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ELECTION OF BISHOP.

Kingston, May 16.—On Tuesday a conference took place in connection with the half-yearly meeting of the synod committee of the Ontario Diocese between the Archbishop of Ontario and a committee of four, empowered by the Executive Committee. A speedy and amicable adjustment was reached on the question of additional episcopal services in view of His Grace's age, inability to take long and wearisome journeys, and enforced absence from the diocese on health and other considerations. It was arranged that the Synod should be called together for the opening service, on Monday, June 4; for general business on Tuesday morning, the election of a coadjutor Bishop to take place on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Archbishop, as soon as the Bishop-elect shall accept, will leave for England to return for the consecration in St. George's Cathedral on St. Luke's festival, Thursday, Oct. 18. The new Bishop will receive at first a stipend of \$2,500 and a house, and have full exercise of the episcopal functions and patronage of the diocese. On the death of the Archbishop his income will be \$3,500 probably. The Archbishop will receive a "retiring allowance equal to \$2,345. The agreements as to procedure have been signed by the Archbishop, and on behalf of the Synod by Dean Smith, Rev. Prof. Worrell, Judge McDonald and Edward J. Pense, and as to financial arrangements by Chancellor Walkem and Cannon Spencer, Secretary. Though the election is near no name looms up for choice as Bishop. Several have been spoken of, but with the exception of one Rural Dairyman no concerted action has been taken on behalf of anyone. Bishop Thornloe, Dean Smith, Rev. Prof. Worrell, Archdeacon Mills, Rev. Mr. Roper, have been mentioned so far. There will be a greater gathering of the laity at the Synod than for 38 years, the last complete attraction, having been the election of the first Bishop, in 1862

STATUTE LABOR COMMUTATION

The enforced commutation of statute labor and the maintenance of roads under the direction of commissioners has met with considerable opposition wherever proposed, but the new system is gaining friends where ever tried and seems likely to become general throughout Ontario. In January last a by-law abolishing statute labor was submitted to the ratepayers of Orillia township and with a view to obtaining information relative to the working of the system in other places, letters of enquiry were sent. A number of replies received appear in the annual report of Prof. Campbell, Instructor in Roadmaking, of which the following, received from the clerk of North Grimsby, is a fair example: "We have commuted our statute labor for the last four or five years, with very satisfactory results. Our roads are now in first class condition. We employ two commissioners to look after the work. We use a stone crusher and a road grader. The latter is handled by a party owning two good teams. We pay him \$6.25 per day. He will do as much work and do it far better than fifty men would do it after the old style. At first we commuted at sixty cents a day, which gave us something over \$1000. This year we have lowered it to fifty cents, not requiring so much to keep our roads up. The ratepayers are fully satisfied with the system, and we would never think of returning to the old way."

The work of rebuilding the district in Ottawa and Hull is now proceeding vigorously. The demand for labor is so great that men are being engaged in other towns to work the different contracts.

A NEW PLAGUE.

A Well-known Canadian Contractor has this to say of the Great South American Nerve-He was a La Grippe Victim. "The Grippe had dragged me to the edge of the grave. My nervous system was shattered; I dropped from 180 lbs. to 145 in less than a month. I began using South American Nerve. My strength, my appetite, my weight came back by leaps and bounds, and to-day I am as well and strong as ever I was, and only wish I could tell it to the thousands who are like sufferers of the aftermath of this plague." Sold by J. P. Lamb & Son.

HARD ISLAND.

MONDAY, May 21.—A quiet but pleasant wedding took place on Thursday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Justus Robeson, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Ordella, to Mr. Herbert Stevenson, a young farmer of Wilts-town. During the ceremony, which was witnessed by only immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties, the bride was ably assisted by Miss Cora Atcheson, while Mr. Asa McIntosh, pastor of the congregation of the Holiness Movement at Athens, performed a like service for the groom. Rev. E. W. Crane, pastor of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony. Both bride and bridesmaid were dressed in a neat but plain manner, well befitting both the occasion and the simplicity of their admirable Christian profession.

Arza Wiltse and wife, of Athens, attended the Friends' meeting here on Sunday last, which was pleasing to their friends, as the former has been unable to do so for some time, owing to ill health.

Bee-keepers report the loss of a large number of hives. Misses Jennie and M. Sweet of Seeley's Bay were guests of Mrs. P. H. Robeson last week.

Bright sunshine lit the Sabbath morn. While opening buds and springtime air, With scent of flowers and song of birds, And cheerful hearts and happy words, We gathered at the house of prayer.

There, silently, we waited, From uttering words, that we might prove Them issuing from the Saviour's love, And sweet accents of the heart.

But memory, that bright Sabbath morn, Brought my loved ones back to me, Till I seemed to see their faces In their long since vacant places, Cheerful, as they used to be.

Rising, silent, in my bosom, Was an earnest prayer that day: "Hear from Heaven, Thy dwelling place, With the riches of Thy grace, Bless my loved ones, far away.

"Forgive, my God, if wrong it be, My thoughts, so far away, For I know, when thus the past I scan, But poor and weak and blind I am—O, hear my prayer to-day.

"Be with them in temptation's hour And save them by Thy grace, And grant they find, when life is done, Earth's joys all past, their race here run, With Thee a resting place.

"And some are with us here to-day, Who long the 'narrow way' have trod, Oh, brighten now their closing days, Grant them to celebrate Thy praise: In the Sabbath of their God.

Call tenderly the erring ones, Who choose to tread the 'downward road, Oh, may they turn and find a home, And thy unworthy servant, roam, Within the Sain' 'abode."

In sweet communion, there, it seemed Like "holy ground" on which we trod, While holy silence reigned around, The Way, the Truth, the Life was found In fellowship with man and God.

For some, the priestly rite and prayer, Or holy day and solemn psalm; For me, the sacred reverence, where, Assembled at the house of prayer, Brethren worship, pure and calm.

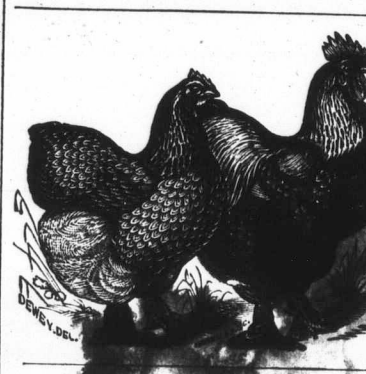
More worth a "faith that works by love," Than faith in form or plan; More worth than learning sternest creed To seek to learn each other's need And love our brother man.

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DEPRIVITY.

They have already got their nests made in a number of trees. Mr. John Toffie is very sick at present. It is hoped that he will be better soon. Visitors of this week: Mr. W. Chas. of Phillipville was a guest here on Sunday; Mr. J. A. Looby of Lombardy was a guest of Miss G. E. Baker; Miss Mabel Baker, formerly of Delta, is visiting her father; Miss Ethel McKinnie, formerly of Perth, was visiting her parents this week; Mr. W. McKennie; Miss Edith Baker, formerly of Toledo, was visiting her parents; Miss M. Patterson of Bathurst was the guest of her brother, Mr. Charles Patterson, on Sunday. We understand that there is a great mica mine on Mr. Mike Downey's farm. There are several men busily engaged now. On Saturday, they struck a good showing of mica, which is at a high price now. Miss Lucy Stewart, formerly of Chantry, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Baker.

SEELEY'S BAY.

MONDAY, May 21.—Rev. T. Brown has received a call from Princess St. Methodist church, Kingston, and has accepted. He also received another call from Harrismith, but preferred Kingston. Mrs. M. Hamilton, a former resident, has been receiving acquaintances for the past few days. Farmers are nearly all seeding. Mr. G. R. Hawthorn, having his store repainted. The work is being done by Mr. N. Kelsey. Apdale's Uncle Tom's Cabin is billed here for the week. Work on the J. Wright is being done by Mrs. S. Edward's.

FRONT OF YONGE.

MONDAY, May 21.—The late Israel Mallory, who died and was buried last week, was a fine old gentleman, a good christian, so much so, that had he lived in the time of David, Peter and John, he would in all probability have been called St. Mallory. He was an exemplary man in all his dealings with his fellowmen. Honesty and justice marked his daily life. Any young man having a penchant for real sport should spend a night or two at Sucker brook, near Washburn's Corners. The sucker runs there in early spring. The small boy with the cheap metal gun is fast depleting the small birds of the forest. Where is that fine old gentleman secluded himself so long in the person of Mr. Hough? We frequently hear enquiries being made for him. The tent worm is having a hard time this spring. They will not affect the trees much this year, but the injury done to the trees last season is now quite visible.

CRANWORTH.

MONDAY, May 21.—Our Sabbath school commenced for this year on Sunday with a large attendance. Mr. Wesley J. Wiltse, formerly of Kaslo, B. C., has been visiting his parents and friends here. He will return home on Sunday. His friends wish him success and a safe journey. Mr. O. P. Blanchard and Mr. W. J. Wiltse of this place were the guests of the former's father, Mr. Chaney Blanchard, Athens. We understand that the cheesemaker, Mr. O. P. Blanchard, is making four cheese per day. We presume he will have a good supply of milk this season. The tent caterpillars are very numerous around this part of the country.

IN SPITE OF HIS BIRTH.

She felt somewhat stiff and lame from her fall and struggles in the water, but otherwise was as well as usual, and was reverently grateful to find herself alive and comfortable, while she was continually haunted by the handsome face and noble bearing of the young man to whom she owed so much.

"Thomas, are you awake?" she asked, as her husband moved restlessly on his pillow.

"Awake! Well, I should say that I am! I don't believe I've slept two blessed hours since I was wakened through," was the irritable response.

"The fact was, too, had been haunted by the remembrance of the proud young fellow who had so indignantly faced him when he had offered him money, and the tone in which he had given utterance to that word, 'Sir' had rung in his ears all night, and still grated harshly on his nerves."

"The toy is strangely like Dick, upon my word—has the same nose and eyes," he thought, "only Dick never had that open, straightforward gaze which seems to look one through and through. Gracious! how his eyes burned when he faced me there!"

"He was thinking these thoughts when his wife spoke to him.

"I am sorry to hear that," he replied to his complaint, "but not having slept, I have rested beautifully; but, of course, having had so much sleep yesterday, it is not strange that I should wake so early. I have been thinking, Thomas, about that young man."

"Humph! well, what of him?" grunted Mr. Heatherton.

"About the coincidence of names. As you said yesterday, there are few Heathertons, do you suppose he can be a connection of ours?"

"How should I know?" was the evasive answer.

"Do be sure! how should you? But I wished to have questioned him regarding his family. Somehow, I struck me that he resembled—Dick?"

"The woman's voice trembled over the name, for it had long been a forbidden one in their home.

When Richard Heatherton had returned from college, and certain facts regarding his fast and dissipated career reached his father's ears, when Bill after him, showing his most reckless extravagance, had been proscribed or payment when the shameful story, that he had tricked some 'low-down' girl into a mock marriage, and trouble and scandal, likely to result from it—was whispered to him, and his son had insolently refused to have anything to say about the matter, and appeared utterly indifferent regarding any further adjustment of his pecuniary liabilities, his father, in a moment of passion, discarded him, telling him never to show his face inside his doors again.

He was the more bitterly lacerated, perhaps, because of the refusal of Benjamin Lawson to meet Dick Heatherton's excessive liabilities. He had always possessed a great fondness for his only grandchild, and had promised to defray the expenses of his education, and also to make him his heir, if he proved worthy. Yet, on hearing of his nephew's misdeeds, he had repudiated the name, and an ungrateful spirit, like his father, had refused to give him a cent of his property, and he had been obliged to go to some charitable institution for help. A miserable orphan had means for his education, and together with the fear of trouble from his relations with Richard Heatherton, resulted in Richard Heatherton's sudden slipping for Australia.

But a few months later, word had come back to Thomas Heatherton, from the captain of the vessel in which the young man had sailed, that he had suddenly died in mid-ocean, and he had considered to the depths of the sea the same day. It was a terrible blow to the proud man, who had built great hopes upon his only son. Money and advantages had been lavishly showered upon him. Nothing had been spared with the hope of making him a noble man and fitting him for a high position in life, and for a time his haughty spirit was well-nigh crushed.

His mother grieved like one bereft of all hope of future happiness, and the light of her sorrow only tended to emphasize her husband's grief, and he forbade her ever to mention the name of her son in his presence, or allow it to be spoken in their home.

He also forbade all intercourse between Benjamin Lawson and his sisters, for, in spite of his knowledge of his son's unworthiness, he could not forgive his brother-in-law for the stand which he had taken against him, and so Mrs. Heatherton, out of the gentleness of her peace-loving nature and strong affection for her husband, yielded to him, hoping that time would eventually heal the wound.

But she never knew the true nature of his nature, and she never knew the name of her son, but she had never exchanged a word with her, and never mentioned her name to any one.

Mr. Heatherton had the best of passion from her when, on the morning after the time in long years, to the name of her son, but a pleasurable impulse had forced her, and finding it so calm, and even bolder.

"The name resembles yours, don't you think so, Thomas?"

"Well, maybe, a trifle—the name is something like D—like Dick," he answered.

"You suppose that the name was carried after he had been married after he had returned from Australia?"

facts, it seems to me, out of which to rear future generations."

Mrs. Heatherton cringed with pain at his words and sighed heavily, but, sensing signs of danger ahead in her husband's tone, she subsided, and "Dick" was not mentioned again.

But the middle old lady, "with silver hair and heart of gold," could not forget the handsome, manly fellow who had saved her life, and she often experienced a strange yearning to see and talk with him again.

CHAPTER XIX.

Mr. Thomas Heatherton seemed strangely unlike himself during the day following the accident upon the yacht. He did not go out after breakfast, as usual; he appeared to have no interest in the morning paper, but, with a moody brow and dejected air, moped about, going aimlessly from room to room, scarcely noticing or speaking to his wife throughout the whole forenoon.

But after lunch he disappeared and Mrs. Heatherton did not see him again until nearly dinner time, when he came to her, looking much brighter and as if a heavy burden had been rolled from his heart, and proposed that after dinner they should go for a drive through the new boulevards to Chestnut Hill Reservoir.

She asked no questions, but she could not help wondering what had caused such a marked change in her husband's manner and appearance within a few hours.

That same night—the evening post delivered—Mrs. Richard Heatherton, of No. — Mount Vernon street, received the following characteristic communication:

Adams House, Boston, July 8, 18—.

Madam—While I do not for a moment recognize the relationship which you tried to prove to me a few days since, I am nevertheless compelled to acknowledge the heavy obligation that rests upon me in view of the heroic act of your son in saving my dear wife from drowning. I am also prompted to show my appreciation of the noble deed in some way; and, therefore, in consideration of what you wrote me regarding your desire that he should receive a collegiate education, I wish to say that I will cheerfully bear the expense of such a course, if you will find a draft to defray the expenses of the coming year, and a like amount will be forwarded to you every twelve months until your son graduates. Respectfully yours, Thomas Heatherton.

Miriam Heatherton crew hot with indignation and repulsion, as she read the cold formality and forced appreciation of the letter, while a sudden impulse prompted her to tear the draft into atoms and scatter them to the four winds of Heaven.

Then her antagonism was aroused and she was inflamed with a determination to secure Ned's rights at any cost.

"Ned is his grandson—his only heir," she said, with a feeling of strong resentment at his coarse reputation of the relationship; "it is, therefore, my right that he should have the benefit of this money for his education since he cannot get it any other way, and I shall try to persuade him to make use of it."

When Ned came in to dinner she told him about the reception of the draft and the substance of which she reported to him, but expressed in much more friendly language than the haughty man had used.

He listened without comment, until she finished the recital, then he asked very quietly:

"Let me see the letter, please, mother."

Mrs. Heatherton flushed and fumbled about her work-basket for a moment.

"Here is the cheque, Ned," she said, passing it to him, while she pretended to be still looking for the letter.

"I do not care anything about the cheque—it is the letter I want to see," he persisted.

She saw that it would be useless to refuse him, and she was obliged to give it to him, but she did so reluctantly.

He read it through, she watching him closely the while, and she was absently frightened to see how white with passion his grow, as he took in the import of the coarse, unmerciful epistle.

She had never imagined before that he possessed such a temper—it was a startling revelation to her, and a feeling of dismay filled her heart, as she pondered a fear that possibly the spirit of the Heathertons had descended to him after all.

"I do not wish me to accept such a benefit from a man so low-spirited and cruel as that," he exclaimed, in a tone so fierce and unnatural that she shrank with fear and pain.

"Oh! Ned, don't—your father said," she cried; "I know it is a cruel and vulgar letter; but I do so want you to go to college, and it seems as if it were right to have some of this money."

"I will not," he scornfully repeated; "I will not do it to respect myself, and do as I accepted an old—Well, I will not do it, and I will not do it with her, and never mention her name to any one."

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more than could have been said of him if all accounts are true," Ned responded, in a more subdued tone.

Mr. Lawson chuckled to himself, for he enjoyed this manifestation of spirit hugely.

"So you will not accept a college education from your grandfather," he thoughtfully remarked.

"No, sir," said Ned, with a decision which left no room for doubt regarding his resolution.

"Well, you've got the right kind of pluck, my boy," his friend remarked approvingly, "and you can't fail to get on in the world if you use it right. Put, youngster, you shall go to college, if you want to, and without being beholden to your grandfather."

Ben Lawson's got money enough to send half a dozen chaps to Harvard, if he takes a notion; so perhaps what you'd soon to accept from Tom Heatherton, you wouldn't refuse from me, who thinks a heap more of you to-day than he ever did before. What do you say?"

Ned and his mother regarded the man with astonishment, for, during all the years they had lived together they had never known him to express such feeling and friendliness, although they had always been upon the best of terms.

Ned flushed, then paled, for he was deeply touched by the man's kindly proposition, which was a very tempting one.

He did not reply for several moments, and appeared to be thinking deeply, while his face gradually took on a troubled expression.

At last he looked gravely up into the face of his friend, and said:

"That is very kind of you, Mr. Lawson, I am sure, in fact you have always been kind to both my mother and me. But—I have no real claim on you, and I feel sensitive about being such an expense to you, as a college course would entail, however economical I might try to be."

"You needn't feel so concerned about the expense, my boy, for I've money enough to put you through in good shape, I reckon; while, as for the matter of claim upon me—why what he had intended to say in this connection was suddenly cut short, for some reason best known to himself.

"It is certainly very friendly of you, sir, and I appreciate your goodness more than I can express," Ned gratefully remarked, without appearing to heed the man's sudden pause.

"All the same," he added, with an air of resolute independence, "if you will not be offended, I—I think I will not go, as I don't just like the idea of being dependent on any one. I am almost of age and, as I have my own way to make in the world, and my mother to take care of, I believe it will be best for me to get into business of some kind right away; if you will be so kind as to use your influence for me in that respect."

"You are sure you will not regret the decision, youngster?" Mr. Lawson inquired in a kindly tone, while he regarded him searchingly. "In a lonely old fellow—or should he but for the cheerful home which you and your mother make for me here. I've never had any children, but I think it might be rather pleasant to feel that I had a boy in college and was doing a little good with my money. Better think it over a while before you settle the matter."

He thought a moment, then continued:

"I will not go to college to be beholden to any man. I have thought about it, and I think I will go my way through, with what you have saved to give me a start; but I know it would be very hard, and if I should break down before completing my course, I should not have any for anything else. Even if I should succeed in taking my degree, I should then have to prepare for some profession, and that would take at least a couple of years longer. No, I am going into business. I know it will be a great disappointment to you, mother dear," he added, tenderly; "but one of the strongest and grandest men our nation has ever produced never went to college. I know I can be respected—I know I can attain an honorable position in the world if I strike out for myself and work up in some business; and by using the best of my spare minutes I can improve myself mentally by taking a good course of reading. Ah! Mr. Lawson," he exclaimed, as that gentleman entered the room just as he was about to leave.

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to have him disappointed but—Dick went to the dog, then, and there may be a germ of Heatherton rascality in Ned; though I think he favors his mother rather than his father. No! I'll keep mum for a while longer and let him work his own way, but to prove what kind of stuff he's made of."

That evening Ned begged his mother to allow him to reply to Thomas Heatherton's communication in her place, saying that he was a man of letters, and competent to speak for himself, while he believed it was his duty to shield her from all such unpleasant business.

She consented, and he indited the following letter:

No. — Mount Vernon street, Boston, July 8th, 18—.

Mr. Thomas Heatherton:

Sir, I favor the day was duly received, and is herewith acknowledged. While I do not for a moment wish to force upon you the fact of my relationship to you, that fact nevertheless remains, and am the son of your father and honorably born. Except that it has established my mother's honor beyond your ability to refute it, I regret that the matter should have been mentioned to you at all, or the present forwarded to you. I also regret that any fancied obligation on your part, in connection with the accident of yesterday, should weigh heavily upon you, and that you should be so conscious of having performed what appeared to me an obvious duty, and of having saved a precious human life, of itself all the return I could desire. Therefore, I will return with this draft for one thousand dollars, which—with similar favors which you proposed for the future—I could not, under any consideration, make use of.

Edward Wallingford Heatherton.

Mrs. Heatherton feared that this letter was altogether too curt; but Mr. Lawson, to whom Ned also subscribed, was to the point and no more cautious than the haughty old scamp needed to offset his own insolence.

"But you might at least have thanked him for offering to bear the expense of your education," said Mrs. Heatherton in a tone of gentle reproach.

"But, mother, I didn't feel a bit thankful—my only sensation was one of contempt for the man's insufferable arrogance and despicable sense of obligation. So I would not do a hypocrite and pretend to what I do not feel."

Ned returned with considerable spirit.

This effectively silenced his mother, for she had always impressed it upon Ned to be honest in everything, and it will be best for me to get into business of some kind right away; if you will be so kind as to use your influence for me in that respect."

"You are sure you will not regret the decision, youngster?" Mr. Lawson inquired in a kindly tone, while he regarded him searchingly. "In a lonely old fellow—or should he but for the cheerful home which you and your mother make for me here. I've never had any children, but I think it might be rather pleasant to feel that I had a boy in college and was doing a little good with my money. Better think it over a while before you settle the matter."

He thought a moment, then continued:

"I will not go to college to be beholden to any man. I have thought about it, and I think I will go my way through, with what you have saved to give me a start; but I know it would be very hard, and if I should break down before completing my course, I should not have any for anything else. Even if I should succeed in taking my degree, I should then have to prepare for some profession, and that would take at least a couple of years longer. No, I am going into business. I know it will be a great disappointment to you, mother dear," he added, tenderly; "but one of the strongest and grandest men our nation has ever produced never went to college. I know I can be respected—I know I can attain an honorable position in the world if I strike out for myself and work up in some business; and by using the best of my spare minutes I can improve myself mentally by taking a good course of reading. Ah! Mr. Lawson," he exclaimed, as that gentleman entered the room just as he was about to leave.

"I do not care anything about the cheque—it is the letter I want to see," he persisted.

She saw that it would be useless to refuse him, and she was obliged to give it to him, but she did so reluctantly.

He read it through, she watching him closely the while, and she was absently frightened to see how white with passion his grow, as he took in the import of the coarse, unmerciful epistle.

She had never imagined before that he possessed such a temper—it was a startling revelation to her, and a feeling of dismay filled her heart, as she pondered a fear that possibly the spirit of the Heathertons had descended to him after all.

"I do not wish me to accept such a benefit from a man so low-spirited and cruel as that," he exclaimed, in a tone so fierce and unnatural that she shrank with fear and pain.

"Oh! Ned, don't—your father said," she cried; "I know it is a cruel and vulgar letter; but I do so want you to go to college, and it seems as if it were right to have some of this money."

"I will not," he scornfully repeated; "I will not do it to respect myself, and do as I accepted an old—Well, I will not do it, and I will not do it with her, and never mention her name to any one."

Mr. Heatherton had the best of passion from her when, on the morning after the time in long years, to the name of her son, but a pleasurable impulse had forced her, and finding it so calm, and even bolder.

"The name resembles yours, don't you think so, Thomas?"

"Well, maybe, a trifle—the name is something like D—like Dick," he answered.

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entered the house to learn the husband's news. He's a fine young chap—smart as a whip, too, and one who will make his mark yet."

Thomas Heatherton left the building wearing a more thoughtful look than usual.

When he's given up going to college, he'll be a man of letters, and that sort of a fellow, what a comfort he would have been." The sigh that followed this observation told of a heavy heart and blighted hopes, with perhaps mighty yearning for the boy whom his proud heart had refused to acknowledge.

CHAPTER XX.

Ned, after gravely thinking the matter over, concluded that he would not go to Nantasket with Mr. Lawson and his mother that summer.

"I cannot afford it," he said; "the fare up and down on the boat every day will be more than my pay will allow. If you are willing to sleep here at the house, getting my meals somewhere downtown, during the week, then Saturday nights I will go to Nantasket to spend Sunday with you and my mother."

This arrangement was going to be something of a trial to Mrs. Heatherton, for she had never yet been separated from Ned, but she could both understand and appreciate his feelings. He had reached man's estate and wished to assume man's independence and responsibility; so she did not oppose him, but she always over at four o'clock, and at first he hardly knew what to do with himself between then and bedtime.

But it suddenly occurred to him that these long hours would be just the time in which to do some solid reading and study; so he laid in a supply of books and was soon deeply interested in the course which he had marked out for himself, while the time, after that did not hang nearly so heavily on his hands.

It always went for a stroll on the common or the Public Garden, both of which were within easy distance of Mr. Lawson's house, between eight and nine of the evening; for he fancied that he rested better for this exercise in the open air.

One warm evening about the middle of August, he was a little later than usual in starting out for his walk.

He passed through Walnut street to Beacon, and he finished reading the independent epistle, the second sentence of which was worded so nearly like the first one of his own.

"I expected to do that in any business, sir," Ned responded, but looking pleased at the prospect of employment.

Mr. Lawson beamed excessive approval upon him at this reply.

"That's sensible," he said; "he seen clads—greenhorns, of course—who expected to step straight into the salary of an experienced man. I'll be up-hill work for a time, my boy, but one is advanced in proportion to his faithfulness and efficiency."

"I will do the best I can, sir, to justify your recommendations, as well as for my own credit," Ned earnestly answered. Then he asked eagerly, "When shall I begin?"

"Next Monday morning at nine, sharp."

"All right, sir; I will be on hand. Mother," turning to her with a merry twinkle in his eyes—"henceforth behold in your son a man of business—embryo banker; we'll have that coach and pair for you yet."

"Humph! a coach and pair!" grunted Mr. Lawson, who did not indulge himself in such luxuries, "you're flying a high kite, seems to me, for a simple boy-runnin'." Then he added to himself with an inward chuckle, "He always thinks of his mother first, and that's a very good sign."

Ned laughed out lightly at this remark.

"That sounds extravagant to you, doesn't it, Mr. Lawson," he said, "but I am going to take for my motto 'Am high young man' and who knows but what I may yet get to be the President of a bank."

"You're modest, surely, in your aspirations," dryly remarked Mr. Lawson, then adding, "but such things happen to a few boys."

A few days later Thomas Heatherton had occasion to go to the very young man was just leaving the

that the woman, whoever she might be, would need his protection, he had quietly approached, and at that moment, sprang across the mall, striking out boldly from the shoulder, hitting the villain a powerful blow just behind the ear, thus rendering him powerless, for a few moments at least, to do any one harm.

Then he turned his attention to the lady.

"I hope he hasn't frightened you very badly," he began, when with a sudden heart-bound outburst of consternation, he cried out appalled, "Gertrude! how do you happen to be here, and alone, at this time of night?"

"Oh! Ned! Ned!" was all that the terrified girl could say as she trembled to his arm, and she was completely unnerved.

"There, poor child! do not be frightened, for you are perfectly safe with me," Ned said in a soothing tone, for she was shivering, and almost sobbing from excitement at the reaction caused by finding herself under the protection of a friend.

But his attention was diverted from her for a moment when she said, "fallen man had come to himself and was scrambling to his feet."

"Well, sir, what do you want now?" Ned inquired as he approached him, brandishing his arms and muttering threats of vengeance. "Have a care or you will find the recent operation repeated," he warningly added.

"He gently put Gertrude behind him and with a threatening attitude as the fellow drew nearer."

"Don't strike!" whined the wretch appealingly.

Then as Ned dropped his arms by his side, he crept, in a sneaking way, still nearer, and peered curiously up into his face.

"I only want to know you the next time I see you," he said, meekly, with a veiled threat in his words, then starting suddenly back astonished, "Ned Wallingford! by gosh!" he cried, "Curse you!" he continued, fiercely, "you head me off at every turn, but I swear I will get even with you yet."

"Yes, Bill," for the fellow was Bill Bunting, "it is I," Ned replied, scarcely less surprised than his old-time enemy, "and I shall continue to head you off at every evil turn, whenever I can. You may be very sure, also, that I shall not let you off as easy as this, if I ever catch you repeating the offence to-night. Now the sooner you go about your business the better it will be for you for there comes a policeman."

Bill turned sullenly away, muttering threats of vengeance, while Ned drew Gertrude's trembling hand within his arm and made her lean upon him.

"I think a car is coming that will take us to the corner of Arlington Street. Shall I stop it?" he asked, as a Back Bay electric car came rolling along.

"No, please, if you will not mind walking with me a little way until I get a trifle more calm," the young girl replied, tranquilly, "I do not feel like facing a car full of people in such an excited state."

She was still very much unnerved, and clung to Ned's arm as if she feared some fresh danger ahead.

"I will walk with you as far as you wish," Ned said, reassuringly, "indeed I shall not leave you until you are safe at your own door."

Gertrude informed him that she had been at Clifton, spending a week with her Aunt Annie. She had started for Boston that afternoon, but an accident to the engine had delayed the train. Through a blunder on reaching the city, she had taken the wrong street car, and it was only after riding a few squares that she had discovered her error.

She had got out of the car and was waiting for one which would carry her there, when the incident we have described occurred.

During the long walk Ned and Gertrude found many pleasant themes to talk about, but the chief one was a mutual declaration of love, which convinced both that Heaven had destined them to cherish each other for life.

It is not strange, therefore, that the walk to Arlington street seemed short to both of them, especially as they had opened their hearts to each other, recalling the past, and suggesting plans for the future.

When they finally reached Mr. Langmaid's residence, Gertrude asked Ned if he would come in.

"Yes," he answered, gravely, "I want to see your father."

"Ned! are you going to tell him?" Gertrude exclaimed.

"Certainly; I have perhaps betrayed my feeling somewhat prematurely, but since the die is cast, I cannot put off for one moment a clandestine nature, and so I am going to tell him the truth. Ned returned, with his usual straightforwardness."

"Papa is a kind and generous man," Gertrude said thoughtfully, "and I know he likes you."

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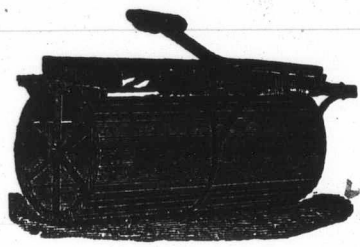
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Local Notes

Dress-making apprentices wanted—Miss BYERS.
Over \$150,000 was received last year by the Province in succession duties.

The name of the 41st Battalion has been changed to 41st Regiment Brockville Rifles.

Westport merchants are arranging for the early closing of their stores during the summer months.

If you have any interesting local news, come in and let us know. It's news that makes a newspaper.

Under the amended fish law, no speckled trout, bass or maskinonge may be exposed for sale before the first day of July, 1903.

"There is no little enemy." Little impurities in the blood are sources of great danger and should be expelled by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

American anglers visiting Ontario are now permitted to take out of the province fish to the extent of two days' lawful catch.

Of the Canadians who went to the war in South Africa, 35 have been killed in action, 19 died from disease, and 1 was drowned while watering a horse. 108 others were disabled by wounds.

The furniture and household goods at Earncliffe, Ottawa, the old home of Sir John A. Macdonald, are being sold by auction. Many of the paintings, etc., were collected by the dead statesman.

In New York horses are now dyed. When suited for carriage work, say that they do not match in color, they are now chemically "blended" to the tint desired in a few minutes.

The ladies of Pembroke petitioned the Board of Trade of that town to use its influence to extend the early closing movement to every night instead of only three nights per week as at present.

St. John's church, Lyndhurst, is to be renovated and improved. An altar to late Rev. Wm Morre's memory has been put in, making the third such memorial erected in the parish within a year.

The U. S. government has ordered the issue of a new three cent coin. It will be made of nickel; and to distinguish it readily from other small coins, there will be a round hole through the centre of it.

The Postmaster General is preparing for the public use, a small book of stamps, in which the leaves of stamps are separated by leaves of paraffin paper and can be carried in the vest pocket without the usual misfortune of having them stick together.

Rev. J. DeP. Wright of Clinton was last week a guest at the home of his parents, the Rectory, Athens. He occupied the pulpit of Christ church on Sunday evening and preached with marked acceptance to a large congregation.

Card of Thanks.

To C. O. C. F.
I wish to thank the officers and members of C. F. of Addison Council No. 56 for so promptly paying the \$200 (the amount of insurance in favor of my son, Roy) after the necessary letters of guardianship were secured. My wish is that your lodge may ever prosper.

Mrs. ABEL SCOTT, Guardian.
Foreign, but Pertinent.

A North Omaha Sunday school superintendent always conducts the lesson review in his school. He spends about five minutes in explaining the lesson and then asks:

"Now, has anyone a question to ask?"
Last Sunday he explained the lesson as usual, dwelling at length on its chief thoughts, and wound up with the usual question:

"Now, has anyone a question to ask?"
A member of the boys' junior class raised his hand.

"Well, what is your question?" asked the superintendent.

"Please, sir, are we going to have a picnic this summer?"

Mr. Charles King of Lansdowne was on Sunday a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King.

The Lyndhurst brass band has re-organized for the summer and will again be instructed by Mr. Bert Wood of Toledo.

The by-law enforcing the early closing of stores again comes into effect on the first of June. Some dissatisfaction with the law has developed and an effort may be made to have it in part repealed.

The Queen's Birthday will be loyally but probably very quietly observed by Athenians. As there are no special attractions, the majority of pleasure-seekers will, as usual spend the day at Charleston Lake.

Smoked glass will be in demand on the 28th inst., when a total eclipse of the sun will take place. Hereabouts the eclipse will begin early in the morning, about 8 o'clock, and lasts until after 10. About four fifths of the sun's surface will be obscured.

A very large number of the preachers and evangelists of the Holiness Movement are in attendance at the Pentecostal Feast now in progress at Lake Elroid, and which will continue until the 27th inst. Though intended expressly for the ministry, many laymen also attend the meetings.

On Thursday evening last, at the residence of the bride's father, Hard Island, Miss Ordella Robeson, daughter of Mr. Justus Robeson, was united in marriage with Mr. Herbert Stevenson. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. W. Crane. The happy couple have taken up house-keeping on the Malvin Wiltse farm, near the village.

It seems that clergymen are, on the whole, the longest, and medical men the shortest livers. A well known authority gives the following conclusions on the subject: the average age of clergymen is sixty-five; of merchants, sixty-two; clerks and farmers, sixty-one; military men, fifty-nine; lawyers, fifty-eight; artists, fifty-seven; medical men, fifty-six.

According to reports from Manitoba the spring seeding this year was unusually early. A large area of land was prepared for crop last fall, and little remained to be done this spring but to drill in the seed. The wheat acreage in the province shows a large increase estimated at 600,000 acres. The wheat crop is expected to exceed last year's by 2,500,000 bushels, and the oat crop by 600,000 bushels.

Twenty five years ago the foremost authorities on steam navigation declared it to be impossible for any steamship to stand the strain of crossing the ocean at 25 miles an hour, which to-day is not regarded as extraordinary. It is practically the schedule of one of the ocean lines. The Dutchland, which is to make its maiden trip next month, is scheduled to cross at the rate of twenty seven miles.

An exchange says: B. M. Stopher, who lives in Augusta township, had as fine a litter of pigs as he had ever owned. They were kept in a pen, but every other morning he noticed there was one less. Considerably worried over his loss, he kept a sharp lookout, and his vigilance finally had its reward, for the other morning while doing chores about the yard he heard a commotion among the piggies, and hurried to the sty, and found that a large turtle had caught, killed and was devouring one of his pigs. He caught the turtle, which weighed thirty-five pounds.

A judgment of which farmers and threshers will do well to make a note, was delivered a few days ago, by Judge Deacon. A Pole, named Krinsinke, brought an action against a thresher, who had disappointed him after the plaintiff had gone to the trouble and expense of making all preparations for the thresher's coming. The Judge decided that the plaintiff was entitled to damages. This virtually means that within his jurisdiction threshers must keep their appointments no matter how tempting a job offers itself to one of them while on his way to do work for which a contract has already been made.—Cobden Sun.

July Examinations.

The time-table for the July examinations has been issued by the Education Department. The examinations begin as follows: The public school leaving, on July 3rd; the commercial specialists examination, on July 4th; the junior leaving, and junior matriculation examinations, on July 5th; the senior leaving and senior matriculation examinations, on July 9th.

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A Rap at the Quacks.

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Cards as a Calendar.

Did you ever stop to think that an ordinary deck of playing cards is a perfect calendar. There are fifty-two cards representing the number of weeks in a year; 365 spots, corresponding to the 365 days in the year; twelve faced cards represent the twelve months; four suits: clubs, spades, hearts, diamonds, representing the four seasons; thirteen cards in each suit, representing the thirteen moons in each year; and the joker makes up the extra day in leap year. If you are not familiar with cards don't trouble to hunt them up to prove the truth of the foregoing statement; better to accept it as true than to look for proof.—Ex.

Revise the Creed.

Rev. C. J. Cameron, formerly of Brockville, was interviewed in Boston on the proposed revision of the Presbyterian creed and a defence of the doctrine of election and the Westminster Confession. He pleads for a revision of the creed, on the ground that the world's progress has introduced new phases of the truth which are not touched upon in the creed as it stands to-day. That the creed contains no mention of missions was one of the reasons he made for the revision. "Give us the creed that we can hold up so that God's sunlight will shine through it, that we can hold to and live by," was the dramatic utterance which brought the sermon to a close.

The Presbyterian Assembly.

At the general assembly of the Presbyterian church to be held at St. Louis, Mo., it is expected that there will be 1000 ministers and laymen present.

One of the most important matters to be brought up is the question as to whether the Westminster confession of faith shall be revised.

The following are the sections in the confession to which it is said exception is taken:

3 By the decree of God, for the manifestation of His Glory, some men and angels are predestinated unto everlasting life and others foreordained to everlasting death.

4 These angels and men thus predestinated and foreordained are particularly and unchangeably designed; and their number is so certain and definite that it cannot be either increased or diminished.

Several presbyteries have asked specifically that the assembly should appoint a committee to consider the whole question of creed revision, while others desire that a new creed be ordered, leaving the old one untouched to be preserved intact as an historical document, while the new version will be the working creed of the church.

Dwelling House Burned.

Early in the morning of Friday last, the large frame farm house of Mr. Johnson A. Greene, situated just within the eastern confines of the village, was entirely consumed by fire. Apparently the fire started in the rear end of the wood-shed annex and was carried by a light north wind to the main building. About 8.30 o'clock the dense smoke, which entered through an attic window, aroused the members of the household, and they had but scant time to make their escape, securing only a very few articles of wearing apparel. All, however, got safely outside, and, with the assistance of several neighbors, managed to remove, in a more or less damaged condition, considerable furniture from the first flat. About 4 o'clock, the village fire-bell was sounded and many citizens rushed to the burning building but were too late to be of much service.

Mr. Greene's loss is, of course, very heavy, and his insurance was only \$400 on building and contents.

Immediately after the fire, Mr. Greene decided to recommence his keeping in the building of the Society of Friends, which has not been used regularly for some years, and in preparing it for occupancy he had the kind assistance of many willing workers, so that before night a great transformation of the interior had been effected. A number of ladies also took prompt action towards rendering necessary aid, and in a surprisingly short time the family were comfortably housed.

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Without good digestion there can be neither good health nor happiness. More depends upon the perfect working of the digestive organs than most people imagine, and even slight functional disturbances of the stomach leaves the victim irritable, melancholy and apathetic.

In such cases most people resort to laxative medicines, but these only further aggravate the trouble. What is needed is a tonic, something that will build up the system, instead of weakening it.

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In proof of this assertion the case of Mr. Thomas A. Stewart, the well-known and genial proprietor of the Oriental Hotel, Detroit, may be quoted.

To a reporter of the Tribune, who mentioned the fact that he was suffering from dyspepsia, Mr. Stewart said: "Why don't you take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills? Ask me why I gave this advice, Mr. Stewart continued: "Simply because they are the best medicine for that complaint I know of."

"For years I was a great sufferer from indigestion, and during that time I think I tried a score of medicines. In some cases I got temporary relief, but not a cure. I finally called medical men, and the food that I ate gave me but little nourishment. On the recommendation of a friend I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a little over a year ago. I soon experienced relief and no longer dreaded meal time, but as I was determined that the cure should be permanent if possible, I continued taking the pills in slight doses for several months. The result is every vestige of the trouble left me, and I have as good an appetite now as any man I know of."

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A REAL AMERICAN

Sounds a Warning Against the "Playing Politics" Crew.

The following letter from F. B. Thurber, a real "American" citizen, appears in the New York Journal of Commerce, and is worth reading by Canadians:

A Boer "peace" delegation is about landing in the United States and the New York Municipal Assembly, a majority of whom are American citizens of Irish extraction (good men, but with inherited prejudices), has tendered them the freedom of the city.

A Mayor of Dutch extraction openly avows his sympathy. The Boers are good fighters and the average American admires them. They are few while the English are many, and it is natural to sympathize with the under dog in the fight.

In the present case, the under dog began the fight. The Boers first provoked the English, and then began it by invading English territory. They have made themselves rich, first by confiscating the possessions of the natives, who are the real under dog, and second, by taxing unmercifully (without representation) the English and American who settled in Africa.

This enables them to retain General O'Rourke, an Irish-American, and Mr. Van Sicele, a Dutch-American (both admirable gentlemen) to fire the American heart by getting up meetings, sending messenger boys to Africa with greetings from American children, and generally playing politics on the eve of a Presidential election.

The United States, a strong nation, was recently fighting Spain, a weak nation. France, Germany and Russia were disposed to put up a little combination against Uncle Sam and invited John Bull to join, but he said "No," and that settled it.

We haven't any particular liking for England. We have had our differences in the past and may have them again; but don't let us be stampeded against her. That's the way it looks to an average American citizen who isn't any axes to grind on either side, but is a looker-on in the game.

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IN SWEET SPRINGTIME.

Housewives Turn to Thoughts of—Moths.

HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THEM.

There is no easy method of preventing the damage done by clothes moths, and to maintain the integrity of woollens or other materials which they are likely to attack demands constant vigilance, with frequent inspection and treatment.

In general, they are liable to affect injuriously only articles which are put away and left undisturbed for some little time. Articles in daily or weekly use, and apartments frequently aired and swept, or used as living rooms, are not apt to be seriously attacked.

Under these conditions are rarely attacked, except sometimes around the borders, where the insects are not so much disturbed by sweeping and airing. Agitation, such as beating, shaking or brushing, and exposure to air and sunlight, are old remedies, and still among the best at command.

Various repellents, such as tobacco, camphor, naphthalene cones or balls, and cedar chips or sprigs, have a certain value if the garments are not already stocked with the pest. The odors of these repellents are so disagreeable to the parent moths that they are not apt to come to deposit their eggs as long as the protection decreases, and if the eggs or larvae are already present these odors have no effect on their development.

While the moths are incased with the stored material to be protected by these repellents, so that they cannot escape, they will of necessity deposit their eggs, and the destructive work of the larvae will be little, if at all, restricted.

Absolutely the first requisite is to make sure that the garment is free from the moth eggs which it is to protect. This is not secured by a few shakes out of a window and a surface brushing. The garment should be shaken and brushed, indeed, and then carefully examined in every part.

In a strong light. Folds and gathers should be penetrated, pockets turned inside out, lapels and revers opened, trimmings carefully examined, torn linings probed, and in fact the most vigilant looking over possible given before the garment is carefully put up in fresh newspaper, with a newspaper covering out of a bureau drawer, or from a closet shelf, as moth eggs may be hidden in its folds.

The next step in the treatment is to look for signs of the condition of the shelves, or drawers, that are to receive the newspaper parcels. These also should be examined in a good light, brushed out and wiped over with a slightly damp cloth, and, if suspected in any way, brushed over with a paint brush dipped in turpentine.

After woollens have been given a vigorous and thorough treatment and aired and exposed to sunlight, however, it is of some advantage in packing them away to inclose with them any of the repellent mentioned. Cedar chests and wardrobes are of value in proportion to the freedom of the material from infestation when stored away; but as the odor of the wood is largely lost with use, in the course of a few years the protection greatly decreases.

Furs and such garments may also be stored in boxes or trunks which have been lined with the heavy tar paper used in buildings. New papering should be given to such receptacles every year or two. Similarly, the tarred paper moth bags of some value; always, however, first subjecting the materials to the treatment outlined above.

To protect capes, clothes and cloth-covered furniture, furs, etc., they should be thoroughly beaten, shaken, brushed and exposed as long as practical to the sunlight, either in the open air in April, May or June, depending on the latitude. The brushing of garments is a very important consideration, to remove the eggs or young larvae which might escape notice. Such material can then be hung away in clothes closets which have been thoroughly cleaned and, if necessary, sprayed for some time with the cracks of the floor and the baseboards. If no other protection is given, they should be examined at least once a month, during summer, brushed, and, if necessary, exposed to the sunlight.

It would be more convenient, however, to so inclose or wrap up such material as to prevent the access of the moths to it, after it has once been thoroughly treated and aired. This can be easily effected in the case of clothing and furs by wrapping them up tightly in stout paper or inclosing them in well-made bags of cotton or linen cloth or strong paper. Dr. Howard has adopted a plan which is inexpensive, and which he has found eminently satisfactory. For a small sum he secured a number of the large paste-board boxes, such as notions boxes, and these packed away all winter clothing, gamming a strip of wrapping paper around the edge, so as to seal up the box completely, and leave no cracks. These boxes with care will last many years. With thorough preliminary treatment it will not be necessary to use the tar-impregnated paper sacks sold as moth protectors, which may be objectionable on account of the odor.

In the case of cloth-covered furniture and cloth-lined carriages, which are stored or left unused for considerable periods in summer, it will probably be necessary to spray them twice or three times, viz., in April, June and August, with benzine or naphthalene, to protect them from the moths. These substances can be applied very readily with any small sprayer device, and will not harm the material, but caution must be exercised on account of their inflammability. Another means of protecting such articles is to sponge them very carefully with a dilute solution of corrosive sublimate in alcohol made just strong enough not to leave a white stain.

Minard's Liniment, Lumberman's Friend. Bibles for Boer Prisoners. The British Foreign Bible Society intends to provide all Boer prisoners with Bibles printed in Dutch, and the plan will be carried out within a few weeks.

We are interpreted by our accents, not by our words.—H. A. Kendall.

NELSON NEWS.

Live Ontario Village Where Dodd's Kidney Pills are Valued.

Mrs. R. Fitzsimmons About Again—Thanks Dodd's Kidney Pills for it—Used About Two Boxes and Health Now Perfect.

Nelson, Ont., May 14.—Friends of Mrs. R. Fitzsimmons, of this place, will be pleased to learn that she is about again. As is well known in this district, Mrs. Fitzsimmons has been more or less of an invalid for the greater part of the last twelve months. She is now, however, in robust health and thanks Dodd's Kidney Pills for it.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons, her friends will remember, was not at first aware of the cause of her ailment. Kidney Disease attacks its victims in so many forms and so gradually that its presence goes generally undetected, until its ravages have effected some vital organ. Then the malady is called Heart Disease, Rheumatism, Bladder Complaint, Dropsy, Women's Weakness, Paralysis, or some other of those ailments which threaten the kidneys. Such, no doubt, was the danger into which Mrs. Fitzsimmons was running when arrested by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

She complained of a pain in the side. She grew so weak that she was unable to walk. She took various medicines, never dreaming, of course, that Kidney Disease was the cause of her trouble. When the truth did occur to her, she at once had recourse to Dodd's Kidney Pills. The result is she is now in perfect health.

The Army in the Field.

The layman cannot easily realize the vast amount of material as to food and ammunition demanded by an army in the field. A few facts and figures as to this may aid to make it more tangible. Each man requires, as a minimum, three pounds and a half of food per day. Each animal should have at least twenty pounds of food in countries where grazing is not abundant.

For each hundred men, therefore, only fifteen pounds required to supply each animal, leaving five pounds to be scavenged from the country, by grazing and otherwise, we assume a quantity that may be considered a minimum. An army of 150,000 men would require about 50,000 animals for transportation. Don't neglect cowboys, equipment, ammunition, food, hospital and medical equipment. There should not be less than 10,000 animals available at all times to supply losses. It is a fact that a few of our animals to something more than 836 tons per day.—Captain Zalinski, in Harper's Weekly.

Rich, red blood is produced by Miller's Compound Iron Pills. They increase the great vitalizing principle upon which depend health and strength.

A Matter of Doubt. Nice—Yes, Eddie was slightly wounded in the first fight. We have a letter from the army surgeon.

Ant—Where was he wounded? "We are not quite sure. The surgeon mentioned the place, but we don't know whether it is an anatomical phrase or a Transvaal town."—The King.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House. Fully Equipped. Sir Robert had once going through a picture collection with a friend where there was a portrait of a prominent Englishman who was famous for saying sharp things.

"I was wonderfully liked by the friend. You can see the quiver on his lips." "Yes," replied Sir Robert, "and the arrows coming out of it."

A dose of Miller's Worm Powders occasionally will keep the children healthy. A New Word in Boston. We heard a woman say the other day at a party, "I like this bread so nice and chewy." She is a New Englander by education. Did she invent "chewy" or is the term used freely? We have heard it, and dialect dictionaries know it not.—Boston Journal.

Miller's Powders cure. Mr. Balpatto (a bashful boy)—"What the matter, little man? Has the cat got your tongue?" Tom—"Naw! Has she got your hair?"

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RIGHTS OF MISSIONARIES.

Have the People of Other Countries Rights to be Respected?

No one disputes the rights of missionaries to go to any country they choose and to make a propaganda in favor of their faith, but they should be made to understand that they do this at their own risk, and that they must act in accordance with the laws of the places they select as the fields of their operations.

The ordinary trader who goes to Turkey or to China for business purposes relies as a rule upon his own resources to get out of any difficulty into which he may stray. But the missionary, after doing his best to spread a faith deeply implanted in the people among whom he takes up his residence, and after running counter to their traditions, customs and most cherished beliefs, appears to think he is entitled to an entire fleet to support him when he has succeeded in making himself thoroughly disliked—and, in fact, tries to threaten his particular creed down foreign people's throats at the muzzle of his country's naval guns. It is quite time that a halt were called in this high-handedness.

What kind of a reception would be given in the United States to missionaries who should come to preach the religion of Confucius, or to Turkish doctors who should build mosques in American cities, replace our church bells with their own melodious muezzin and try to convert the American people to Mohammedanism? And what would be the reply they would receive to a demand for indemnity when they had been shown the door? These are questions worth pondering over.—New York Herald.

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When your throat and lungs are perfectly healthy you needn't worry about the germs of consumption. They don't attack healthy people. It's the weak, debilitated, inflamed membranes that are first affected. Hard coughs and colds weaken your throat and lungs and make consumption more easy.

Scott's Emulsion is the best remedy you can take. It soothes and heals and gives tone and strength to these delicate membranes. In this way you can prevent consumption. And you can cure it also if you haven't had it too long. Keep taking it until your lungs are strong and your weight restored.

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Local Notes

In his final exam. at Trinity, Mr. T. R. Crawford took honors in clinical medicine and sanitary science.

Mr. W. A. Lewis goes to Toronto this week on professional business and will not return until Tuesday next.

Mr. M. H. Eyre this week removed from Wiltsie street to the new brick dwelling of Mr. D. Fisher on Reid St.

Mr. T. R. Beale left this morning for Toronto where he will be detained by professional business for about ten days.

Miss Blanch Hawks of Brockville visited friends in Athens on Saturday and Sunday, the guest of Miss May Berney.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Leverette of Brockville were in Athens on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Derbyshire, Reid street.

Mr. N. J. Marshall, of Brockville, has leased the Temperance house in the above town, and will use it for a boarding house.

The E. B. Eddy Co., of Hull have decided to re-erect all their manufacturing buildings, which were burned down in the recent fire.

A Chinese laundryman was in Athens this week with a view to locating here. He will probably take a store in the Dowsley block.

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Table with 2 columns: Year (1899, 1900) and various categories (Realty, Personal, Total, Population, Cattle, Horses, Births, Deaths).

The above figures show an increase of 9 in population, of \$1700 in assessment, and of 49 in cattle. The decreases are 5 deaths, 5 births, 10 horses, and 11 dogs.

Buy your Carpets and Curtains from Baird Bros., Brockville.

An early-closing by-law goes into effect in Merrickville this week.

Mrs. H. C. Brown of Delta was a visitor in Athens on Friday last.

Mr. Wallace Pinkerton of Lyndhurst spent Sunday with friends in Athens.

Mr. James Ross has been for several days seriously ill at his home, Central street.

East Leeds teachers assemble in convention at Brockville on Friday and Saturday of this week.

Brussels Carpet, with border to match, worth \$1.00 a yard, for 69c, at Baird Bros., Brockville.

Mr. Minor Bates has been added to the staff of the Brockville asylum, taking the position of assistant farm superintendent.

Mr. Wm Leavitt, in company with Mr. Marsh Ripley of Elgin, are this week troling in the waters of the famous Red Horse lake.

W. Purvis of Caintown, a divinity student of Queen's, is located for the summer at Rathem, on the Prince Albert branch of the C. P. R.

It is reported that a considerable number of the large consignment of salmon fry deposited in Charleston lake last week died in transit from Ottawa.

On Monday last a second consignment of salmon fry from the Ottawa hatchery, numbering 175,000, arrived at Charleston Lake in splendid condition.

The unsettled weather of the past week has greatly interfered with the work of the town sprayer, the rain rendering of no account considerable work that had been well done.

Over three thousand boxes of cheese were boarded in Brockville on Thursday last, and on and off the board about all were sold.

Miss E. A. Steacy, after an illness of several weeks, died at the home of her brother, Mr. Jonas Steacy, on Monday last.

A telegram received this morning conveyed the sad intelligence that Mrs. Wm Faber had died last night at Carleton Place.

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Table with 2 columns: Year (1899, 1900) and various categories (Realty, Personal, Total, Population, Cattle, Horses, Births, Deaths).

The above figures show an increase of 9 in population, of \$1700 in assessment, and of 49 in cattle. The decreases are 5 deaths, 5 births, 10 horses, and 11 dogs.

A committee of the Paris, Ont., town council has recommended the putting up of enamelled signs in principal streets and parks with the inscription: "In the interests of the people and to avoid the spread of contagious diseases, you are requested not to spit on the sidewalk."

FERTILIZERS

Farmers will please note that I am agent for the famous Capelton Fertilizers. Orders placed with me will be promptly filled.

JOHN A. RAPPELL, ATHENS

The People's Column.

FOR SALE I have for sale a quantity of Choice Yellow Seed Corn, either at Joseph Thompson's or at the farm.

GIRL WANTED

General housework—small family—no washing—good wages. Apply at once to MRS. DONNAN, Elgin St., Athens.

Yorkshire & Tamworth

Registered Stock Boars for service. Yorkshire from J. A. Russel, Cobourg, Ont. Tamworth from J. H. Simonton, Chatham, Ont.

NOTICE

The first meeting of the Court of Revision of Assessment Roll of Rear Leeds & Lansdowne will be held at the Town Hall, Lyndhurst, at 2 P. M. on Saturday, May 26th, 1900.

Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for the Village of Athens will be held in Lamb's Hall on Monday, May 28th, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of revising the assessment roll for 1900.

Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for Rear of Longe and Escot will be held in the Town Hall, Athens, on Monday, May 28th, 1900, at 1 o'clock p. m.

MORTGAGE SALE.

UNDER and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction at J. I. Quinn's store, in the village of Addison, on Saturday, June 16th, A. D. 1900, at the hour of 8 o'clock in the evening the following property:

All that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the township of Elizabethtown in the County of Leeds and being composed of those parts of Lots Numbers Thirty-five and thirty-six in the Ninth Concession of the Township of Elizabethtown as described in a deed from Henry Brown to William Debbas, registered in the Registry Office for the County of Leeds on the Eighth day of November A. D. 1885, in Book Twenty-six for the Township of Elizabethtown as No. 3211 and containing Sixteen acres and 28 square rods of land more or less.

This property is situated on the Macdonald Road a little over half a mile North of the Village of Addison.

TERMS OF SALE: Fifteen per cent to be paid in cash at the time of sale and the balance in thirty days thereafter. Money will be advanced to the purchaser on first mortgage security, if desired.

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George W. Brown, at the Gamble House in the Village of Athens, on Friday, June 8th, A. D. 1900, at the hour of 7 o'clock in the evening the following property:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Elizabethtown in the County of Leeds and Province of Ontario, being composed of the Northern part of Lot Number Thirty-six in the Sixth Concession of the Township of Elizabethtown, aforesaid, which may be better known and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing in rear of said Concession; the North-East angle of said Lot Number Thirty-six; thence South twenty-four degrees East sixty-five chains more or less to the high water mark in the North side of a certain pond or lake used by Richard Coleman and Company and now used by one James Cummings for a reservoir and known by them as Centre Lake; thence South-Western along said high water mark following the windings and turnings thereof twenty-two chains more or less to the western side line of said lot; thence North twenty-five degrees East along the Western limit of said lot sixty-five chains more or less to the rear of said Concession; thence North fifty-one degrees East nineteen chains more or less to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and twenty-five acres of land be the same more or less. And also a small piece of land shaped in the South end of the same lot number Thirty-six which said portion of said land is bounded on the South and East by a gully caused by the waters of said Centre Lake and in the North side of the said Centre Lake, containing about nine acres of land be the same more or less.

This property is situated about a mile West of Glen Buel and is at present rented to one Albert McVeigh. The farm is said to be well watered and to have a good frame house, one frame barn, cow stable, horse stable and other outbuildings.

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Don't Guess At Results.



This man knows what he did and how he did it. Such endorsements as the following are a sufficient proof of its merits.

Oshawa, Minn., Feb. 22, 1898. Dear Sirs—Please send me one of your Treatise on the Horse, your new book as advertised on your bottles, English print. I have cured two Spavins and one Curb with two bottles of your Kendall's Spavin Cure in four weeks.

Price, \$1.50 per bottle. As a liniment for family use it has no equal. Ask your druggist for KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE, also "A Treatise on the Horse," book free, or address DR. J. B. KENDALL CO., ENOSBURG FALLS, VT.

Parisian Hair Works

are ready to do any kind of work in the hair line. Switches Bangs, Curis, Wigs, and Gents Toupees a specialty. All orders by mail attended to promptly. Call when you go to Brockville and have your hair treated by A. B. DESROCHE, KING ST., 3 DOORS EAST OF BUELL

"OLD RELIABLE"

Fall and Winter Goods now in stock A. M. CHASSELS, MERCHANT TAILOR

has received his Fall and Winter stock of Fancy Worsteds, Heavy Tweeds for Pants and Suits, also a fine line of Vesting materials including Fancy Corduroy, all of which will be made up in the latest style at moderate prices

Ready-to-wear Goods

Now in stock a fine line of stylish Fall Overcoats, Pants, Bicycle Suits, etc. Be sure to see these goods and learn the price.

Gents' Furnishings.

A full range of shirts, black and colored so materials, finest qualities of laundried goods, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, Braces, Handkerchiefs, Caps, Woolen Underwear, etc. You can get just what you want in these lines here and at reasonable prices.

PRICES DEFY COMPETITION

The undersigned returns thanks to the general public for their patronage during the last 18 years and will endeavor to so conduct his business as to receive their continued trade and sustain the reputation of his store as "The Old Reliable" Clothing House.

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