and Nerve Depletion.

Writing on this subject, Dr. Sam'l S. Grant, B.O.A., Oph.D., Professor Physiological Optics, says:

"Nature has so balanced the supply of nerve energy that the various organs of the body that are in equilibrium are fairly maintained; but should that equilibrium be disturbed by any abnormal demand from any particular organ, either by functional weakness or over-excitation, then other allied nerve-centres must necessarily be depleted."

"It is not intended in this short dissertation to trace the nerves through all their various ramifications, or to explain the particular and necessary energy each branch consumes in controlling the functions of its particular organ, but simply to call attention to the nerves which control the organ of sight and their relationship to other allied nerve-centres which they have considerable influence."

"The fifth pair of nerves divide at their ganglion into two principal branches, one to the eye, one to the ear, and one to the teeth and allied functions. Each branch draws its nerve energy from the ganglion at the head of the fifth nerve."

"This can be illustrated by supposing water flowing through a main branch and at certain points (termed the ganglion), this main branch divides into three smaller branches to supply water in three different directions. Let us further suppose that one of these branches is continually pulling off more than its share of water, and it can be easily understood that the other two branches must be more or less depleted of their supply. Now, this is exactly the case with the fifth branch, and the tri-facial branches in eyestrain. The ophthalmic branch—one of the tri-facial—drawing off most of the nerve energy supplied by the ganglion, and is by so much robbing its allied branches of their proper supply."

"The result of this unequal or inadequate nerve supply is that these allied organs gradually weaken their functional power, and are rendered inert or entirely lose their usefulness."

"The effects of eyestrain, caused either by astigmatism, asthenopia, heterophoria, hypermetropia, myopia or allied forms of defective vision, is to demand an enormous expenditure of nerve energy through the ophthalmic branch of the tri-facial. This extra demand, kept up for years, has a debilitating effect on the other two branches, which get their supply from the same ganglion."

"In this weakened condition of the supply the weakest generally is the one to succumb, either the eye loses its visual acuity, or the hearing becomes defective, or the teeth decay, or even it may extend to the hair, which turns prematurely grey."

"Then the effects of the ophthalmic nerve on the ganglion does have this effect is plentifully exhibited in the course of my daily eye-testing. How often do I find in cases of ametropia, especially in those cases where the defective eye has never been neutralized by accurately prescribed glasses, that the defective eye is on the same side as the defective hearing, or defective vision, or ocular hypermetropia, where there has been a similar neglect of the use of glasses, the pressure gradually forces the eye to the present feature, and the early decay of the teeth follows simultaneously with the defective vision."

"However, it must not be inferred that every case of eyestrain is followed by these external symptoms, in some cases the eyes themselves lose their acuity of vision, thus decreasing this extra demand of nerve supply through the ophthalmic branch, thereby lessening the depletion of allied nerve-centres. Yet the tendency of all eyestrain is to bring about these distressing consequences."

"Even where these external symptoms are absent eyestrain by its influence upon one or the other of the ocular nerves will by nerve reflex action create a re-action of the general system, leading to nervous irritability, irritability of disposition, fretfulness and impairs the proper development of mental, nervous and physical faculties."

"Thus it follows that eyestrain is an enemy that should be combated with scientific accuracy, so that the distressing effects may be neutralized and its dangerous tendencies prevented."

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A Pastime Fraught With Danger for the Unsophisticated.

"There are bargains galore at auctions," says a writer in the Pall Mall, "but the way to them is beset with pitfalls."

"The neophytes who find themselves trade sales of antique furniture are not many, but every man's hand is against them. The newcomer is received politely, but the traders watch the bent of his fancy and at the right moment pounce upon him and devour him."

"We might suggest a few simple lines of action to the lady—and women are, of course, the cleverest hands at a bargain—or man who, having pursued a hobby through varying stages, decides to enter the auctions."

"First, glance with a careful eye over the catalogue. Everything looks well in a well written catalogue. Then one should give oneself plenty of time to view the pieces the day before the sale exists; another nod from an ever-ready friend; under its informing influence cracks appear in porcelain, newly made additions in Chippendale, hopeless fakes stand confessed."

"Having noted the half dozen pieces you wish to own, inform yourself as far as possible as to their value. Refer to one of the now general handbooks on the particular subject."

"Be sure that when you return next day to the auction you know the top price you want to give and will not be guided by the bidding. The auctioneers and the trade between them are often tempted to trot a novice—that is, run up the price for his benefit or increase it by larger bids than usual."

"Ten shillings is a price at which small pieces of furniture are often started by the auctioneer, who makes believe to have had a bid. If the newcomer thinks the price low he will nod to the seller, who, as it were in reply, will say a pound, and soon find thirty shillings elsewhere—although it does not really exist; another nod from you and in this way you may pay £2 for a piece that although worth it to you at the moment will prove a poor bargain."

"The better plan, if you suspect the auctioneer of having started the price at ten shillings, is to let low, when, no one else bidding, he will say: 'Well, gentlemen, five shillings; some few may then increase at a shilling or two at a time, and when these bids are dying out you name a price in clear figures—you are as near the rostrum as possible—and nail your piece.'

"If an inclined to recommend the use of the honest porter to whom you pay a commission. All auction rooms, from Christie's to the ultimate East, possess these useful attaches, and the friendship of a good porter or attendant is above rubies."

"Most of these men, for example, can tell you pretty well beforehand what a piece is likely to fetch in their particular salesrooms—they may know nothing of its value elsewhere—and thus enable you to regulate your bid."

"For a matter of one shilling in each pound sterling of your outlay you can purchase the service as bidder, caretaker and guide of this locally important person. Some of these men are worth more and like more."

"With others it is well to arrange a sort of sliding scale of commission, which has for basis the principle that the lower the sum for which he obtains the object the higher the commission. These are matters of personal arrangement, which will be found to work to the collector's advantage."

MIRAND'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

SIGHTS IN BRITISH GUIANA.

Officers Explore Strange Country of Mosquitoes and Fleas.

C. W. Anderson and H. P. C. Melville, two officers of the department of lands and mines sent out by the government of British Guiana, have made some interesting discoveries in the country mapped out by the award of the king of Italy in the British Guiana-Brazil boundary dispute.

They started from Georgetown, Demerara, on Jan. 25, accompanied by an East Indian cook and four Andamian boys, and after a most successful trip returned safely on Sept. 12, their baggage having thus lasted some eight months.

At the village of Kamalawong they found Jeremah, the great chief, a character whose delight is to teach his people the alphabet and to hunt in the thickets where he has built. Two of his sons were with the expedition and these, with the exception of one, were found to be afflicted with the fatal fever, which is a fine forgetfulness of the letter of the alphabet.

He duly appeared, attired in a garment which at a consideration of the nature of the report of the expedition proved to be an ancient mackintosh. This was his robe of defence against the white man's disease. His conversation, however, turned out to be confined to the words "Morning, morning," and to a recitation of the letter of the alphabet.

Descending to Ireg in canoes, or native dugouts, the prominent feature of their life and the labour they performed a great part. They wisely did not provide themselves with any weapons with the exception of a few arrows and spears, and even these were made of wood, and were used only for hunting and for defence against the country mosquitoes and sand flies, which had been entirely absent on the plateau, but in an appearance.

Mercer, June and July turned out wet. It was noted by the travellers as a curious circumstance that the labourers files ceased their attentions almost exactly at 6 o'clock a.m., but as the sand flies came on the scene at 6 o'clock and the mosquitoes at midnight they always had plenty to occupy their attention.

A most curious luminous centipede was discovered in the forest country. The animal, which was two or three inches long, bore a red light in its head and a series of eleven or twelve white phosphorescent spots along its body, one to each segment. Five or six specimens were secured, but were sadly knocked about in travelling.

Another sight was the great Kaieteur falls on the Potaro river, which were visited by the expedition on the way to Yakomin. The Kaieteur, where the Potaro river falls over a sheer precipice 241 feet high (the Horseshoe falls at Niagara are only 164 feet) is the pride of the colony.

The fact that neither of the officers suffered from anything worse than a cold during their eight months' "roughing it" is a testimonial to the grand climate of the hinterland, which only needs to be better known to attract enterprising men as colonists.—London Express.

As an Optimist Sees Things.

Only the fool claims that everything is bright and good. Yet the greater fool is that one who claims it is all dark and evil. Between these two towers the man of divine wisdom—he may be wholly unlearned—who sees and acknowledges he sees it, and the man who stumbles blocks, the clouds, the dark places, but who knows that if he does not his part in overcoming them they will not hinder him or stand in the way of his holding along the better day. We may the days and when we complain of them we complain of ourselves.

Hard Work's Keeping Beautiful.

Our friend Lt. Russell writes what we have found to be interesting truth, that it is hard work to be a beauty. She knows why we mustn't worry. Don't be angry, nor eat what we want, nor go without corns, nor lie in bed after 8 a. m., nor neglect the bath and the hours of relaxation, nor avoid the long walk and motor drive in the open air. We have also found that it is good for the complexion to split wood, rip the log from the roof, paint the tin gutters, rive the storm swath from its window bed, and our rule came at 4 a. m. instead of 8. But keeping awfully bright at it brings success, as all our beauties know by experience.

When the Coolness began.

(Philadelphia Press.)

Miss Flanely—Tell me, how do you like the cut of my new skirt?

Miss Knox—Very much.

Miss Flanely—(suspiciously)—Oh, do you, really?

Miss Knox—Yes, indeed, I had two just like it—when they were in style.

Death sometimes merely removes a man's nose from the grindstone to the tombstone.

PATRONS FOR A BAKERY LUNCH.

A study of a sociological problem from a workers' point of view is always highly instructive, and it is at all well done it furnishes a deal of entertainment aside from its more serious discussion of the problem in hand: for such a study must deal with men and women and episodes from real life. Maud Younger, in her "Amateur Waitress," the second instalment of which appears in the April McClure's, gives us many glimpses of New York's quick lunch restaurants. We quote the following extract from her description of the rush hour in a bakery lunch place as an example of a good literary snap-shot, that also contains sociological data:

"I made my accustomed dive after a girl who knew something about the business. 'A man over there wants something that sounds like coffee and horns,' I said to her. 'There they are,' she said, and pointed to some crumpled fellows who, as they all jammed at once for their lunches. The rush hour was indeed 'there.' Before I had served my ten most chosen were others standing in line waiting for seats. As soon as one man finished, another took his place. They shoved back the debris in front of them and sat on top of the debris. Once, the situation grew desperate, each one wanting to be served first, giving their orders at once, so that I could not extricate anything from the jumble. It was so absolutely trying that I could not do any thing. I just stood still and laughed. The smile went around the table, and they subsided and let me take one order at a time. No one was cross when I gave them the wrong thing. They were mostly ten-cent customers, one drink fire, and a drink five, all men, and they wore their hats."

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Top Scorers.

The death of Sir W. H. Russell leaves the small band of literary octogenarians. Sir Theodore Martin, however, who was more than four years his senior, and is now a nonagenarian, is not only still to the fore, but is full of energy and activity. Professor Campbell Fraser, also his senior, will be 88 in September. Professor Masson will be 85 in December, and Dr. Alfred Wallace was 84 in January last. Goldwin Smith will be 84 in August, Dr. Furnival was 82 on the 4th of February, Holman Hunt is 80 this year, and George Meredith has entered upon his 80th year. Among the septuagenarians are Gerald Massey, not many months younger than Meredith; William Rossetti, 76; Mr. Justin McCarthy, 75; Lord Roberts, 74; Lord Wolseley, 73; Baring Gould, 73; and Lord Avebury, 72. Swinburne will be 70 on April 5th next.—N. Y. Scottish American.

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"Gimme a dime for the newboys' dinner," a boy asked as he shoved a dirty pound in front of man at Tenth and Main streets last night.

"I haven't seen anything in the papers about a newboys' dinner," the man said. "When does it take place?"

"Just as soon as you give me that dime and I can get to a lunch counter," the boy said. He got the dime.—Kansas City Star.

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One Meal of Simple Food. (New York Sun.)

New Yorkers are insatiable in their demand for novelty and the host who supplies something new is more certain to have his invitations accepted than any other. The most successful man of the hour is the one given by a young artist who had as his guests many of the men and women most conspicuous in society. Instead of terrapin sausage, fried apples and other similarly homely dishes. There was no nearer approach to champagne than what the host had on hand. The guests contented themselves with tea and coffee at midnight when the supper was over. The host's own table as described that night to make room for a cook larder was a Boston friend, and his importation was the one extravagance of the entertainment.

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The Sunday Comic Supplement. (Trades Unionist.)

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(Baltimore News.)

Treading on the Heather Bell.

(A Gypsy Smith Story.)

Gypsy Smith, who is holding a series of revival meetings in Brooklyn, N. Y., introduces into his talks several anecdotes relating to his experiences in Scotland. One of his stories was the following:

"They tell a story of a great scientist, a great naturalist, who, one lovely summer day a year ago, went out in the Highlands of Scotland with his microscope to study the heather bell in all its native glory, and in order that he might see it in its perfection, he got down on his face, without plucking the flower, adjusting the instrument, and was reveling in its color, its delicacy, its beauty, 'lost in wonder, love and praise.' How long he stayed there he does not know, but suddenly there was a shadow on him and his instrument. He waited for a time, thinking it might be a passing cloud. But it stayed there, and presently he looked up over his shoulder and there was a fine specimen of a Highland shepherd, watching him and without saying a word, he plucked the little heather bell and handed it, with the microscope, to the shepherd that he, too, might see what he was beholding if he had vision. And the old shepherd put the instrument up to his eye, and the heather bell in place and looked at it until the tears ran down his rugged face like bubbles on a mountain stream. And then, handing back the little heather bell, tenderly, and the instrument, he said, 'I wish you had never shown me that. I wish I had never seen it.' 'Why?' asked the scientist. 'Because,' he said, 'most that rude foot has trodden on so many of them.'"

"Yes," said the weary wayfarer, "I used to be a politician, but I have reformed." "And what are you doing now?" asked the benevolent individual. "I'm a burglar now," replied the weary wayfarer.

KING'S BEAUTIFUL PALACE.

Fortune Spent on Pleasure House for English Monarch.

Sir Ernest Cassel is spending a fortune on Brook house, Park Lane, which is mainly intended as a pleasure house for King Edward. Like a true courtier, Sir Ernest invited suggestions from the king, who called in the dowager duchess of Manchester as joint adviser. Between them they have planned an entertainment palace, involving an expenditure which makes even multimillionaire Cassel gasp.

In order to get the full effect of the structure, both in general outline and in detail, a large model has been made, showing the edifice finished, furnished and decorated. It even contains French furniture, upholstered in the same colors as the priceless originals, bureaus and cabinets being reproduced in miniature on an exact scale. It is provided also with miniature candelabra, electric lights and so on. The model itself is a work of art, about twenty feet long by fourteen feet wide.

The decorations were chosen almost entirely by the duchess, who has admirable taste. She and the king are said to have hugely enjoyed planning their ideal residence regardless of cost to themselves. Cassel winced a bit, especially when they ordered this model, which cost as much as half a dozen suburban villas.

Grandmas Go to Dancing School.

An early caller at a west side flat was received by the small girl of the family, says the New York Press.

"Is your grandmother in?" asked the visitor.

"No," said the child, "she has gone to dancing school."

"To—what?" exclaimed the visitor.

"Dancing school," explained the girl. "Grandmother has been taking dancing lessons all winter."

"Merciful heavens!" gasped the visitor.

"Then, being a grandmother herself, of the old-fashioned type, she went away tumb with amazement. However, upon inquiry she learned that that particular grandmother was not exceptionally giddy."

"Any number of elderly ladies are attending dancing school this winter," said a teacher. "I have a large class of grandmothers. They do not confine themselves to simple dances, either, but take up all kinds of fancy, difficult steps. They do it to get limbered up and keep themselves young."

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"Dry" Spots in Kentucky.

There are, we believe, only nine counties in Kentucky where liquor is legally sold and so far as practical prohibition is concerned reports indicate that there is much less liquor sold at retail in Kentucky than in the prohibition state of Maine. On Tuesday Richmond, county seat of the oldest county in the state, voted "dry." This is the first spot where Boone made his first foray and conducted operations against the Indiana in Kentucky that has been in force since 1800, yet not one saloon by popular vote and it also permits a county to do so. The curious part of the whole matter is that in Kentucky prohibition seems to progress more perfectly than almost anywhere else.

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PRESS CORRESPONDENT INTERVIEWS MR. BRYCE

Has a Chat With British Ambassador at Government House.

An Ottawa special despatch: Hon. James Bryce, British Ambassador, was interviewed this forenoon by your correspondent at Government House. The distinguished visitor talked fluently with knowledge and experience of mountain climbing in the Selkicks, of purchasing horses in Iceland, using the Latin language to do so, and of a variety of other subjects, but preferred not to discuss politics...

FEAR OF FLOODS.

HIGH WATER LOOKED FOR AT MONTREAL.

Streets of Chateaugay Already Ten Feet Under Water in Places—Residents Along River Shore Driven Out—Hotels Isolated.

Montreal, April 1.—The water in the Montreal harbor is rising rapidly. Harbor officials believe that this year the ice will break up rapidly, and in consequence it is anticipated that the water will reach a very great height, though hopes are entertained that there will be no flood. The ice in the harbor is already beginning to disappear, and to-day notices have been posted in the proper places calling attention to the fact that the ice roadways across the river are now in a dangerous condition, and that people crossing over them do so at their own risk.

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TRAVELLERS AND RAILROADERS ASK LAW TO BE PASSED

To Enable Them to Deposit Their Ballot on a Saturday or Monday Before Election Day With a County Judge, Magistrate or Justice of the Peace.

A Toronto, Ont., special despatch: A petition signed by about two thousand railway men and commercial travellers has been presented to the Legislature by Hon. J. S. Hendrie, asking that a commercial law be passed. The petition sets out that those signing it are unable to be at home on election days, without loss of time or money. The provision which they suggest is as follows: A law to be known as the commercial travellers' voting law, to permit commercial travellers and railwaymen to vote before the county judge, magistrate or justice of the peace on a Saturday or Monday, preceding the day of an election. An elector being enabled to vote by being sworn by the said county judge that he is entitled to vote, and that he cannot go home without the loss of time or money. The scheme further provides that the voter, after being sworn, shall deposit his ballot in a ballot box, to be kept by the county judge or magistrate until after the election, when it shall be handed over to and opened by the returning officer. The judge shall cause the voters' list to be so marked as to show those who have voted and to prevent impersonation. An infringement against the same law should, it is suggested, be punished by imprisonment of from one to thirty-six months.

FOUR YOUNG CHILDREN TORN LIMB FROM LIMB.

Peasants Wring the Necks of Newly Born Twins and Murder Their Mother.

Terrible Atrocities Committed by Roumanian Peasants in Fight With Troops.

Bucharest, April 1.—Forty peasants were killed on March 25 in a hard fight with troops in the Mozaia district. The insurgents in that section cut to pieces and burned some of their victims. A stubborn encounter occurred yesterday at a point on the Guivevo road, about sixty miles from Bucharest, where 4,000 insurgents met a strong detachment of troops. The latter attacked the peasants with cavalry, as well as infantry, but the military commander ultimately was obliged to force the peasants to retreat. One hundred peasants have been killed at Marguile, 100 at Petrescu and 70 at Bonaki. The troops also suffered severely, but the Government is suppressing the casualty list lest it encourage rebels. The victorious insurgents have established a republic at Ferestie, and are sharing land, cattle and other property. Jassy is besieged by 4,000 peasants. It is defended by 12,000 soldiers, with artillery. There is little doubt that some vile brutalities have been committed by the triumphant peasants, although they are possibly less numerous than the papers here represent. There is an apparently authentic story of marauders entering a house where a Jewess had just been confined of twins and of their wringing the infants' necks in the mother's presence. Then they killed her. A band of peasants set fire to 50 farm-houses in the Alexandria district. In one instance they wrapped a tenant in hay and threw him into the flames, where he perished. At another farm

THE SACRED COLLEGE.

ANGLO-SAXON CATHOLICS WANT BETTER REPRESENTATION.

Rome, April 1.—The prominent Anglo-Saxon prelates now here have presented to the Papal Secretary of State, Merry Del Val, a memorandum, setting forth the importance of the Anglo-Saxon world, compared with the remainder of the Catholic world. It was stated in the memorandum that the Catholics in the United States, Canada, Ireland, Great Britain and the British Colonies numbered in all about 45,000,000, and was pointed out that no Catholics so vigorously took up the cause of the church in its conflict with the French Government as the Americans, Irish and English, which were also classed as the wealthiest Catholics and as those from whom the Holy See can expect the greatest amount of support. The memorandum concluded with asking for better representation of the Anglo-Saxons in the sacred college.

A SEPARATE PARLIAMENT.

Beyond Gladstone's Dream for Ireland, Says Lord Rosebery.

London, April 1.—Presiding at a meeting of the Council of the Liberal League held here to-day, Lord Rosebery said Great Britain would never tolerate a separate Irish Parliament. Such a proposal went far beyond anything the late Mr. Gladstone intended. "A system suitable for Canada and Australia," Lord Rosebery added, "would be different in a contiguous island which in its public declarations prided itself on its disloyalty." Great Britain would never tolerate a tax on food by a separate Irish Parliament. Continuing, the speaker said that if the Government's promised measure for Ireland would go to extremes, but it was a pity the Government's principal men were making speeches leading the country to believe that something radical was intended. He (Lord Rosebery) expressed his allegiance to the present Government, nevertheless he congratulated it on its success thus far. He feared, however, it was promising too much. If it made any general attack on property, as was threatened, its existence would be speedily ended.

ARE SURGEONS NOT HANGMEN.

STOLYPIN SPEAKS OF ATROCITIES IN RUSSIA.

Miasma of Terrorism—Still Making Oppressive Measures a Necessity—Duma Adopts Resolution Providing for Abolition of Drumhead Courts-Martial.

NEGOTIATING WITH GREAT COAL INTERESTS AND OPERATORS.

Has Been Offered Nearly a Million to Destroy His Secret or Sell It Outright—Keen Rivalry Between Coal Men and Capitalists.

Altona, Pa., April 1.—John Ellmore, the coal-broiler genius whose invention might change the entire coal industry, may never give his discovery to the world. To-day he was reticent regarding the process of which he was lately so communicative. The mysterious solution has been so successfully demonstrated that it has created a stir among large mine owners and operators, and rumor has it to-day that Ellmore has been offered an almost fabulous sum if he would destroy his secret or sell it outright. During the day there has been a sharp conflict between local capitalists who would finance a company to market the remarkable coal, and emissaries of the vast coal interests of this section of the State. Financiers here see themselves nestling in the lap of fortune if they can prevail upon the old coal-broiler to cooperate with them, but since he has guarded his secret for more than a quarter of a century he is reluctant to cash aside the great wealth that is actually within his grasp and that would accrue from his disposing of his secret to the coal-producing interests, for the burden of business which would devolve upon him were he to pursue such a course. As Ellmore sat at his bench to-night, pegging the heel on a school boy's shoe, he intimated that his dream of wealth was about to be realized. In a few days he will give his answer to the bidders for his secret, but it was evident from his manner and his enthusiasm on reaching a higher pitch in the discussion that the bait of the coal operators was the one that would tempt him. In his illiterate style he referred to the visit of the capitalists and the coal interests' representatives, and broadly hinted that he had been "offered closed on to a million dollars for his heat proposition," that he would accept it, and that with his fortune he would exploit an invention which, he claims, would revolutionize the automobile world.

REGIMENT OF GIANTS.

NEARLY EVERY MEMBER OF THE R. W. INDIANS IS SIX FEET.

Flower of the Population—Famous Corps Has a Long History Full of Daring Deeds in Colonial Wars.

Kingston, Jamaica, April 1.—Broad-land policemen think they are some inches, but they ought to see the members of the Royal West India Regiment who were doing police duty here during the earthquake. Many of these men are three inches above six feet, and built like giants. All are negroes, the flower of the dusky population, being selected by the British Government for this famous corps of colonial troops. It is more than a fine looking body of men, it is imposing. Every member of it feels pride in every inch from heel to helmet. As they sweep down from their barracks beyond in the hills, twelve hundred strong, towering like Gullivers above the little brown men, the small whites and other blacks of the town, they seem like bronze warriors of another age—coossal, overpowering, devoid of fear. And they do more than look the part. Their officers tell great tales of their feats of strength, bravery and endurance in Africa and at other hard stations where they shared in deeds done for old England's glory, without thought of self. There is a more peaceful mission in Jamaica. Here they rest in the cool hills, to be called in great emergencies to police the town, at earthquake time. One of their duties was to stand at the depots where food was given out, to preserve order. The pressure of the poor through the fence in passages from street to street caused a traffic. One of

MRS. EVELYN THAW BREAKS DOWN; HER HUSBAND ALSO SHAKY.

Lunacy Commission Meets This Afternoon Thaw Will be There.

A New York despatch: Harry K. Thaw may never again face the jury empaneled more than nine weeks ago to try him on the charge of murder in the first degree. Justice Fitzgerald today unexpectedly handed down a decision ordering a commission on lunacy to inquire into the present state of mind of Stanford White's slayer. The decision of the three disinterested men named to conduct the inquiry will guide the future action of the court as to ordering Thaw to an asylum for the insane or directing that the indefinitely interrupted trial for his life shall proceed. Justice Fitzgerald announced the appointment of the commission privately in his chambers. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was there with the lawyers, and it became her task to break the news to her husband in the Tombs. Tearful when she left the judge's room in the criminal courts building, the young woman, who has been such a conspicuous figure in the trial from first to last, was smiling and cheerful when Thaw was brought from his cell to the hospital ward of the prison to meet her. Thaw accepted the court's decision philosophically and at once declared he had no doubt the commission would declare him a sane man to-day.

Justice Fitzgerald based his decision in favor of a commission on the conflict of affidavits as presented by the opposing counsel, saying they were too diametrically at odds to permit of a decision other than in favor of an impartial inquiry. The personnel of the commission named by Justice Fitzgerald lends a new distinction to this already notable case. The men who will determine Thaw's mental capacity are: Morgan J. O'Brien, former justice of the Appellate Division of the State Supreme Court; Peter B. Olney, former District Attorney of New York County, and a lawyer of high legal attainments; Dr. Leopold Putzel, a practicing physician and authority on mental disorders, and a qualified examiner in lunacy. Thaw's lawyers were downcast when they were first made acquainted with Justice Fitzgerald's decision, but all were manifestly pleased when the latter announced as to the personnel of the commission of inquiry was made. Mr. DeLmas in particular declared that Justice Fitzgerald could hardly have selected a more generally satisfactory commission—one whose decision would command more confidence and respect. District Attorney Jerome, too, seemed pleased with the result of his dramatic appeal to the conscience of the court.

The Thaw jury was ordered on last Friday to report before Justice Fitzgerald to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock. At that hour there will be a brief court procedure, the jury being excused indefinitely. No date has been fixed to-night for the first meeting of the commission. They will probably be some definite announcement on this matter to-morrow, as the law under which the commissioners are appointed directs that

RECIPROCITY QUESTION.

British Government Knows Nothing of New Negotiations.

London, April 1.—Replying in the House of Commons to-day to a question of Sir Arnold Forster, former War Secretary, said that the general negotiating respecting commercial reciprocity between the United States and Canada which had been left unsettled in 1898 had not been reopened in the recent negotiations. Mr. Bryce and the British Secretary of State, Mr. Grey, had no part in them. Secretary Grey had not heard that Secretary Root proposed the adoption by Canada of the United States tariff against Great Britain and all other countries, and then the establishment of free trade between Canada and the United States. Mr. Bryce had been empowered to do his best to settle the outstanding questions between the United States and Canada. Negotiations respecting commercial reciprocity would technically form part of such outstanding questions, but, as a matter of fact, in the negotiations which have taken place, neither the United States nor Canada, so far as Great Britain was aware, had shown any desire to reopen the matter.

BOTH LEGS BROKEN.

Terrible Injuries Sustained by William Young, of Oakville, in a Fall.

A Parry Sound despatch: William Young, of Oakville, a workman on the bridge gang of the Canadian Pacific Railway, met with a very serious accident to-day by being thrown off a high trestle crossing the Boyne River, about four miles south of this place. The workmen are building the temporary wooden trestle for placing the steel bridge in position, and Young was on a high concrete abutment, directing the lowering of a timber, when a spike in the timber caught in his clothing, and he was hurled off the abutment, falling a considerable distance and alighting on a pile of broken rock. When picked up it was found that both his legs were broken near the ankle, and the broken bones protruding through his stockings. He was placed on the pilot of a C. N. R. locomotive and was brought to the general hospital here, where his injuries are being attended to.

THE JAP SCHOLARS.

FOREIGN MINISTER PLEASED WITH U. S. ATTITUDE.

San Francisco, April 1.—Mail advices from Tokyo state that Viscount Hayashi, Foreign Minister of Japan, in a speech before the Japanese diet, in answer to the questions of members regarding the government's attitude concerning the refusal of the San Francisco authorities to admit Japanese to the public schools, said: "The American Government, which, throughout had shown profound sympathy with the Japanese nation, sent us a telegraphic expression of its regret at the occurrence before our protest had reached Washington. We considered that our proper course was to stand on one side and patiently await developments."

NOT SAFE AT LARGE.

Six-Year-Old Toronto Infanticide to be Confined.

Toronto despatch: A coroner's jury under Chief coroner A. J. Johnson, considering the death of the six-month-old child of Nathaniel Wineberg on Monday night at 325 Chestnut street, concluded last night that death resulted from blows on the face and head administered by Hyman Wineberg, the six-year-old brother of the baby, while the latter in the absence of the parents was left in the boy's care. It was further thought wise that the boy Hyman should be placed in a charitable institution until he had reached the age of proper reasoning powers. He (Lord Rosebery) expressed his allegiance to the present Government, nevertheless he congratulated it on its success thus far. He feared, however, it was promising too much. If it made any general attack on property, as was threatened, its existence would be speedily ended.

CUPID'S WORK.

Young Aberdeen Engaged to Miss Drummond.

Of great interest to society north of the Tweed is the engagement of Mr. Dudley (Dudley) Gordon, son of the late Lady Aberdeen's son, to Miss Cecile Drummond, Mr. Gordon is very popular, says The Graphic. His remarkable education—he has "ranch" in Canada and has done real hard work in a Scotch plantation—has made him a most interesting and manly person, and when to this we add that he is a keen dancer, it is not surprising that the hostesses of the great world should regard him with affection. His bride belongs to the famous banking family of Drummond; her father, who is a partner in the bank, has a lovely place called Swaylands, in the Perthshire country.

ROCKEFELLER GIFTS MADE.

Five Colleges and Colored Schools Get Share of \$32,000,000.

SOCIETY ON CONJURERS.

Members Mystify One Another With Latest Tricks.

London, April 1.—The Magic Circle, which is the official designation of the society on conjurers, met in great strength in St. George's Hall to-day, and the members tried to mystify one another with a series of their latest tricks. In some cases they seemed to succeed as completely as they did in puzzling the lay section of the audience. The society's gold medal was finally awarded to A. L. Leppig, an American, in recognition of his marvellous skill and originality. Froth gets to the top, and some men are a good bit below it.

NOT SO BAD.

Genoa, March.—Prince Von Buelow, the Imperial German Chancellor, who is at Rapallo, spoke reassuringly to the friends yesterday concerning the Moroccan situation, saying it was not so bad as reported by some people. Germany, the Chancellor continued, did not look with disfavor upon the occupation of Omdia, if this occupation were temporary.

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Local and General

Western beef at Willson's. Miss Mollie Stinson is visiting friends in Westport. Car-load of lime just arrived—E. J. Purcell.

Mr. A. E. Donovan spent Easter with his family here. Rev. Wm. Craig of Kingston spent Monday in town calling on friends.

Call and see the millinery at Miss Hanna's before purchasing elsewhere. Mr. John Donovan of Toronto is home for his Easter holidays.

See the New Wall Papers at G. W. Beach's before buying. Miss West of the A.P.S. staff is spending Easter week at her home in Montreal.

Miss Patterson of the A.H.S. staff is spending Easter vacation at her home in Toronto.

Lace Curtains, 54 inches wide, 3 1/2 yards long, the quality is excellent at \$1.00 pair at Beach's.

Mrs. Leverette of Brockville spent Easter Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Kerr, Wilton st.

Master Lawrence O'Shea of Montreal is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Stevens.

Mrs. Almeron Robison and daughter, Miss Carrie are spending Easter guests of friends at Crosby.

Correspondents will please mail their matter so as reach this office on Monday.

Mrs. S. Boyce of Brockville is spending the Easter week with friends here.

Miss Eulalia Wilton visited her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilton, of Brockville this week.

Miss Ida Motes of Lansdowne is calling on old friends, and is a guest of her uncle, Mr. Wm. Johnston.

Mrs. Charles Whaley and daughter Aline of Lillies' are visitors at Mr. E. J. Purcell's.

Miss Hattie Bullis of Lansdowne Station is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Bert Alguire.

Mrs. M. A. Everts and Allan are visiting friends in Smith's Falls and Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tackaberry of Brockville spent Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lee.

Mr. Matnew Webster of Kingston spent Easter Sunday with friends on Henry st.

Mrs. Jas. Ross is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kilborn of Kilborn's Corners.

Mrs. Melvin Trickey and children are spending a few days in Brockville, guests of Mrs. B. Cadwell.

Mrs. Amos Blanchard spent a few days last week in Mallorytown, visiting her son, Mr. Frank Blanchard.

The steamer Belleville made her first trip between Brockville and Morrisstown on Monday morning.

Miss Helen Hoover, of Columbus, Ohio, is here visiting her cousin, Miss Helen Donovan.

5000 Deacon Skins wanted at Willson's. Miss Alice Tennant spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. H. R. Knowlton.

There are at present 1,139 students in attendance at Queen's University, Kingston.

ADVERTISERS—Will kindly hand in copy for change advs. not later than Monday morning each week.

Miss Pearl Billings of Brockville spent Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beach.

Miss Mabel Slack of Montreal spent Easter here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Crawford Slack.

Miss Edith Hughes is spending the Easter vacation at the home of her parents here.

The plan of hall for the Royal Scots Concert Co. entertainment will open at Lamb's on Saturday.

Miss Mollie Robinson is spending Easter holidays with friends in Westport.

Mr. Falkner, Teller in the Merchants Bank here spent his Easter holidays in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nash and little daughter of Bath spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nash.

Coal dropped 50 cents a ton on April 1, but at this time householders would like to buy something else for a change.

Mr. and Mrs. Wickwire of Morrisburg spent the Easter holiday here with their daughter, Mrs. N. L. Massey.

The Smith's Falls board of trade will endeavor to have a cheese board opened in that town during the coming year.

Mr. Robert McAllister of Napanee, a former clerk of the Merchants bank here, spent Sunday and Monday in Athens.

You will delight in G. W. Beach's display of Spring Dress Goods because it is in close touch with the times and anticipates your every want.

Mrs. Motes tenders her sincere thanks to all friends for their many kindnesses, during the illness of her late husband.

Miss Caroline Lee and niece, Miss Luella Redmond spent Good Friday guests of Mrs. John Stewart, Seely's Corners.

The Ladies Aid of Christ's Church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. G. Parish on Saturday afternoon at 2.30. A full attendance is requested.

DIED at the House of Industry on Sunday, March 31st, Mrs. Sarah Wright, aged 75 years. The remains were taken to Brockville for interment.

Mr. Hill Motes of Montreal and Dr. Ed. Motes of Norwich, who were called here by the death of their father returned on Tuesday to their respective homes.

Mr. Eddie and Miss Ella Berry and Miss Edna McBratney of New Dublin spent Easter Sunday the guests of Miss Florence Gairford, Main street.

The Ottawa Citizen has abandoned its Sunday bulletin service. This change has been made on account of the recent Lord's Day Act, which is now in force.

We are selling clothing at a great sacrifice. Here are a few bargains: men's Sac Suits, regular price \$5.00 for \$2.50; \$6.50 for \$3.75; \$9.00 for \$5.75; \$11.00 for \$7.75.

DIED at Brockville on Friday, March 29th, Anson N. Cole, aged 36 years. The funeral took place from his late residence to the Brockville cemetery at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday.

BOY WANTED A boy of 15 to 18 years, with fair education, as apprentice to the printing business. THE ATHENS REPORTER

Brockville retail merchants will hold a celebration on Dominion day. Miss Keitha Brown is visiting friends in Addison this week.

Miss Julia Washburn spent Monday and Tuesday. Another car load Chicago Corn just received—Athens Grain Warehouse.

Miss L. M. Blackburn spent Easter Sunday with friends in Brockville. Mr. Geo. Lee has sold his fine roadster at a handsome figure to Mr. Wm. Stafford.

Mrs. Jack Murphy and children of Brockville are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. P. Washburn, Elgin street.

Miss Hazel Washburn of Rock-spring is spending Easter holidays guest of her mother, Mrs. P. Washburn.

Miss Edna Newell Brockville and Miss Margaret Tait of Pakenham are this week the guests of Miss Ethel Arnold.

Mrs. Henry Layng of Smith's Falls who was the guest of her sister, Miss E. Hayes for part of Easter holidays returned home this morning.

Miss May McKenney of Perth and Mr. James McKenney of Ottawa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKenney for the Easter holidays.

G. E. Donnelly, editor of Reporter, who has been under treatment at the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital during the past three months, underwent a successful operation on Thursday last. He is doing as well as expected.

The many friends of Rev. W. W. and Mrs. Giles, of Summit, N. J., will regret to hear of the death of their son, aged two and a half years, which occurred Saturday last of pneumonia. He was buried in Greenwood cemetery New York city.

There is some talk of forming a company in Westport to become associated with the 56th Regiment, Leeds County. Capt. A. W. Gray, who attended Wollesley Barracks, London, last year is the only qualified officer and would likely have command.

Attention is drawn to the advertisement in this issue of the Brockville Cement, Pressed Brick and Concrete Co. Ltd. of Brockville, a new industry established there to supply the growing demand for cement, building material of various kinds. The company also sell cement in large or small quantities.

The Easter Service at 11 a.m. in the Anglican church was well attended and was very hearty. The musical portion of the service was especially well rendered, the choir singing the anthem Alleluia, Alleluia by Charles Vincent. The church was beautifully and artistically decorated in keeping with the season.

The Easter services in the Methodist Church was unusually good. The Easter music was the best ever heard in Athens. The congregations were large. The sermon by the pastor in the evening was on Immortality and was listened to with very close attention. The programme of the morning service with a fine cut of the church was given to all who took part in the service. The services of Easter will not soon be forgotten.

The Easter Thank Offering service of the W.M.S. of the Methodist Church was held on Good Friday. The church was tastefully decorated with cut flowers and plants and a very interesting programme was provided. The form of service was a responsive reading interspersed with hymns. Readings were given by Mrs. Massey and Mrs. Churchill and a vocal duet by Miss M. Wilton and Miss Culbert. The offering amounted to over \$80. At the close of the programme refreshments were served in the basement which was also prettily decorated. Over 90 were present.

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