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aside in favor of negotiations with
their powerful protector.”
The Globe welcomes the agreement
“because it releases the American

Government from a false and dangerous position." Continuing, the Globe says: "Had the commission reported adversely to Great Britain, it would force President Cleveland to attempt the coercion of Great Britain, or eat the humblest of humble pie. No one in this country wishes to see these developments, or the United States retarded for half a century, as it would necessarily have been, if the

Government at Washington had seen fit to enter, on so trivial a pretext, upon so unequal a contest. The decision of the commission to withhold its report is an obvious, but effective way out of an awkward situation." In its criticism of the tribunal the Globe refers to the fact that Venezuela is not represented, "the only

of Lord Salisbury's early assertion that the question at issue only concerned the United Kingdom and Venezuela." The article concludes: "It must clearly be understood that the constitution of the new tribunal of arbitration is not to constitute a precedent for arranging all future disputes between the United States and the United Kingdom in North and South America, and that we are ready to recognize Monroeism as international law."

In Spite of the Turk

Remarkable Story Told by a

English Captain.

How He Rescued a Party of Fugitive
Armenians

With the Aid of an American Cruise

New York, Nov. 11.—The World to-day publishes the following: The steamship Boyne, of the Mercantile Steamship Company, of London, arrived in port on Friday last from Gibraltar and Mediterranean ports. Today Capt. Fischer told a remarkable story to Collector of the Port Keith, Law Officer Phelps and Special

The British steamship Boyne lay off Smyrna, Turkey in Asia, on Oct. 1. There had been several riots in Smyrna for three or four days before. The din of another conflict reached the ears of the Boyne's captain about

At 10 o'clock in the evening, and the cries of the victims of the assassins came over the waters.

An hour afterwards a small boat came up to the side of the British steamship, and an aged man begged permission to go aboard. With him were six others, three of them were men, all Armenian refugees.

Not long afterwards a boat load of Turkish refugees was seen.

alongside, and the forces came aboard. Capt. Fischer admitted that he had 150 refugees on his ship, but he refused to deliver them over. He drew up a crew of brawny men, and the Turkish officer said he would give the British fisher until morning to turn over the Armenians. After the Turks had left, the British Captain Fischer

When dawn came, the Minneapolis appeared. Capt. Fischer told the story, and Admiral Thomas Selfridge, jun., the commandant, said: "We

"You'll take these refugees safely out of this port if I've got to bombard the town." And the admiral ordered the barge with a detail of marines and blue-jackets over to the British ship with orders to hold her safe from attack. Then the American consul was sent for, and it was agreed that the

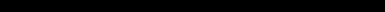
Boyd should sail at once under the escort of the Minneapolis. The Armenians have just been landed on Ellis Island.

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Water Rates Revised

The Commissioners Make Some Practical Changes.

A Number of New Clauses Added to the Bylaws.

New Lights for the Pump House—Engineer Findlay's Report.

There was a full attendance of the water commissioners at the regular meeting last night, and when they all got together something out of the ordinary is to be expected. On this occasion it was the revision of the schedule of annual rates for water.

Commissioner Cowan expressed the opinion that all the bylaws and rates should be revised, and after transacting the routine business the board set to work upon their task. The following changes were made:

Bakeries, not exceeding five barrels of flour per day, will be taxed \$15, and for each additional barrel \$3.

Barber shops, not exceeding five chairs, will be taxed \$2 for each additional chair, will in future pay \$2.50 per chair all round.

Builders will be charged 3 cents for water used on every square yard of cement for walks or floors.

Fish stalls and other places have been raised from \$6 to \$8.

Lawn rates will be \$4 per season for every 2,000 square feet, and under, instead of having to pay \$2 for all above 2,000 feet and under 4,000, and \$5 for all above 4,000 and under 6,000 square feet, they will be charged \$1 for every additional 1,000 square feet or part thereof above the 2,000 feet.

Motors in private houses for pumping purposes, \$4. The same will be charged for motors for driving machinery by meter, and church organs by meter per annum.

Urinals in private dwellings, self-closing, \$4 each, instead of \$4 for one and \$5 for every additional one, as formerly.

Radical changes have been made in some of the rates, while in others clauses have been added.

Clause 4 provides that in case of non-payment of water rates or rents after the expiration of the time upon which they become due, the commissioners or their authorized agents may cut off the supply, and when the supply is cut off, the water will not be turned on again except upon payment of all arrears due, and 50 cents extra for turning the water on.

Clause 16 authorizes the secretary to have the water shut off from the premises of any person who is in arrears of the regulations made by the commissioners, and in cases where the water has been shut off for non-payment of rates or rents, the water will not be turned on again until he receives satisfactory evidence that the arrears have been paid.

Clause 22 provides that no extension of time shall be granted for the payment of water rates, and that the water will be cut off from consumers on such extension shall amount to 10 per cent of the cost, unless it appears to the commissioners that some special circumstances exist which render it advisable to make the same.

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Clause 24 is a new one, and reads as follows: All users of motors for pumping purposes shall place the same in their premises in such a manner that all water used for ordinary purposes shall pass through such motor, and shall pay in addition to the charge for motor the regular rate for fixtures for which the water is pumped by the motor. The position of the motor shall be made satisfactory to the engineer and inspector.

Clause 25 and the sub-clause are also new. The clause reads as follows: The board of water works shall have the right to employ or engage or to contract with any person or persons for the purpose of carrying out the work of the board, and a provision shall be inserted requiring the contractor, as far as practicable, to employ workmen who have resided in the city of London for at least three months, and that the hours of labor and scale of wages on such work shall be the standard provided for in the standard wages bylaw adopted by the council of the city of London.

In all contracts for the performance of work or for the carrying out of the work of the board, a provision shall be inserted requiring the contractor, as far as practicable, to employ workmen who have resided in the city of London for at least three months, and that the hours of labor and scale of wages on such work shall be the standard provided for in the standard wages bylaw adopted by the council of the city of London.

A regulation was received from the Pumping Engineer Findlay for a number of lights.

Mr. Judd wanted to know how it was that the lights had been burned out so soon, and Mr. Moore explained that too much pressure was the cause; when they turned some lights out there was too much power on the line.

Mayor Little—Well, if they are not more careful they'll have to go back to candles.

The weekly report of Pumping Engineer Findlay was received as follows:

Gallons.	Feet. Inches.
Nov. 3.....2,226,638	12 9
Nov. 4.....2,226,362	12 4
Nov. 5.....2,249,692	11 9
Nov. 6.....2,246,872	11 7
Nov. 7.....2,716,352	14 0
Nov. 8.....2,350,115	13 0
Nov. 9.....2,343,484	14 0

Total.....17,684,614

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TYPHOID IN EAST ZORRA.

Four Members of a Clergyman's Family Are Ill With the Disease.

Woodstock, Nov. 11.—Typhoid fever, or some disease of a more serious nature, has broken out again in East Zorra. It is only a few weeks since Dr. McKenzie, of the Provincial Health Department, made an investigation, and the plague was allayed.

At the present time, however, there are seven people down in the hospital with the disease, four of them being Mr. Battersby, his wife and two children.

Mr. Battersby is the rector of Huntingford Church, on the 12th line. He and one of the children were suffering from typhoid fever, while Mrs. Battersby and the other child are threatened with it.

GETTING OUT THE GOLD.

The Currency Question—Proposal to Retire the Greenbacks.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—A special dispatch from Indianapolis says: Local bankers and business men, without regard to political lines, are expressing themselves in favor of an organized movement to bring about a revision of the currency system, and declaring that something must be done to remove all cause of distrust. The majority agree that the greenback must be retired.

The suggestion is also meeting with general favor at a national meeting of business men held to consider the subject and recommend action to be taken by Congress.

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The Advertiser

FOUNDED BY JOHN CAMERON IN 1868.
God's in His heaven,
All's right with the world.
—Browning.

London, Wednesday, Nov. 11, 1896.

School Oddities in Quebec.

Though there are four vacancies in the Quebec Legislature, the Conservative Premier has been afraid to fill them, so strongly does he feel that the tide is against the party. The intention, indeed, was to bring on the Quebec Provincial elections at the same time as the late contest for the Dominion, but the Quebec Premier saw defeat ahead, and resolved to postpone it for six months to come. This is the reason why Mr. Flynn refused to accept the challenge of Hon. Mr. Marchand to meet him in these vacant constituencies, and have the people pronounce upon their respective platforms.

The general election for the province must in any case be held during the ensuing spring, and the resolution to call the Legislature together next Tuesday is but the indication of the timidity of the Quebec Conservative managers.

One of the issues which the populace is forcing to the front is the question of providing a more practical education for the rising generation. Every-

where inquiry is in progress as to how best the schools may be improved, and the children given an education which will fully equip them to fight the battle of life, which becomes more keen as the country fills up. That much improvement is needed before the Quebec schools are placed on an equality with those of Ontario and of other parts of the Dominion, is made evident by the published results of the inquiries instituted by Mr. St. Pierre, travelling correspondent of the Montreal Herald. This writer has been instructed to make a thorough investigation into the actual condition of the schools of Quebec, which by some have been held up as a model for Manitoba and the Northwest to follow. In the larger towns, Mr. St. Pierre found the academies to be passable, but in the rural regions he reports a deplorable condition of affairs. Male teachers get paid \$200 and \$250. One with a diploma is on a salary of \$100. Female teachers get from \$40 to \$80 a year, and go out to service in vacation to earn their clothes. Children are prepared for their first communion, and learn a little reading. At some schools, taught by girls, boys smoke clay pipes, and defy the teachers. At one school the contract for wood was given out in Mr. St. Pierre's presence to a farmer, who undertook to supply all the fuel which would be required in a year for \$10. Schools are constructed of the roughest material, and the windows are small, and kept permanently tight, so as to save firewood. Mr. Girard, M. P. for St. John, who is a farmer in the neighborhood, complained to Mr. St. Pierre that there were too many schools, not for the needs of the people, but for the means of the school boards. The lists of pupils in Charlevoix, Chicoutimi and Lake St. John average only about 25 children. "They learn very little," says Mr. Girard, "and get tired of school very quickly; they soon forget all they learn, and so what is spent is wasted." Worse than wasted, Mr. Girard thinks, for the schools as they are give the people a contempt for education.

In view of these revelations, it does not surprise us that many Quebec people are inclined to concede the reasonableness of a speedy settlement of the Manitoba school question, on lines that will secure a thorough education for the settlers of all classes, while doing violence to the religious convictions of no one. The thoughtful residents of Quebec have but to read the reports of the schools of that province, and contrast them with those of other portions of the Dominion, to be convinced that they have plenty of work to perform at home before their schools are brought to an equality with those of either Ontario or Manitoba.

As for the causes of the illiteracy in Quebec, the defective and unhealthy school houses, and the starvation salaries paid to the teachers, it is not for outsiders to interfere, or even to suggest remedies. We believe that an aroused public opinion in the sister province is well able to effect improvement without outside aid, just as we believe that Manitoba is best able to manage her own local affairs. But it must be apparent to all that unless the people of Quebec are prepared to insist on the establishment of comfortable school houses, with properly paid teachers, and a much improved curriculum, the rising generation will be seriously handicapped in the race for a living on this continent. An honest discussion of the educational situation, should aid in bringing about needed reform. Our contemporary, the Herald, in striving to present the truth to the public, is doing good work for the youth of Quebec.

A Rochester lawyer encouraged the bringing of a lawsuit against the Herald of that city. Our contemporary instituted an inquiry. Now the lawyer gets more than he bargained for. He has been disbarred and prosecuted for grand larceny.

The Queen's Counsel.

The Ontario Court of Appeal yesterday gave judgment in the stated case as to the right of the Provincial Government to appoint Queen's counsel. Chief Justice Hagarty presided, and the court unanimously sustained the view that the Provinces have the right to appoint Q. C.s as all along contended by Sir Oliver Mowat, who, in every contest of a like kind, has come off victorious. This decision gives the Provincial Q. C.s precedence in all courts of the Province, and leaves the Supreme Court of Canada and the Exchequer Court as the two bodies in which Dominion-appointed Q. C.s shall have precedence. Dominion Q. C.s will not rank as such in Provincial courts, unless appointed by the Provincial authorities. In all probability the judgment will be appealed against, but it is reasonably certain that it will stand.

A unique political contest was brought to a close in Utah on the United States election day. Mrs. Mattie Hughes Cannon, the Democratic candidate for the State Senate from the sixth district, defeated her husband, Dr. Angus M. Cannon, who ran on the Republican ticket. Senator Cannon was born in North Wales, and went to Utah in 1861. She was educated at Deseret University, and for several years was a school teacher. She is also a printer. She graduated in medicine at Ann Arbor in 1880, and took the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1882. In the fight just ended she combatted her husband's arguments with marked ability.

Will China be Carved Up?

Now which are the three Powers who wanted Great Britain to agree to the partition of China? Sir Charles Dilke says that such a proposition was made recently. Russia, Japan and France may be the covetous ones. Each of these nations have very considerable interests on the borders of the great country. While Li Hung Chang lives, however, it is not likely that any material change in the relationship of China to other countries will be made.

Russia has shown that she, at all events, will be ready to take her share of the spoils if dissolution of the Mongolian Empire should be brought about. Even now, the Bear has his paws on a large portion of the Western lands formerly held in suzerainty by the Chinese Emperor, and by their artful maneuvering, since the close of the war between China and Japan, the Russians have managed to deprive the Japs of the fruits of their victory and to effectually establish Russian influence in Korea. No dishmemberment of China would be possible without Russia having a hand in the pie.

But may it not be possible, under the new order of things, which the Chinese Viceroy, who recently visited Canada, has promised to bring about, for the Chinese to turn on their would-be conquerors and beat them with their own weapons? With her hundreds of millions of inhabitants and undeveloped resources, China could revolutionize the trade of the world if she were once fully roused to action.

Are the Mongolians about to wake up? Some Eastern travelers, who are keen observers, say that they are.

There seems to be no end to the uses to which the cathode rays may be turned. A Kingston lady suffering from continual headache was subjected to the rays, and a depression of the skull was found. A bony growth pressed on the brain. This was removed, and she is improving.

A Novel Ballot.

Mr. Joseph Roberts, Askia street, South London, believes he has hit upon a method of polling the votes of the electors in national or provincial contests, which will prevent the spoiling of many ballots in every contest, and at the same time insure an absolutely secret vote.

Mr. Roberts would have the returning officer supplied with a double set of ballot papers, of exactly the same size and quality. The voter would be supplied with one of each of these ballot papers. On one ballot would be printed a star or other distinctive mark in the color chosen by the candidate, and a similar mark would be placed on the other ballot. The only difference would be in the colors. In London, for example, one of the ballots would have a star printed in red (the Liberal color), and one in blue (the Conservative color). On being supplied with these ballots, the candidate would go behind the screen, fold the ballots up and returning them place one ballot in a box labeled "Vote for Representative" and the other ballot in a box labeled "Blank Ballots."

Under this system, no pencil-marking would be necessary, and all that a voter would have to do, or be instructed to do, would be to see that he chose the color he believed in, and that it was placed in the properly labeled box, while the blank ballot was put in the other receptacle.

This system, Mr. Roberts claims, would be a great improvement upon the method tried at the last Dominion election, and it would prove simple and easy to manage where only two candidates were in the race. But how could it be worked where three or more nominees were seeking the same office? We shall be glad to hear from Mr. Roberts or any other reader of The Advertiser.

Dominion W. C. T. U.

Sabbath Observance and Sunday Newspapers.

Officers Elected for the ensuing Year—Contradiction by Mr. Langley.

Toronto, Nov. 11.—At the Dominion W. C. T. U. convention the following officers were elected: Mrs. Rutherford, of Toronto, re-elected president; Dr. Amelia Yeomans, of Winnipeg, re-elected vice-president; Mrs. McLaughlin, of Montreal, re-elected recording secretary; Mrs. Tilton, of Ottawa, re-elected treasurer. Miss Tilly declined re-election as corresponding secretary, owing to lack of time and strength. She has filled the office satisfactorily for seven and a half years. A committee took in hand the matter of securing a secretary.

The report of the health and heredity department tells of an increasing interest in the subject, not only among W. C. T. U. women, but among outsiders, shown by the many lectures, addresses, sermons and papers now being given on heredity, also by the space given to it by the religious and secular press. Some 2,323 pages of literature have been distributed in this connection.

A paper on "Lord's Day Observance" was read by Mrs. Head, of Newwater, Ont., which contained the following opinions: First, that the Government, instead of being a people's protector, encourages the disregard of the Sabbath Day sanctity. Other enemies of the cause are the railroad and steamboat companies, who cheapen rates to summer resorts from Saturday to Monday, the Sunday newspaper, the greed for money and the selfishness of the public, tempting men to keep shops open to such late hours on Saturday night, thus making them unfit for rest or worship on the Lord's Day. "But the most important foe is the liquor traffic, which defies law and largely controls legislation, so that the only course left the W. C. T. U. seemed to be educating through the pulpit, press and the Sabbath school, and the very important avenue of home training."

In reference to the Sunday newspaper, Mrs. Read said that it was a "demoralizing paper, published for profit, and whose moral tendency is continually downward." Miss Faircloth, with the assistance of several children, demonstrated the way the Ys teach in the kitchen garden, setting table, washing dishes and clothes.

It was suggested that the editors should be asked not to publish recipes containing alcohol.

Mrs. Cole gave an address recommending highly systematic giving.

Dr. Amelia Yeomans, of Winnipeg, read a paper on prohibition, in which she urged very strongly an earnest and combined effort to obtain it.

In the evening a mass meeting was held in Broadway Tabernacle, and addressed first by Mrs. Wilson, of Buffalo, on the topic, "What is the W. C. T. U. doing, anyway?" and she asked the question, "very important one, 'What are we doing in the home to interest the children and keep them there?'" Miss Slack, of Derbyshire, England, the world's secretary of the W. C. T. U., gave a lengthy address on temperance, in an earnest manner.

DENIED BY MR. LONGLEY.

Attorney-General Longley, who was shown a report of the sensational story told by Mrs. Stirling on Saturday at the W. C. T. U. convention in Toronto, in which she had asserted that something had happened in King's county, N. S., of so grave a nature to dishonor the Dominion, and that Governments had begged her to suppress the facts and leave the country, Mr. Longley said he had never seen Mrs. Stirling, and never had any communication with her directly or indirectly on any subject. Mr. Longley never heard that Mrs. Stirling's institution had been destroyed by firebugs; nothing of the kind had ever been reported to his department.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Atkinson, of New Brunswick, was elected corresponding secretary.

It was decided that the Dominion Government should be petitioned to use the municipal voters' list in the approaching plebiscite on prohibition. A very strong resolution was passed, condemning the use of tobacco. The convention closed last night. It was decided that the World's Convention of the W. C. T. U. shall be held next year in Toronto, not in Ottawa, as expected.

A resolution was passed calling on the Government to investigate allegations of Mrs. Stirling, of Philadelphia, regarding the alleged burning of her immigration home in Nova Scotia. Another resolution called on the railway companies to run their smoking cars separately from the general passenger service.

H. J. Lisle, representing Ganong Bros., St. Stephen, N. B., says: "On October 2nd, of a very stubborn case of itching eczema. Tried everything advertised, several physicians' prescriptions without permanent relief. Know of several cases of itching piles it has cured."

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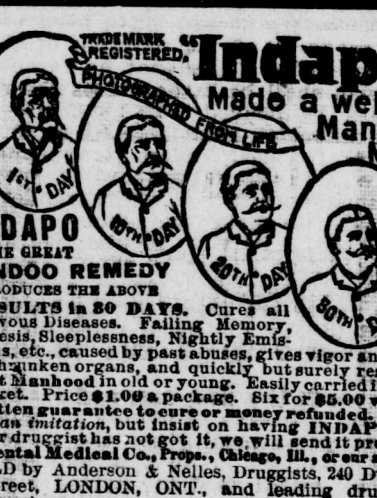
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"I will tell you later," retorted the young man, in the same vein; "but you did not say that young lady is who accompanies them," he concluded, as if his attention had just been drawn toward her.

"No, I do not know myself," she is a stranger, but a very lovely one, is she not? Really, I do not believe there is another lady in the room so beautiful. Come, I have a curiosity to know who she is myself, and we will beg Mrs. Loring for an introduction."

Thus Everett Mapleson managed to secure a formal introduction to the Loring and Gladys through one of the leaders of New York society.

He knew there could be no exceptions taken to any one whom Mrs. Vanderwater vouched for, and therefore the young girl would have no excuse for avoiding him on the score of not having been properly presented to him.

But she received him very graciously, even referring in a laughing way to their previous meeting earlier in the day, thus showing him she would not have been the least bit proud about recognizing him, even without Mrs. Vanderwater's reassuring presence.

He soon after searched out his friend Al, whom he presented to Miss Loring, and then left him to be entertained by her while he devoted himself exclusively to Miss Gladys.

They danced together several times, and he managed to secure her company during supper, while afterward they had a social chat in Mrs. Brevort's charming little picture gallery, where there were several works of rare value.

But the only picture which Everett Mapleson seemed to consider worthy of his regard was an exquisite face, framed in lustrous brown hair, with the bluest eyes that he had ever seen, and whose every expression only served to wind the silken chain of his bondage, the chain of love, more closely about him.

Gladys, on her part, was strangely moved by the young man's presence. He was Geoffrey, and yet he was not.

Several times she almost forgot herself, and was on the point of addressing him in the old familiar way which she had always adopted toward her father's protégé, and she restrained herself in season to prevent herself from appearing bold and forward.

Everett Mapleson found her eyes fixed upon him with great earnestness several times, and he knew that she was measuring him by her estimate of Geoffrey Huntress.

It nettled him exceedingly, for he was only too conscious of his own inferiority.

"Well, Miss Huntress, are you, like many others, trying to solve within yourself the mystery of the resemblance to your cousin, that you observe me so closely," he asked, with an amused smile, upon finding her gaze riveted upon his face instead of the picture before which they were standing.

Gladys blushed slightly.

"I shall have to plead guilty, Mr. Mapleson," she confessed. "I trust you will excuse me if I have appeared rude, but really to me it seems the strangest thing imaginable."

"It is, indeed," he said; and added to himself: "How ludicrously uncomfortable to me, too."

"I wonder if you are not in some way related," Gladys said, musingly, and more to herself than to him.

Everett Mapleson's face darkened.

"I do not think so," he answered, curtly. "He is a Northerner—I was born at the South. My father is a Southern gentleman, and has always resided near Richmond, Virginia, excepting during the war, when he was in the field or camp most of the time, and a year or two that he spent traveling in Europe."

Gladys was conscious of a slight feeling of resentment toward her companion during this speech. The emphasis which he had, perhaps unconsciously, expended upon his personal prominence, and the fact of his father being a "Southern gentleman," implied a sense of superiority which grated harshly upon her ear.

"Is your mother also a native of the South?" she asked.

"Oh, yes; and my mother is a most

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magnificent woman, too, Miss Huntress," the young man returned, with a kindling face.

Gladys' heart softened a trifle toward him at this. If he loved his mother like that there must be some good in him, she thought.

"Have you brothers and sisters?" she inquired.

"No, I am the only child. I was born within a year after my parents' marriage, and there have been no other children."

"Do you resemble your father or mother?"

"My father. My mother has often told me that I am very like what he was at my age; but there is a portrait of my grandfather Mapleson at home, which, but for the ancient style of dress, you would believe had been taken for me; the resemblance is every bit as striking as that between Huntress and myself."

"Has your father no brothers or sisters?" Gladys asked.

Everett Mapleson looked surprised. He knew that she was trying to account in some way for Geoffrey Huntress' likeness to himself; but, surely, he thought, she must know all about her cousin's parentage and their connections, and it was a little singular that she should be so persistent in her inquiries regarding the Mapleson genealogy.

"No," he replied; "my father was an only son. Had a sister, but she died while very young. The only other connections that I know anything about were an uncle that made my father his heir, and a distant cousin—a very eccentric sort of person. Both, however, are long since dead, and both died single. The Mapleson family was never a numerous one, and it is now almost extinct. I see, Miss Huntress, that you have a slight smile in which Gladys thought she detected something of scorn, "that you are trying to account for this resemblance upon natural principles; but it is simply impossible that we are in any way connected. The fact can only be attributable to a strange freak of nature."

"Possibly," Gladys returned, thoughtfully, "yet she was impressed that there was more in it than Mr. Mapleson appeared willing to allow."

She did not feel well enough acquainted with him to speak of the mystery surrounding Geoffrey's parentage and his early life. It is doubtful if she would have told him under any circumstances, because of Geoffrey's sensitiveness upon the subject, still she was strangely impressed by their resemblance.

The evening was one of keen enjoyment to Everett Mapleson, and when at length Gladys withdrew with her friends, he accompanied her to the carriage and assisted her to enter.

"I have rarely enjoyed a dinner so much," Miss Huntress, and I hope we shall meet again before I leave the city," he said, as he handed her the extra wrap which hung over his arm, and stood a moment beside the carriage door.

"Then come and call upon us, Mr. Mapleson; the young ladies will be together for a few days longer," said Mrs. Loring, who had overheard this remark; and having learned from this source that he belonged to one of the F. V.'s, she was anxious to cultivate his acquaintance for Addie's sake.

CHAPTER XI.
Everett Mapleson availed himself of Mrs. Loring's invitation, and called the second morning after Mrs. Brevort's reception, to pay his respects to the young ladies.

He was fortunate enough to find them both at home, and both were charmingly entertaining.

Auntie Loring was a merry little body, and no one could be dull when in her society.

Gladys was more reserved and dignified in her bearing, but she possessed a peculiar fascination which instantly attracted everybody, and, taking the two together, it would have been difficult, go the world over, to have found more entertaining company than they.

Everett Mapleson was beguiled into a call of a full hour—a delightful one it was, too, to them all—and looked his dismay when finally, glancing at his watch, he found how the time had slipped away.

Addie Loring laughed merrily, when she saw the expression on his face, and caught his well-bred, "I had no idea it was so late."

"Pray, Mr. Mapleson, do not look so disturbed," she cried, "there is no harm in such an offense, and you are absolved even before confession, for this time."

"But I have overstepped all bounds. I have been here a whole hour, and this my first call, too."

"How dreadful!" laughed the little lady, roguishly. "Pray, tell me, what is the Southern rule for first calls?"

"Twenty minutes, or half an hour, at most."

"I am glad I do not live at the South then. Why, one would hardly get through talking about the weather in that time."

(To be continued.)

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At the enthusiasm subsided, but, at such times, though infrequent and of short duration, onlookers realized that the thermometer registered something below 70. The cheering and shouting dispelled all tendency one might have felt to shiver. Considering the late date, it was very fortunate that the weather was so favorable for conducting the games.

The sports commenced at 2 o'clock, and the sight of so many muscular, well-built young athletes putting forth every effort in good-natured rivalry was decidedly a sight to behold. The spectators included many of the fairer sex, some wearing their college gowns and "mortar boards," and London's beauty was well represented. College colors were in abundance, and from a tall flagstaff floated the Union Jack.

During the afternoon refreshments were served in the college, and the visitors in friendly groups forsook the sports for this attraction, returning to the field more enthusiastic than ever.

The honors of the day went to the medical department. S. Thompson, of Strathroy, a first year man in medicine, won the championship, obtaining 41 points. C. McLeay, an second year, with 37 points, and D. Amott third with 18 points—both medicos.

THE WINNERS.
Following were the winners of the events:
Half-mile race—1 T. B. Howard, 2 L. McLeay, 3 S. McEvoy.

Standing broad jump—1 S. Thompson, 2 D. Amott, 3 W. E. McMillan, 270 feet; 2 A. Becker, 267 feet.

Throwing the cricket ball—1 D. Amott, 271 feet; 2 W. E. McMillan, 270 feet; 3 A. Becker, 267 feet.

Running broad jump—1 E. B. Smith, 16 feet 9 inches; 2 S. Thompson, 16 feet 8 inches; 3 G. Clay, 16 feet 8 inches.

Bicycle race—1 J. Ferguson, 2 J. Ferguson, 3 J. Orme, 4 A. Becker.

Standing high jump—1 F. Waide, 2 S. Thompson.

Putting the stone—1 W. Ardiel, 2 W. Morris, 3 J. McGrady.

Running high jump—1 S. Thompson, 2 L. McLeay. Thompson is a remarkably easy jumper.

Running hop, step and jump—1 S. Thompson, 2 E. B. Smith, 3 W. E. McMillan.

Walking race, one mile—1 P. Bucke, 2 D. Amott.

Hundred yards dash—1 S. Thompson, 2 C. McLeay, 3 F. Waide.

Kicking football—1 W. Doherty, 2 D. Amott, 3 W. E. McMillan.

Two hundred and twenty yards race—1 S. Thompson, 2 C. McLeay, 3 L. McLeay.

Bicycle slow race—1 J. Ferguson, 2 G. Clay, 3 L. McLeay.

Obstacle race—1 S. Thompson, 2 E. B. Smith, 3 A. Becker.

Much amusement was caused by this event. Three hurdles had to be jumped, and a trestle of ropes, with the last obstacle was reached there was great scrambling.

Quarter-mile race—1 S. Thompson, 2 C. McLeay.

Fatigue race—1 C. W. McLeay and L. McLeay, 2 A. Becker and D. Amott, 3 S. McEvoy.

Several teams of three men each were entered in the relay race, the first of which was won by the first lap was made by one man of each team, who on finishing, handed a stick to the second man, and so on, the running around the course, gave it to the third, who finished the race. The winners were: 1. Medical Juniors—S. Thompson, 2. Prof. Sykes and T. Bart Howard, president and secretary, respectively, of the field day committees, were very busy men, and the success of the day reflects great credit on their work, and that of their committees.

The judges were Dr. Moorhouse, Dr. McCallum, Rev. Canon Smith, and Rev. G. B. Sage. The starters were Provost Watkins, Prof. Burgess, and Mr. McWhinney.

At the conclusion of the games, the prizes were distributed by Mrs. (Provost) Watkins and Mrs. (Dr.) Moorhouse, in the east lecture room of the university. The prizes were finely engraved silver badges, with the university colors, blue and black, attached.

FRESHMEN'S SUPPER.
In the evening supper was held, at which Mr. T. Bart Howard presided in his usual, able, happy manner. It was called a "freshmen's supper," but to judge by the attack made on the turkey and other good things mentioned in the bill-of-fare, the term "freshmen's supper" would be more fitting. The repast was excellent, and when justice was done to it, Mr. Howard took up the toast list, and proposed "The Queen," the "National Anthem," being responded to by Prof. Burgess.

City was represented by Prof. James and C. C. Curton. "Our University" had Prof. Sykes as a worthy champion. Provost Watkins responded to "The Faculty."

"The Ladies" were championed by Mrs. E. B. Smith. Prof. Burgess proposed the toast to "The Freshmen," and Messrs. E. A. playard, J. F. Fox, and Hewart responded.

The names of T. Dobson and H. Burton were coupled with "Our Church."

"College Societies" was responded to by Mr. T. B. Smith, for the literary and missionary branches, and Mr. E. Crawford for the athletic.

Interpersed with the speeches were songs by Messrs. George Abbey and W. McMillan, and instrumentals by E. B. Smith and F. Fox. A most enjoyable time was had, and the gathering broke up about midnight.

Educational Matters,
Tenders for the Lorne Avenue School Piano.

Patching Up the Collegiate Institute Roof—Dr. Hutchinson Certifies to the Healthy Condition of the Children.

No. 2 committee of the Board of Education wrestled with tenders for a piano for Lorne avenue kindergarten school at its meeting last night. The eight tenders, which ranged from \$185 to \$275, were from the following houses: Heintzman, Nordheimer, Gerard-Heintzman, R. S. Williams, Bell Organ and Piano Company, Uxbridge, Dominion, and Karn. From these were selected the tenders of the Dominion, Uxbridge, Heintzman, and Nordheimer Companies, and a committee consisting of Trustees Gillman, Dr. Campbell, Bayly and Keenleyside was chosen to select a piano from the five named. They will meet on Thursday morning.

Mr. Webb, an old man who has for some years cut the school firewood, complained that another man had been given the job and wanted to know why. The committee decided to stop the wood saving and investigate the case, to find by whose authority, without the sanction of the committee, the man had been appointed.

A communication was read from the principal of St. George's school asking the board to deal liberally with a request from the janitor that in consequence of the recent building operations, he had been forced to take a great deal of extra work. On motion of Mr. Martyn, it was decided to pay him for this at the same rate he receives for ordinary work.

A report was received by the committee from a city doctor stating that in October a teacher had been taken ill with diphtheria, and he expressed the opinion that she had contracted the disease from one of the children.

A letter from the medical officer of the (Dr. Hutchinson) was received contradicting this, and stating that there had not been a case of diphtheria within one-third of a mile of any school between Jan. 1 and Nov. 5, last.

He visited the school yesterday, and found all the children healthy, and expressed himself as greatly satisfied with the condition of general cleanliness.

The desirability of having a new roof for the Collegiate Institute was discussed at some length, but the general opinion of the committee was that it should be left to the next year's board. Meanwhile the roof will be mended. John Thompson will do \$5 worth of repairs and Mr. Boyd.

The members present were: E. N. Hunt (chairman), Bayly, Dr. Campbell, Gillman and Martyn.

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Esquimaux, 40-44; Edmonton, 4-12; Calgary, zero-10; Prince Albert, 8-20; Winnipeg, 14-26; Port Arthur, 20-30; Toronto, 22-34; Ottawa, 28-40; Montreal, 32-40; Quebec, 28-34; Halifax, 34-50.

PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Nov. 11-1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lakes region: Strong winds and gales; shifting to southwest and west; rain at first; then partly clearing; colder again on Thursday.

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—The Grand Trunk's winter timetable goes into effect Saturday.

—The friends of Dr. Wilkinson, of Sarnia, formerly of this city, will hear with regret of his serious illness.

—Miss Leotta finished her local engagement at Wesley Hall last night. Both Miss Leotta and Miss Hills, the harpist, made many warm admirers.

—Contractor Mills expects to have the walls of the G. T. R. car shops completed by Friday. They contain over one million bricks. This is quick work.

—Mr. Jerry McDonald has applied for the license of the late Daniel Dewar, and the commissioners will meet Saturday to consider the application.

—J. H. Wilson, V.S., Government Inspector, has just returned from the hog cholera infected district. He says a great deal of the reports is gross exaggeration.

—The following marriage license was issued by the county clerk at Port Huron the other day: John P. Hubbard, aged 33, of London, and Cora D. Walker, aged 24, of Toronto.

—Alex. McKay, an elderly man, seriously afflicted with St. Vitus' dance, who is supposed to have been transported to this city by some other corporation, was charged with vagrancy. He claimed to belong to London, Ont., and was taken to the city hall.

—The Wellington Street Methodist Sunday school has elected the following officers: Superintendent, Wm. Jeffrey; assistant superintendent, J. W. T. Park; secretary, Wm. Southcott; treasurer, F. C. Doan; librarians, Wm. Mortimer, John Wright, Walter Adams and Herbert Foot.

—The past noble grand of Chorazin Lodge, I. O. O. F., have formed an association for the furtherance of the lodge's work in general, and degree work in particular. Two rooms in the East End Hotel have been nicely furnished by the association, where the members can spend their evenings in a social manner.

—Last night the Christian Endeavor Society of the King Street Presbyterian Church celebrated its tenth anniversary. An "At Home" was given by Rev. A. Wilson, of Newbury; solos by Miss Frances Mutch, Mr. A. Marrott and Mr. J. Wilson; instrumental by Mr. Giesse; readings by Miss Cohoon and Mr. Archie Black, and duet by the Misses McQueenie. The school room was nicely decorated, and the audience was large.

—Provincial Detective Mahoney went to Amherstburg yesterday in response to the urgent telegram from Jas. R. Gillean, proprietor of the Lake View Hotel, saying that his life and property were in danger. He found that a sailor, Robert Brown, had smashed several large panes of glass in the hotel, threatened the life of the hotel keeper, and defied anyone to arrest him. The local officers were terrified and would do nothing. Before Mahoney arrived, however, Brown had cleared out, and he has not been heard from since. Mr. Gillean is a London boy.

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Mrs. Foster, of Kent street, has just recovered from a serious attack of La Grippe. This is the second time she has had this influenza, the first of which attacked Mrs. Foster about three years ago, and left her with a very troublesome cough, accompanied with chronic bronchitis, and a complication of other diseases which made it almost impossible for her to attend church without disturbing the congregation by coughing, and, indeed, Mrs. Foster assures us that so bad were the spasms that she often feared she would burst a blood vessel during one of these severe attacks. It was very natural that under such circumstances numerous friends would recommend as many different "cure alls." She tried Cherry Pectoral, Tar, Linseed and other preparations, but was growing generally worse when a friend advised her to try that, and in a few days she was out of bed, and the best feature is that she is now entirely freed from all symptoms of the Bronchitis, of which she never hoped to be cured. Mrs. Miller, a neighbor, also had a bad cough and was completely cured by the same preparation.

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"Human Hearts" was produced at the Grand last evening, and owing to the incessant rain storm, was witnessed by the lightest house that the Grand has seen for some time. It proved to be what had been promised of it—a melodrama of unquestioned merit. Hal Reid, the author, was the principal in the cast. His conception and personation of the honest, industrious blacksmith are deserving of special mention. He has written a play that appeals to the heart and excites the purest emotions. It tells the sorrowful tale of the breaking up of a happy family, of the hero charged and sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of his father, a deed committed by another man, the accomplice of his own wife. "Broken Hearts" would be a more appropriate name. Seldom are better stage settings witnessed than those of last evening. The artist's brush pictured the simple home of a laboring man both in summer and winter with touching fidelity, and the last setting, that of an apartment room in New York, was of unusual taste and elegance. The supporting company was of more than average ability.

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Rev. Mr. Miller, of Moss, Accepts a Call to Ashfield.

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The Presbytery of London met in Knox Church, St. Thomas, on Tuesday, Nov. 10, at 11 a.m., Rev. M. P. Talling, of St. James' Church, London, presiding.

Communications were read from the congregations of Alisa Craig and Carling, and these were referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. Currie, Johnston, Stuart and Henderson, to report at the afternoon session.

A call was presented to Mr. Miller, Moss, from the congregation of Lingwick, and was supported by Mr. Dewar, of Alisa Craig.

A call was also presented to the same gentleman from the congregation of Ashfield, and was supported by Rev. Mr. Murray, of Kincardine, and Mr. Hugh Chambers, Messrs. Munro, McVicar and Campbell were heard from Moss, in opposition to the call made, and reasons against Mr. Miller's translation were read.

The court adjourned till 1:30 p.m. A circular re Sabbath schools was read from the assembly's convener, and on motion was received.

A circular from the foreign mission secretary was also read, and Mr. R. Johnston was heard in support of the matter presented. It was decided that a committee be appointed to bring the schemes of the church before all the congregations in the Presbytery if possible within the next year.

The call from Lingwick and also from Ashfield having been put in the hands of Mr. Miller, of Moss, he declared his intention of accepting the call from Ashfield, his reason for leaving Moss being that the manse was unhealthy. It was moved by Mr. Kelso that the translation be granted, that sympathy be expressed for the congregation of Moss, and that the pulpit be declared vacant on the last Sabbath of November. Mr. Miller was instructed to hold himself at the disposal of the Maitland Presbytery. Carried.

Mr. Ross was appointed to preach the pulpit vacant, and to act as interim moderator.

Messrs. Henderson and Ross were appointed a committee to prepare a minute expressive of the Presbytery's appreciation of Mr. Miller's services and regret at his departure.

Messrs. Currie, Ross, Henderson and Dewar were appointed to prepare for a series of meetings at which the

schemes of the church may be brought before the various congregations in the Presbytery.

The committee reported in regard to the communications from Alisa Craig and Carling to the effect that the Presbytery unwillingly acceded to the proposed reduction of stipend, said reduction to be from this date, and also expressed its conviction that charges should be made so as to allow morning and evening service at Alisa Craig.

Mr. Henderson stated that Mr. John Bayne, catechist, had been engaged to supply Kirkrid during the current six months.

Mr. Currie, the synod's convener, reported the action of the augmentation committee in regard to the augmented changes in the bounds of the Presbytery.

A letter from Dr. King was read in regard to Manitoba College, and it was referred to the committee appointed to arrange for services throughout the Presbytery.

A petition presented from Bryanston was read, signed by a number of members and adherents. It was moved that the petition be laid on the table, and that the parties interested be cited to appear at an adjourned meeting of the Presbytery, on a date to be fixed.

Rev. Robt. Johnston brought up the matter of services at Pottersburg. It was moved that the congregations of Crumlin and King Street be cited to appear for their interests at the adjourned meeting of Presbytery.

Leave was granted to moderate a call to Knox Church, St. Thomas.

Mr. Wilson resigned his position as moderator of Dutton, and Mr. Kelso was appointed to take his place, and was given permission to moderate in a call, if necessary.

Mr. Currie reported that the committee on examination of candidates for license and ordination had arranged the duties of the various members of the committee as follows: Critical exercises, lecture and sermon, Rev. Dr. Proudfoot; philosophy and church history, Rev. J. H. Smith; systematic theology, Rev. R. W. Ross; Greek and Hebrew, Rev. J. Currie. On motion the report was approved.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet in the First Church, London, on Tuesday, Nov. 24, at 11 a.m.

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