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COLCOCK'S

Brockville — Ontario

Local Items

A series of special services will shortly begin in the Methodist church, to continue for two or three weeks.

The Ladies' Aid meets at the home of Mrs H. H. Arnold at 8 p. m. on Thursday.

Mrs Almeron Robinson and daughter, Miss Carrie, are visiting friends in New York state.

THIS ARTICLE REMOVED

Mr Wm. Kennedy, a retired farmer and prominent citizen of Westport, died at his residence in that village on Monday after an illness of three months of cirrhosis of the liver.

—If you want what you have not or if you have what you want not, tell the people in the People's Column of the Reporter. Cost—one week, 25c; each subsequent week, 10c.

Mr and Mrs N. Barber and daughter of Easton's Corners and Miss Cora Barber and Mrs D. Hodgins of Shawville, Que, were week end guests of Mr and Mrs R. J. Phillips.

A consignment of 5,000 black bass fingerlings were this week deposited in Charleston Lake. This exhausted the supply at the hatchery, but a further supply of 5,000 is promised for next season.

Mr and Mrs M. J. Johnson, Oak Leaf, and Mr and Mrs A. W. Johnston, Charleston, motored to Gananoque to-day (Wednesday) to attend the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Senator Taylor.

"Your cows moo in a most peculiar way." "The instinct for self-preservation develops in animals," remarked the farmer. "Them cows don't want to be run over by the pesky autos, so they are learning to honk."

The annual Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held in the Parish of Athens and Lansdowne Rear on Sunday Sept. 21. The preacher will be the Rev. W. Hilyard Smith, Rector of Leeds Rear. The service in Athens will be at 7 p.m.

Mr and Mrs A. N. Sherman left to-day for Cranberry Lake in Wolford where they will go into camp for the hunting season. The ducks will have to fly high and dive deep to escape the long range guns and sons-of-guns included in Arza's extensive equipment.

An excellent choral service was rendered in the Methodist church on Sunday evening, in connection with Rev Mr Giles' sermon. Duets in the anthems were artistically rendered by Miss Helen Brown and Miss G. Cross and Messrs T. Horsefield and D. Abrahams.

The Frontenac county school inspector is having a great deal of difficulty in getting teachers for some of the schools. At the present time there are three or four schools without teachers. Until suitable teachers can be secured, the scholars in these districts will have to do without any school instruction.

A large number of young people attended the Epworth League meeting on Tuesday evening, at which 126 lantern views were shown, illustrating a missionary trip along the British Columbia Coast. The views were beautiful and served to impress all with the scenic grandeur of the Canadian range of mountains. Mr A. M. Lee read the descriptive matter accompanying the views, so that entertainment and instruction were pleasantly combined.

A man with a strong penchant for "hugging" women and girls was run out of Smith's Falls At North Bay he resumed the practice on the streets of that town and was sent to prison for six months. On being liberated he was ticketed to Jasper and from that place started to walk to Smith's Falls. En route he visited the home of Mr Delbert Barber and attempted to hug his wife, but Mrs Barber proved too much for the hugger and successfully resisted his amorous advances. He was arrested and sentenced to 18 months.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Little*

Mr and Mrs R. L. Cliffe and little son, who have been visiting for several weeks at the home of Mr and Mrs H. H. Arnold, left this morning for their home in New Westminster, B. C.

Ogdensburg is still up in arms over the enforcement by a visiting state inspector of the automobile law requiring all Canadian motor cars to take out a New York state license before they can be landed on that side of the river. The order has already turned back several prominent Canadian parties as there is nobody in Ogdensburg who can issue a license and a delay of nearly a week is caused in waiting for a license before they can use their cars.

Speaking on the subject of modern dress, His Grace Archbishop Bruchesi said: "Oh, where are the Christian women of our mother's day! Is modesty, innocence and purity to be banished from our families? The shameful and indecent styles must be banished from our midst. They are shameful and sinful. God must not die in the soul of our young women. I consider it my duty to warn the mothers against these fashions in dress, which are revolting to every feeling of delicacy and are fraught with the greatest danger to morals. Our mothers must stand for their own dignity and purity."

The town of Carleton Place has recently sold to home investors municipal bonds to the extent of \$85,000, and commenting on the sale the Herald says: There is no better security, and 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 p. c. in town bonds is much better than 3 p. c. in the savings banks. Besides it relieves, to some extent, the money stringency, provides a safe security for local funds, and gives the people of the town an added interest in local affairs. There is an old axiom that the Lord helps those who help themselves. In the present financial crisis Carleton Place has proved the old saying to be correct.

The large auditorium of the Methodist church was filled to the doors on Sunday evening, when Rev W. W. Giles conducted the service, speaking on the subject of "The greatest need of the greatest age." The present, of course, is the "greatest age," and the speaker made plain, in his own unique way, that the greatest need was for men and women of pure hearts working for worthy ends. For thirty years Mr Giles has preached to the people of Athens and vicinity at the close of his summer sojourn at Charleston Lake, until now a feeling of comradeship has been established between preacher and people, and the omission of his annual sermon would be regarded as a distinct loss by his many friends and admirers.

CHANGED CLOSE SEASON

For many years it has been evident to the salmon anglers at Charleston Lake that the close season did not cover the spawning season, as large numbers of salmon were caught over the spawning beds each year during early October.

Attempts have been made to have the close season changed, and the Reporter is now informed by Mr A. E. Donovan, M. P. P., that the Department of Fisheries has recognized the reasonableness of the request. An Order-in-Council has been passed by the Dominion Government, prescribing the close season for White-fish and Salmon-trout in Charleston Lake from the 5th day of October to the 5th day of November, both days inclusive. They also prescribe that no one shall fish for, catch, take or kill any White-fish or Salmon trout in the said waters during this close season.

Card of Thanks

The family of the late Justus Haskins, Philipsville, desire to express our appreciation and thanks to the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness to us and our parent during his recent illness and death. They also especially thank the minister and choir, the remembrance of which they will always cherish.

A Matched Race

Three Athenian owners of running horses have arranged to settle at Frankville Fair their difference of opinion as to the relative speed of their ponies. Others will be allowed to enter the race, but, of course, in Athens, only the local horses are supposed to be in it. Of course, a "dark horse" may land the prize, but it will certainly have to "go some" to do it.

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To be in a position to state that we carry hundreds of garments and scarcely two alike makes the assortment very exclusive and should bring you direct to this store. Our garments are so different from what you see elsewhere.

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OMAHA LIBERAL TO THE LADIES

She Likes Slit Skirts and "September Morn."

THE "BEACH" DANCE

Where Fashion's Votaries Wear One-piece Suits.

Although Omaha women cannot vote, orders recently issued from the different departments of the city government give them more privileges than they enjoy in any other city in the country.

While Milwaukee, Chicago, St. Louis and other western cities have been terribly aroused over the question of bathing suits for women, out here they are more liberal. "Anything that men can wear, women can wear," is the motto at the Rod and Gun Club bathing beach. The "one-piece" bathing suit is the usual and regular thing and many of the women wear men's bathing suits.

"Spooning in city parks is all right," says Park Commissioner Hummel. "What do people suppose parks are for, anyway? If they can't spoon in the parks, where can they spoon?" So Omaha's parks have lots of nice, quiet, dark nooks and corners, and while there are park policemen in plenty, these guardians always stay out in the open walks where they can be seen before they can see. "Let 'em spoon" is the order the Park Commission ordered some time ago.

Slit skirts: They can wear them slit high enough to show the knee, but no higher," says Chief of Police Henry W. Dunn. "I have issued orders to the patrolmen to arrest all women whose slit skirts show the top of their hose. I'll have nothing so indecent on the streets of Omaha—and I don't believe Omaha women will wear them cut that high, anyway."

Chief Dunn says he does not care how ultra-thin are the hose worn with these long slit skirts, but he won't stand for rips and holes in the fabric. "But Omaha women won't stand for them, either," says the chief.

Omaha is a splendid city for the new transparent skirt, too. The sun is bright out here, and when the water of the light filmy stuff gets between the man with two eyes and the afternoon sun, the effect is startling. But the police have orders not to interfere. If any Omaha woman wants to walk down Farnum street with a gossamer sort of dress arranged for its transparent effects, she will not be stopped by an officer of the law. It's all right. As for tight skirts—well, they can't get 'em so tight that the Omaha police will interfere.

"Bears?" "Trots?" "Hugs?" "Tango?" Omaha has a Board of Censors and these things are not permitted in the public dance halls, but at the clubs they are danced to the heart's content of those who are neither too old nor too fat to indulge. And not a word from the censors, either.

"Let 'em enjoy themselves. It's all right. Not a bit of harm in it," say those who are paid by the city to know what is good and what is bad in dancing.

The new "Beach" dance is also allowed at the bathing beaches, where the guests all wear bathing suits and get out on the sand and dance. And these suits are not those made for the purpose of not going near the water either. Just the ordinary kind of bathing suit which a man wears—the one-piece kind that sticks tight enough when dry and a lot tighter when wet. Many of the women wear them just as the men do.

Some cities went into hysterics over "September Morn." So did Omaha—but not in the way of prohibiting its public display and sale. Half the department stores in town placed copies on sale at 10 cents, and sold out in an hour. Just one single effort was made to have the picture removed from display on the streets. And "old fashion" woman wrote to Mayor Dahman about it, and here is what the "Cowboy Mayor" answered:

"Your objection to the picture and your request that I suppress it gave me much pleasure, for it gave me definite information as to where I could see a copy without tramping all over town. Really, madam, I cannot agree with you that there is anything bad about that picture. I am one who believes in the saying, 'It all depends on the condition of one's stomach whether they see wrong things or not.'"

"If I could paint a picture like that I would resign at once and go into the business of painting pictures. There might have been a trifle more draperies about the maid in the picture, but the artist didn't see it that way, and he is a better judge of nature than I am."

Some cities "cut out" spooning in automobiles, but the Omaha officials say it's all right. "Be careful where you're going, though," they say to the people in the car.

To destroy fleas on animals wash with infusion of cocculus Indicus, or with coal oil, and afterward with soap and water.

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Brought My Stomach Back to Health

"That's Why I Recommend Nerviline."

The person who suffers from a stomach ailment, if far from a doctor or drug store, is bound to be extremely miserable. Such was the case with Mr. Johnson E. Evans, a well known farmer, living near Edmonton, who writes: "My stomach got upset I think owing to bad water. I found great pain after eating. There was swelling and much gas in my stomach and no person could have been more miserable. Away out in the country it is not easy to get medical attention except at great cost, and I had to do without. A neighbor who heard of my condition sent me a partly filled bottle of 'Nerviline.' The first dose eased the pain in my stomach. How good that relief was I never will be able to tell. Nerviline cured me. To-day our home is supplied with many bottles of Nerviline. No farmer should be without it, because if it's cramps, diarrhoea or internal pain, Nerviline is a dead sure cure. If it's a strain, a little bruise, lumbago, rheumatism or neuralgia, a few rubs with Nerviline cures very quickly. For these reasons I recommend Nerviline."

Never go to bed at night unless you know Nerviline is handy on the shelf; it prevents illness by curing little aches and pains at the beginning. Sold by every storekeeper and druggist. Family size, 50 cents, trial size 25 cents, prepared by The Catarthozone Co., Buffalo, N. Y., U. S. A.

The Weeping Willow. It's a graceful touch. One of them does a lot for a place. Too many suggest melancholy hunting.

The rough, gray bark is very attractive. But the pendulous branches are its great feature. Undoubtedly it monopolizes sentiment among our tree friends.

Its heart is called "grave and solemn" and its boughs are "bent with weeping."

Undoubtedly our weeping willow is a descendant of these Babylonian willows, its name in Latin being Salix Babylonica.

All of our native willows are small and all of our larger American varieties have been imported from the old countries.

Most of us know that in a drum of figs sent to Alexander Pope by a friend in Smyrna he found an interesting little twig, which he planted at Twickenham. A young British officer, thinking to settle here, brought a piece, which he gave to Washington. It thrived, fathering the tribe here. In this city the first willow was planted by Governor John Penn in his South Third street garden.

St. Joseph, Levis, July 14, 1903.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen,—I was badly kicked by my horse last May and after using several preparations on my leg nothing would do. My leg was black as jet. I was laid up in bed for a fortnight and could not walk. After using three bottles of your MINARD'S LINIMENT I was perfectly cured, so that I could start on the road. JOS. DIBES, Commercial Traveler.

RACIAL CRANIUMS.

Differences in Shape Usually Indicate the Race.

The study of heads reveals some interesting facts. One is that the left side of the head is almost always larger than the right, due, it is said, to the universal practice of using the right hand more than the left. Another curious point is that nationality considerably affects the shape of the head. It would surely be an interesting subject for a biologist to explain why it is that the nearer the equator a race resides the rounder their heads become.

No one needs reminding of the round, bullet-shaped skull of the negro, but the latter will assure us that a Frenchman's head is rounder than an Englishman's, and similarly an Englishman's rounder than a Scotsman's. The average Scot's head tapers considerably toward the front, narrows at the temples, and becomes square and prominent at the forehead. German heads, on the average, are rounder than English, and broader at the back. Irish dears, in general, are long, like the Scotch, but scarcely as narrow.

The Slavonic head is narrow in front and very broad at the back. When the recent Peace Conference took place in London a few months ago, the first thing that the delegates of the Balkan states did on arrival was to call on Messrs. Heath with a demand to be immediately fitted out with the top hats that their new position necessitated; and that famous firm was well-nigh appalled to provide, at instant notice, hats of so totally unusual shape.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

Blankets Made of Bark. They have trees for blankets in Ecuador, and they like them, too. They are fond of the firm touch of the bark against them as they sleep.

We would probably think they were "zero in covering," and we would doubtless wake up in a much better condition if we slept under a wood covering.

But the native Indians are most enthusiastic, according to J. Jamieson, a traveler and lecturer, who has recently returned from those parts.

The blankets are made from the bark of a tree which is cut particularly thin. It is pounded and moistened and then pounded some more and put out in the sun to dry. And it is most desirable and economical blanket it is, lasting anywhere from two to five years.

In the moral world there is nothing impossible if we bring a thorough will to it. Man can do everything with himself, but he must not attempt to do too much with others.—William von Humboldt.

UNVEILED TABLET.

On July 16, in the little fishing village of Perce, on the Quebec shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, a memorial was unveiled to Sir William Edmond Logan, Kt., L.D., F. R. S., founder and first director of the Geological Survey of Canada. The day selected for this interesting event was the occasion of the visit of seventy members of the International Geological Congress to the Gaspé country and the memorial was erected by the congress to commemorate the work of Sir William Logan which began in Gaspé in 1842. The memorial is a bronze slab bearing a strong and effective medallion portrait of Sir William accompanied by a suitable inscription and is the highly artistic work of Mr. Henri Hebert, of Montreal. It has been attached to the face of a natural rock wall in the heart of Perce village. At the unveiling ceremony suitable addresses were made by Dr. A. E. Barlow, chairman of the Logan Memorial Committee, and by Dr. John M. Clarke. As a further expression of their desire to establish the memory of Logan and his work in Gaspé, and to acknowledge their appreciation of the extraordinary attractions of Perce, the committee contemplates acquiring the land about the present memorial in order to present it to the town as a public park.—Science.

Berberine Relief.

Everything that goes wrong is attributed by the Berberines, a tribe of the Sudan, to the devil. Ethel S. Stevens, in "My Sudan Year," quotes a story told her by Bishop Gwynne of his "boys" coming to him one day and announcing, "The devil is in the house."

"Oh," said the bishop, "that is very interesting! When did he arrive?" "He came in with the cook from the souk market yesterday evening."

"Really?" commented the bishop, puzzled. "Yes, and in the night he came out of the cook and passed into me."

"Oh, and what did he do?" "He went to the cupboard and broke a plate and the top of the jam jar."

"A light broke in on the bishop. "Oh, he was after the jam! I suppose he ate some?" "Yes," said the boy, "he did."

The idea of devil-possession is not merely an elaborate form of excuse; the native servant really believes in it.

For Women's Ailments

Dr. Marlet's Female Pills have been the Standard for 20 years and for 40 years prescribed and recommended by Physicians. Accept no other. At all druggists.

Unconscious Child Humor.

One day small Willie put on a pair of his older brother's trousers, which were much too large for him. "Mamma," he said, "I feel awfully lonesome in these pants."

"I don't want to ever be an angel," announced small Harold one evening. "Why not, dear?" asked his mother.

"Cause the angels have to work too hard lightin' all the stars at night an' blowin' 'em out in the mornin'," he replied.

"Mamma, I love you awful much," said little Amy as she put her arms around her mother's neck. "And I love you, too, Amy, when you are good," replied her mother.

"But, mamma," continued the little miss, not to be outdone, "I love you just the same, even when you ain't no good."

"What's the matter, James?" asked the mother of her four-year-old. "That little b-boy across the street hit me," he sobbed in reply.

"Oh, well, be a man," she said, "and don't cry for a little thing like that." "I ain't cryin' for t-that," he answered. "I'm c-cryin' 'cause he r-runned in the house 'fore I-could get at him."—Chicago News.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

An Irishman strolling along the quays in New York Harbor came across the wooden barricade which is placed around the enclosure where immigrants suspected of suffering from a contagious disease are isolated. "Phwat's this boardin' for?" he asked a bystander.

"Oh," was the reply, "that's to keep out fever and things like that, you know."

"Indade?" said Pat. "I've often heard of the Board of Health but, be jabers this is the first time I've seen it."

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When Appetite Fails and Digestion is Bad

There is Danger Ahead for the Man Who Neglects Nature's Warning.

Dyspepsia Tendencies are Serious and Should be Treated Accordingly.



There is a strong moral in the statement of James Schrum, of Pleasant street, Dartmouth, N. S. Like thousands of people he was failing in health

THIS ARTICLE REMOVED

...I was wasting away simply because no remedy I used gave tone and strength to my stomach. The vital forces of my system seemed dead. I was advised to try Dr. Hamilton's Pills. What hidden weakness they searched out I don't know, but in a miraculous way they have made a new man of me. My stomach troubles are cured, rich blood now runs through my veins—clear skin and unmistakable evidences of health and vigor I feel every day. Dr. Hamilton's Pills have certainly mastered the secret of curing the sickly enervated man and I strongly urge everyone in failing or lost health to use this grand remedy."

Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut are purely vegetable—25¢ per box, five for \$1.00, all druggists and storekeepers, or postpaid from the Catarthozone Co., Buffalo, N.Y., and Kingston, Ont.

A LUCKY GIRL.

Dulcie Farr inherited Five Fortunes in Eight Months.

We have heard a great deal lately about people coming into fortunes. But the record in this kind of luck certainly belongs to Miss Dulcie Farr, an eighteen-year-old Californian girl, who has inherited no less than five fortunes, and all within a period of eight months!

Miss Farr, who is only eighteen, was a fashion writer on the staff of a small magazine, when suddenly a great-aunt of hers died, leaving a snug little income of \$1,500 a year.

A WINDSOR LADY'S APPEAL

To All Women: I will send free with full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Ulceration, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or Growths, also Hot Flushes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back or Bowels, Kidney and Bladder troubles, where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex. You should be cured at home at a cost of only about 12 cents a week. My book, "Women's Own Medical Advice," also sent free on request. Write to-day. Address Mrs. M. Summers, Box H. S. Windsor, Ont.

The Reward. He passed Love by for money and got the cash he sought. For good he gave up Friendship—which can't be sold or bought. He had good-Bye to pleasure, and said farewell to fun. He only wanted cash in hand—and cash was what he won.

He had no heart for laughter, no time to dream or dance. What beautiful charms for him, he scoffed at fair Romance. The joy of Living called to him, but, an angel's heart, he would not change. What did he care if grass were green and skies were blue and clear?

He knew that profits mounted up, that interest was high. But gold of dawn or sunset seemed worthless to his eye. For all the fun and frolic, the sorrow or the pain. The wonder of the busy world, its struggle, stress and strain. Were nothing more than noise to him, and so he tolled along. And never knew the face of joy or listened to her song.

For all his greed of heart and hand, his trail of wrong and fraud. What punishment shall come to him whose money was his god? Behold, he hath his punishment and more he needeth not. He gave is very soul for Gold—and Gold is All he got!—BERTON BRALEY.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

Try sliced cucumbers, new onions, beets and lettuce. Bunches of asparagus tips encircled by green pepper rings on lettuce. Tomatoes stuffed with dried celery or string beans on lettuce. Grated boiled corn and shredded peppers on thick slices of tomato on lettuce. Brussels sprouts, green peppers, onions and chichory. Pimentos, peas an dstring beans on lettuce. Shredded celery, sliced radishes and romaine. Lima beans, chives and lettuce.

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FIGHT WITH SHARKS.

Frisco Fishermen in a Battle With Treshers.

After battling for three hours with a school of huge sharks entangled in their nets in Hattinoo bay, four Italian fishermen managed to kill and land three of the monsters. So exhausted were the men by the long struggle that they were obliged to surrender their nets to three still larger sharks which escaped, carrying with them \$30 worth of fishing gear.

Captain Dominic Gioia and his mate, Florin Gioia, had hardly put out their bass nets when a school of sharks pursued the bass rushed into the meshes. The sharks were of the trasher variety, and dealing tremendous blows with their long tails, they made havoc of the nets and threatened to smash in the stout planking of the boats. Two other fishing boats came to the aid of Gioia and Canipa, and, after three hours of desperate fighting, the united crews succeeded in clubbing the heads of the sharks into submission. But the largest of them all, with two others, could not be subdued, the nets slipping from the fingers of the exhausted men, and the monster and his companions swept off with the trailing meshes.

A hundred of the captured sharks when brought to Fisherman's wharf measured sixteen feet in length and weighed over 80 pounds. The others were scarcely smaller. Captain Gioia was positive in asserting that the monster that carried on his back was equal in length to his 20-foot boat. These trashers or cow-sharks, are not often seen by the fishermen in these waters. Their distinctive feature is the powerful blade-like upper jaw, a flat tail, often equal in length to the body of the shark. The thrasher often reaches a great size, and is said to attack and defeat whales with blows from its formidable tail.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Many a man is on his' uppers who couldn't stand on his head to save his life.

DUELLING PISTOLS.

Were Costly Beauties in Seventeenth Century.

By the end of the seventeenth century (remarks a writer in Bally's Magazine) the pistol had come fairly into vogue as a duellist's weapon in England, and from that time forward pistol duels were frequent—more frequent than those with the sword. Gunmakers devoted their best workmanship to duelling pistols, and at duelling range, say up to twenty paces, these weapons were as near perfection as skill could make them. The latter-day pistol had a ten-inch barrel, and carried a ball of 48 to the pound, percussion locks of the best workmanship, and hair triggers, which, though a little slower than the ordinary "pull," had obvious advantages for their purpose. Manton was the foremost maker—he charged fifty guineas a pair for the best, and the "feel" when held in position was said to be exquisite; so admirably balanced that it seemed capable of hitting a crown piece at any distance up to fifty yards.

Of course, only constant practice would make a good shot, and a very high standard of marksmanship was set for the man who aspired to be considered an expert with the pistol. When he could hit twelve wafers at fourteen yards, and do it within six minutes, loading his pistol himself between shots, he might consider himself proficient; and it will be borne in mind that the jangle-loading pistol took several seconds to properly charge. The great thing was to bring up the pistol true on the mark and fire with the least possible delay.

Proficiency, of course, was not everything. It was quite as daunting to face a pistol at twelve yards as to face the sword at close quarters, and no proficiency at wafers would atone for nervousness on the ground. One ardent practitioner schooled himself with a contrivance of his own invention. He had the life-size figure of a man with a bracketed hand in which a pistol could be held at the "present," and by means of a cord from the trigger of the pistol in the dummy's grasp to his own belt, he discharged the weapon at himself as he fired his own pistol, by slightly drawing back.

Great stress was laid on the importance of aiming at a small object. "Mark well one of the gilt buttons on his coat; a person can never fire with accuracy unless he aim at some small object." Which explains while the experienced duellist of more recent days "went out" dressed entirely in black, that his person might offer no such mark as the glistening of an older day.

Being in position, the men each held his arm well in to the side and raised his pistol to the proper level, keeping the head straight, the eyes turned as much to the right as possible, and the pistol directed steadily towards the small object—that gilt button, if the adversary were so obliging as to wear one. And when the word was given, being cool and collected.

"Pull the trigger carefully and endeavor to avoid moving a muscle in the arm or hand; sufficient force to discharge the pistol. Should the party be hit he must not feel alarmed or imagine himself more seriously wounded than perhaps is the case. I once knew a man who fell rather deeply on the ribs; he fell as though dead and became quite insensible through fright."

Love Fancies.

"God gives us love. Sometimes to love. He lends us; but when love is grown weary that on which it grows. Fall off, and love is left alone."

Should a woman be unfortunate enough to lose her wedding ring, her nearest blood relative should provide her with another, and not her husband. To dream of a basin denotes many lovers to a maiden.

To find out how long you have to wait for the wedding day, pull a hair from the head and thread it through a borrowed wedding ring. Then hold the ring on the hair as steadily as possible just above the top of a half-filled tumbler of water. You will soon find that the ring will swing gently until it touches the water. When it has touched the water, there are rainbows in the eyes, which cover every black cloud with gorgeous hues.

What a beautiful thing is love. However poor our circumstances, humble our homes, mean and uneducated our faculties or limited the number of our friends, love can make a heaven in the breast. The girl who dreams of a peacock will marry a handsome and vain young man.

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FIGHT WITH SHARKS.

Frisco Fishermen in a Battle With Treshers.

After battling for three hours with a school of huge sharks entangled in their nets in Hattinoo bay, four Italian fishermen managed to kill and land three of the monsters. So exhausted were the men by the long struggle that they were obliged to surrender their nets to three still larger sharks which escaped, carrying with them \$30 worth of fishing gear.

Captain Dominic Gioia and his mate, Florin Gioia, had hardly put out their bass nets when a school of sharks pursued the bass rushed into the meshes. The sharks were of the trasher variety, and dealing tremendous blows with their long tails, they made havoc of the nets and threatened to smash in the stout planking of the boats. Two other fishing boats came to the aid of Gioia and Canipa, and, after three hours of desperate fighting, the united crews succeeded in clubbing the heads of the sharks into submission. But the largest of them all, with two others, could not be subdued, the nets slipping from the fingers of the exhausted men, and the monster and his companions swept off with the trailing meshes.

A hundred of the captured sharks when brought to Fisherman's wharf measured sixteen feet in length and weighed over 80 pounds. The others were scarcely smaller. Captain Gioia was positive in asserting that the monster that carried on his back was equal in length to his 20-foot boat. These trashers or cow-sharks, are not often seen by the fishermen in these waters. Their distinctive feature is the powerful blade-like upper jaw, a flat tail, often equal in length to the body of the shark. The thrasher often reaches a great size, and is said to attack and defeat whales with blows from its formidable tail.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Many a man is on his' uppers who couldn't stand on his head to save his life.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND IN WOOLLEN Mill Dye House, working on raw stock and piece dyes. This is a good opportunity for a bright young man. Apply: The Silinsky Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Brantford, Ontario.

WANTED—LADIES TO DO PLAIN and light sewing at home; whole or spare time; good pay; work sent any distance; charges paid; send stamp for full particulars. National Manufacturing Co., Montreal.

Burglar-Proof Glass.

Great strides have been made in France these last few months in the use of burglar-proof glass. Its discovery was due to its tremendous need, for Paris, of all the cities in the world, seemed to be most at the mercy of that particular form of highwayman who frequents the boulevards at night, breaks the windows of jewelry stores and makes away with the valuables.

It is asserted this burglar-proof glass is made by a secret process, though, of course, it is admitted that thickness is one of its first essentials. It is from one-half to an inch thick and is able to resist a hard blow, aimed by a strong man, from a 15-pound iron handle. Ordinary glass would have been shattered by a heavy blow less than one-tenth as heavy.

Much is expected from this invention in the near future.—Chicago Tribune.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

The Waistband.

It's a girle. Or it's a sash. Or a draped scarf. Or a chiffon dress it's often lace. A Russian blouse has a thin band of leather. Sashes of satin are embroidered in bright tints. Its innovation entirely alters the appearance of the skirt.

ARE HARD TIMES COMING?

Yes, for the man that wears tight boots, but his corns are relieved quickly by Putnam's Corn Extractor. No pain, and certain cure. That's Putnam's. Use no other, 25 cents, at all dealers.

Witches Not All Extinct.

The death of a baby was being investigated, and the mother testified that she had carried it around the legs of the table three times, and then across a bridge a mile and a half from her home three times. And during the child's illness she took nothing from any one who brought there, and did not allow any one to see the child, in spite of the solicitous treatment the child did in a few hours.

Why did the mother perform all this nonsense? Because she took her sick baby to a witch doctor, who told her that the infant was bewitched, and the treatment recommended would drive out the witches. This awful instance of superstition did not occur in Asia or Africa or in the islands of the South Sea, nor has it come down to us from the Middle Ages. It occurred in Reading, Pa., in August, 1913, and the mother's testimony was given at a Corner's inquest.—Philadelphia Record.

Biliousness

is certainly one of the most disagreeable ailments which flesh is heir to. Coated tongue—bitter taste in the mouth—nausea—dizziness—these combine to make life a burden. The cause is a disordered liver—the cure Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills. They go straight to the root of the trouble, put the liver right, cleanse the stomach and bowels, clear the tongue and take away the bitter taste from the mouth. At the first sign of biliousness take

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

Style Features Seen

Evening wraps short and in the new bright shades— Coats of three-piece suits, mostly in blouse effects— Many evening dresses show blending of soft colors— Skirts with low draperies in the back and slashed at front or sides— Tailor-made suits with long coats in cutaway effects and with contrasting vests.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Popular Dress Silks.

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COUNTRY-WIDE PROHIBITION

Dominion Alliance To Campaign for Federal Law.

BIG CONVENTION

For All of Canada, To Be Held in Ottawa.

Toronto despatch: With a declaration that every effort would be made to secure at the earliest possible date the enactment of a Dominion prohibition law, the Council of the Dominion Alliance closed its annual meeting at the Metropolitan Church yesterday. The resolution was contained in the report of the Legislation Committee, which occasioned much discussion among the delegates, but was eventually adopted. It declared that, in view of the influx of immigrants from countries where the liquor traffic was not so effectively curbed as in Canada, and the importance of cultivating the highest form of sobriety in the building up of a great democracy, steps should be taken to bring about the passage of a Federal law prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of liquor. It was suggested that the question should be brought up in Parliament next session. The resolution also called upon the members of the Alliance to undertake campaigns for the election of vigorous prohibition candidates to Dominion and Provincial Parliaments; to urge the provinces to enact prohibitory laws, and to secure legislation preventing the importation of liquors into dry municipalities.

Some delegates thought that the inauguration of a campaign for national prohibition might conflict with the application already made for amendments to the Canada Temperance Act. Others thought that the commencement of the movement would be an incentive to the Government to make the required amendments to the Canada Temperance Act. Others thought that the commencement of the movement would be an incentive to the Government to make the required amendments.

It was decided to co-operate with the provincial branches in arranging for a Dominion convention at Ottawa during the next session of the Federal Parliament, and also to provide for the appointment of a Legislation Committee, composed of members of both houses of Parliament favorable to prohibition, and members of the Council.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. president, J. R. Douglall, Montreal; president, F. S. Spence, Toronto; treasurer, W. H. Orr, Toronto; recording secretary, J. H. Carson, Montreal; corresponding secretary, D. A. McDermid, Toronto; vice-presidents: Prince Edward Island, Rev. G. A. Sutherland, Kensington; P. E. I., R. C. Goff, Charlottetown; P. E. I., Nova Scotia—E. E. Hewson, Amherst; N. S., E. B. Newcome, Kentville; N. S., New Brunswick—J. Willard Smith, St. John; N. B., Rev. H. E. Thomas, Carleton Place; Quebec—S. J. Carter, Montreal, Que.; Chief Justice F. X. Lemieux, Quebec, Que.

Ontario—Joseph Gilson, Ingersoll; Ont., Rev. Father Minahan, Toronto, Ont.

Manitoba—Right Rev. Archbishop Matheson, Winnipeg; Man., Rev. C. W. Gordon, D.D., Winnipeg, Man.

Saskatchewan—Rev. Principal Lloyd, Saskatoon, Sask.; Mr. J. K. McInnis, Regina, Sask.

Alberta—Rev. A. R. Aldridge, North Edmonton, Alta.; Rev. J. Clarke, Calgary, Alta.

British Columbia—Rev. J. K. Unsworth, Vancouver, B.C.; Rev. C. T. Scott, Victoria, B. C.

An Executive Committee of twenty-one members from all over Canada was appointed.

NEW HAVEN WRECK

Interstate Commerce Commission Begins Probe.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 8.—With Engineer A. B. Miller and Flagman C. H. Murray under arrest, and a cased by Coroner Mix of criminal responsibility for the fatal New Haven wreck on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad last Tuesday morning, with a cost of 12 lives, Commissioner McGeorge of the Interstate Commerce Commission, began a public investigation today to determine the causes of the disaster.

Flagman Murray, who was dead up last night for lack of a bondman, was still in jail this morning, but it was expected that the necessary \$3,000 bond would be furnished by the New Haven road some time during the day.

President Howard Elliott of the New Haven left for New York this morning to attend the regular Friday meeting of the road's executive committee, and before his departure he gave instructions that bail for Murray should be furnished. Miller is at liberty under a \$3,000 bond furnished by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen.

BRITISH SCHOONER LOST.

New York, Sept. 8.—News of the total loss of the British schooner *Mersey* and its cargo of coconuts on the shore of the Isle of Pines, south of Cuba, was brought here today by four members of the rescue crew and passengers on the steamship *Metapan* from Colon. The *Mersey* drifted on to the beach while getting under way for New York.

TOOK AN AIR TRIP

Mrs. Winston Churchill Followed Husband's Lead.

London, Sept. 8.—Mrs. Winston Churchill has followed her husband's example of taking a trip in the air. It just became known on Tuesday. After her husband had made a flight in a waterplane of the Admiralty on the flying ground at Hangle with Lieutenant Spencer Grey, Mrs. Churchill entered the machine, which rose some 700 feet. He executed a graceful circle flight lasting nearly a quarter of an hour. The "First Lord of the Admiralty" meanwhile awaited his wife's return anxiously. He never once looked up while she was flying. His explanation afterwards was, with a smile, "I have been on thorns ever since you went up." This was borne out by his agitated manner during his wife's trip. Mrs. Churchill alighted from the machine with her cap blown off shortly after she left the ground. Her face was wreathed in smiles. "It was beautiful," she said.

THE CIGARETTE

Methodist Young People Want It Restricted.

Favor Graded System in Sunday Schools.

Toronto despatch: A resolution seeking the most effective means to restrict and prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of cigarettes, and asking that the body seek to co-operate with other bodies, to confer or correspond with Hon. R. L. Borden, soliciting effective legislation, was passed yesterday afternoon at the final meeting of the General Board of Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies of the Methodist Church in Canada and Newfoundland.

After a lengthy discussion regarding the question of the International Lesson series and the Graded System the board adopted a motion endorsing the principles of the graded system, believing it to be more adequately than any other form an efficient and progressive basis for the study of the Bible in the sphere of religious education.

A resolution was passed expressing the board's approval of the Dominion Alliance in pressing for prohibition in the Dominion, and pledging co-operation.

The work of the field secretaries was discussed at some length, and it was finally decided that Mr. M. Doyle of Manitoba, should spend some of his time in Ontario, and that Mr. J. K. Curtiss will remove from Sackville, N. B. to Montreal, but at the same time will continue to have the supervision of the Eastern Provinces.

Following an address from Rev. J. J. Reddy, of the Book Room, on the subject of the Epworth League, only paper printed by any church in Canada exclusively for its Young People's Societies, the board passed a resolution endorsing the paper and pledging support. A committee was also appointed to inaugurate a campaign in favor of the publication. A motion was also passed endorsing the plans for the international Epworth League convention, which is to be held in Buffalo in the early part of July, 1914.

In the meantime a series of local conventions and institutes will be arranged. Over forty of these will be held within the next two months.

A motion of approval of the high character of the Sunday school periodicals and publications pledging support, and recognizing the work of Dr. A. C. Crews, and expressing confidence in his editorial leadership, was passed.

The members constituting the committee appointed to revise and reconstitute the constitution of the two societies are: S. T. Bartlett, F. L. Farewell, A. C. Crews, the field secretaries and E. S. Bishop, J. A. Boyle, E. R. Machum, Dr. F. Woodbury, J. E. Darby and G. S. Clendinning.

The committee appointed to investigate the rural problem is composed of F. H. Langford, J. K. Curtiss, F. L. Farewell, M. S. Madole and T. S. Cassmore.

STEAMSHIP POOL MAY END.

Paris, Sept. 8.—The difficulty growing out of the difference of opinion between the Hamburg-American and the North German Lloyd steamship companies concerning the respective percentage of steerage passengers allotted them by the North Atlantic steamship pool finds no solution.

The impression prevails that the English trans-Atlantic companies have no desire to hasten a discussion of the German companies' differences.

Disruption of the pool which served its purpose for many years is possible if the regular meeting takes place at the end of this year.

N. Y. SUBWAY TIE-UP.

New York, Sept. 8.—Not a wheel moved in the New York subway between 96th street, in Upper Manhattan, and the Brooklyn Terminal, during the rush hour of the work-bound crowds this morning, resulting in one of the worst traffic congestions the city has known. Over three inches of rainfall during the night caused a flood of subway tracks to the depth of three feet or more, and over nine miles of four-tracked subway were placed entirely out of commission.

It was nearly 9 o'clock before the line was cleared and then the congestion prevented anything like normal conditions.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN BRIEF

Contract Set for Section 3, Welland Canal.

YORK'S NEW SHERIFF

Rock Slides in Rockies Tie Up C. P. R.

Toronto is to have the finest freight terminals in the world.

Miss Paul was appointed superintendent of Nurses for Toronto schools.

A Highland Creek woman died from tetanus at Toronto General Hospital.

Chicago's population has increased 62,100 since September, 1912, according to the count made by the Chicago Directory Company.

Democratic leaders of the U. S. Senate will begin a supreme effort to complete the Tariff Bill and pass it before adjournment Saturday night.

The contract for Section 3 of the new Welland Canal was awarded to M. J. O'Brien and Hugh Doughney for approximately ten million dollars.

On account of slides on the west slope of the Rockies several Canadian Pacific passenger trains are tied up in the mountains on the main line.

Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop has ordered an investigation into an alleged incendiary fire at Keeler's jewelry store at Stratford a couple of days ago.

Alexander McCowan, former member for East York, is now sheriff of York County. The official announcement was made by Sir James Whitney yesterday.

The Jacob Company's cracker works, Dublin, which export \$2,000,000 worth of biscuits annually have been closed on account of the fight with the Transport Workers' Union.

Senor Don Juan Manuel Ortiz de Rozas, Governor of the Province of Buenos Ayres died after an illness of a few days. Vice-Governor Luis Garcia assumes the Governorship. Senor Rozas is the third Governor of Buenos Ayres to die within a year.

Engineer Carleton, of the Grand Trunk Pacific, announces that road will undertake the construction of a line through Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat and through the Crow's Nest country into Southern British Columbia.

John Armitage, of Peter east, London, Ont., whose wife is alleged to have eloped a couple of weeks ago with a widower who left five children, has been notified by U. S. immigration men from Chicago that the couple were apprehended and jailed at Dekalb, Ill.

HUERTA WON'T RUN

U. S. Government Has Satisfactory Assurance.

That's Cause of Administration's Optimism.

Washington, Sept. 8.—The Wilson Administration has received what it regards as satisfactory assurances that Huerta will not be a candidate for election to succeed himself as President of Mexico. This, it is authoritatively disclosed today, is the basis for the optimism expressed by the President and Secretary Bryan in the face of what seemed a period of discouragement.

These assurances consist in the construction which the administration itself puts on the second note of Foreign Minister Gamba to John Lind, and supplemental verbal exchanges between Gamba and Nelson O'Shaughnessy, charge of the American Embassy at Mexico City. The tenor of the conversations between Gamba and O'Shaughnessy, it is asserted, has strengthened this Government's interpretation of the Gamba note to the effect that Huerta will not be a candidate to succeed himself.

Notwithstanding these favorable developments, the fact is that Washington Administration has no flat promise on record from Huerta that he will not resign shortly before the October election in order to shake off his present constitutional ineligibility and become a candidate.

Officials of the Washington Government, however, have decided to take Huerta's good faith for granted and to hold him as bound under the diplomatic exchange not to enter the election under any circumstances. The President and his advisers are confident now that this course will work out satisfactorily to this Government's programme.

ORDERS THAW TO MONTREAL

Montreal, Sept. 5.—Judge Gervais has issued a writ of habeas corpus calling for the production in Montreal of Harry K. Thaw at once.

FOUR MONTHS' IMMIGRATION.

Ottawa, Sept. 8.—The total immigration to Canada during the first four months of the current fiscal year, April to July, was 250,008, made up of 99,101 British, 54,040 American, and 97,765 from all other countries.

During the four corresponding months of the last fiscal year the total number was 209,642, composed of 83,318 British, 45,990 American, and 60,424 from all other countries. The increase is 20 per cent.

NEW AUTO FUEL

By-Product of Coal to Replace Petrol.

London, Sept. 8.—The discovery which, it is claimed, will revolutionize the motor spirit industry and make Great Britain partly independent of foreign supplies is announced by a joint committee appointed some time ago by the Royal Automobile Club and other automatic associations. The secretary of the committee says they tested a substitute for petrol, which is a by-product of coal, and which hitherto has been unusable as a motor fuel. The experts of the committee made the fullest investigations, with excellent results.

A big commercial plant is now being built, and the indications are that when the process is fully going forty million gallons a year will be produced. It can be sold at 28 cents a gallon, as compared with the present price of 42 cents. It is figured that the present British consumption of petrol is 100,000,000 gallons a year.

BEAT THE BANKS

Galt, Guelph and Berlin Institutions Robbed

By Means of Forged Introduction Letters.

Galt despatch: By the simple device of a forged letter of introduction, currency to the amount of approximately \$8,200 was secured to-day by a man calling himself James Ray, of Saskatoon, who presented cheques at banks in Galt, Guelph and Berlin. The forger immediately departed from each of these places as soon as he had secured the money. Late tonight he had been traced as far as Hamilton, and was then believed to be heading for the boundary at Niagara Falls, but the police and railway people everywhere throughout Ontario are watching for him.

This Mr. Ray, who is a prosperous-looking individual about 40 years of age, walked into the branch here of the Union Bank this morning and announced himself as a customer. He produced what purported to be a letter of introduction from the manager of a branch of the bank near Saskatoon. This manager's signature is known to the bank people here, and the signature on the letter appeared to them to be perfectly genuine. His "identity" thus established, Ray announced that he wanted to draw \$2,800. He drew and presented a cheque for that amount and received the money in currency. Mr. Ray then politely withdrew from the bank and from these parts.

It was some time later before suspicion was aroused at the bank here. Comparison of the signature on the letter that he kept on record showed disparities, however, and it was decided to telegraph an enquiry to Saskatoon. All this took time, and it was several hours after Ray had departed when an answer came from the Saskatoon bank disclaiming any acquaintance with the gentleman. The police then were immediately notified, but Ray had by now had plenty of time to make his getaway.

Present the same procedure was followed by the forger at Guelph, where he secured \$2,900 and odd, and at Berlin, whence he carried away \$2,500. The railway and railway network in this district, and the fact that discovery of his fraud was so tardy, made it possible to execute the three coups with little risk of being challenged at any of the banks.

ZIONIST UPROAR

Vienna Congress is Split in Two Factions.

Vienna, Sept. 8.—The Zionist Congress broke up yesterday in disorder. The president, David Wolffsohn, was forced to suspend the sitting, owing to the tumult, which prevented the speakers from being heard.

The trouble arose over an attempt of the inner executive committee to secure control of the two Zionist financial institutions, the colonial trust and the national fund. Thus, differences of opinion, which have existed since the movement started, now threaten an open rupture. The absence from the congress of several notable men, such as Max Nordau, is due to this cause.

The funds were originally destined exclusively for a political propaganda and to obtain concessions from the Sultan of Turkey, while the executive, composed of the so-called practicals, want the money used for the actual work of the settlements in Palestine.

The political faction of the congress vehemently opposed the committee's proposition. The speakers fiercely denounced the administrative work of the executive as opposed to all the best traditions of the founders of the movement. President Wolffsohn made an especially violent attack on the committee, and declared that Max Nordau had purposely absented himself because of the policy the executive had adopted. The Russian delegates also strongly advocated a return to the ideas of Herzl.

JAPS SEND TROOPS

To Protect Subjects in City of Nanking.

Tokio, Sept. 8.—Detachments from the Japanese warships on the Chinese coast have been hurried to Nanking, from which city official reports have been received here that a number of Japanese subjects who were carrying Japanese flags during the recent fighting between the government troops and the rebels were deliberately massacred. The city was pillaged. It is understood here that Japan probably will demand an apology and an indemnity from the Chinese Government, as well as the punishment of those responsible for the death of the Japanese in Nanking.

NEW ZEALAND DEFENCE ACT.

Wellington, N. Z., Sept. 8.—In the House of Representatives yesterday, Col. Allen, Minister of Defence, stated that of 71,000 persons registered under the Defence Act, 52,000 were actually serving. The balance, except in the cases of 1,100, were accounted for by exemptions, departures and illness. The number of convictions were, once convicted, 31,000, twice convicted, 241, three or more convicted, 43.

MORE AID FOR THE FARMERS

Discussed at the Political Science Convention.

RACE THREATENED

By Loss of Love of Labor in Open Air.

Ottawa despatch—"Government Aid to Agriculture" was the title of the first paper at this morning's session of the Canadian Political Science Association. It was delivered by Mr. C. Hill-Tout, of Vancouver, and was followed by an intelligent discussion of the question by Dr. J. W. Robertson, chairman of the Royal Commission on Technical Education, in which Dr. Robertson made some significant remarks about the degradation of labor by capital in industrial life.

There had been a great loss of interest and status in agriculture, and what was needed was the restoration of the balance between it and industrial development, said Mr. Hill-Tout. Agriculture had sunk to the lowest of the arts, urban elegancies attracting the people from it to the cities, and accordingly it now looked on as a secondary pursuit, a sort of last resort. However, the gravity of this tendency was being realized, and both Federal and Provincial aid was being given to agriculture.

He referred to the "powerless condition" agriculture had fallen into the world over.

Too much stress had been laid on industrial development and not enough on that of farming. Government assistance was vitally necessary; it might take the form of encouraging co-operation; of improving money facilities for farmers; of raising the agricultural status by giving every farmer's son an opportunity to study agricultural science, not only in colleges, but in day and night schools. Not 15 per cent. of the agricultural land available was being worked in Canada. If there were 100 per cent. the annual wealth thus produced would be bewildering.

There was never a time when farmers knew so much about their own business as now, said Dr. J. W. Robertson, in discussing the paper. The Government had now taken the place of the best of the old landlords who were in old days the only trained farmers. The present danger was, however, that the vitality of the race was being threatened by the loss of the love of labor out in the open air.

Dr. Robertson hoped that agriculture would never let a few men garner its fruits from the many workers, as was the case in industrial life, where a few men, owning capital, were able to exploit labor and degrade it. The menace of the decrepit textile worker of the big cities, he declared, was worse than tuberculosis, worse even than war.

A FATAL ERROR

Faulty Construction of the Long Ago.

Was Cause of the Recent Peterboro Disaster.

Peterboro despatch: That the collapse of a wall carefully built 50 years ago was the cause of the disaster at the J. C. Turnbull departmental store on Aug. 23 last, and the death of five persons, was the opinion expressed by William Langford at the inquest before Coroner Greer here to-night. Mr. Langford inspected the building on behalf of the Trusts & Loan Company while alterations to connect it with the adjoining Barrie store were in progress. His view was concurred in by W. J. Johnston, the contractor in charge of the alterations, who examined the building after the accident and found that a weak wall had collapsed.

Mr. F. C. Night, manager of the Turnbull store, who was the first witness, explained the plans for the change in the building. The wall between the Turnbull and the Barrie stores was to be opened and two arches were to be constructed on the second floor. He had left work entirely in the hands of Mr. Belcher, the architect, and Mr. Johnston, the contractor.

Mr. Langford testified that the biggest opening in the wall without a support was 19 feet wide, that the beams rested on an 18 inch wall and were amply strong enough to carry the weight. There was no doubt but that the wall, which was built fifty years ago, and did not appear to be carefully built in the centre, gave way and caused the outer walls to bulge and the floors to fall in. Mr. Johnston, the contractor, said that he had been supplied by Mr. Belcher, the architect, with a blue print showing the changes required. The beams used where the wall between the two floors had been removed, rested upon six inches of a solid brick wall. He had not examined that wall except under the joints, but believed Mr. Belcher had examined it thoroughly. Mr. Johnston said that a subsequent inspection had revealed the fact that the collapse was due to a weak wall, which had been required to carry.

The inquest was adjourned until Tuesday, Sept. 16.

GETTES BLAMED

For Attempted Burning of Dulwich College.

London, Sept. 8.—Dulwich College, the famous school in which the southern suburb of London, which cost, in 1870, \$500,000 to build, was set on fire in two places at an early hour this morning, and suffragette literature, pinned to trees in the vicinity, with women's hats, is reported as proof that a militant suffragette "arson squad" was responsible for the crime.

A watchful policeman on patrol duty in the neighborhood discovered the outbreaks in time to get three fire brigades on the scene before serious damage to the handsome buildings had been done.

A quantity of empty petroleum cans and traces of illuminating oil scattered on the floor of some of the rooms, indicate that the fire was an incendiary one.

Dulwich College, known as the "college of God's gift," has been in existence since 1619, when it was founded by Shakespeare's friend, Edward Alleyn. It provides high school education for over 600 boys and also has a lower grade school attached to it.

BEATEN BY TORONTO THUGS.

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DOWN ON JAPS

Government Troops Kill Two in Nanking.

London, Sept. 8.—A Shanghai despatch to the Times says: "Nanking has been desolated by looting, which for the most part could not be prevented.

"Eight Japanese, carrying the Japanese flag, fled toward their consulate. Some of the Government troops fired, and two of the Japanese fell dead. A third was wounded, but died after reaching the consulate.

"There is much anti-Japanese feeling among the Government forces, and the Japanese flag hoisted over shops has been no protection."

A Tokio despatch to the Daily Mail says: "Owing to the alleged massacre of Japanese at Nanking, when the northern troops captured the city, M. Oshu, leader of the progressive party, and other politicians, are urging occupation of Tien Tsin or some other port until China has paid compensation."

A FATAL ERROR

Faulty Construction of the Long Ago.

Was Cause of the Recent Peterboro Disaster.

Peterboro despatch: That the collapse of a wall carefully built 50 years ago was the cause of the disaster at the J. C. Turnbull departmental store on Aug. 23 last, and the death of five persons, was the opinion expressed by William Langford at the inquest before Coroner Greer here to-night. Mr. Langford inspected the building on behalf of the Trusts & Loan Company while alterations to connect it with the adjoining Barrie store were in progress. His view was concurred in by W. J. Johnston, the contractor in charge of the alterations, who examined the building after the accident and found that a weak wall had collapsed.

Mr. F. C. Night, manager of the Turnbull store, who was the first witness, explained the plans for the change in the building. The wall between the Turnbull and the Barrie stores was to be opened and two arches were to be constructed on the second floor. He had left work entirely in the hands of Mr. Belcher, the architect, and Mr. Johnston, the contractor.

Mr. Langford testified that the biggest opening in the wall without a support was 19 feet wide, that the beams rested on an 18 inch wall and were amply strong enough to carry the weight. There was no doubt but that the wall, which was built fifty years ago, and did not appear to be carefully built in the centre, gave way and caused the outer walls to bulge and the floors to fall in. Mr. Johnston, the contractor, said that he had been supplied by Mr. Belcher, the architect, with a blue print showing the changes required. The beams used where the wall between the two floors had been removed, rested upon six inches of a solid brick wall. He had not examined that wall except under the joints, but believed Mr. Belcher had examined it thoroughly. Mr. Johnston said that a subsequent inspection had revealed the fact that the collapse was due to a weak wall, which had been required to carry.

The inquest was adjourned until Tuesday, Sept. 16.

GETTES BLAMED

For Attempted Burning of Dulwich College.

London, Sept. 8.—Dulwich College, the famous school in which the southern suburb of London, which cost, in 1870, \$500,000 to build, was set on fire in two places at an early hour this morning, and suffragette literature, pinned to trees in the vicinity, with women's hats, is reported as proof that a militant suffragette "arson squad" was responsible for the crime.

A watchful policeman on patrol duty in the neighborhood discovered the outbreaks in time to get three fire brigades on the scene before serious damage to the handsome buildings had been done.

A quantity of empty petroleum cans and traces of illuminating oil scattered on the floor of some of the rooms, indicate that the fire was an incendiary one.

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VILLAGE COUNCIL

The village council met in regular monthly session on Thursday evening. All members present excepting Councillor Taylor. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Interim orders that had been issued in favor of the Ont. Ry. & Man. Board for \$15 for law stamp and in favor of High School Board for \$1,000 as an advance on Building Fund, pending sale of debentures, were on motion endorsed by the Council.

Moved by G. D. McLean, seconded by W. H. Jacob, that an order be issued in favor of the H. S. Board for \$170 as requested in their application of Sept 3 as part money requisitioned for maintenance for 1913-14.—Carried. Moved by W. H. Jacob, seconded by G. D. McLean, that the Reeve and Clerk ask the co-operation of the Council of Rear Yonge and Escott in making an application to the Ont. Ry. & Municipal Board for an order increasing the rate of interest on High School Debentures.

On motion, an order was issued for payment of Athens Reporter account, \$32.03.

On motion, council adjourned until Thursday evening, Sept 11 at 8 o'clock.

G. F. Donnelley, Clerk

POTATO CANKER DANGER

Potato Canker should not be allowed to gain a foothold in Canada. It is a disease that makes slow progress but where once broken out it has defied every known means of control. With the approach of the potato harvest all growers are particularly requested to examine their potatoes for signs of canker. A case of potato canker escaping detection forms a source of future infection.

The appearance of this disease has been well illustrated by the Farmers' Circular No. 3 obtainable free of charge from the Publication Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Potato Canker owing to its serious nature has been made subject to certain legislative measures under the Dominion Destructive Insect and Pest Act. In order to familiarize the farmer with the requirements of the Act their attention is called to the following extracts: and other information concerning the necessary steps to be taken in case potato canker is discovered in any locality.

(1) On discovery of any signs of potato canker farmers should immediately notify the Dominion Botanist, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, of the outbreak, at the same time submitting specimen, when an inspector will be sent to assist and advise the farmer as regards the treatment to be given.

(2) Unless prompt action is taken and the authorities are notified without delay the whole crop of potatoes, whether "apparently" sound or diseased is liable to destruction.

(3) Cut off and burn all potato tops or stalks without removing them from the infected area.

(4) Dig at once all potatoes on your farm, carefully hand pick them and those already dug, and separate the diseased tubers from those "apparently" or perfectly sound.

(5) Place the diseased tubers in a pile and cover with earth. The inspector will advise you regarding their disposal.

(6) All perfectly or "apparently" sound tubers may be stored in the usual way, but none must be used for any purpose whatsoever until the inspector has given permission.

(7) Allow no tubers to remain in the ground, nor any animal to have access to an infected field. The organism causing the disease is liable to be spread through the excreta of animals having eaten infected potatoes in a raw condition.

(8) No raw potatoes whether diseased, "apparently," or perfectly sound must be used for any purpose what ever. After they have been examined by the inspector they may be boiled. Boiling will absolutely destroy the disease germ. All potato parings must be burned immediately.

(9) Under no circumstances may you dispose of, sell, receive or give away any potatoes resulting from a diseased crop, however slightly that crop may have been affected.

FARM PRODUCTS VIA THE PARCEL POST

The Government Investigating Possibilities of Carriage and Delivery

The extension of the parcel post system so as to provide a means of direct transportation of farm produce between producer and consumer will be considered by officials of the Post Office Department, who are planning the system.

The handling of such articles as eggs, poultry, butter, etc., by parcel post has been done with success in South Africa and the system is being investigated in Australia by the Commonwealth government. It is considered in Australia, according to a report received by the Trade and Commerce Department, that the farmer would benefit by receiving higher prices for his produce, while the consumer would also be able to obtain his supplies at less cost through the elimination of the distributor's profit.

PHILIPPSVILLE

A Short Sketch of the Haskin Family

Uri Haskin was born on lot 26, 7th concession of Bastard in the year 1800, when the land was nearly a dense forest. He, as he grew to manhood, cleared a piece of land and built a log house near the place where the commodious residence now stands. In 1821 he married Lydia Lorner, who died in 1830. Mr Haskin died in 1881.

Seven children were born to them: Moses, Uri, Solomon, Christiana, Chester, Justus and James.

Justus Haskin, born 1835, married Malinda Henderson in 1858, who died in 1882 and left 9 children, 8 girls and one boy. In 1884 he married Catherine Kenny, who survives with 11 girls. Their names are:—Almeda, Allura, Alice, Amanda, Anabel, May and Edith, all of Syracuse, N. Y.; Mrs Addie Binckle, Mrs Almada Bailey, Tompy, N. Y.; Mrs Percula Murdock, Lyndonville, N. Y.; Mrs Della White, Hargrove, Manitoba.

Justus Haskin, whose death called forth the above sketch, died on the 21st of August, 1913, and was interred in the family plot on the farm where he was born.

On the death of Justus Haskin in the 77th year of his age, the widow and children have the heartfelt sympathy of their friends and neighbors in the loss of a loving husband and father.

Miss Fitzgerald, Kingston; Mrs D. Murphy, Brewer's Mills; Mr and Mrs Chas. Hamilton, Elgin; Mr and Mrs Jas. Milne, Brewer's Mills, were week end guests of Miss Celia Kennedy.

Mrs Maggie Murphy of Elgin is waiting on her sister, Mrs Patrick Kelly, who is ill.

Almost everyone from here took in the picnic at Elgin on the 28th.

Miss A. M. Alguire has sold her village farm to Arthur Elliott.

Soperton S. S. Picnic

The annual Sunday school picnic at Soperton was very successful and a pleasant time was spent. The sports of the afternoon resulted as follows:

Little girl's class—1, Sylvia Howard; 2, Nita Davis.

Girls, 10 to 15 years—1, Laura Jarvis; 2, Maggie Irwin.

Boys, under 14—1, Stanley Singleton; 2, Leonard Howard.

Young ladies' walking race—1, Miss Keitha Thomson; 2, Miss Blanche Singleton.

Hop, step and jump—1, Stewart Singleton; 2, Teddy Haggart.

Married men's running jump—1, J. Frye; 2, W. Davis.

Aged Foresters Home

Following his intimation that within the next two years a home for aged Foresters would be provided, and that the order would not have to stand a cent of the cost, E. G. Stevenson, head of the Independent Order of Foresters, received the cheers after cheers from two hundred and six delegates at the supreme court, recently held in Toronto. At the close of his report Mr Stevenson went into the question of a home for friendless members of the order in a very extensive manner. Mr Stevenson will maintain the home out of his personal income, and at his death, two policies on his life will endow the home to the extent of \$100,000.

PATRONIZE THE FALL FAIR

September can justly be termed the month of fall fairs. In Ontario the fall fairs and exhibitions are now in full swing and these are so numerous and widely scattered that there is scarcely a farmer in the province who will not find himself intimately connected either as an exhibitor or spectator in one or more of these. The fall fair has become a national agricultural institution and as such it behooves the entire farming community as well as the people of the country town and villages throughout the province to make it as good as they possibly can. There may be those who think that there are too many fairs; there may be those too, who think that these fairs fall short of what is expected of them in various ways. The time for criticism is not now; the right thing now is to try and make the local fair as big a success as possible. This can be done only in two ways: 1st by the largest possible number of exhibitors and 2nd by the largest possible attendance of visitors.—Ex.

DEATH AT GREENBUSH

Mrs Torrence Brown died at the home of her daughter, Mrs Hall, near Greenbush, on Friday last, aged 67 years.

Deceased resided near Athens during the greater part of her life and was widely known and esteemed. Her husband died thirteen years ago and her only son, Rev. Ulysses, died about two years ago. She is survived by several daughters, all grown up.

The funeral service was conducted in the church of the Holiness Movement on Monday by Rev. W. W. Lake, assisted by Rev. Thos. Meredith of Addison, and interment was made in the Athens cemetery.

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R. MANNA, Secretary

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON XL

Sept. 14, 1913.

The Ten Commandments, II.—Exod. 20: 12-21.

Commentary.—I. Duties toward parents (v. 12).—Honor thy father and thy mother.—This commandment stands in a sense between the two tables and partakes of the nature of each, for parents stand in somewhat the same relation to their children that God does to us; therefore, children who honor their parents in the scriptural sense, at the same time honor God. To honor one's parents is to obey, love, cherish, revere, protect and support them. He who does not esteem his parents and provide for them as need may require, is ungrateful and impious. The father and mother are placed on an equal footing in this commandment, in sharp contrast to the degraded position assigned to women in heathen religions, that thy days may be long.—This is the first commandment to which God has annexed a promise (Eph. 6:2), and therefore we learn in some measure how important the duty is in the sight of God. In Deut. 5:16 it is said, "That it may go well with thee," and we therefore conclude that it will go ill with the disobedient, and there is no doubt that the untimely deaths of many young persons are the judicial consequences of disobedience to parents.—Clarke, which the Lord thy God giveth thee.—The promise is two-fold: it includes long life and a prominent country. The Israelites were on their way to Canaan, the land which God had promised them, and if they should keep this commandment in its entirety, the nation would have perpetual ownership of that land, and the people would be blessed with long life. Nations in which the family life and government are ideal have promise of stability and prosperity; while nations in which the home is an unknown thing are weak and inferior. Children who obey this commandment lay the foundation for a good character, and give promise of becoming good citizens. They also are more likely to submit to God and become converted than those who are disobedient to their parents. The tendency towards disregard for parents on the part of children is apparent in the present time. The number of homes where the spirit and letter of this commandment are strictly carried out is fast diminishing. Such homes are refreshing to look upon and enter. The well ordered Christian home is a strength to the church and to the nation. Parents can see to it that their children are respectful and obedient, if they will.

II. Duties toward others (vs. 13-17). 13. Thou shalt not kill.—Thou shalt do no murder. Human life is carefully safeguarded, for it is that which God alone gives life, and man has no right to destroy it, unless in exceptional cases the good of the community demands it, as in capital punishment for the most serious crimes. This commandment forbids the wanton or premeditated taking of human life. It forbids those things that tend to shorten life, such as drunkenness and sensuality. These sins are likely to cause injury to others, as well as to those who indulge in them. The drunkard and the drunkard-maker are both guilty of violating this commandment. This law does not forbid risking one's life to save other lives, or expose one's self to danger for the sake of carrying the gospel to the lost. 14. Thou shalt not commit adultery.—Next to the criminal blood-guiltiness of him who assaults God's image, the heinous crime of destroying human life is that of him who violates the sacredness of the marriage bond.—Wedon. The integrity of the home is strongly threatened, if not destroyed, by the unfaithfulness of the husband or the wife. The seventh commandment forbids all impure acts, thoughts and words, and all books and pictures that would arouse impure desires. The numerous divorces, sought and obtained in modern times, declare the repeated violation of this commandment, and the ratio of divorces to the number of marriages is rapidly increasing. Many divorces have the sanction of the law, while, in fact, divine law is being ruthlessly trampled under foot. Home is sacred and the tender relation of parent to child is treated in the most heartless and indifferent manner. 15. Thou shalt not steal.—One of the prominent rights of man is that of property, and is violated when one takes that which belongs to another without his consent. The desire to own property is lawful, but the act of acquiring it without giving value for it is wrong, unless it is received as a gift. Dishonesty in trade by misrepresentation or extortion is a violation of the eighth commandment. The crime of theft is despicable. "It is selfishness incarnate." It attempts to profit by the loss of another. 16. Thou shalt not bear false witness.—It is a prohibition of slander, or of careless speech, affecting the good name of one's fellow man. This is not, as many have supposed, a mere injunction to truthful speech on all occasions. It includes all deception by words and signs, and even silence. It forbids perjury, misrepresentation and every act that is prompted by a desire to deceive. It forbids evil speaking and every practice that might affect injuriously the character of another. "There is no form of injury so base as that which invents a lie and distributes it with malicious intention. The goods of which a thief deprives one may be replaced, but reputation can hardly be replaced, except by long years and keen suffering. We have no right to speak of others in such a way as to cause injury to them or theirs."—Meyer. In some circles the declaration is made that one can not tell the truth and succeed in business, and many declare that the Ten Commandments have no place in modern commercialism. This command was given for all time, and modern methods do not justify one in violating it. In the religious world, in the social world and in the commercial world, truthfulness is in place and is demanded. The rights of others demand it, and the individual conscience demands it. God desires truth in the inward part.

17. Thou shalt not covet.—This is a unique commandment. Search all the laws of all the world, and you will not find one which resembles it. The sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth commandments you will find in all codes, though only as prohibitions of crimes amenable to judicial punishment. The tenth commandment is the complement of all the rest. It shows that God requires of us not only outward virtue, but inward holiness; that He demands in us the sacrifice of the will, from which wicked actions spring; that sinful imaginations are a crime against Him, as well as wicked acts.—Farrar. Covetousness tends to lead one to violate the preceding four commandments. Those who obey the tenth commandment will not be guilty of the violation of the rest. They are safeguarded by the last. Emphasis is placed upon the necessity of a right inward state. The soul that desires God as the supreme good, will not go out in desire for that which belongs to another, in the sense of wishing to possess it to the loss or detriment of the owner. The desire for property is strong in human hearts, but he who obeys fully this commandment will have no disposition to injure another that he may satisfy his own desires. Love for another will safeguard another's interests. Covetousness runs into idolatry. It is a sin that not only displeases God, but is looked upon with disfavor by men. III. The effect upon Israel (vs. 18-21). 18. Saw.—Perceived.—R. V. Stood afar off.—Such a manifestation of God inspired the people with awe. They knew that these sights and sounds were not mere natural phenomena. The best die—They believed they could endure the voice of Moses, and they virtually promised to heed what he would say; they were afraid that, if God Himself should speak to them, death would ensue (Deut. 5, 25, 26). 20. Fear not.—Words of encouragement from one who had been in conversation with God. To prove you.—By this manifestation God would put their loyalty and obedience to the test, for they had just promised to do as He had commanded. That ye sin not.—They were to understand that divine authority was back of the commands given them, and they were to be inspired by a wholesome fear of sinning against God. 21. Thick darkness.—God is invisible. What the Hebrews had perceived were only manifestations of his presence.

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PRACTICAL SURVEY.

Topic.—God's golden rule.

I. Relating to self-culture.

1. Touching social life.

II. Relating to self-culture.

Table of the law relates to morals, and brings to view God's standard for individual character. There are two ideals by which men mould their lives. One makes God the centre of all things; the other makes self the centre. The second table of the law in uttering prohibitive commands implies the necessity of "truth in the inward parts," a going to the root of matters, not content with restraint from evil acts and words, but from evil feelings, from which words and acts proceed. God seeks not only a blameless life, but a pure heart in which lust and hate and envy have no place. Man's life is God's gift, an emanation from the Deity. God would have him make it ideal for himself and others. Selfishness is the parents of other sins. Love is that divine affection which alone has power to expel all selfishness. Love alone can purify the heart, guard the thoughts, and discipline the desires. Love in practice is keeping the golden rule. From the conception of love due to father and mother, as called for in the fifth commandment, man rises to the conception of the love due to God, and of love which he extends to his children. The relationship between parent and child is made the symbol of man's relationship to God. The fifth commandment is the centre, the heart of the whole law and belongs to both tables. God joins duties to man indissolubly with duties to himself. Reverent, loving submission to parents is obedience to the deepest instincts of the heart. In the mysterious law of life the link between the child and God is the parent. In Israel teaching depended upon the parent in much dependent upon the family the strict requirements of Jehovah. Family religion began with the nation. Parental authority was the divinely appointed center for citizen ship. Loyalty to parental law prepared the way for loyalty to civil law. Both religion and morality have the foundations laid in the home life of children, where they are taught self-control and obedience to law, and submission to rightly constituted authority, as a principle of action.

II. Touching social life. We now come to the commandments which refer exclusively to man's duty to his neighbor. His first duty is to respect his life. Sin makes men natural enemies of one another. Thus the sixth commandment requires that man shall hold sacred the life of his neighbor, not only his bodily life, but his spiritual life, avoiding carefully all those things in conduct or influence which would tend to destroy the body or soul. Men's second prescribed duty to his neighbor is to respect the bond which the family is based. It is the divine Lawgiver's ordinance regarding the sanctity of the home, the happiness of the household, the preservation of society and the upbuilding of mankind. The sixth and seventh commandments are closely related. One guards the life of the individual, the other the life of the family. The eighth commandment guards the right of property and comes in order as man's third duty to his neighbor. The ninth commandment forbids anything which may tend to the disparagement of man's neighbor. This commandment is designed to govern the tongue, the heart, the ears. All forms of wilful misrepresentations, or guilty silence that does the work of open slander, belong to this category. Great importance is attached to being truthful in character and speech. The tenth commandment touches the characteristic precept of the new law, "Love thy neighbor as thyself." The violation of this commandment embitters life. The laws of man may govern actions, but God's law holds sway over the affections, the thoughts, the desires. The wisdom of God set this commandment last as a guard to all the rest. The covetous man breaks all the ten commandments, for all are embodied in the first and the last.

T.R.A.

To strain fruit juice for jelly use a steam kettle. Put the fruit in a strainer to drain. Then strain juice through a cheese cloth. An aluminum kettle is preferred.

THE POULTRY WORLD

SELL ONLY THE GOOD EGGS.

"Say, there is a nest with seventeen eggs in it in those weeds just at the back of the hen house." How often is just such an expression heard during this season of the year. The natural instinct in the hen is to reproduce her kind and to this end she hides her nest away in a secluded place where she hopes to be able to lay her setting, and incubate them undisturbed by the thrifty housewife, anxious to find every egg, to aid in supplying household necessities. Even if the hen lays every day seventeen eggs means seventeen days, but a month often passes in producing this number. Imagine the condition of these eggs, especially when the male bird has been allowed to run with the flock, and the eggs are fertile, and perhaps the sun strikes directly upon them for several hours each day. They are surely not fit for human consumption. It would be far better to allow the old hen to hatch and raise her flock than to sell the eggs, and injure the egg trade, even though the season is very late for hatching chickens. Perhaps the best thing to do is to feed the eggs to the pigs. Experience has always proven that in the end it pays to market goods in the best possible condition.

Our apple growers have found out that to hold a coveted place in the market their apples must be first-class, of the grade stamped on the package. Just so with eggs. If the best prices are to be obtained for eggs they must be first-class eggs. Eggs which have reposed in the blazing sun for two, three, and even four weeks, with the temperature at each part of the time high enough to commence incubation, are far from commencing. Good eggs find a ready market at high prices, and it is only the fact that so many of inferior quality have been finding their way into the market that prices in the past have not been higher. The price of good eggs has been lower to enable the dealer to break even or make a living profit on the inferior eggs which he was compelled to handle, and which had to be destroyed or sold at a loss. In some sections eggs are now bought on a loss-off basis, which is the only just method. Case count can never prove satisfactory to the dealer, but the dealer is not to be strictly high-class uniformly fresh eggs. It will always pay to discard the dozen or so of eggs of questionable age and quality found in the stolen nest. The loss of all these is as nothing compared to the several cents per dozen extra price reckoned on the hundreds of dozen produced by the flock during the season. The increased price being due to the fact that all the eggs are positively guaranteed fresh as shown by the stamp they bear of the date of being produced. Buying eggs on the loss-off basis encourages better hen houses, better flocks, more careful management, and a finer quality of eggs. The producer invariably receives higher prices. Always remove the male birds from the flock as soon as the breeding season closes. Try to have the chickens all hatched early in the season to hasten this removal, as well as to get greater profits from the birds hatched. Gather the eggs regularly once, and possibly twice, daily during the very hot weather. Prepare cool suitable nesting places for the hens to prevent as far as possible hiding away of nests and consequent loss. Search diligently each day all probable places of nesting. Discard all eggs about which there is any reason for suspicion as to age. Carefully grade each lot marketed as to size and color and ultimately increase the price of eggs and the profits from the poultry on the farm.—Farmers' Advocate.

NOTES.

There is a closer bond growing each year between the fancier and the utility breeder. The latter is commencing to realize that the fancier has done much to make the poultry of to-day what it is. It was the good breeder that by the use of trap nests has increased the egg production of the twentieth century fowls. In the majority of cases the standard qualifications for shape have made a profitable fowl. The advancement of our present day breeds never came from the farm flock, or from the haphazard methods of those who ignore the standard qualifications, but claimed a chicken is a chicken. It is to be admitted that some fanciers in their eagerness for feathers neglected the utility qualities in their strains, but in many other cases both went hand in hand. The great egg-laying qualities of the White Wyandotte was made possible by the many breeders who have worked for production, and some strains are on a par with any breed or variety in the world. The same can be said of other breeds whose owners have worked along the lines of utility as well as fancy. More than ever is the so-called fancier striving not only for feather, but for producing utility in their fowls, realizing that the American people demand fowls of utility value, as well as beauty.

Poultry raisers are going to seek knowledge of the handling of breeders more in the future. The incubator and brooder, while not perfect, have been blamed for many poor hatches, when the sin was in the breeding yard. The way many fowls are raised and cared for it is a wonder the artificial hatcher does as well as it has in the past. There is still very much to learn in the handling of breeders.

Much good advice is given the beginner in poultry from time to time in the poultry press, but from the appearance and methods of many poultry keepers the advice is either forgotten or not heeded.

Do not forget the green food these August days. Poultry will not do as well if this important feed is neglected. It pays to purchase cabbage or beets, if no grass is obtainable.

Plant some peach or plum trees in the poultry yards this fall or spring. The poultry will be better for the shade, and the trees benefited by the poultry. Fowls protected from the hot rays of

the sun during summer grow better and will repay their owners for the extra cost of a few trees.

Poultry and eggs are commanding a fair price and the poultry raiser who is already booked for coming shows, poultry associations realizing to obtain the experienced judges they must be engaged early.

Utility first in any breed is what should be the aim of every poultry breeder, especially those who expect to make a living from poultry, and the wise breeders are making every effort to reach the mark of having both a good looking fowl that also has a utility value.

Potato Canker Danger

Potato canker should not be allowed to gain a foothold in Canada. It is a disease that makes slow progress, but where care broken out it has defied every known means of control. With the approach of the potato harvest all growers are particularly requested to examine their potatoes for signs of canker. A case of potato canker escaping detection forms a source of future infection.

The appearance of this disease has been well illustrated by the Farmers' Circular, No. 3, obtainable free of charge from the Publication Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Potato canker, owing to its serious nature, has been made subject to certain legislative measures under the Dominion Destructive Insect and Pest Act. In order to familiarize the farmer with the requirements of the Act their attention is called to the following extracts, and other information concerning the necessary steps to be taken in case potato canker is discovered in any locality.

(1) On discovery of any signs of potato canker farmers should immediately notify the Dominion Botanist, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, of the outbreak at the same time submitting specimens, when an inspector will be sent to assist and advise the farmer as regards the treatment to be given.

(2) Unless prompt action is taken and the authorities are notified without delay the whole crop of potatoes, whether "apparently" sound or diseased is liable to destruction under "The Destructive Insect and Pest Act." Regulations 7 and 8, reading: (7). If, on inspection, nursery stock or other vegetation or vegetable matter is found to be infested with any of the insects, pests or diseases hereinafter specified, and such instructions shall be carried out by the owner or lessee of the infested or suspected vegetation, vegetable matter, or containers thereof, and such remedial treatment shall be carried out and continued until the insect, pest or disease shall be deemed by the inspector to have been exterminated.

(3) Cut off and burn all potato tops or stalks without removing them from the infested area.

(4) Dig at once all potatoes on your farm, carefully hand pick them, and those already dug, and separate the diseased tubers from those "apparently" sound tubers which may be stored in the usual way, but none must be used for any purpose whatsoever until the inspector has given permission.

(5) Allow no tubers to remain in the ground, nor any animal to have access to an infested field. The organism causing the disease is liable to be spread through the excreta of animals having eaten infested potatoes in a raw condition.

(6) No raw potatoes whether diseased, "apparently" or perfectly sound, must be used for any purpose whatever. After they have been examined by the inspector they may be boiled. Boiling will absolutely destroy the disease germ. All potato parings must be burned immediately.

(7) Under no circumstances may you dispose of, sell, receive or give away any potatoes resulting from a diseased crop, however slightly that crop may have been affected. Note regulations 10 under "The Destructive Insect and Pest Act" reading: "It shall be illegal to sell, offer for sale or in any way dispose of or to receive any trees, shrubs or other plants, vegetable matter or portions of the same, if the same are infested with any of the insects, pests or diseases hereinafter specified."

(8) If the quantity of potatoes permitted by the inspector to be used, is considerable, you are strongly advised to keep a number of pigs and use a quantity of boiled potatoes among the usual food.

(9) The use for seed of any potatoes resulting from an infested crop, no matter how sound they may appear, is strictly prohibited, as the disease is entirely propagated by the use of infected seed.

(10) The land on which a diseased crop has been raised is useless for the cultivation of potatoes for an indefinite number of years. It may, however, be used for the growing of any other kind of crop, except potatoes.

(11) All tools, implements, etc., used on infested land must be carefully cleaned by washing with an antiseptic solution: crude carbolic acid, sheep dips, etc., etc., before removing them from such infested land. Any soil left adhering to them or to the boots of per-

sons working in the field, is liable to contain disease germs, and in this way may be responsible for carrying the disease to clean land.

In conclusion I must caution you to carefully carry out all these instructions. They have been devised to protect your own and the country's interests. Also kindly note paragraph "g" "The Destructive Insect and Pest Act," reading:

(8). "Every person who contravenes any provision of this Act, or any regulation made thereunder, shall be liable, upon summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or to both fine and imprisonment, etc. Further note paragraph 7 of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act:

(7). "The Minister, upon the report of any inspector setting forth a reasonable belief of the existence of any insect, pest or disease in any area defined in such report, may prohibit the removal from such area or the movement therein of any vegetation, vegetable or other matter which, in his opinion is likely to result in the spread of such insect, pest or disease."

Memo: The potato disease referred as hereinafter specified in the "Act" or "regulations" is potato canker, chrysothrix endobiotica, Schill, H. T. Gussow, Dominion Botanist, Central Experimental Farm, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

N. B.—Letters and parcels of enquiry below 5 lbs. in weight are carried free by mail if addressed Dominion Botanist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

TRADES CONGRESS

Canadian Labor Man Addresses British Gathering.

Manchester, Eng., Sept. 8.—Delegates representing Canada and the United States took a prominent part at today's session of the Trades Union Congress, in which the British delegates represent two and a quarter million workmen. The foreign delegates to-day were given their first opportunity of addressing the assembly.

P. M. Draper, a Canadian delegate, was greeted with approving cheers when he declared that the time had arrived for the establishment of an international labor bureau to regulate the tide of emigrants and to instruct them as to the real condition of affairs in the countries to which they purposed going.

Louis Kemper, of Cincinnati, in his address, urged the importance of fewer trade unions and more unionists. He deplored the fact that the United States was not so lucky as to possess a separate labor party, like trade unionists there, he said, did the next best thing by obtaining pledges from candidates at the elections for Congress.

C. L. Baine, of Boston, referred to the Dublin strike troubles, and declared that if similar circumstances had arisen in the United States the American Federation of Labor would have hastened to act as the Trades Union Congress had acted, in demanding protection for the right of free speech. He added: "We stand for law and order, and will always fight for the right of legitimate free speech."

STOLE RADIUM

Thief Was Fearful and Returned Treasure.

Vancouver despatch: The tiny particle of radium, worth about \$3,500, which was stolen from the offices of Dr. G. L. Deverteil recently, was returned through the mail this morning. It is thought that the thief, having read of the deadly effects of radium in inexperienced hands, became frightened and decided to return the metal.

RADIUM \$87,500 A GRAMME.

Berlin, Sept. 8.—The Prussian Government has bought a gramme of radium for \$87,500 for hospital and scientific use. Professor Hys is making an appeal to the nation to subscribe to the fund for the purchase of radium, which has already reached \$200,000.

THE MASONS' GIFT

British Grand Lodge to Arthur of Connaught.

London, Eng., Sept. 8.—The Grand Freemasons' Lodge of England, under the presidency of Pro-Grand Master, Lord Amthill, last night adopted a motion that the sum of \$300 be given and devoted for the purpose of presenting a suitable gift to Prince Arthur of Connaught, on the occasion of his marriage with H. R. H. the Duchess of Fife.

No ceremonial programme for the Royal wedding has yet been prepared. Precedent will very largely govern the ceremony which will be on the lines of the King and Queen.

The Duke of Connaught has visited London almost daily since his return from Sweden, but the Duchess who is very much better has not yet come up from Baginot.

EVENT PUTAMAYO HORRORS

London, Sept. 8.—As a result of the report of the special Parliamentary Committee which investigated the Putamayo atrocities, a private bill is to be introduced in the House of Commons making the directors of companies not operating but registered in Great Britain responsible for the actions of their agents as far as these affect labor conditions. The bill will be submitted to the foreign authorities on colonial matters, such as Lord Cromer, Earl Grey and Sir Harry Johnston.

MARKET REPORTS

TORONTO MARKETS

FARMERS' MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various agricultural products like dressed hogs, butter, eggs, chickens, etc.

SUGAR MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various types of sugar like extra granulated, do. do. Redpath's, etc.

LIVE STOCK.

Table listing market prices for various types of live stock like receipts-cattle, calves, sheep, etc.

OTHER MARKETS

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various types of grain like wheat, oats, etc.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various types of grain like Minneapolis-Close: Wheat—Sept. 8-8c, etc.

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various types of grain like Duluth—Close: Wheat—No. 1 hard, etc.

THE CHEESE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various types of cheese like Kingston—At the Frontenac cheese board, etc.

GLASGOW CATTLE MARKET.

Table listing market prices for various types of cattle like Glasgow—Average supplies offered, top quality was scarce, etc.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Table listing market prices for various types of live stock like Chicago—Receipts 4,500, Market slow, etc.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

Table listing market prices for various types of live stock like East Buffalo, N. Y. despatch—Cattle receipts 50, steady, etc.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE.

Table listing market prices for various types of produce like Wheat, spot, steady, No. 1 Manitoba, etc.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Table listing market prices for various types of live stock like Montreal Despatch—East end market, Cattle receipts about 1,000, etc.

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PLOTS THAT FAILED

There is, unfortunately, a class of romantic maidens who cannot be thrown into constant contact with a handsome, agreeable young man without falling deeply in love with him; thus it was with the old judge's daughter. Clarence Neville scarcely noticed her presence, he was so absorbed in his work; but such constant toil told upon him more than he imagined. Even the old judge noticed how pale and haggard the young man's face looked, as he sat opposite him at the dinner table one evening. When he returned home the next evening he said to his young secretary: "I have said for the opera to-night. Will you not accompany my daughter and me, Mr. Neville?" "Thank you for your thoughtfulness, but I would rather not," said Clarence, hesitatingly. "Eff, my dear fellow!" exclaimed Judge Harvey, shaking his head; "all work and no play will make Jack a dull boy. You will get to be altogether too much of a bookworm, browsing through my old library so much."

How long he sat there gazing over into the opposite box Clarence Neville never knew. Suddenly he was aroused from his stupor by a discordant clash in the music, and a hoarse voice shouting out a cry that sent a thrill of horror through the breast of every human being present—the horrible cry of "Fire! Fire! The building is on fire!" "Fire! Fire!" The cry was taken up by a score of throats in the vast assemblage, and even as it was uttered a dense cloud of black smoke poured into the vast auditorium. No pen could describe the scene which followed—the cries of men and women filled the air until it was like pandemonium. There was a wild rush for the exits, where the strong pushed down the weak and trampled over them in their mad desire to escape. At the first cry the old judge seized his daughter in his still robust arms, and calling to Neville to follow him, dashed up the aisle. Clarence Neville neither saw nor heard him. Like one transfixed to the spot—ay, like one carved in marble—he stood, watching the opposite box with straining eyes; that box held all that was dear to him on earth, Bab, his heart's idol, and his old father. And as he watched he saw a sight which made the blood run cold in his veins. One of the sparks had fallen among the silken hangings, and in a single instant the framework of the box was a mass of lurid flame, and in that instant he distinctly saw Rupert Downing leap over the low railing and disappear in the crowd. With Rupert Downing self-preservation was the first law of nature. When the cry had resounded, coward as he was, and for the second time in his life, he abandoned the girl that he pretended to love, left her to die amid the horrible flame and smoke, or to escape, if she could. He had enough to do to save himself. All in an instant Clarence Neville was aroused to action. What was life or safety to him while the idol of his heart was in such deadly peril? How he reached her box he never afterward remembered, fighting his way through the scorching heat and the dense volumes of smoke. As he leaped over the railing, he discovered Bab lying face downward in a deep swoon. Mr. Haven, her father, lay back unconscious in his chair; his own father was groping his way about, blind and bewildered, fairly dazed with horror. Like Rupert Downing, India had fled. Seizing Bab and holding her closely to his breast with one hand, and grasping his father's arm by his disengaged one, he made a desperate effort to bring them to safety. "Courage!" he cried to his tottering father; "another moment, and you will be in safety."

quest as well, making several trips backward and forward to accomplish it. Clarence Neville opened his eyes wide with speechless amazement. "Young Mr. Downing is very modest over his heroism," pursued the judge; "when the reporters gathered around him, the only comment he would make was: 'I did nothing more than my duty in saving their lives. I deserve—I want no praise.'" The blood in Clarence Neville's brain boiled. Could it be that Rupert Downing had the temerity to take this false praise upon himself? For the moment the impulse was strong upon him to face the rascal and choke the lie back down his throat. How dared he utter such a falsehood, when, with his own eyes, had seen him flee—flee like the desperate coward he was—when danger menaced him. He knew it was to make himself a hero in the eyes of Bab and her father that it was done. The poor fellow smote his breast with rage, crying out that he was unworthy of Bab's love, leaving her to die as he had done. Ah, heaven! how pitiful it was, that so tender a girl should love such an unworthy object. How strange it was that she could not love him, when for the second time he had risked his life to save her from death. He thanked God that he had been near to rescue her and her father, oh, how cruel that heaven would not give him her love as a reward for it—that would have been all that he would have asked of fate. As he reasoned the matter out he came to the conclusion to let matters rest as they were. It would be better for Bab to believe Rupert Downing a hero, if she intended to marry him, than the arrant coward which he knew him to be. The next day's papers announced with flaming headlines that the young hero of the terrible fire was to be rewarded for saving the life of his beautiful bride-to-be by having the wedding solemnized a month from the day of the fire. Clarence Neville laid down the paper with a heavy groan, hiding his white face with his trembling hands. "I wonder if the bonny little lassie is in love with any one else?" This idea was strengthened a few days later, when madam picked up a book of poems which Bab had brought to the room where she had been sent for to try on a gown. When she departed she forgot her book, leaving it behind her. Madam picked it up curiously. It was a selection of love poems by a great poet. Now, it did not surprise her that this sweet young girl, who was so shortly to be wedded, should be reading romantic poetry, but she was surprised that the poetry should be sad, and apparently hopeless, depressing in its effect instead of inspiring. The volume opened readily at the pearl and gold bookmark, which had been placed in it. This was the verse which greeted her eye, faintly uttered with blue penciling: "The time of lovers is brief; From the first fair joy to the grief That tells when love has grown old; From the warm, wild kisses to the cold, From the red to the white rose leaf, They have but one season to seem As rose leaves lost on a stream, That part not, and pass not apart, As a spirit from dream to dream, As a sorrow from heart to heart." Madam Larue smiled a slow, thoughtful smile. "I think my surmise is quite correct," she told herself, "the pretty maid had some secret love affair. What a pity for one so young and lovely to wed one man if her heart is another's. That is why so many go wrong in the world, they do not marry the one for whom the good Lord intended them; from some mistake in fate's plans. No doubt it is mademoiselle's father who has made the match, which he considers eminently suitable, without ever consulting the maiden, whether she was willing or not. How different she is from that merry little romp, Lillian Harvey, the old judge's pretty daughter, who would not marry a king on his throne if love was not there." Madam turned back a few pages, and there she read: "There is no woman living that draws breath So sad as I, though all things sadden her. There is not one upon life's weariest way Who is weary as I am weary of all but death. "Toward whom I look as looks the sunflower, All day with her whole soul turned toward the sun, While in the sun's sight, I make moan all day, And all night upon my sleepless maiden bed. "Weep and call out on death, oh, Love and then I die. With but one wish—alas that I were dead. And know not what thing evil I have done That life should lay such heavy hand on me!" Madam closed the book softly, and taking it in her hand went in search of its owner. She knew quite well where to look for Miss Bab, as she called her. She knew she would be in the little alcove of the drawing room, shut in the heavy draperies, either reading or day-dreaming—more likely the latter. Yes, Bab was there, with her head bent upon her hands, and the picture of that dejected young face lived in madam's memory to the day she died. She had entered the little alcove, and stood quite beside the girl ere the latter was aware of her presence. "Miss Bab," she murmured, laying a kindly hand on the girl's bent, curly, golden head, "I am here to bring you back your book."

PIMPLES THICKLY SCATTERED ON FACE

In Bad Condition, Pimples Large, Face Sore and Itchy. Looked Badly. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured in Two Weeks. Muncie, Ontario.—"Some time ago my face was in a very bad condition with some kind of pimples. The pimples were thickly scattered. The tops of them were white; matter was in them. They were quite large and my face was sore and itchy and looked badly. I had to scratch to be comfortable and sometimes lost my sleep. The sores lasted about two months and I tried some ointments but didn't like them. Then I sent for some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, used them for two weeks and I was completely cured." (Signed) Alex. R. Oke, April 2, 1912.

SCALY ECZEMA ON FACE

Clarkson, Ontario.—"My little girl, aged two years, started with a skin disease on her face, so I called in the doctor and he said it was eczema. The skin was quite red and all scaly. I washed the parts well with the Cuticura Soap and then I put the Cuticura Ointment on. You ought to see her now—as fair as a lily! "I suffered a great deal with piles. I had them very bad, and they itched and burned so I could hardly bear it. When I got the Cuticura Ointment I tried it. Now it has entirely cured me." (Signed) Mrs. Cyrus Ward, Jan. 1, 1912.

GUARD BABY'S HEALTH IN THE SUMMER

The summer months are the most dangerous to little ones. The complaints of that season, which are cholera infantum, colic, diarrhoea and dysentery, come on so quickly that often a little one is beyond aid before the mother realizes he is ill. The mother must be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to cure them. No other medicine is of such aid to mothers during the hot weather as is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the stomach and bowels and are absolutely safe. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

AN ASTONISHING WIRE

The girl went to see the lawyers in the ordinary way, and on her return found a telegram waiting for her, informing her that a half-cousin, whom she hardly knew, had died and made her his sole heir. Two months later an aunt died and left her \$12,500 a year. Seven weeks after that a very old friend of her father's bequeathed her a lump sum of \$15,000. This made the fourth fortune she had inherited in as many months, and the newspapers began to publish articles about her extraordinary luck. SEEN IN THE NEWSPAPER. One paper compared Miss Farr's record with that of a Mrs. Grant, who had also inherited four fortunes one after another, and published their photographs side by side.

War.

From hill to hill he harried me, For such they made his law; He stalked me day and night; He neither knew nor hated me; Nor his nor mine the fight. He killed the man who stood by me, Then, foot by foot, I fought to him, Who neither knew nor saw. I trained my rifle on his heart; He leaped into the air, My screaming ball tore through his breast; And lay embedded there. It lay embedded there, and yet, Hissed home o'er hill and sea, Straight through the beating heart of me Who never did harm me. —Prairie Farm and Home.

Nothing Like Knowing Why.

The sweet young thing was being shown through the Baldwin locomotive works. "What is that thing?" she asked, pointing with her dainty parasol. "That," answered the guide, "is an engine boiler." She was an up-to-date young lady and at once became interested. "And why do they boil engines?" she inquired again. "To make the engine tender," politely replied the resourceful guide.—Pennsylvania Punch-Bowl.

WHO FILL LOW-WAGE RANKS?

The summary of the National Child Labor committee, Mr. O. R. Lovejoy, says that all the girls and at least ninety per cent of the boys who left school under sixteen years of age enter low-wage industries and remain unskilled workers throughout their lives. Probably the statement is not true with regard to the girls that they all enter low-wage industries, but certainly if the same per cent of girls work at such industries and remain unskilled as incline to be true of the boys, the showing is dismal enough.

This is Her Garden.

This is her garden; in it day by day She lived and worked, with patient, tender care, Marshalling her flowers in orderly array Till beauty clad the earth that once was bare. This fringed, spice-freighted pink she planted here; Blue burning larkspur, and the honeyed phlox, And these proud ranks that high above them rear Their satin spires, the stately lolly-hocks. Here once again they fill with brilliant bloom Summer days, while through the summer nights They penetrate the warm, moth-haunted gloom With fragrant promise of unseen delights. Again her garden blooms, its fountains spill Their wonted laughter over marble As in those other summer-times, but still A sense of emptiness its beauty dims. The pansies as I pass lift wistful eyes, Each lily shakes a disappointed head, And all the rustling garden, longing, sighs For one who will not walk there, being dead. Yet surely here, if to this world return Spirits released, might come her gentle shade To comfort those who with the flowers still yearn For her lost presence in the heaven she made. But, no, not even here, her soul set free From mortal care would love to earth recall. For in this very garden, it may be, She buried sorrows undimmed by all Who knew her air serene and tranquil grace. Unsummoned let her rest, while empty Save of her memory this garden space; A prayer of beauty wrought with loving hands. —Mildred Howells, in Harper's Magazine.

Here's a Dilemma.

She says that if I were a hero She would come to my arms with a song, Well knowing my arms were her haven, The place she was glad to belong. She'd like me to stand at the trotline, See death brimly waiting ahead, And die at my post. "T'would be splendid!" It would! But it would leave me so dead! She would like me to leap in a lifeboat And hurry to succor some ship, Tien give up my place to some other And wait with a smile on my lip While she gored the side of the vessel; Then die with the other brave men, I know that would catch the world's notice, But how could I marry her then? She longs for another Titanic, Where I would be seen on the deck, So cheerful and helpful and smiling, While the water rose up to my neck! She knows she could love such a hero— To think of it sets her aglow, I wish I might die to please her, But dying's so fatal, you know!

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From Secondee, Gold Coast, West Africa, Mrs. Alvin Roberts writes: "I received a sample of Catarrhoxone through a local merchant that deals in the preparation, and found it had a marvelous effect on nasal Catarrh. I at once bought a dollar outfit and now have pleasure in saying that for the first time in many years I am able to breathe freely through my nose. Bad breaths disappeared, headache over the eyes went away, throat irritation has entirely ceased. Catarrhoxone cured me." You can readily cure bad taste in the mouth in the morning, quickly relieve clogged up nostrils, ease an irritated throat, stop a cough, cure snuffles and running eyes—all this is accomplished by breathing the soothing, healing vapor of Catarrhoxone. The dollar outfit contains in addition to two months' medication, an indestructible hard rubber inhaler. Smaller sizes with glass inhaler, 25c, 50c, all druggists and storekeepers, or postpaid from The Catarrhoxone Co., Buffalo, N.Y., and Kingston, Ont.

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Local and General

Miss Jean Karley is visiting friends in Kingston.
Miss Helen Brown left this week to teach in the school at Daytown.
Mr and Mrs J. H. Ackland are attending Ottawa Fair this week.
Dr and Mrs Geo. Stephens returned this week from Toronto Exhibition.
Miss R. Morris is now saleslady in the store of Messrs Lamb & Johnston.
Dr. Lillie's office will be closed on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 15th and 16th.
Mrs P. P. Slack is visiting her daughter, Mrs K. C. Berney, Hamilton.

The adjourned meeting of the Village Council will be held on Thursday evening.
The large attendance at Athens High School this term includes 18 from Lyndhurst.
Born—At the Rectory, Stellarton, N. S., on Sunday, Aug. 24, to Rev. R. B. and Mrs Patterson, a son.
—Live poultry bought every Wednesday afternoon; must be fasted 24 hrs.
—Wilson's Meat Market.
Mr A. A. Crawford, of the Merchants Bank staff, spent his holidays at the home of his parents, Gananoque.

After serving as manager of the Brockville Opera House for twenty-five years Mr F. I. Ritchie has resigned the position.
Miss Hattie Parker returned this week to her home in Winchester after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs G. Hamilton.
Messrs Claude Gifford and Ross Kilborn of Plum Hollow last week entered Brockville Business College for a course of training.
Rev and Mrs W. W. Giles and two children of East Orange, N. J., have returned home after spending the summer months at Charleston Lake.
Mr and Mrs Hook of Rochester, N. Y., accompanied by Mrs David Townsend of Lyndhurst, were guests of Mr and Mrs N. Shook, Athens.

Mr Becroft, divinity student, Queen's University, conducted the services in the Presbyterian churches here and at Toledo on Sunday last.
—Wanted—A young lady willing to do the general care-taking at the Brockville Business College in return for free tuition. Apply immediately to W. T. Rogers, Principal.
Miss Carrie Covey is teaching the Spring Valley school this term. Parents and pupils of the Brick School section express regret at losing her services.
Brockville society is to be taught the new dances by a new York professor, who claims that these latest terpsicorean movements have been greatly maligned.
A piece of horse radish put into a jar of pickles will keep the vinegar from losing its strength and the pickles will keep sound much longer, especially tomato pickles.
Last week, Mr and Mrs W. D. Stevens and Dr. Renton of Kingston and Miss Bess McLaughlin, Athens were guests over Sunday and Labor Day at the home of Mr and Mrs F. W. Scoville, Elolida.
Mr Ralph E. Holt and Miss Blanche M. Bates announce their marriage on Monday, September 1st, 1913, Manchester, New Hampshire. At home after October 1st, at 248 Prospect St.

Anniversary services in the Baptist church are to be held on Sept. 14th. Rev Charles F. Fields, Ogdensburg, is to be the speaker on that occasion. Service in the Methodist and Presbyterian churches will be withdrawn.
St. Lawrence county will not produce a ton of honey for shipment this season, according to statements by several of the largest growers there. St. Lawrence county honey has always brought a top price in the markets. The continued hot, dry weather was fatal to the yield. It was hot and dry here, too, but Reeve Holmes' Italians must have been attending to business just the same, as about three weeks ago we noticed a shipment of 24 cases of honey in Brockville freight-shed from his apiary.

Wm. C. Stevens, of Philipsville exhibited his valuable herd of Holstein cattle at Brockville Fair. They captured most of the first prizes and about all the specials. Mr Stevens is one of the leading cattle raisers in Eastern Ontario.
Frankville Fair, Sept. 25 and 26, promises to be the greatest Horse Fair in the county. Always distinguished for its display of stylish turnouts, Frankville will this fall surprise and delight all who attend the fair.
Many of our exchanges this week report that the duck-shooting season opened on Sept. 1st with great gun-firing on the marshes. The law-abiding hunters of this section are waiting for the 15th.
By a new regulation of the Department of Education a change has been made by which the work in the lower forms of the high schools has been materially decreased, considerably lessening the courses of study in the first years in the high school.
Latest dispatches from England indicate that the naval Emergency shadow cast over Canada (visible only to a few, wearing the right colored glasses) comes from a rebusious mist located at least three years away.
Miss Bessie McLaughlin, accompanied by her little niece Irene Gordon, left on Thursday last for Montreal. After a few days stay in that city, she goes to Northfield, Mass., to attend The Northfield Seminary and Moody Training School.
G. G. Publow, Dairy Inspector for Eastern Ontario, states that the decline in production of cheese in Ontario from dry weather will total 17,000,000. An average of 13 cents, the reduction in value of output will amount to \$2,210,000.
Last week Coleman Kilborn, who recently moved to Athens from his farm, made an assignment to William Doolan for the general benefit of his creditors. Several local business men and friends of the insolvent are interested in the estate.
No board of directors in Ontario have shown greater enterprise than the managers of Delta Fair, which is to be held on Sept. 22, 23 and 24. The Fair has prospered until its permanence is recognized and it is confidently expected that the fair of this month will eclipse all predecessors.
Charles Hawkins took on an over-load of booze on Sunday and was arrested by Chief Hillis and locked up. On Monday he was convicted before Police Magistrate Purcell and was fined \$20 and costs. In default of payment he was taken to Brockville jail to serve 21 days.

The price of cheese advanced a quarter of a cent in Brockville last week, the ruling at Thursday's meeting being 13 3/4 cents, a total of 1,825 colored and 385 white, while 12 7/16 cents was paid for 85 white and 96 colored. The offering totalled 3,446 boxes, of which 2,641 were colored and 805 white.
Vice-President D. B. Hanna, of the C.N.R., announced yesterday that the new road between Toronto and Ottawa will be opened about October 15. Stations named in Leeds county are Chaffey's Loks, Elgin, Brockville Junction, Forfar, Portland and Lombardy.
Tremendous increases in mixed farming output are reported in Alberta. Lethbridge district, which last year shipped 50,000 hogs, will this year market 450,000. It is expected that the hog output of the province will be considerably in excess of one million head as compared with 200,000 last year.
The muster of veterans who claim they saw service in the Fenian Raid continues to grow. The government has already paid out pensions to 10,800, and there are still 15,000 applications to be considered, while applications are still pouring in to the militia department. The pension is \$100, so that there has been paid out so far \$1,080,000.
A pretty house wedding took place at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, Sept. 3, at the home of Mr and Mrs Thos. Culbert, Crosby, when their daughter, Blanche Ada Thompson, was united in marriage to R. Preston Leggett, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Leggett. The Wedding March was played by Miss Irma Culbert of Athens.

The shooting of duck and partridge becomes legal on Monday next, Sept. 15, and the open season extends until December 15. Only ten partridges may be killed in one day. Hares may be shot from October 1st to December 31st. Local observers say that duck and partridge will be found fairly numerous but that black squirrels are not as plentiful as usual.

In many sections of this country this year the farmers have had reason to bless the rural telephone. With fires springing up here and there on short notice—from careless smokers, discarded matches or cigar stubs, or from sparks from passing railway engines—the rapidity with which neighbors could be summoned over the phone to come to help was often of moment.

Lyndhurst will be the next fair. It is to be held on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week and an entertaining programme has been arranged. On afternoon of first day a baseball match will take place between Lyndhurst and Elgin teams and on the second day there will be speeding contests, athletic sports, etc. Lyndhurst has beautifully situated grounds and a pleasant day awaits all who attend.

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