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Andrew S. Morton, Teacher  
**FORM III.**

Aggregate attendance 301  
 Average attendance 21.5  
 Number of pupils enrolled 24

**Sr. III.—**Rhena Kendrick, Gwendolynne Wiltse, Johnny Donnelley, Delbert Layng, Elsie Fitzpatrick, Vera Hannah

**Jr. III.—**Harold Percival, Keitha Smith, Withrow Road, Mariam Wilson, Arthur Hawkins, Forde Phillips.

Miss J. Wiltse, Teacher  
**FORM II.**

Aggregate attendance 316  
 Average attendance 22.57  
 Number of pupils enrolled 25

**Sr. II.—**Willie Whaley, Alton Shaw, Isaac Rockwood, Hollace Cross, Hattie Hawkins, Janette Conlin.

**Jr. II.—**Celia Smith, Gerald Danby, Ruby Wilson, Arthur Shook, Eva Bigelow, Leslie Cowan.

Miss Ethel M. Korr, Teacher  
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 Average attendance 41.71  
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**D.—**Rupert Johnston, Claude Watson, Vera Topping, Manford Gifford, Mildred Bigelow, Leonard Cowan.

**C.—**Laurence Taylor, Edna Barrington, Gladstone Knowlton, Robbio Layng, Guy Purcell, Beaumont Kelly.

**B.—**Raymond Taylor, Geneva Yates, Frances Shook, Garfield Gifford, Sydney Thornhill, Stella Bigelow.

**A.—**Douglas Kendrick, Kenneth Bullford, Opel Conlin, Mary Howarth, Moulton Morris, Lillie Shoolan.

Miss Lizzie Doolan, Teacher

### NOMINATION MEETING

The meeting held in the council chamber on Monday evening to nominate a councillor (vice E. J. Purcell, resigned) was attended by a good representation of the citizens and early within the hour, Jas. F. Gordon was nominated for the office by T. C. Al-gure, seconded by W. F. Earl. There were no further nominations and the Clerk declared Mr. Gordon elected by acclamation. Mr. Gordon received the congratulations of citizens at the close of the meeting and immediately thereafter made and subscribed to the declarations of qualification and office.

This was the regular meeting night for the council, and the reeve and all the councillors at once assembled for business. The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and confirmed.

Moved by E. Taylor, seconded by A. Scott, that account of W. G. Parish for lumber, \$3.60, be paid.—Carried.

Moved by A. E. McLean, seconded by E. Taylor, that T. S. Kendrick be appointed care-taker of weigh scales at 25 per cent of proceeds.—Carried.

Moved by E. Taylor, seconded by Jas. F. Gordon, that A. Scott be appointed road commissioner for balance of 1911 at a salary of \$15 per year.—Carried.

The assessment roll was presented and, on motion, it was accepted and the date for the Court of Revision fixed for Thursday evening, May 25th at 8 o'clock.

The matter of appointing a man or men to discharge the duties of the offices left vacant by the resignation of Chief Shook was fully discussed and the meeting was finally adjourned until Monday May 8, at 8 o'clock p.m. when the matter will be decided.

G. F. Donnelley, Clerk.

### Local Items

The order for the china for the Chateau Laurier, the new Grand Trunk Hotel at Ottawa, has been awarded to the Theodore Haviland Company of Limoges, France. This china is of a very handsome and unique pattern, and will be the best that can be turned out by this well known Company, and includes Regular service, Banquet service, Palm Room or Tea Room service and a De Lux set for use in the Royal Suite.

—Orders will be accepted at the Reporter office for the Daily Globe from date to Sept. 1st at \$1.00. In view of important events now pending, including the political deadlock at Ottawa and the coronation, this offer should prove attractive.

Pierce Acheson, aged 54, a well known farmer of New Dublin district, committed suicide on Monday evening. For a long time he had been in a despondent frame of mind, but on Monday belied with the farm work as usual. After the evening work was completed he disappeared and about 9 o'clock his body was found suspended by a rope in the barn. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and one son.

The question whether negro immigration from Oklahoma is to be barred or not is becoming a live one in the Canadian Northwest. It is contended that these immigrants are quite unfitted to endure the rigorous climate of that part of Canada, and that their settlement there would be a mistake. Canada was in no way responsible for bringing the colored people to this continent, and climatic consideration or some better pretext or reason should be found for keeping American undesirable south of the line.

In the famous Hebert marriage annulment case, Montreal, an appeal to the Superior Court has been entered asking that the marriage be declared legal. If necessary, the case will be carried to the Privy Council. The mother would have consented to this action being taken before but had been told that if she did her child would be taken from her.

From now on it is illegal for any person to expose for sale any bowie knife, dagger, metal knuckles, slung shot or similar weapon, or to sell a revolver, pistol, or airgun to any private individual unless the purchaser produces a permit from the chief of police, and such permits must not be given to any one under eighteen years of age. The penalty is a fine not exceeding \$200 or less than \$25 or imprisonment not exceeding six months. The person selling the revolver, pistol, or airgun must keep on file the permit produced by the customer as evidence of his right to make the sale.

The new act provides that airguns cannot be purchased by any person under eighteen years of age, and the purchaser in all cases must have a permit from the chief of police.

The parliamentary proceedings at Ottawa are becoming very interesting. The Conservative minority have decided to block all legislation at Ottawa in order to prevent the government from carrying through its reciprocity proposal. One result of this course will be to prevent Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other members of the cabinet from attending the Colonial Congress and Coronation ceremonies in England. It is hoped by this to force the government to appeal to the country for a mandate on reciprocity. A long fight is now in prospect.

### Railway Rumor

It is reported in Newboro on apparently good authority, writes a correspondent, that the C.N.R. will not be built by way of Chaffey's Locks owing to several engineering difficulties and that the surveyors are now at Verona endeavoring to secure a line via either Newboro or Westport, and it is expected that railroad talk and excitement will be higher than ever within the next month. Several farmers in the vicinity of Crosby and Forfar have cleared the right of way through their farms and one farmer out down a very valuable sugar bush over half a mile in length. At the time the agreements were signed it was expected that the land would be purchased before May 1st, and as there is no money in sight yet there is considerable excitement along the line from Opinicon to Portland.—Times

## Down Goes the Price of all Women's Tailored Suits

This week we purpose clearing all the Women's Spring Suits. This has been the biggest suit season in the history of this store. We now have just twenty-two Suits left which we are going to clear this week at just about Half Price.—The suits are all spick and span new, up-to-the-minute in every respect, but in accordance with the strict policy of this store every suit must be cleared this week if prices will do it.

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# Right at Last

"Well, you see, that is just what I wanted to speak to you about. It isn't his ancestral home any longer."

The colonel started.

"In fact, it never was his, Colonel Olliver. Lord Arrowfield's last will has been found, and left the Wold and nearly all the property away from Lord Villiers."

The colonel and the girls gasped.

"Left the Wold and the money—away! Good gracious! And whom did he leave it to, then?"

"To his granddaughter, a young lady of the name of Trevelyan," said Miss Mazurka, smoothly.

"Bless my soul!" exclaimed the colonel, dropping his eyeglasses. "To a young lady named Trevelyan? Never even heard of her?"

"Not at all. But no doubt you would like to make her acquaintance?"

"We should be delighted," smirked Emmeline; "any relation of dear, dear Lord Arrowfield would be received by us as an old and valued friend."

"I am sure she would," said Miss Mazurka dryly, while old Craddock's gnarled and wrinkled face contracted with a grin behind the girls' backs. "I will go and fetch her. But first, Colonel Olliver, you have quite made up your minds, all of you, in respect to Miss Ormsby?"

"Oh, quite, quite!" exclaimed Julia and Emmeline, acidly.

"We never wish to see her again," said Emmeline. "And as to receiving her into our house now that a lady reigns at the Wold, is more than ever impossible."

"I'm glad to hear you say that!" said Miss Mazurka, with a smile. "I am quite sure you mean it and will abide by it. And now I'll fetch Miss Trevelyan."

"A most charming young lady," said the colonel. "Poor Villiers! Lost all his money, has he, poor devil! Well, upon my soul, he didn't deserve it."

"No!" croaked Craddock; "very few do. Here comes the fortunate young lady, and he drew back with a sinister smile as the door opened and Joan entered."

She was very pale, and her lips quivered slightly as she entered; but after the pause of a second she came towards them with extended hand.

The colonel stepped back with a start and a frown, and the girls, flushing a brick-dust red, tossed up their heads.

"Will you not shake hands with me?" said Joan.

"Ahem!" coughed the colonel. "Under the circumstances, Joan, it will be better if we speak candidly. I am not at all under what pretence you have made your way into this house, but I must inform you that we—er—dearly regret that—ahem!—your past conduct has rendered all intercourse between my daughters and yourself impossible!"

Joan's hand dropped to her side, her eyes flashed for a moment with indignation, but her voice was calm and almost gentle as she said:

"Do you know all my sad story, Colonel Olliver?"

"We know—ahem!—enough!" said the colonel. "Just as to the young lady in whose hands we are intruding—"

At that moment the door opened and Miss Mazurka entered.

"Well, colonel and young ladies, quite a little surprise, isn't it? You didn't expect to find in Miss Joan, your ward, whom you treated with such consideration, along the owner of Wold, Miss Ida Trevelyan!"

"Miss Ida Trevelyan! Owner of the Wold?" gasped the colonel.

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## CHAPTER XLIII.

And he looked up at the evening sky with a reverence which was new born in him that night, then he turned and was about to enter the house, when a slight, girlish figure came from the lattice gate into the garden.

It was a graceful, bewitching form, and in its attitude of solitude and loneliness it seemed to appeal to his overwrought senses in a strange and almost awful manner.

He stepped back into the shadow of one of the buttresses and waited for her to pass.

She came nearer, her head still turned from him, and as she came, and her form became more clearly outlined against the ivy-covered wall, something, a hand stretched forth from the invisible world, seemed to touch his heart.

It was the form of Joan! Yes, it was hers, the nameless grace, the poise of the delicate neck, the very trick of the folded hands were hers! Joan's! His heart stood still, his face grew white; what mad fancy was this that was fooling him?

A feeling of weakness took possession of him, and he had to put up his hand against the wall to keep himself from falling.

Slowly, with downcast face, she approached him. So near now that he could almost touch her. So near that if he moved she must smother him! At that moment she stooped and picked a spring flower, then on rising turned her face to him, and with a cry that seemed to leap from his tortured heart, he moved forward and called her name.

"Joan!"

"She started, dropped the flower, and clasped her hands over her heart; and so these two stood and looked at each other.

Trembling like a leaf, white to the lips, he held out his quivering hands. That it was a vision he was convinced. His mind, over-strained, had given way; he was mad, mad, mad! Yes, that was it! It was the fleeting vision of a lunatic! And yet—oh, heaven!—how real she seemed. It was Joan, the Joan of old, and yet more beautiful, more sweet, more lovable than ever!

"Oh, heaven!" cried, at last, hoarsely. "I am mad! And yet—who ever you may be, answer me! You are like—one—I used to know and loved! For heaven's sake, answer me!"

Joan, pale and trembling, raised her eyes.

"I am Joan Ormsby, Lord Villiers," she said.

"Ah, no, no!" he cried, in a terrible voice. "Do not deceive me! It is some trick! My Joan is dead—dead!" and at the voice so full of agony, Joan put her hand to her heart, that seemed breaking in sympathy with his.

"I am Joan Ormsby," she said. "I am Joan. Yes, the one who used to be called your Joan. Lord Villiers, what have you to say to me?"

"Not—dead!" he cried, hoarsely. "Let me touch you! Speak again! Oh, God! alive and not dead!"

She stood before him, a pitying light softening the severity of her gaze.

"Now, Joan, not!" he said. "I am Lord Villiers. I am Ida Trevelyan, what have you to say to me?"

He stepped forward and caught her in his arms, the tears running down his face. For a moment she resisted against his breast, then she struggled from the chain he had formed round her neck.

"This—is this an angel or a fiend?" he cried, forgetting the wrong you have done to me, Lord Villiers!"

"Forgotten! Wrong!" he echoed, wildly. "What is it you say? Be patient with me, Joan! My brain whirrs—my heart's on fire! Be patient—"

She heard and looked at him.

"I am Joan Ormsby," she said, trying to speak coolly. "You wished to see me."

As she spoke she moved towards the window and entered the room, and, half blindly, he followed her.

It was she who was composed; she, the woman; he, the man, who was all distraught.

"Joan! Joan! Alive!" he kept muttering, his thirsting eyes denouncing her.

"Now," she said, standing beside the fire and raising her eyes to his, "what have you to say to me?"

He was silent, leaning against the table, his hands shaking.

"Am I to speak?" she said, in a low, clear voice. "Be it so. You are to-day, Lord Villiers, to relinquish to me that which is mine by law and right. Is that so?"

He inclined his head. It seemed as if he only half heard and understood.

"I am Joan Ormsby, the granddaughter of the Earl of Arrowfield. This estate is mine, the wealth you have owned and mispent is mine. This will give it to me."

(To be Continued.)

**AN ACCIDENTAL DISCOVERY.**  
(Christian Herald.)

Blotting paper was discovered purely by accident. Some ordinary paper was being made one day at a mill in Berkshire, England, when a careless workman forgot to put in the sizing material. The whole of the paper made was regarded as useless. The proprietor of the mill desired to write a note shortly afterward, and he took a piece of waste paper, thinking it was good enough for the purpose. To his intense annoyance, the ink spread all over the paper. Suddenly there flashed over his mind the thought that this paper would do instead of sand for drying ink, and he at once advertised his waste paper as "blotting." There was such a big demand that the mill ceased to make ordinary paper, and was soon occupied in making blotting paper, the use of which soon spread to all countries.

**AUCTION BRIDGE IN PARIS.**

Bridge is dead because it lived too quickly. To auction bridge alert hostesses have already opened their houses. Go into the Automobile Club, the Volney or the Epantat and you will see four, six or ten tables of auction bridge. At the Travellers' Club, where English and Americans staying in Paris are accustomed to go, the last game of bridge was played six months ago.—Figaro.

**THE PRACTICAL MAIDEN.**

He—"Darling, be mine and your smallest wishes shall be fulfilled."  
She (coolly)—"I am able to do that myself. What I want is a man who will gratify my biggest wishes."—Judge.

## CANNOT FAIL TO INTEREST WOMEN

Alberta Lady tells of her cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

For Weak, Nervous, Run-down and Suffering From Rheumatism—Dodd's Kidney Pills Made Her a New Person.

Beauvallon, Alta., May 1, (Special)—Women who are nervous run down and suffering from Rheumatism, cannot fail to be interested in the case of Miss Gertrude E. Reyome, of this place. She is as she puts it herself "a new person." Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her. Here is her statement given for publication:

"My Kidney Disease started from a cold two years ago. Rheumatism set in, and I was weak and nervous, and in a run down condition. I was attended by a doctor who did not appear to understand my case. Three boxes of Dodd's 'Kidney Pills' made a new person of me."

Is not Miss Reyome's condition an exact description of nine-tenths of the ailing women of Canada? The doctor who was consulted by her case, it was simple enough. It was Kidney Trouble. And Kidney Disease is the one great cause of women's troubles. Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure it.

## THE LAW OF THE AIR

Rights of Individuals and Nations as Affected by Aviators.

London.—Who owns the air? In the matter of aerial navigation and aviation, opens up legal questions of litigation, which are being considered at the request of the board of laws of the University of London, Dr. H. D. Hazlettine, reader in English law at Cambridge, has been delivering a course of lectures on "The Law of the Air," which were closely followed by judges and lawyers.

Dr. Hazlettine's view is that the air belongs to the land owner. He pointed out, however, that the maximum "recovery" of the ground owner is up to the "sky," although firmly embedded in English law to the present time. He had never been fully recognized by the courts. Actual decisions, Dr. Hazlettine observed, had permitted the land owner to recover in trespass for various interferences with the lower stratum of the air space, but there were no actual decisions that the land owner had the right of trespass for interference, either by passage of aerial craft or other measures, with the upper strata of the air space.

He maintained that it would be sounder in legal principle to recognize the principle that the land owner owned the entire air space for the interest of aerial navigation. This principle, he pointed out, had already been adopted in the new German Civil Code. On this principle the land owner could not object to the passage of aerial craft in cases where such passage did not interfere in any way with his proper and legitimate interests.

Discussing the question of the liability of aeronauts and aviators for accident to aerial science and of the present state of aerial science and of the English authorities absolute liability for any such accident would probably be the view adopted by the courts of this country.

With regard to the various sovereignty of the air theories some publicists, he said, maintained that the territorial State had sovereignty dominion in the air space above its territory and territorial waters, but that this sovereignty was limited either in height or by a servitude or free passage for all aerial navigators, foreign as well as domestic.

The theory of a sovereignty limited in height was, however, open to the same objections as the theory of a so-called zone of protection, and the lecturer expressed the view that a sovereignty limited by right of innocent passages.

would not always conduce to the safety and well-being of the State. The State had and should have full sovereign dominion and the entire air space above its territory and territorial waters, such sovereignty being physically possible and legally desirable. The analogies of the high sea and the maritime zone of coastal waters as applied by advocates of limited sovereignty were, he thought, far from being thoroughly sound and applicable.

Sovereignty was already exercised by States in the lower stratum of their air space, and the same right should be recognized in all the upper strata as well. The recognition of each territorial State's full right of sovereignty in the air space above it would serve as a firm basis for the future development of national and international aerial law, and curbing to all parties concerned, aerial navigators as well as States and their inhabitants, the full legal enjoyment of their proper and legitimate interests.

In discussing international rules regarding wireless telegraphy in times of war Dr. Hazlettine referred to the problem raised by the Russo-Japanese war and the solution of these problems by the second Hague conference. He also discussed the question raised by the Russo-Japanese war as to whether wireless correspondents employing wireless apparatus in times of war should be allowed to participate in the solution of the problem raised by the second Hague conference. He contended that correspondents in acting openly should not be viewed as spies, but might possibly in certain circumstances be captured by the forces of a belligerent power.

The Hague declaration of 1907 prohibiting until the next Hague conference the discharge of projectiles and explosives from balloons had not been acquiesced in by most of the great powers. Nevertheless the Hague regulations of 1907 contained a narrower prohibition of the attack on or bombardment of unfortified places by any means whatever was forbidden. This article was understood by the conference to cover the case of attacking or bombarding unfortified towns by means of projectiles and explosives hurled from balloons or other air vehicles. This prohibition was unlimited as regards duration.

Among many other points referred to the lecturer maintained that the nationality of an air vehicle should be the same as the nationality of its owner rather than being determined by the domicile of the pilot or the domicile of private individuals and the complete sovereignty of States would be thought, seen as a firm basis upon which to develop aerial law of the future.

## How a Doctor's Bill Was Avoided

When the amount of money paid every year by a large family to the physician is footed up, it makes no small item of expense. But to entirely escape a doctor's bill for several years is an interesting accomplishment on the part of Mrs. Jessie Beggin, of Stella, P. O., Ont., which gives this sensible advice, very frequently there are ailments in the family that can be avoided if "Nerville" is used. When my children come in from play with a cough or slight cold, I rub their chests with Nerville, put on a Nerville Porous Plaster, and give them a stiff dose of Nerville in hot water. They are cured at once. For cramps, internal pains, indigestion, Nerville has never failed, and for outward use there couldn't be a better liniment. By using the Polson remedies we have avoided doctor's bills for years.

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## BAD MANNERS IN STREET CARS.

Some Offences Committed by Ill-bred or Careless Passengers.

"You know," said the elevated guard, "the right rule when the man he was talking to was the only passenger in the car, 'if I didn't get a good look at all wrong up forty times a day, I see so many passengers do many things."

"I can't help hating the man who sits on the street car with his legs crossed and his feet on the seat, or who reads a paper and doesn't think he reads the paper but that he is a nuisance to all the other passengers."

"There's plenty of men that sit with their legs crossed and never take a step when people pass, but I don't care to teach the passengers' manners. I don't like to help him read the paper and go to the station and get a ticket, but I don't like to see a man who sits on the floor, 'thank heaven there's been an improvement in the street since the passing of that law against sitting in the cars and on the platforms, but the worst thing the cross-legged man does is to walk with his feet stuck out in front of him on the floor in a crowded car, where they can't be seen, and to stumble over. All the cross-legged men are irritable men, and I'd like nothing better than to go in and straighten them all out. I could do it."

"Another thing I don't like is to see a man a passenger, sitting in a motorcar on the street, looking at a woman and with his feet up against the woodwork at the other. Apparently he doesn't give any notice about scratching the varnish and marring the wood and making that piece unsightly to other people, to say nothing of the injury he does to property which it takes money to repair."

"I don't altogether object to a man putting his feet up on a seat, or I mean his leg. I do object bitterly to a man sitting in a cross seat putting his feet up on the edge of the cross seat opposite. I think it's a mean, thoughtless, cheap cheap way you put it. He's warming out the seat by doing it and he may be putting mud on it for some unsuspecting passenger to step on."

"Then there's the man who trims his finger nails on the train, not a very elegant habit, and then there's the man who cleans his finger nails, still more disgusting."

"Then there's the people that eat peanuts in the cars. Of course there ought to be a law against that, for to some people the odor of peanuts in a closed atmosphere is decidedly unpleasant, to say nothing about the offence of littering."

"You know the fact is when there's a walk as far as any ordinary woman, and if you don't know any better, you see some small, narrow, obstinate people that don't know better, but there's a whole lot of people that don't know any better."

N. Y. Sun.

## SEVEN YEARS OF MISERY

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Sikeston, Mo.—"For seven years I suffered everything for four or five days at a time every month, and so weak I could hardly walk. I cramp and had backache and headache, and was so nervous and weak that I dreaded to see anyone or have anyone move in the room. The doctors gave me medicine to ease me at those times, and said that ought to have an operation. I would not listen to that, and when a friend of my husband told him about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for his wife, I was willing to take it. Now I look like a healthy woman, and feel like it, too. I can do my own housework, hoe my garden, and milk a cow. I can entertain company and enjoy them. I can visit when I choose, and walk as far as any ordinary woman, any day in the month. I wish I could talk to every suffering woman and girl."  
—Mrs. DEMA BETHUNE, Sikeston, Mo.

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## NERVOUS DISEASES IN THE SPRING

Can be Removed by Toning Up the Blood, Thus Strengthening the Nerves.

Nervous diseases are more common and more serious in the spring than at any other time of the year. This is the opinion of the best medical authorities after long observation. Vital changes in the system after long winter months may cause much more "spring weakness," and the familiar weariness and aching, by advocates of limited sovereignty were, he thought, far from being thoroughly sound and applicable.

Sovereignty was already exercised by States in the lower stratum of their air space, and the same right should be recognized in all the upper strata as well. The recognition of each territorial State's full right of sovereignty in the air space above it would serve as a firm basis for the future development of national and international aerial law, and curbing to all parties concerned, aerial navigators as well as States and their inhabitants, the full legal enjoyment of their proper and legitimate interests.

In discussing international rules regarding wireless telegraphy in times of war Dr. Hazlettine referred to the problem raised by the Russo-Japanese war and the solution of these problems by the second Hague conference. He also discussed the question raised by the Russo-Japanese war as to whether wireless correspondents employing wireless apparatus in times of war should be allowed to participate in the solution of the problem raised by the second Hague conference. He contended that correspondents in acting openly should not be viewed as spies, but might possibly in certain circumstances be captured by the forces of a belligerent power.

The Hague declaration of 1907 prohibiting until the next Hague conference the discharge of projectiles and explosives from balloons had not been acquiesced in by most of the great powers. Nevertheless the Hague regulations of 1907 contained a narrower prohibition of the attack on or bombardment of unfortified places by any means whatever was forbidden. This article was understood by the conference to cover the case of attacking or bombarding unfortified towns by means of projectiles and explosives hurled from balloons or other air vehicles. This prohibition was unlimited as regards duration.

Among many other points referred to the lecturer maintained that the nationality of an air vehicle should be the same as the nationality of its owner rather than being determined by the domicile of the pilot or the domicile of private individuals and the complete sovereignty of States would be thought, seen as a firm basis upon which to develop aerial law of the future.

## SCIENCE JOTTINGS.

A goat lives about ten years and will give about a quart of milk a day. The United Kingdom has about 2,500 newspapers.

Kananas and potatoes are very much raised in the West Indies.

Champagne is a little more than 12 percent alcohol.

Grapes are still trodden with the bare feet in many parts of Spain and Italy.

The Kaiser is endeavoring to purify the German language.

Venezuela has recently launched its first automobile war vessel.

It is now possible to telephone from London to St. Petersburg, a distance of 5,000 miles.

In the village of Walchwil, Switzerland, half of the natives have the name of Hurlmann.

Australian curios and tribal relics are eagerly purchased by German collectors.

The ramming of paving stone is done now with a pneumatic rammer, doing the work of the human rammer in much less time.

Physicians battling with the plague in Manchuria protect themselves with rubber coat, gloves and helmet, the latter soaked in iodoform.

There are four languages in general use in Switzerland, but German is encountered to the greatest extent. French, Italian and Romansch follow in the order given.

The crews of British submarines are regularly drilled in the use of the safety helmet which they may save their lives and others in event of disaster.

A new source of rubber supply has been discovered in the French Academy of Sciences in a gum found in abundance in the Malay peninsula and Borneo. It is easily gathered and contains from 10 to 20 percent of pure gum.

It is very possibly that the foginess of the London atmosphere is decreasing. The statement is made that twenty-one years ago there was a record of fifty-five foggy days during the winter months, while lately the average is about eleven.

Corrosion in metals is said to be prevented by the passage through the metals of a weak current of electricity. This is a "like cure like" treatment for the pitting of metals is said to be due to the local electrical action which is feeble current developed by the acicular water on metal plates at the point of corrosion. The passage of a weak current from a battery will counteract the local current and in this manner the metal prevented indefinitely.

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## WHY THEY'RE SHORT.

(Exchange.)

"Marriage," said George Ade, at a dinner in New York, "is a wonderful thing."

Mr. Ade laughed at a bachelor's laugh.

"Marriage," he went on, "changes people so. I met a man the other day who had recently married, and he looked so different that I said:

"Why, my boy, I thought you were tall. But you're shorter than when I saw you last. You are actually short now!"

"Yes, I am short," he returned. "I've married and settled down, you know."

## ALWAYS A COWARD.

(Ottawa Journal.)

The Montreal wife beater sentenced to several lashes screamed for mercy before the first stroke was applied. The man who strikes a woman is almost invariably a miserable physical coward, and thus the lash is the best preventive of wife beating, not only in the individual case, but also as a warning to others who might be deterred by fear of the lash, while a jail sentence would only be a sort of holiday.

## PATHETIC PROOF.

"My Jim is dead, my Jim is dead," wailed an old colored mammy, holding up a letter. "Here is a letter from him right from the dead letter office!"—Woman's Home Companion.

## NOT THEN.

"Do you think a memory for dates helps a man?"

"Sometimes," replied Farmer Corn-tassel. "But not when he is selling spring chickens."—Washington Star.

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### KNOWS THE NORTHLAND.

**J. F. Whitson Went Over the Ground in the Very Early Days.**

Mr. J. F. Whitson, chief surveyor and engineer for the Provincial Department of Lands, Forests, and Mines, was elected president of the Association of Ontario Land Surveyors the other day at the annual gathering of that sun-burned, black-bitten legion of explorers and wilderness takers.

For twenty-two years Mr. Whitson has served in the Crown Lands Department, entering the civil service in 1888, when he was put in charge of certain explorations, surveys, and timber estimations in the Albany River District. Since that date he has seen a great deal of the north country, and handled the details of a great many of its affairs. He, indeed, may well be regarded as one of the prime authorities on New Ontario, and an expert on the raw, vital resources pertaining thereto—miscellaneous products ranging through a list of items such as rocks, timber, mineral deposits, survey posts, snow-shoe claims, and bushy logs.

Like plenty of others of the earlier explorers of this province, Mr. Whitson never chanced upon a rich mineral discovery, though he traveled over or camped upon the sites of future Cobalt, Porcupine, Gowgama, and other places since metallurgically famous, long before they became so.

It was away back in 1886 that his first trip was made into the Temiscamingue region. He traveled up the Ottawa by canoe as far as modern Haileybury, where at that time the bush stood heavy and unbroken. Very little lumbering had yet been done on Lake Temiscamingue, though considerable square timber had been taken out from the Montreal River.

The Ontario territory of the New Transcontinental Railway was familiar to Mr. Whitson long before average optimism dreamed of the actual road. He has, in fact, traveled most of the main water highways of the north in this province, and camped on many a lonely little lake in that great hinterland above the C.P.R. And in thirty years of canoe travel, never has he suffered serious accident. Many times has his canoe been swamped, but always has his party managed to safely reach the shore.

As for snowshoes, they are an old story to the new president of the O.S.L.S., the duties of the head surveyor or taking him into the north country at all seasons of the year.

Mr. Whitson tells how one time on the Mississauga River, traveling by dog team and toboggan, an Indian was appealed to for a map of the route. It seems as a guide he was a failure, because he made too many stipulations about "extras," and wanted to leave his family with enough provisions for the winter before he would make serious preparations for a start.

So Mr. Whitson bought his dogs at top price and asked for a map to proceed without "objection." That map turned out to be a curiosity too big for a Geographical Society Museum, though entirely worthy.

It began on a piece of brown paper, was continued on the bark of a birch tree several paces away, produced eight feet upon a toboggan, where it ran off at the tail end and disappeared into four feet of snow.

Mr. Whitson is said to have allowed the best instalment of the map to go by default, and judging by its start it may be going yet.

A quiet, modest, unobtrusive sort of a man is J. F. Whitson, with an inherent objection to figuring in the despatches. But it's those quiet fellows who carry the biggest packs. —Toronto Weekly Star.

**Canadians With Mexican Rebels.**

A Toronto man whose people are spending the winter in Southern Colorado, in the area affected by the insurrection in Mexico, received a letter recently telling of the eagerness displayed by the rebels in securing recruits for their ranks.

It is of interest to learn that there are a good many young Canadians in that country, who seem quite willing to join in a Mexican insurrection or try a hand at any other game. It is said that on a recent occasion a party of 120 men, Americans and Canadians, left Pueblo for the front. One of the Canucks who took part in the uprising in its early stages must have given a good account of themselves, for the leaders of the movement in awarding land scrip to recruits—which will be honored if the uprising succeeds—are giving each Canadian twice as much land as they award to each American. When asked why this was so, the agents who are looking for men replied that they valued one American as equal to eight Mexicans, and one Canadian as equal to two Americans.

It isn't often that we get an unbiased outside estimate like this, and we must confess that it is highly flattering.

**Priest Holds Record.**

Sir George Simpson, the old Hudson Bay governor, held the canoe record for the trip between Moose Factory and Abitibi at eleven days. Father Paradis, the famous priest-protector of Porcupine camp, claims to have broken that record, reducing it to eight days and a half. For four days and nights of that trip they paddled without food. His Indians killed a walrus, roasted it on the brands of the fire for a few minutes, and devoured it, feathers and all. Two days later they found a dead pike on the bank—and that went the same way. Otherwise they subsisted on water only and a few small berries. Father Paradis has endured the test of the trail, right enough, in his time.

**To the Point.**

Tax Collector William Hepburn of Stratford, Ont., used to keep a furniture store, also an undertaking establishment. The newspaper boys were accustomed to call there daily to secure obituary notices. One day a couple of them dropped round when the proprietor was very busy. "Anything fresh?" asked the scribes. "Nothing," was the prompt answer. "Nothing," boys—except the reporters.

### DEATH OF MRS. READY

The death of Mrs. Benjamin Ready, which occurred at the home of her father, Mr. Norman Morriman, Crosby, on April 23, caused sincere sorrow in that district. Deceased, who was aged 21 years and 11 months, was married on Sept. 14, 1910. On March 26th she returned to her father's home ill with appendicitis and peritonitis, and despite the best of medical treatment and skilled nursing she passed away.

She was a great sufferer, but bore it all with Christian fortitude and that quiet spirit that had characterized her life. She was ready when the Master called. Her whole life had been spent in that neighborhood and she was very highly esteemed by all.

The funeral service, which was very largely attended, was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Humphrey of Newboro, who preached an impressive and comforting sermon from Rom 14:8.

Among the many beautiful floral tokens were a spray of lilies from Mrs. J. Delong, also lilies from Mrs. E. Gallagher, lilies and mixtures from Miss L. Leggett, pillow from husband and brothers-in-law, spray of roses from father and mother, wreath from Sunday School and League, spray from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Singleton. Following the service the remains were conveyed to Elgin and deposited in the vault.

The grief-stricken husband and other relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their great sorrow.

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### ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

The high school entrance examination for 1911 will be conducted under the same regulations as that of 1910, and will begin on Monday, June 26th, at 1.15 p.m. The time table is as follows:

Monday, June 26th  
1.15-1.30 p.m.—Reading instructions.  
1.30-3.30 p.m.—Composition  
3.40-4.25 p.m.—Spelling  
Tuesday, June 27th  
9.00-11.30 a.m.—Arithmetic  
1.30-3.30 p.m.—Reading (examination paper)  
Wednesday, June 28th  
9.00-11.00 a.m.—English grammar  
11.10-12.00 a.m.—Writing  
1.30-3.30 p.m.—Geography

### \$60,000 IN PRIZES

The prize list of the Canadian National Exhibition, August 26th to September 11th, which is being distributed, shows that the prizes have been increased in nearly every department, till the grand total reaches \$60,000.

As no prizes are given for manufacturer, the whole of this amount goes to live stock, dairy products, horticulture, women's work, educational exhibits, and similar lines of Canadian Industry.

The increase in the amount given to live stock is particularly noticeable. Nearly \$5,000, has been added to the horses alone, while special prizes of \$500, each for the best animal in the Holstein and Shorthorn classes, show that the cattle have not been neglected. Poultry also gets an additional \$1,000.

In women's and children's work and education exhibits new classes have been added, and in short every department shows the exhibition is keeping pace with its wonderful increase in attendance.

The prize list can be had by writing Manager J. O. Orr, City Hall, Toronto. That the management fully expect to reach the million mark this year is evidenced by the announcement that the spectacular attraction will be the Festival of Empire, a reproduction of the glories of the coronation ceremonies in which 1,500 performers will take part, while the Coldstream Guards Band, musicians to the Royal Household, will be the musical feature.

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On Monday the bars in twenty-six towns, villages and townships in Ontario closed as a result of the local option contests last January, 65 licenses being wiped out.

After May 1 there will be fewer liquor licenses issued by the Government than ever before, less even than when the Scott Act was in force.

In addition to these 65 affected, a number of licenses are being withdrawn in various other places by the license commissioners in response to petitions and protests and because of license reduction by-law. Altogether over 80 licenses will be cut off.

The Dominion Alliance is so encouraged by these successes that a bigger campaign than ever is being planned and the present prospect is that some two hundred municipalities in the province will vote upon local option next January.

MERRICK—MACLEAN

The Toronto Telegram of April 27 contained the following announcement, which will be read with interest and pleasure by the many friends of the groom in Athens and vicinity:

In the presence of the immediate family the marriage took place this morning at eleven o'clock at the Church of the Redeemer, of Isabella, daughter of Mr and Mrs Wallace Maclean, St Mary street, to Mr George Merrick of East Toronto, formerly of Athens, Ont. Rev C J James officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a smart travelling dress of champagne cloth, with royal blue trimmings, and a chip hat to match.

A GOOD SUGGESTION

Editor Reporter. Dear Sir—Just a few words that might serve the residents of Athens.

I visited the town of Wespout last week and a friend of mine was driving me around. Noticing a lot of rubbish piled in front of each residence, an accumulation of the summer and winter, such as old tin cans, rubbers, broken crockery, dead grass, etc, I said, 'Do you leave this in the street.' He said, 'Why, no. Every spring every person must clean up his yard and pile all rubbish in front of his premises. The town pays a man to gather all garbage so placed and take it away, as many have no way or place to take it.'

It struck me very forcibly, Mr Editor, that our council could in this way keep our town much cleaner and more sanitary by adopting this method. A particular day could be named for moving out the rubbish so the garbage man could have it all removed in one day, with very little expense.

DEATH OF MRS McMACHEN

Residents of Athens were shocked to learn on Thursday morning that during the night Mrs Francis McMachen had passed away. She had been ill only about a week, first with lagrippe and later with pleuro-pneumonia, and few knew that her condition was serious.

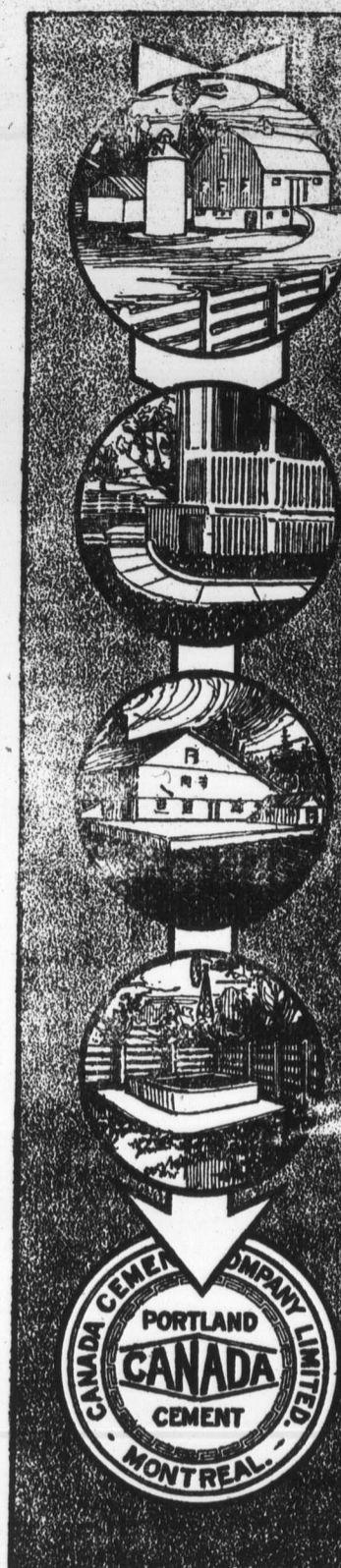
Mrs McMachen was 47 years of age and was born at Newboyme, being a daughter of the late Mr James Lyons and Mrs Lyons. On the death of her husband, George McMachen, Newboyme ten years ago, she came to reside in Athens, where she won universal respect and esteem by her pleasant manner and kindly disposition. She was a devout member of the Anglican church and an indefatigable worker in all that pertained to the church, being particularly active on the Dorcas committee of the Women's Auxiliary.

In the absence of the rector of the parish, Rev. R. B. Patterson, the remains were taken at 9 a.m. Saturday to the old home church at Newboyme, where services were conducted by the rector, Rev. Mr Bareham, and interment made in the cemetery there where the husband and infant babe lie buried.

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ARE you one of the thousands of Canadian farmers who have used or intend using Canada Cement for the construction of some farm utility? If you contemplate building anything whatsoever of concrete, make up your mind right now to build it with a view to winning one of the prizes we are offering.

PRIZE "A"—\$100.00 to be given to the farmer in each Province who will use during 1911 the greatest number of bags of "CANADA" Cement for actual work done on his farm.

PRIZE "B"—\$100.00 to be given to the farmer in each Province who uses "CANADA" Cement on his farm in 1911 for the greatest number of purposes.

PRIZE "C"—\$100.00 to be given to the farmer in each Province who furnishes us with a photograph showing best of any particular kind of work done on his farm during 1911 with "CANADA" Cement.

PRIZE "D"—\$100.00 to be given to the farmer in each Province who furnishes the best and most complete description of how any particular piece of work shown by photograph sent in, was done.

In this contest no farmer should refrain from competing, because of any feeling that he may have little chance against his neighbor who he thinks might use more cement than he does.

The Canada Cement Co. LIMITED MONTREAL, QUE.

For it will be noted that Prizes "C" and "D" have no bearing whatever on quantity of cement used. The man who sends us the best photograph of so small a thing as a watering trough or a hitching post, has as much chance for Prize "C" as a man who sends a photograph of a house built of cement—and the same with Prize "D" as to best description.

Canada Cement is handled by dealers in almost every town in Canada. Should there not happen to be a dealer in your locality, let us know and we will try to appoint one.

Contest will close on November 15th, 1911, and all photos and descriptions must be in our office by that date.

PRIZE "E"—\$100.00 to be given to the farmer in each Province who uses "CANADA" Cement on his farm in 1911 for the greatest number of purposes.

Now, you cannot hope to do concrete work to the best advantage unless you have a copy of our free book, entitled, "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete." This book tells how to construct well-nigh anything on the farm, from hitching post to silo. Whether you enter the contest or not, you'll find this book most helpful. A post-card asking for the book will bring it to you promptly.

Please send me full particulars of Prize Contest. Also a copy of "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete." Name: Address:

RURAL MESSAGES

At Toronto last week the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board gave an important ruling as to the relations that must exist between the Bell Telephone Co. and individual or associated rural telephone companies.

The Bell Telephone Company cannot obtain control over long-distance business on local lines. The Ontario Railway and Municipal Board has refused to approve of a clause in an agreement between the Bell and the Consolidated Telephone Company, which would prevent the Consolidated from routing business from points on the lines of other local companies to points on the lines of the Bell Telephone System.

Mr A. B. Ingram, one of the members of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, explained this ruling as operating in the following manner:—Suppose company A has a message which it wants to transmit by long distance; it desires to pass the message on to company B to send on by long distance, the Bell people would say: "You can't do that, we control long distance business, and you have to deal directly with us for it; you may exchange local business with one another, but for all long-distance work apply to us."

"We could not sanction any arrangement such as that," said Mr Ingram. "It would be against the Ontario law altogether. We can't agree to anything that will prevent the people from having free transmission of their messages, so long as they are willing to pay for them."

"The Bell Company," he added, "want to control long-distance. They do so on their own lines, and we have no jurisdiction over them, but they are not satisfied and want to control it on other lines as well. This we will not allow."

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Round Trip Homeseekers' Excursion Tickets to Western Canada via Grand Trunk Double Track Route to Chicago, etc., on sale Tuesday, April 4th, and every second Tuesday thereafter until September 19th, at very low fares.

The Finest Farming Country in the World is to be found along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific in the Provinces of Manitoba, Alberta, and Saskatchewan. Descriptive literature with beautifully engraved maps, and information about FREE HOMESTEADS and how to obtain them free, can be had at any G. T. R. Ticket Office.

PHILIPPSVILLE

This morning, Mrs Margaret Haskin in the 76th year of her age, passed over to the silent majority at the home of her daughter, Mrs H. Putnam. Mrs Haskin had been in very poor health for the past three years. She had the best of care by her daughters, Mrs Putnam and Miss Adela Haskin. She leaves to mourn two sons, James and Frank, and four daughters, the above and Mrs Jones, Watertown, and Mrs Lawson, Plum Hollow.

Another old resident has passed over the river in the person of the late Mrs George Powers, in the 81st year of age, at the home of her daughter, Mrs Wilson Topping. With the exception of her eye sight, she has had fairly good health until a few days before she passed away. She leaves an aged husband and two daughters to mourn her loss, the above and Mrs Frank Warren.

Mr and Mrs Wm. Huffman, Chantry were the guests of Mrs S. Farden on Sunday. Mrs Miles Lockwood is not getting the best of health this spring. The farmers have not lost any time in fitting the ground and putting in the seed the past week.

The trustees of S.S. No. 9 are having erected a wire fence around their school ground.

The ice left the lake on Monday last and the sound of the put-put is again to be heard.

J. McKenny has just finished building a barn for R. N. Dowsley near the site where Mr Banta's barn was destroyed by fire a couple of years ago.

Miss M. Findlay has returned to her school at North Augusta after spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

Richard Findlay is building a new barn to replace the one destroyed by fire in September. S. Morris, Soperton is doing the work. S. Godkin is also building a new barn.

Brick School Honor Roll

APRIL Sr. IV—Edna Hewitt, Mary Brown Everett King. Sr. III—Wilfrid Coon, Andrew Ferguson, Kenneth Charlton. Sr. II—Fred Moulton. Sr. Pt. II—Fred Moore. Sr. Pt. II—Roy Wiltse, Charlotte Ferguson, Lena Coon. G. E. Wing, Teacher

Card of Thanks

Mr and Mrs Norman Merriman of Crosby desire through the medium of the Reporter to return thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and following the death of their daughter, Mrs Benjamin Ready.

HARD ISLAND

Mrs G. Whaley and daughter have treated themselves to a nice new buggy and harness. Mr John Livingston is preparing to build a silo this season. Mr Herbert Stephenson appears quite pleased over his Holstein heifer, which is giving over fifty pounds of milk a day.

ADDISON

The farmers in this section have commenced seeding and report the soil in fine condition. Mr J. I. Quinn is quite sick, but his many friends hope for his recovery. Mrs H. B. Brown is seriously ill and little hope is entertained of her recovery.

Mr Fred Howe of Mt Pleasant is the proudest man in town—it's a fine baby girl.

Mrs Thomas Sinion of Toronto is spending a few days in our village, having been called home by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs H. B. Brown.

Mr Claude Moulton and family of Escott were guests in our village on Sunday last.

Charleston School Report

APRIL IV—H. Johnston, L. Slack, S. Johnston, W. Heffernan, C. Spence, G. Botsford. Sr. III—Gertie Wood, Jennie Palmer. Jr. III—Marjorie Godkin, Bella Johnston, Jim Heffernan. II—Irene Wood, Eva Palmer, Charlie Moore, Amy Spence. Sr. Pt. II—John Johnston. Jr. Pt. II—Elva Spence. Sec. C. I.—Walter Wood, Martha Johnston, Albert Kelsey. Sec. B.—Eva Kelsey, Jim Botsford. J. Eyre, Teacher

Electric Restorer for Men Phosphonol restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension; restores vim and vitality. Premature decay and all sexual weakness arrested at once. Phosphonol will make you a new man. Price \$2 a box, or two for \$3. Mailed to any address. The Scotch Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the Estate of Bethuel Loverin, late of the Village of Athens in the County of Leeds Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, and amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Bethuel Loverin, who died on or about the twenty-third day of February, 1911, are required, on or before the fourth day of June, 1911, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned, Solicitor herein, for Emily Cordelia Loverin and William H. Jacobs, the executors under the Will of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Athens this second day of May, 1911.

T. R. BEALE, Athens, Ont. Solicitor for the said Executors

B.W. & N. W.

RAILWAY TIME-TABLE

Table with columns for GOING WEST, GOING EAST, and specific train times between Brockville, Lyndhurst, and Westport.

GOOD TEA BREWING

A certain family of inveterate tea drinkers used always to inquire on the occasion of new people coming to the neighborhood...

Under a brilliant sky and shadowed by great trees it makes a fitting foreground to the gay costumes of the men, the dark bazaars, and the madrasas piled up behind...

Catarrh makes your head ring. Catarrh germs spread to the ear passages, congestion follows, and the organs of hearing are so disturbed as to cause unpleasant noises, hawking, drooping to the throat, and the foul odor that makes people's breath offensive...

SIGHTS OF BOKHARA. Traveller Calls it a Perfect Picture of the Unspoiled East. Bokhara, that strange capital at the back of the world...

IT SOUNDED THAT WAY. Dr. W. T. Hornaday, director of the New York Zoological Park, wrote home to his family when he was on one of his holiday trips in Montana...

WORKING FOR A KING. The laymen who are to take an active part in the coronation of King George will be figures in an imposing pageant, but will reap no substantial rewards...

VICE VERSA LATER. Knicker—What is a swimming-hole? Bocker—A body of water entirely surrounded by boys.—Christian Register.

Under a brilliant sky and shadowed by great trees it makes a fitting foreground to the gay costumes of the men, the dark bazaars, and the madrasas piled up behind...

TRY URINE EYE REMEDY. For Red, Watery, Itchy, Stinging Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Murine Doesn't Smart—Soothes Eye Pain...

They Know Not Harbors Who Know Not the Deep. The ships now in the harbor lie asleep and have forgot how sea-wind puffs the sails...

CARE FOR THE CHILDREN. The children of our city are a trust, given to us by an Almighty Power for our own good and their own. Primarily it is true, the trusteeship for each child is reposed in the parents...

A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE BABY. Baby's Own Tablets is the one medicine that can be given little one with the firm knowledge that nothing but good will result...

WOMEN AND CHILDREN SOLD. Rev. E. E. Lehenstine, writing to The Christian Herald from the Chinese famine district, says: "Saddest of all has been the sale of women and children. Even in China, it is generally considered disgraceful for a man to sell his wife, and the sale cannot take place openly..."

THE OLDEST MAP. After some controversy about the age of various maps that have come down to us from ancient times it has been finally determined by savants that the oldest is in the form of a mosaic in a Byzantine church at Malaba, in Palestine...

VICE VERSA LATER. Knicker—What is a swimming-hole? Bocker—A body of water entirely surrounded by boys.—Christian Register.

Spring Medicine Essential

Doctors Agree That the System Should be Housecleaned in the Spring.

Not only outside, but inside as well, your body must be frequently cleaned. Otherwise it becomes loaded with waste that clog up the wheels of health...

TRUTH IN ART. (New York Herald.) Unquestionably the present trend of taste in the direction of truth. The modern artist tries to paint things as he sees them and not as some one else has seen them before him...

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Yarmouth, N. S. Gentlemen,—In January last, Francis Leclaire, one of the men employed by me, working in the lumber woods, had a tree fall on him, crushing him fearfully...

NO SECRET TELEGRAPHY. Many persons are of the impression that wireless telegraphy is particularly subject to "tapping" but as has been pointed out by Marconi and others, says the Scientific American, no telegraph system is absolutely secret...

A Good Grade of Sugar costs but little more than a poor grade. In. St. Lawrence Sugar. You get the BEST that money can buy. Its recognized economy—its delightful flavor and its crystal purity make it a favorite wherever it is used...

THE BLOTKINS FAMILY. Have you ever met the Blotkins? They're the oddest little folks. They're shut up in a bottle, and they look like funny little jokers. Perhaps they're not as they seem. As a body'd like, but then what else can you expect from people coming from a pen?

PAINT TESTIMONY. When you paint this spring let this testimony help you. All over this broad Canada are thousands of customers holding up high with gratitude the old reliable brand of RAMSAYS PAINTS...

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HEALTHGRAMS. BY DR. HYMAN COHEN. (Assistant Chief Medical Inspector, Chicago.)

Excessive function produces deplorable failure. Play is the tonic of existence. A clear body is an inducement to the soul to stay on earth.

THE HOUSE FLY CAMPAIGN. (Ottawa Journal.) If Ottawans could have placed before them in some unmistakable form the mortality figures caused by the house fly alone, there is no doubt but that every man and woman would join to the utmost in the campaign initiated by His Excellency Earl Grey for the purpose of their suppression.

THE AGE OF THE EGG. The California Board of Health has passed an edict which obliges egg dealers to stamp on eggs they offer for sale, their age.

THE MODERN WAY OF HOME DYEING. It is to use ONE Dye that will color either Wool, Cotton, Silk or Mixed Goods Perfectly. You will find this in DYOLA.

A VALUABLE WATCH. "They say Rockefeller is so rich that his fortune increases by a thousand francs every time his watch ticks." "Good gracious! If I were he I should be in a continual fright lest some one should steal my watch."

WOMEN AND MONEY-MAKING. The woman who wants to make money to-day must be prepared to work, and work hard, by an ordered system for a definite end.

AN ELECTRIC CARPET. The latest electric invention is the electric carpet for heating rooms. It was originated in Paris. The under side of the new carpet consists of a network of steel wires through which the current is equally distributed in all directions.

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THE RIGHT WAY

In all cases of DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, INFLUENZA, COLDS, ETC. "SPOHN THEM" on their tongues or in the feed put Spohn's Liquid Compound. Give the remedy to all of them. It acts on the blood and glands. It rouses the disease by expelling the disease germs...



EDDY'S "SILENT" MATCHES

ARE THE MOST MODERN AND PERFECT A SURE LIGHT, THE FIRST STRIKE. They make no noise or splutter—a quiet, steady flame. The match for the smoker, the office and the home. All good dealers keep them and Eddy's Woodware, Fibreware, Table, Pails and Washboards.

HELP WANTED. WANTED—WOODWORKERS, machinists, moulders. State age and experience, and if married or single. B. Bell & Son Co., Limited, St. George, Ont.

WOMEN WANTED. WOMEN WANTED, TO TAKE ORDERS in spare time; no experience necessary. Our lines especially used by mothers and girls. Apply, Dept. A, British Canadian Industrial Company, 225 Albert Street, Ottawa.

Every Woman. It is intended and should be used by every woman. It is the most perfect and reliable of all the hair preparations. It is the only one that does not dry the hair. It is the only one that does not make the hair fall out.

BE AS WISE AS THE PESKY FLY AND SWAT HIM. (Niagara Falls, N. Y. Journal.) It may be that the fly hasn't much sense, but he has a pretty shrewd idea of taking care of himself. He knows a swatter when he sees one descending and is lively in getting out of the way.

CHOOSING A DOG. It's important. The color must be right. It's nonsense to match a dress. It's equally foolish to match furs. No, choose a dog that "goes" with anything.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT. (Sydney Bulletin.) Teacher (to new pupil)—Why did Hannibal cross the Alps, my little man? My little man—For the same reason as the 'en crossed th' road. Yer don't catch me with no puzzles.

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### TWO WORKMEN BLOWN TO ATOMS

#### Four Men Killed in Powder Explosion at Sand Point Co., Renfrew.

#### Nothing But a Hole in the Ground Where Building Was.

#### Three Men Killed at the Same Place Last July.

Sand Point, Ont., despatch: As the result of an explosion in the drying-house of the Dominion Explosive Company, one and a half miles west of this place, a calamity which in cause and some of its results almost exactly duplicated that a year ago in the same powder mills, four men were instantly killed. The dead are: Dominick Bennett, Westport, aged 22; William Brooks, Sand Point, aged 27; Joseph Mills, Copar, North London, England, aged 38.

Police Station, Ottawa, aged 29. The explosion occurred at 1:30 this afternoon and is said by the officials of the company to have been due to the ignition of a quantity of gas in the building where it took place. The catastrophe came without warning. William Brooks and Dominick Bennett were inside the building and Jos. Mills and Horace McMillan standing on its platform. The bodies of Bennett and Mills were blown into atoms, no trace of them having been found to-night. Those of Brooks and McMillan were recovered, that of the latter being most impossible to identify. Almost miraculously none of the other employees were injured, though nearly.

Besides the complete destruction of the drying-house, the sides of the nitrate room were slaved in, as were the ends of the building and a stone porch. Where the drying-house had been nothing was left but a large hollow in the ground.

Upwards of sixteen employees of the company were working inside or in the vicinity of the other buildings when the explosion occurred. Although flying splinters from the roof and the walls of the drying-house flew like hail, none of them were struck, nor were the men inside the nitrate room, who had just dumped the pots of material they were drying, and the buildings immediately after the shock of the explosion, employees from all parts of the ground rushed to the site of the drying-house and a search for the missing men commenced. The body of McMillan was found where, it is said, it had been hurled against the roof of one of the other structures, and that of Brooks, the less disfigured, was recovered not far away.

There was no fire, in fact, nothing was left to ignite, so thoroughly the explosion had done its work. The search was prosecuted till midnight, when Coroner Armstrong arrived from Arnprior and made an examination of the scene of the explosion and the remains. Those were then covered and left to be viewed by the jury tomorrow morning.

The explosion was apparently similar to the drying-house, where it took place, was a little more than half a ton of the explosive, which is known as the "shifter's friend," in one of its primary stages.

It was being heated by hot air which is piped from the boiler-room, the temperature maintained between 130 and 150 degrees. Just how the explosive, or gas, originated from it ignited with all the men at work in the drying-house were killed.

### FATALLY INJURED.

#### Mrs. H. S. Coulson, of Montreal, Fatally Hurt in Auto Accident.

Montreal, May 1. With all hope of recovery given up, Mrs. H. S. Coulson, of 4,160 Sherbrooke street west, lies in the Royal Victoria Hospital suffering from a fractured skull, the result of an automobile accident, which occurred early this morning on Park avenue.

Mrs. H. S. Coulson, who is a son of Mr. Duncan Coulson, of the Bank of Toronto, and a salesman with the Canadian Rubber Company, was driving the automobile. He collided with a shaking up, and Mr. Rosenthal, jun., who was in the tonneau with Mrs. Coulson, was badly hurt about the head and face. His ton. is in the hospital.

The automobile was smashed, the right front wheel being practically splintered to pieces and the front of the machine, including the lamps, smashed. A pile of stones on Park avenue, just above Mount Royal, caused the accident.

Mrs. Coulson was thrown violently on the concrete pavement. Mr. Rosenthal fell on the turf, and his injuries are comparatively slight.

### HELD FOR ARSON.

London, Ont., despatch: Oliver Cox aged 19 years, of Middlesex, West Toronto, was arrested yesterday afternoon by High Constable Hughes for arson. He is charged with the burning of barns, implement and live stock of Frank O'Neil, with whom he lived.

### G. T. R. SERVICE.

#### New Trains Will Improve Accommodation in Many Parts.

Montreal, May 1. — Announcement was made yesterday at the Grand Trunk headquarters of a greatly improved train service. This includes the putting on of four new trains, the chief of which will be a newspaper special, which will leave Toronto at 2.45 every morning. This special will carry nothing but newspapers.

The summer service also includes a new train from London to Toronto via Stratford and Guelph, leaving London at 12.45 p.m. and reaching Toronto at 4.55 p.m. Another train will leave Sarnia at 7 a.m. and reach London at 8.50, connecting with the Ontario Limited. Another new train, the "Palmerston Limited," will leave that place at 8.25 every morning, reaching Toronto at 11.10, and returning from Toronto at 5 p.m., to reach Palmerston at 7.50.

### RECTOR ARRESTED

#### Accused of Firing Property He Owned in Another Village.

Ottawa, Ont., despatch: Rev. James Henry Bell, an Anglican rector of Sutton, Que., was arrested at Hull this afternoon and arraigned on a charge of burning a house he owns at Kazanabawa, On Thursday last, papers by noticed smoke coming from the windows and found a number of coal oil cans and a metal mat case marked "Sutton," near where the fire had apparently started. Some of the villagers also alleged that they had seen the minister dressed in ordinary clothes and wearing goggles, boarding the train on the night of the fire.

Investigation showed that Rev. Mr. Bell had left his home at Sutton on Wednesday and had not returned until the following Saturday. He denied any knowledge of how the fire started, and stated that he had spent the night at Montreal Hospital with his daughter, and the ensuing days with a brother minister, also at Montreal.

### SMUGGLING ARMS.

#### Portuguese Monarchists Planning Trouble for Republicans.

Lisbon, May 1. — Several Portuguese monarchist plotters who were expelled from Tux, have taken up their residence at Ponta Delgada, four miles away, but many are still in Tux.

The Provisional Government sent Silva Passos, an important member of the Carbonario, a Republican organization, to inquire into the situation on the frontier, which the chief newspaper of the capital states is serious. Plotting continues and the smuggling of arms into Portugal is extensive. The chiefs of the smugglers who supplied arms to the Republicans under the old regime have informed Silva Passos that they are now supplying thousands of rifles and revolvers to the monarchists. These are smuggled across the river in fishing boats.

It is the opinion that a monarchist movement is certain. A great sensation has been caused by the report.

### BY FLOWER POT.

#### Five-Year-Old Jeanie Ray Met Tragic Death in Toronto.

Toronto despatch: Little Jeanie Ray, the bright five-year-old child of Mr. Earl P. Ray, of 1811 Kensington avenue, was playing with her companion, the daughter of Mr. James Purdie, 182 Kensington avenue, in front of the home of the latter at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, when a large iron flower pot on the veranda teetered over, crushing the little maid beneath its weight. It struck the child on the breast, pinning her to the ground. Jeanie's father was an eye-witness of the tragic scene and he quickly went to the assistance of his daughter. The sadly maimed little girl was carried to her home and Dr. Wm. D. Young was summoned, who by means of morphine allayed the sufferer's pain. Her death put a period about 2.30 p.m. An inquest was not deemed necessary.

### RARE PORCELAIN.

#### Paid Million and a Quarter for Chinese Collection.

London, May 1. — A collection of rare old Chinese porcelain, reputed to equal the famous Salting collection, has been acquired by Mr. Edgar Gorst, the well-known London porcelain expert, for \$1,250,000.

The collection was made by Mr. Richard Bennett, of Torbury Hall, Northampton.

### NEWS OF THE DAY IN BRIEF

#### Sandwich Small Boy Killed By a Street Car.

#### McGill Principal's Son Given High Distinction.

#### Summer School for Teachers Opened at Guelph O. A. C.

Mr. McNeill, of the C. P. R., has ordered work on the new lake shore line to begin at once.

Rev. J. D. Morrow, the athletic pastor of Toronto, was reported seriously ill with nervous prostration.

Mr. W. K. McNaught, M. P., has declined appointment to the Toronto Hydro-Electric Commission.

Chief Constable H. J. Graestt and Deputy Chief William Stark, of Toronto, have been made Justices of the Peace.

The Grand Trunk will put four new trains into service in western Ontario, including an early morning newspaper train out of Toronto.

The members of the Stratford Presbytery have sustained the call from Knox Church, Mitchell, to Rev. Dr. McRae, of Glace Bay, N. S.

On a charge of passing a worthless cheque for \$28.00 at Eaton's on January 21, Harry Thompson, 14 Hickory street, Toronto, was arrested in Ottawa.

Prominent officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway state that during the next few weeks 45,000 farmers will leave the United States to settle in Western Canada.

The summer school for teachers, composed of the graduates of the various normal schools of the Province, is now in full swing at the Ontario Agricultural College.

At Sandwich Earl Mailloux, the three-year-old son of Alex. Mailloux, was playing on the street near York street, Toronto, when he was struck by a street car, and died in a short time.

The New York State Assembly passed the Trombley bill, appropriating \$1,000,000 for the completion of the State's share of the international highway from New York to Montreal.

The new Canadian Pacific steamship which is being built at the yards of Wigham Richardson, on the Tyne, for the British Columbia coast service, is to be named the Princess Alice.

That John Stewart came to his death at the corner of Balfour and Green streets, Toronto, on March 15, by accident, from being hit by a runaway horse, was the verdict rendered by a Coroner's jury.

Harvard University has offered to W. C. Peterson, eldest son of Principal Peterson, of McGill University, one of the highest distinctions in their gift, in the shape of the Thayer Fellowship, valued at \$450.

Colin Whitman, until a couple of months ago a collector for the Union Life Insurance Company, was arrested in Detroit at the request of Toronto police, who had charged him with having failed to return \$150 for the company.

### THE GRAND BANKS

#### Stormy Time for the Vessels at the Fishing Grounds.

St. Pierre, Miquelon, May 1. — The loss of the French bark Guillemette, of Recamp, by collision with an iceberg on the Grand Banks, was reported here today. Of the crew of 31 men, 20 are known to be aboard the barque Paquette, which is bringing them here, and the others are thought to be on another vessel of the fleet.

### NUN SHOT PUPIL.

#### Small Boy Had Surreptitiously Loaded Pistol to Shoot a Bird.

Manhattan, Kan., May 1. — A Catholic sister who was drilling pupils at Flush, twelve miles north of here in a school play, shot and probably fatally wounded one of them in the evening while a revolver she didn't know was loaded. The wounded girl is Pearl Reedy, 18 years old.

### FIGHTING FIRES.

#### Four Hundred Men Head Off the Massachusetts Forest Fires.

North Adams, Mass., May 1. — By splitting into two divisions the forest fires which have been raging for the past three days at the top of Pine Coombe Mountain early to-day, the North Adams firemen were of the opinion that the danger to this city and adjoining towns has been averted.

### AT WIFE'S GRAVE.

#### An Aged Farmer Burned to Death at New Marlboro'.

Great Barrington, Mass., May 1. — After he had cleared the weeds and bushes from about his wife's grave in a cemetery in New Marlboro' yesterday, August Bergeman, an aged farmer, was burned to death on the grave by a fire which he had started to dispose of the gathered brush. Bergeman was alone at the time. More than half a ton of brush was burned over before the fire was controlled and the body of Bergeman, who was 75 years old, was found.

### PORT COLBORNE'S NEW MILL.

#### SECOND IN 4000 YEARS.

London, May 1. — The Jewish Chronicle states that it is rumored that Sir Mathew Nathan will succeed Sir Edouard as British Resident in Egypt. "Should the report prove correct," says the journal, "it will be the second time in history, after a lapse of 4000 years, that a Jew will take the most prominent place in the government of Egypt."

### WOMAN SUFFOCATED.

#### HOG CHOLERA IN ESSEX.

Memphis, Tenn., May 1. — One woman was suffocated, half a dozen other persons were overcome by smoke and wrecked an were injured in a fire that overtook the lower floor of the Waldin block, a four-story building, occupied on three upper floors by the Palmer Hotel, in a lodging house, early to-day.

### G. N. W. BEFORE RAILWAY BOARD

#### Make Big Profits But is Unable to Pay Dividends.

#### Telegraph Company Has Close Connections With Western Union.

#### Where Does the Money Go? — Inquiry by Government.

Toronto despatch: That the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company has not paid a dividend for nearly twenty-four years in the face of apparent large profits, and that the Western Union Telegraph Company of the United States has not only a controlling interest in the stock of the former company, but also a conjoint business arrangement with that company whereby the Western Union gets practically fifty per cent. of its tolls collected by the G. N. W. on its messages, was the significant facts brought out at an inquiry before the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners in the city hall yesterday into the tolls charged by the telegraph companies in Canada.

The first company to be examined on this matter was the Great Northwestern. Mr. G. D. Perry, general manager of that company, throughout the entire day answered questions put to him by Mr. I. Pitblado, K.C., of Winnipeg, counsel for the commission.

Following up the information adduced at the morning sitting, in which it was shown that in some years during the past twenty-four the G. N. W., by reason of its large earnings, was in a position to pay nearly 100 per cent. on its paid-up capital, Mr. Pitblado yesterday afternoon got from Mr. Perry the admission that the Western Union Company had a controlling interest in the G. N. W. Company's stock, and by an arrangement got an average of fifty per cent. on the tolls collected by the latter company. The G. N. W., it is stated, is endeavoring to satisfy the Railway Commission that through a complicated financial arrangement it has become practically bankrupt, although its books might show large profits, and that it is therefore, unable to reduce its present tariff of tolls.

Mr. Pitblado repeated his question to Mr. Perry in the afternoon as to whether or not any dividends had ever been paid to the stockholders of the G. N. W. He asked Mr. Perry if he himself had ever received a dividend on the sixty-five shares he held.

Mr. Perry answered in the negative. Chairman Mabey — Then how do you appease the appetites of your stockholders? Mr. Perry — We don't appease them. Chairman Mabey — Your books show that you have been able to. Your stockholders must be the most amiable people I ever heard of.

By further questioning Mr. Pitblado elicited the information as to the conditions under which the Western Union Company commenced doing business in this country, and the relationship existing between that company and the G. N. W. He also showed by questions that the Western Union had been making big profits out of the G. N. W. For the year ending June 30, 1900, the gross traffic exchange between the two companies was \$487,383, which was evened up divided between the two.

Mr. Pitblado then asked how and when the Western Union Company entered into this country. It actually carried on business in the Maritime Provinces, but had an arrangement with the G. N. W. for the other parts of the country.

Chairman Mabey then commented upon the financial status of the G. N. W. in which he said to Mr. Perry: "You have earned enough in the past ten years to pay an annual dividend on your paid-up capital of from 100 to 150 per cent."

Mr. Perry — Not according to the opinion of the expert auditors whom we engaged. Chairman Mabey — There never has been a year in which a dividend of from 100 to 150 per cent. could not have been paid.

Mr. Markey stated that a certain large amount had to be set aside for what he called, the contingent fund, which, he pointed out, ate up a large amount of the surplus of the company. Chairman Mabey — In 1900 the books showed a surplus of \$229,000. Why didn't the company pay a dividend then?

After replying his previous explanations Mr. Markey stated that he thought before the inquiry was over the Chairman would be satisfied that the G. N. W. was practically in a bankruptcy state. Chairman Mabey — You don't seem to be very worried over the state of affairs.

To illustrate how the conjoint business arrangement between the telegraph companies in question worked, Mr. Perry cited the instance of a message sent from Toronto to Winnipeg. He said it would first go into the United States from Toronto, and be transmitted over the Western Union lines to the boundary line of Manitoba. From there it would be carried over the C. N. W. lines to its destination.

Mr. Perry stated that at the present time several companies were making an equal division of the tolls collected on such a message and all other messages being transmitted from east to west in this country over long distances, especially between Ontario and Quebec and from Ontario to Detroit the toll on the message would be divided between the two companies in the proportion of thirty-five cents to the G. N. W. and fifteen to the Western Union, the latter from time to time, however, taking from twenty to thirty per cent. Mr. Perry also alluded to the exchange of business arrangement between the G. N. W. and Anglo-American Companies, the latter operating on Prince Edward Island.

### WIFE ENDS LIFE

#### While Husband Lay Drunk and Asleep on a Sofa.

#### Found by Neighbor — Husband Arrested and Makes Statement.

Toronto despatch: Mrs. Eva Richardson, 35 years old, committed suicide yesterday at her home, 18 Robinson street, by swallowing the contents of a two-ounce bottle of carbolic acid. George Richardson, her husband, was afterwards placed under arrest by Patrol Sergeant McDonald, on a charge of intoxication.

When the police officer found Richardson lying on a lounge, a few feet from where the lifeless form of his wife was stretched out on the kitchen floor, he declined to say anything, except that before she swallowed the poison she had remarked: "George, here's to it."

The discovery of the suicide was made by a neighbor, who happened to call at the house. Being unable to get any response at the front door, she went to the rear of the house, and peeping through the open kitchen window saw the body on the floor, and the husband fast asleep.

The woman was still breathing, but a few minutes after the arrival of Dr. C. H. Thomas, who had been summoned, life became extinct.

Mrs. Richardson and her husband had been living apart for some time. A few weeks ago Richardson put in an appearance at the house and his wife had him arrested. Subsequently she was given an order of separation by the Police Magistrate, and Richardson was warned to keep away from the house. A week ago the neighbors say he came back and since then he has been seen around the place at various times. "At the police station last night Richardson stated that after he had entered the house his wife went out, and on her return she produced a bottle of poison and swallowed the contents before he had a chance to prevent her. He declared there was no foul play, so far as he was concerned, and he thought she must have received the bruise on the forehead when she fell.

### NO WAR.

#### London Daily Graphic Favors Treaty of Alliance.

London, May 1. — The Daily Graphic contends that war between the two great branches of the Anglo-Saxon race is not only impossible, but inconceivable, and a formal treaty of arbitration is essential. The Graphic adds: "Only one treaty is required to give effect to the feeling which is uppermost in all British and American hearts, and that is a treaty of alliance."

### CAN DRINK THE WATERS.

#### INCENDIARY IS AGAIN BUSY

Belleville despatch says: An incendiary was busy again last night, when an attempt was made to burn the stables of the International Hotel in the vicinity of the two former fires. About 10.30 fire was discovered in a cutter stored in time to prevent damage being done. There is talk of citizens organizing a fire patrol.

### SCOTLAND IS ANNOYED.

Edinburgh, May 1. — Scotland is annoyed at its showing in the census, which is published today. Apparently Scotchmen refuse to increase and multiply, as in the past ten years Glasgow has gained only 21,639 inhabitants. That, however, is a wonderful increase when compared with the showings made by the three other principle cities. Edinburgh gained 2,730, Dundee 3,712, and Aberdeen 8,610.

### WOMAN DETECTIVE.

Toronto despatch says: Miss Bowler, a young woman from Whitby, played the part of an amateur detective yesterday and succeeded in bringing about the arrest of Alexander Wilson, also of Whitby, on the charge of perjury.

The complaint arose out of a joint charge of arson against Miss Bowler and her mother, who were acquitted a few weeks ago of setting fire to the barn near Myrtle belonging to the mother of Wilson.

### THE GRAND BANKS

#### Stormy Time for the Vessels at the Fishing Grounds.

St. Pierre, Miquelon, May 1. — The loss of the French bark Guillemette, of Recamp, by collision with an iceberg on the Grand Banks, was reported here today. Of the crew of 31 men, 20 are known to be aboard the barque Paquette, which is bringing them here, and the others are thought to be on another vessel of the fleet.

### NUN SHOT PUPIL.

#### Small Boy Had Surreptitiously Loaded Pistol to Shoot a Bird.

Manhattan, Kan., May 1. — A Catholic sister who was drilling pupils at Flush, twelve miles north of here in a school play, shot and probably fatally wounded one of them in the evening while a revolver she didn't know was loaded. The wounded girl is Pearl Reedy, 18 years old.

### FIGHTING FIRES.

#### Four Hundred Men Head Off the Massachusetts Forest Fires.

North Adams, Mass., May 1. — By splitting into two divisions the forest fires which have been raging for the past three days at the top of Pine Coombe Mountain early to-day, the North Adams firemen were of the opinion that the danger to this city and adjoining towns has been averted.

### AT WIFE'S GRAVE.

#### An Aged Farmer Burned to Death at New Marlboro'.

Great Barrington, Mass., May 1. — After he had cleared the weeds and bushes from about his wife's grave in a cemetery in New Marlboro' yesterday, August Bergeman, an aged farmer, was burned to death on the grave by a fire which he had started to dispose of the gathered brush. Bergeman was alone at the time. More than half a ton of brush was burned over before the fire was controlled and the body of Bergeman, who was 75 years old, was found.

### PORT COLBORNE'S NEW MILL.

#### SECOND IN 4000 YEARS.

London, May 1. — The Jewish Chronicle states that it is rumored that Sir Mathew Nathan will succeed Sir Edouard as British Resident in Egypt. "Should the report prove correct," says the journal, "it will be the second time in history, after a lapse of 4000 years, that a Jew will take the most prominent place in the government of Egypt."

### WOMAN SUFFOCATED.

#### HOG CHOLERA IN ESSEX.

Memphis, Tenn., May 1. — One woman was suffocated, half a dozen other persons were overcome by smoke and wrecked an were injured in a fire that overtook the lower floor of the Waldin block, a four-story building, occupied on three upper floors by the Palmer Hotel, in a lodging house, early to-day.

Windsor, May 1. — Dr. Blou, of Ottawa, government veterinarian, and Dr. W. B. Rowe, of Blochin, who have been here for the past week investigating several suspicious cases of hog cholera, have been confirmed in their diagnosis, and all the infected animals have been slaughtered and the carcasses burned. A rigid inquiry will be conducted as to the origin of the outbreak.

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Dr. J. F. Purvis is now owner of a McLaughlin automobile.

Miss Besy Rowson is visiting in Lyn, a guest of Miss Jean Bryson.

Mr Thomas Lyons an aged resident of Portland, died suddenly on Tuesday.

— Brass Curtain Rods, 10c at Kendrick's.

Mrs Charles Whaley and children left today to join Mr Whaley at Caron Sask.

This morning snow was falling and the temperature was below the freezing point.

Sacramental services will be conducted in the Methodist church on Sunday morning next.

Mr M. Ritter last week concluded his contract of preparing the rectory ruins for the work of re-building.

Mr S. Seaman's new 40 h.p. touring car was in Athens on Saturday evening and was greatly admired.

The annual meeting of the Brockville Cheese Board takes place on Thursday next, May 4th, in Victoria Hall.

Mr P. Y. Hollingsworth recently purchased and has placed on the road a high-bred French carriage stallion.

Mr Ogle Webster is now in charge of the carriage of His Majesty's mails between Athens and Brockville.

Miss Leita Arnold, arts student at Queen's University, has returned home for vacation.

The Smith's Falls Board of Health has ordered all the pupils of the schools of that town to be vaccinated.

— 8 styles lace or insertion trimmed window shades, regular 60c value; Special complete, for 45c.—Kendrick.

J. N. Stinson, Toledo, had a very successful first year in science at Queen's, having passed in the ten subjects on which he wrote.

Saturday's Ontario Gazette contains official announcement of the appointment of Dr. J. A. McCammon as Sheriff of Leeds and Grenville.

Mrs Melvin Milroy and sister, Miss Mollie Stinson, left on Monday evening for Bassano, Alta., where Mr Milroy has engaged in business.

The W.M.S. meets at the home of Mrs W. G. Towriss at 3 p.m. on Thursday, when officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

— Camera for sale — No 2 Folding Brownie (taking picture 2 1/4 x 3 1/4) and complete outfit. A snap. Apply at the Reporter office.

Athens requires a policeman, sanitary inspector, fire inspector, weed inspector janitor for town hall, caretaker for fire engine, etc. See advt in this issue.

Mr and Mrs L. Dunham, Frankville announce the engagement of their daughter, Lena May, to H. E. Kilborn, merchant, of that village, the marriage to take place in Toronto on May 10th.

Miss Caroline LaRose of Cornwall General Hospital has just completed a week's visit with friends here and returns to her duties greatly improved in health.

A bunch of boy scouts broke open the swimming season at Kincaid's creek on Saturday. The water was pronounced to be "bully," but just a little chilly in spots.

Mr and Mrs W. Lorne Steacy left on Monday evening for the West. Their first objective is Calgary, Alta., and thence they expect to proceed in a few weeks to Vancouver, B. C.

Mr Dermot Cauley, recently an operator in the station of the B.W. & N.W. at Athens, has been promoted to a position in the head office at Brockville.

Between 1,500 and 2,000 boxes of cheese were sold in Brockville on Thursday at prices ranging from 1 1/2 cents White goods were slightly in demand.

Isabella Jackson, aged five years, daughter of James Jackson, Brockville was burned to death while playing with a fire that had been started in their back yard.

There will be divine service in Christ Church on Sunday next at 10.30 a.m. with celebration of the Holy Communion Divine service also at Trinity Church at 2.30.

— Farm and Dairy and the Athens Reporter will be sent one year to any address in Canada for \$1.50.

"Dear teacher," wrote little Edith's mother, "please excuse Edith for not coming to school yesterday, as she fell in the gutter. By doing the same you will greatly oblige her mother."

Mr T. G. Stevens is preparing a shipment of mirrors to be sent away for re-plating. Those having mirrors that need attention should send them to Mr Stevens' shop at once.

We are pleased to note that Messrs. Clarence Howard, Geo. Holmes, and E. A. McLean passed well to the front in the subjects of their third year in medicine at Queen's University.

At Elgin on May 1st, Rev. Wm. Pearson performed the ceremony which united in marriage Henry J. Ripley and Orrissa H., daughter of the late Cephas Brown.

There was an increased attendance at the Baptist Church last Sabbath evening. The later hour for commencing the service—half past seven—gives the farmers a better chance to attend church.

Beginning with next Sunday the Plum Hollow Sunday School will open at 9.30 through the summer months. The church service will also commence a half hour earlier.

The house fly season is now approaching, and as it is well known now that flies are breeders of and carry disease, swat him on every occasion—morning noon and night—and every favorable occasion that presents itself.

The most muskrats ever bought by one man in a single day in this locality were taken in by J. R. Kerr, Newboro, last Saturday. The exact count was 5158 skins. They came from various sections between Kingston and Ottawa.

A business deal was negotiated in Westport, Saturday, by which W. C. Eredinburgh disposed of his sawmill and factory to the Westport Foundry and Plating Company, whose premises were recently destroyed by fire.

In Prescott the newly appointed assessors have marked their first year in office by a general raising of the assessed value of real estate all over the town.

Mr and Mrs G. E. White (nee Miss Frankie King) of Vancouver, B.C., are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son on April 21st. Both mother and son are doing well. Mrs White left Athens over thirteen years ago with Mr and Mrs J. L. Gallagher.

On Monday Mr G. E. Shook left Athens for Moose Jaw, Sask., where he has accepted an engagement on the police force of that city. Mr Shook filled very efficiently a variety of offices in Athens, including that of Chief of Police.

At the rectory of Trinity church, Brockville, on Wednesday last, Rev. F. Deatry Woodcock, united in marriage Miss Mary Elizabeth Curtis, of Athens, to James Windsor, an employee of the House of Industry, near that village. The contracting parties were unattended and immediately after this ceremony returned to Athens.

At their meeting in Delta on April 22nd the Board of License Commissioners for Leeds adopted a resolution requiring that free view of all bar rooms be provided, unobstructed by blinds, shutters, or other fixtures inside or outside of the building.

Monday's daily papers announced the death of four aged and well known men of these counties: J. P. Wiser of Prescott, Richard Dowley of Brockville (formerly of Frankville), Abraham Cummings of Brockville, and John H. Davis of North Augusta.

Resignation Accepted A special meeting of the village council was held on Friday evening to deal with the resignation of Geo. E. Shook from the office of Chief of Police, etc. The resignation was formally accepted following the passage of the following resolution:—

Moved by E Taylor, seconded by A. E. McLean that this council learns with regret of the intention of G. E. Shook to sever his official connection with the village of Athens. During his years of service as Chief of Police, etc., he has been most efficient, discharging all duties in a highly satisfactory manner.

In connection with their exhibit, the Grand Railway System are installing at the Festival of the Empire, London, an oil painting they have had executed by a prominent artist, of a portion of the city of Ottawa showing the Parliament Buildings, the Ottawa River and Laurentian Hills in the distance, the "Chateau Laurier," the Grand Trunk's magnificent hotel, the new Grand Trunk station and the northern section of the city. Those who have seen the picture have expressed gratification on the true portrayal of the subject and the artistic execution of the work. The picture went forward to London via the S.S. Celtic on Saturday, April 15th, and will no doubt be an attractive feature in the Grand Trunk building at the Festival of Empire. The picture is five feet by seven feet with a 12 inch gold moulding of special design.

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