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ATHENS MODEL SCHOOL

Following is the honor roll of the A.M.S. for March:—

FORM IV

Sr.—Kenneth Blancher, Beaumont Cornell, Carrie Covey, Esther Kincaid, Kenneth McClary, Belle Earle, Helen Donovan, Sadie Davenport, Harold Jacob, Ola Derbyshire.

Jr.—Ist.—Bessie Weeks, Bryce Wilton, Nellie Earl, Ada Brown, Keitha Purcell.—100.

2nd.—Claude McClary, Austin Tribute, Vera Gainford, Fred Trickey, Rae Kincaid, Errett Pierce.—90.

3rd.—Mabel Jacob.—80.

4th.—George Foley.—60.

5th.—Kenneth Wittae.—40.

6th.—Arthur Campbell, Harold Thompson.—0.

C. R. MACINTOSH, Principal.

FORM III

Sr.—Dona Thompson, Kenneth Rappell, Bessie Johnston, Birdie Gainford, Evalana Gifford, Russel Bishop, May Danby, Lillie Gibson, Lulu McLean, Muriel Kelly.

Jr.—Kathleen Massey, Allen Bishop, Bessie Cowan, Mina Donnelly, Roy Mullen, Gertrude Weeks, Bertha Stinson, Carrie Robinson, Keith McLaughlin, Jim Scott.

Aggregate attendance, 447.
Average attendance, 28.
Percentage 96.

MINNABEL MORRIS, Teacher.

FORM II

Sr.—Gladys Gainford, John Kelly, Fern Cross, Marion Covey, Winona Massey, Walter Hawkins, Nellie Kelly, Eric Dobbs, Charlie Broad.

Jr.—Lyons McMachen, Archie Kincaid, Hazel Holmes, Paul Bishop, Mills Johnston, Hattie Rockwood, Atza Wittae, Israel Danby, Geraldine Eyre.

Aggregate attendance, 622.
Average attendance, 29.
Percentage, 91

A. H. WATSON, Teacher.

PRIMARY ROOM

Sr. Pt. II.—George Cowan, Myrtle Conlin, Opel Purcell, Irene Earl, Saunie Scott.

Int. Pt. II.—Norma Massey, Frances Moore, Charlie McConnell, Gardem Thompson, Alice Patterson, Frances Clow, Ro-a Stinson, Bertha Hollingsworth, George Whitford, Clarence Gifford.

Jr. Pt. II.—Anna Nowlan, Hubert Cornell, Beatrice Brown (equal), Kenneth Watson, Charlie Poland (equal), Nelson Cross, Bryce Townsend, Gwendolyn Wiltse, Delbert Layng.

Sr. Pt. I.—Charlie Greenham, Arthur Hawkins, Leita Kilbourn, Douglas Johnston, Marie Nowlan, Blanche Niblock.

Aggregate attendance, 621.
Average attendance, 29.
Percentage, 76.

ANNA E. TAGGART, Teacher.

KINDERGARTEN ROOM

Sr. Int.—George Purcell, Basil Connerly, Bryce Bullis, Stanley Gifford.

Jr. Int.—Elsie Thompson, Jimmie Hawkins, Marguerite Hull, Johnny Donnelly, Othoe Lott, Maude Towris, Janet Conlin, Clarence Mulvena, Ivan Pierce.

Jr. I.—Lorne Derbyshire, Wallace Hollingsworth, Leslie McVeigh, Mabel Darling, Lena Garrett, Jackson Kilborn.

Aggregate attendance, 442
Average attendance, 21.
Percentage, 87.

ROBERTA A. ROSS, Teacher.

MARCH HONOR ROLLS

S. S. NO 6 ELIZABETHTOWN

Entrance Class.—Blanche Howard, Arthur Hudson, Fred Gray.

Jr. IV.—Joe Kirk, Ethel Stevenson, Effie Stevenson.

Jr. III.—Willie Kilbourn.

Jr. II.—Cassie Parslow, Willie Stevenson, Horton Parslow.

Pt. II.—Donald Blair.

Pt. I.—Mareta Hudson, Myrtle Parslow.

Average attendance, 15

ANNA B. ANGLIM, Teacher.

HAWKE'S SCHOOL

IV.—Etta Brown, Esther Brown, Gordon Boothe

III.—Lloyd Scott, Beatrice Brown, Maggie Hall, Garfield Lee, Robert Hall, George Cardiff.

II.—Myrtle Brown, Harold Percival, Verne Boothe.

Pt. II.—Clare Charleton, John Scott.

Pt. I.—Marion Brown, Laura Hall.

KEITHA P. DUCOLON, Teacher.

Local Option in Mountain

Winchester Press: The vote in Mountain township on the 30th ult. resulted in a big victory for the Local Option, the by-law carrying by a majority of 138. The total vote was 728, which is considered large, being 64 more than the vote polled at the municipal election in January.

It is interesting to note that if the vote Friday had been taken under the new License Act now before the Ontario Legislature, which requires a three-fifths vote to carry Local Option, the by-law would have failed to pass by about three votes.

The by-law comes into operation on August 1st next, on which day Mountain is expected to go dry.

The Press is informed on reliable authority that there is likely to be a protest entered to quash the Local Option by law in Mountain. There are several grounds alleged to exist on which this can be done. First and foremost it is claimed that the non-appointment by the council of a couple of persons to witness the summing up of the votes by the clerk, is sufficient to invalidate the by-law. In fact the precedent is pointed to at Maxville where a Local Option by-law was quashed on the same grounds. Then again it is alleged that the acceptance of \$70 by the council from the Local Optionists for expenses was illegal. Other grounds are claimed to exist on which the by-law can be attacked, and it half the rumors going round prove correct, there are likely to be more lively times in Mountain.

Death of Eber Wiltse

The serious illness with which Mr. Eber Wiltse had been affected for several weeks terminated fatally on Thursday last.

He was a son of the late Jeremiah Wiltse and leaves to mourn his loss two sisters, Lily, a school teacher, and Carrie, married and living in New York state. During his illness he was tenderly cared for by Miss Lillie, and the sisters have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement.

Eber spent a number of years at cheese-making, but his health becoming impaired he was obliged to give up the business. He was of a peculiarly pleasant disposition, and was generally popular with the people of the village. The funeral was held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, service being conducted by the Rev. S. J. Hughes.

Drama at Lyndhurst

A drama, "The Merry Cobbler," is to be presented at Lyndhurst by local amateurs on the evening of Friday, April 20. The drama is one in which all parts are nicely balanced and the interest is maintained to the denouement. The rehearsals indicate that it will be very creditably presented, and no doubt the seating capacity of the hall will be fully taxed. Messrs. Robertson Bros of Brockville will give vocal specialties between acts. Tickets are selling at 25 and 85c. The proceeds go into a fund being formed for granolithic sidewalks.

Death of Mrs. Catharine Kilborn

Mrs. Kilborn was born at Seeley's Bay, Ont., in October, 1838, and died in Brockville, April 8th, 1906. Her maiden name was Catharine Gilbert and her first husband was William Stafford, who predeceased her by 36 years.

She leaves four children, Henry of Montreal, Wellington of Salt Lake City, Mrs. Rev. Sheldon of Toronto and Mrs. J. P. Reid of Mankato, Minnesota.

The son from Salt Lake City is expected to arrive home on Friday.

Mrs. Kilborn was twice married, her second husband having died about 8 years ago.

She had been a member of the Baptist church for over 30 years, having been baptised by Rev. Malcolm McGregor.

Up to March 28th, when she suddenly became seriously ill, she had enjoyed her usual health and was visiting a niece, M. S. Thos. Sheridan of Brockville.

An abscess, which defied medical skill, formed on the orain and in the General Hospital, she passed peacefully away on Sabbath morn at 9 o'clock.

On Monday the remains were brought to Athens, attended by a number of her children and friends, and the funeral service was conducted in the church on Tuesday, by Rev. L. M. Weeks, in the presence of a large congregation, as Mrs. Kilborn was widely known and respected.

EASTER

Every man and boy likes to be attired well on Easter Sunday. Now is the time to select the New Spring Suit, Top Coat, Hat etc., for yourself, or your boy. Come here for your outfit, sir, and on Easter Sunday you'll be looked upon as a

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The Reporter gives a free notice of every event for which printing is done at this office.

T H I S O R I G I N A L D O C U M E N T I S F I N V E R Y P O O R C O N D I T I O N

DRUGS MAKE PLANTS GROW.

Flowers and Vegetables Mature Quickly Under Effects of Ether.

Flowers and vegetables are drugged with ether nowadays. They are put in airtight dens and fed on ether for twenty-four or thirty-six hours until they become so permeated with the fumes that they mature in about half the time it takes them to develop naturally.

Stately Easter lilies treated for twenty-four hours have put forth magnificent blooms with the help of warm acetylene light at night, and narcissus plants have doubled the size of their flowers after spending a day and a half in the dens.

This remarkable method of forcing both flowers and vegetables to maturity has been developed in the horticultural department of the Cornell university, at Ithaca, N. Y.

It was told to the public for the first time at the winter exhibition of the Farmers' institute, in the American institute, 19 and 21 West Forty-fourth street, by Professor John Craig, head of the horticultural branch of Cornell.

"It means a revolution in flowers and vegetables, this new way of forcing them, because they seem to be stimulated to a more perfect maturity than when they develop naturally," Professor Craig said.

"By experiment in the university we found that the ether administered in an airtight box or dens for twenty-four or thirty-six hours had a most remarkable vitalizing effect on certain kinds of flowers and vegetables.

"When, in addition to being kept in the sunlight during the day time, they were exposed at night to the light from acetylene burners which seem to have a spectrum similar in effect to the real sunshine, they grew almost riotously.

"Lilacs, for instance, will be in bloom at least ten days sooner under this treatment than when they develop naturally or by the ordinary means of forcing, as will also azaleas and rhododendrons.

When putting the roots into the ether the greatest care should be taken not to leave them in the stimulating atmosphere more than thirty-six or forty-eight hours or the drug will have the opposite effect, and instead of being forced to mature they will die as soon as removed.

HEART-SICK PEOPLE.—Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Cure is a heart tonic that never fails to cure it in its effects—comes closer to the "border land" and snatches from death's grip more sufferers than any other remedy for any family of diseases and ailments in the category of human sufferings. Gives relief in 30 minutes.—75

CODFISH A LUXURY. The fact that the American codfishers have been cut off from securing bait in Newfoundland as well as the French causes satisfaction at St. Pierre, not because the former have lost their baiting privileges, but from the belief that American vessel owners will unite with the St. Pierre fleet in securing and preserving bait to their mutual benefit.

Schools of herring visit St. Pierre and should be secured when opportunity offers. From one school that fall it is estimated that several thousand barrels could have been secured. Caplin, a much esteemed bait for use in July, seldom fails to come to these islands to spawn, and it is thought that with proper regulations the supply will be equal to the demand.

Among all the bank fishermen squid are considered good bait at any season and may be caught in fair quantities about these shores; in the past this is the one bait supply that has not been lost through lack of taking or preserving. Notwithstanding French fishermen are seriously handicapped in their efforts to secure bait, a careful inquiry establishes the fact that there is an abundance of salt squid and herring for the first trip.

Vigorous preparations are being made for the coming season, and the indications are that the tonnage sailing from St. Pierre to engage in codfishing will be more than for a number of years, among the vessels being many new ones. With a record of three and a half years this record is commendable.

The price of codfish in France has advanced to a figure never before reached, making it a luxury instead of an article of common consumption. The French firms are offering St. Pierre fishermen \$4.80 per 100 pounds for green fish, drying the skins at thirty per cent, and with the added cost of one and a half cents per pound as the cost of drying and transportation, with twenty per cent profit of the retailer, we have the total cost to the French consumer of twelve cents per pound. In fact the retail price at St. Pierre of dry codfish is ten cents per pound. France would not, however, be a good market for American dried codfish, as the duty is prohibitive, the market being held for the French fishermen. On the other hand, St. Pierre cannot enter the United States market where a discriminating duty is levied on bounty fed industrial articles.

THERE IS NOW A MASS OF PROOF

That Lumbago is Always Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Quebec Man Cured his Kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and his Lumbago Vanished.

Quebec, P. Q., April 2.—(Special).—John Ball, a bricklayer, residing at 57 Little Champlain street, this city, has added his statement to the great mass of proof that lumbago is caused by disordered kidneys, and consequently easily cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Ball says:

"I was troubled with lumbago for two years. I could not work. I had to get up at nights to urinate so often that my rest was broken. I read of cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills, and made up my mind to try them. After the first box I could sleep and feel a change. Three boxes cured me completely."

Lumbago, like Rheumatism, is caused by uric acid in the blood. Uric acid cannot stay in the blood if the kidneys are working right. Dodd's Kidney Pills make the kidneys work right.

Knew His Business. That embryonic merchants are to be found among the newsboys of Philadelphia was revealed in the following dialogue with one of the craft, who is particularly bright and alert, while, as has been found by several men who are his patrons, is also scrupulously honest:

"Give me a paper, son." "Yes sir; here you are sir. Never mind the money, sir; you can give me that at another time." "Why, how can you do business in that way? You don't know me. How do you know you'll ever get your money?" "Oh, I know you; I see you every day and have been waiting to get you to buy a paper."

"Well, I've bought one. What now?" "Now, I want you to buy one every day; won't you, sir? You need not pay me when you buy it. I'd rather you paid me every Saturday. Will you, please, sir?" "Of course, I will, my little man." "Thank you, sir. Good-bye." "Good-bye." Here was enacted an incident that showed the true commercial instinct and the man was not slow to see it and encourage it. He insists that he will follow up that boy's career and do whatever he can to promote his interests.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff. The Oldest Tree in the World. The dragon tree of the Canary Islands is believed to be the oldest living vegetable organism in the world. The age of one tree, in particular, the once famous dragon tree of Tenerife, has usually been estimated to be from 4,000 to 6,000 years, having thus an antiquity comparable with that of the Pyramids. This wonder of the plant world was 70 feet or more in height and survived intact until the year 1819, when during a terrific storm one of the large branches was broken off. A similar storm in 1867 stripped the trunk of its remaining branches and left it standing alone.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

EFFECTS OF EXCESSIVE DANCING. "In all my fifty years of medical experience," says Dr. Cordelia A. Greene, in her recently published book, The Art of Keeping Well, "I have never known so many persons injured over the waist as I have found in one year harmed by dancing. A half dozen hands about the waist, with corsets and unsupported clothing, would make exercise of any kind a source of weakness about the trunk and back. But any exercise the strain of which comes upon two or three sets of muscles or organs is dangerous. In dancing the greatest strain of the exercise comes first and most heavily upon the heart and head, and last, though not least, upon the lower part of the back and the pelvis. When persons dance more than very moderately the heart, back, and the internal and external pelvic muscles are sure to be overstrained. No young woman, however well, should dance in any one evening more than five sets of ten minutes each, with twenty minutes of rest between each set, and no young man should permit his sister or his friend to do more than this. Were I a young man I should hesitate long before marrying a young woman who had danced excessively through even one fashionable season."

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia. Denying Himself. Keeping Lent would not be such a severe penance if all consciences were as exacting as that of one particular young lady of Germantown. After grave consideration of what luxury it would pain her most to be deprived of, everything but ice cream and fudge was eliminated, and finally she decided to deprive herself of even ice cream. A girl friend, aware of her penance, was accordingly surprised a few evenings ago to come upon her in a cafe engaged in disposing of a plate of ice cream with evident relish. "Why Grace," said the friend in a tone of reproach, "I thought you were a penitent. I know," said Grace, with an appealing glance, "but let me explain. I did keep my resolution, but I kept it so well that finally I began to feel a worldly pleasure in the thought that I was depriving myself of the thing I loved most. Of course, that made my penance worthless until I hit upon the plan of denying myself the pleasure of denying myself the pleasure of eating ice cream. Do you catch on to my meaning?" "Yes," said the friend, perplexed, "but don't you feel that it is as much of a pleasure this way?" "I'm afraid it is," confessed Grace, taking a spoonful of cream, "but what in the world am I to do?" she pleaded helplessly. "Well, you are in a bad way," laughed the friend, as the other put the last spoonful of the ice cream in her mouth.

Able and Willing to Tell. (Philadelphia Record). What—Can your wife always tell when she is in love?—Wags—She not only can but she does.

WOMAN IN THE RIGGING.

Mother Clings Her Baby for Five Hours.

Rarely has there been told a more thrilling story of shipwreck and rescue than one which came from Dungeness on Thursday.

During a heavy snow squall on Wednesday the schooner Marie Christine went ashore at Jury's Gap, a dangerous point near Dungeness, and soon became a wreck. When the vessel was missed, the coastguards set out along a mile or two of the desolate shingle, and discovered her at Jury's Gap. Only her masts were visible, but a number of people were clinging to the rigging, and among them was a woman with a baby tightly clasped in her arms.

The rocket apparatus was promptly got to work, and communication was established with the shore. It was seen that the woman, who proved to be the captain's wife, was being persuaded to be the first to leave, and there was an affecting scene as she parted with her child and entered the breeches buoy. She was hauled ashore greatly exhausted, and one by one the others followed.

But the most thrilling and pathetic scene was when the captain, with his child, slipped into the basket. Until they reached the land scarcely a word was spoken by the rescuers, so tense was the excitement. The shipwrecked people had been in the rigging for five hours, and some of them, especially the woman and the baby, were in a state of collapse.—English Exchange.

EASTER EXCURSIONS.

Spent your Easter vacation in Washington and Atlantic City. Special Washington Easter excursion via Lehigh Valley Railway Friday, April 13. Tickets only ten dollars round trip from Suspension Bridge, Niagara Falls. Tickets good ten days. Stop-over allowed at Baltimore and Philadelphia on return trip. Side trip, Philadelphia to Atlantic City, only \$1.75. Trains leave Suspension Bridge April 13th at 3.50 and 7.15 a. m. and 7.15 p. m. For tickets, Pullmans and further information, call on or address Robt. S. Lewis, Passenger Agent, L. V. Ry., 10 King street east, Toronto. Special ten day excursion to New York City, Friday, April 27th. Tickets only \$9.00 round trip. Send for map and guide of New York, free.

Feathers on Women's Hats. The idea that the wearing of wings, breasts and other feather ornaments on women's millinery necessitates the wholesale slaughter of birds is all bunk. Said a manufacturer of feather goods while a fashion comes in that calls for a particular feather or quill that only one bird produces, but with wings, breasts and other feathers are made from the feathers plucked from poultry dressed for table use. We take holes of feathers, clean them, brush them, curl them and work them up into whatever is wanted, and not a bird's life is sacrificed.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere. Food Adulteration in Germany. During the year 1903 3,091 persons were convicted in Germany for adulteration of articles of food. In 1902 the convictions were larger, a decrease of 6 per cent, being noted for 1903. The large number of convictions occurred in Berlin, where an increase from 598 in 1902 to 645 in 1903 is shown. For producing and keeping for sale and consumption unwholesome articles of food 748 persons were convicted in 1903, against 811 persons in 1902. This large increase is due to the effects of the inspection law of June 3, 1900. In Berlin 59 persons were convicted for violating the provisions of this law, against 29 in 1902. For knowingly violating the rules with reference to animal epidemics, especially those for the prohibition of imports to prevent rinderpest, as well as the regulations to prevent contagion in the transportation of animals by railroad, and for the willful use of articles liable to spread contagious diseases before the public, 191 persons were convicted, against 118 in 1902, showing a decrease of 20 per cent.

The Skibbereen Bull. The Rev. J. J. Curran, treasurer of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, was talking in Wilkesbarre about St. Patrick's Day. From this subject, turning naturally to the subject of bulls, he said: "An Englishman was once travelling in the south of Ireland when he came to a village called Skibbereen. "The name struck him as very peculiar and odd, and he asked a villager why the town was called. "Sure," the villager replied, "I thought even an Englishman could have seen the reason for that. It's called Skibbereen to distinguish it from other places of the same name."

"Sweating Sickness of the Hand." The well known nerve pathologist, V. M. Bechteroff, says the St. Petersburg Novosti, mentions the appearance of a peculiar disease of the nerve system, which he calls "sweating sickness of the hand." This trouble is evidenced by the sudden perspiration of the hands on the part of the victim each time he sees an acquaintance with whom he is about to shake hands. Sometimes the perspiration will fall in large drops from the tips of the fingers. None of the other parts of the body show similar symptoms.

Athletic Schoolmasters. The schoolmaster who has been elected for his skill at cricket and football is a phenomenon of recent years. There is a type of young man who sees he leaves Oxford or Cambridge is more a bigger boy than when he went there; his intelligence has not been impaired by his studies, and at the end of his university career he probably is a very brilliant cricketer or footballer. He is dependent on fees, bursaries and other means of support, and he must be a good cricketer or a good schoolmaster; our graduate applies, and in due course finds himself installed as "game master."

When Everybody is Well Armed. Battleship are the "go." And what is the world going to do when all of the great powers—including the United States, mind you—are equipped with ponderous establishments at sea? Will there be fighting? Will war be done away with by the destruction of all the fighting forces? Or will the nations simply glare at each other maintain an armed and very expensive peace? How would it be if all of them to quit building warships and burn what they have on hand?

When You Try on a Suit. (Sarcastical Art Journal). Trying on an evidence of true progress, for it is employed not so much for the purpose of enabling the cutter to fit his client as to enable the client to have his own individual ideas of grace, appropriateness and beauty embodied and expressed in a garment and to enable the cutter to develop the garment to the necessary approximation of his client's ideal, which is the true relation to art, to fashion, and to man.

THE SUNLIGHT WAY



RINSE WELL

FIRST STAGE COACH INTO DENVER.

On the 17th of May, 1859, Denver turned out to welcome the first through coach of what was destined to grow into the "Overland Mail," an enterprise which for sheer American pluck and daring, must be forever linked with the fame of the "Pony Express."

Red shirts drifted to the outskirts of the hamlet and dotted the hills around. Hard-faced bartenders made ready for the "hottest night that ever tore the camp loose." The artillery of holster and saddle-bags was unlimbered for an ecstatic fusillade. There was lively betting in dust and suggests that the first through stage had been gathered in by Indians, with takers as eager to stake their faith that the scalps of driver and guard would come through intact.

As length a swirl of dust showed far down the trail. It grew into a yellow cloud that crept toward the eager hamlet. Then six mules, stretched out on the gallop, emerged from this curtain and behind them was the lumbering stage, come safely through, and lived in real men wore white shirts and roared a welcome to this heroic enterprise were echoed in every Western town which hoped and longed for a link of its own with the home country. "Way back East"—"The Story of the Overland Mail," in The Outing Magazine for April.

I consider MINARD'S LINIMENT the BEST liniment in use. I got my foot badly jammed lately. I bathed it well with MINARD'S LINIMENT, and it was as well as ever next day. Yours very truly, T. G. McMULLEN.

Children in Divorce Courts. (Baltimore American). Whatever views may be held of divorce there is one feature of divorce trials which is a pity there is not some law to abolish, and that is bringing little children into court as witnesses against accused parties. Such impressions as are then gained might never leave a child's mind and good public policy seems to be against the practice.

NEW YORK EXCURSION. On April 12th New York Central Railroad will run an excursion from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo to New York and return for \$10.25. Tickets good 10 days for return. Note that April 12th is the day before Good Friday, which will enable passengers to spend the Easter holidays in the great metropolis. Full information may be had by writing Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 69 1/2 Yonge street, Toronto. Telephone Main 4,361.

How Niagara Recedes. The only reliable data that can form a basis for speculation as to the progress of Niagara Falls from Lake Ontario to the present site is found by comparing the two surveys that have been made of the falls, one in 1842 and the other in 1896. The first of these was a trigonometrical survey made by Dr. John Hall, Nestor of the New York State Geological Survey. At the suggestion of Sir Charles Lyell, who visited the falls with him, monuments were erected at the points at which the angles were taken in order that the same later surveyor would be able to find with accuracy the exact extent of the changes. The second survey was made in 1896 by R. S. Woodward, of the United States Geological Survey, now director of the Carnegie Institute at Washington. The result surprised the world. Woodward's survey showed that the falls had moved 220 feet since 1842, the rate per acre had been, therefore, five feet per centum. Woodward's survey also showed that the area of five acres of rock had precipitated from the face of the fall in the half century.—From "The Migration of Niagara Falls," by Archibald, in Four-Track News for April.

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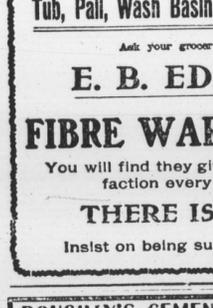
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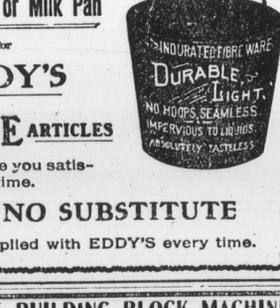
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GREAT MONEY-MAKING SCHEME.

Cobalt Not in it With York County Loan Company.

Caustic Comments of Magistrate and Crown Attorney.

E. J. Burt Could Not Tell What He Did With Money.

A Toronto despatch: "Talk about Cobalt! Cobalt wasn't in it!" This was the exclamation uttered by Crown Attorney Curry in the course of his examination of Mr. E. J. Burt in connection with the conspiracy charge against Joseph Phillips of the York County Loan & Savings Company.

In the morning Mr. Phillips' counsel, Mr. J. E. Jones, entered a protest against the manner of conducting the investigation, but he did not get much help from Colonel Denison, who had some strong comments to make on the way in which the business of the loan company was conducted.

Mr. E. J. Burt was next called. He received \$29 per week, and also a commission on all industrial business produced by the York County Loan company. The witness entirely repudiated the idea that Phillips shared in this commission.

Mr. Curry suggested that Mr. Burt got merely one-third of the commission and Mr. Phillips two-thirds. Mr. Burt absolutely swore this was not true. Mr. Curry said that this commission amounted to \$25,000.

"No, it was not," said the witness, emphatically. Mr. Curry handed the witness a check dated January 15, 1904, for \$3,337, and marked on the stub "doctors' fees."

"That was a mistake," said the witness. "Now, what did you do with the money?" "I couldn't tell; I don't remember."

"I should think you did." "I don't remember exactly."

"Where did you deposit the money when you got it?" "I don't know where I paid it."

"Did you pay over the amount you loaned in cheques or in cash?" "In cash, I think."

"Why do all of you always make these payments in cash? I cannot get at anything except just cash payments."

Arrangement With Doctors. The witness explained the arrangement made with the doctors for life assurance. The medical men were guaranteed sufficient business to pay their premiums.

When the court adjourned Mr. Curry had not finished putting in all the cheques paid to Mr. Burt. The Crown Attorney contends that these cheques amount to about \$3,000, whilst Mr. Webb, a court clerk, put up the amount of those put in at \$12,400.

ENDED FATALLY.

PAUL NOCQUET'S BALLOON ASCENT BROUGHT DEATH.

Descended After Dark in Marshes of Long Island and Died From Cold and Exhaustion - Swam and Waded Runnels.

New York, April 9.—Death in the waters of Bass Creek, on the south shore of Long Island, between Jones Beach and Amityville, ended the daring balloon ascent begun yesterday afternoon by Paul Nocquet, a French sculptor of note and an enthusiastic amateur aeronaut.

NURSES' UNIFORMS.

EXPENSES OF KINGSTON CANDIDATES IN LATE ELECTION.

A Kingston Ont., special despatch says: Blue uniforms will be worn by the nurses at the General Hospital until the fall, when the directors will again consider the question in view of the storm of protest from the women and nurses against the change from the present uniform of white and red which was the distinctive uniform for twenty years past.

A SEVERED SPINE.

HOW IS THIS FOR A YARN FROM PHILADELPHIA.

New York, April 9.—A Philadelphia despatch to the Herald says: The question whether the spinal cord, once severed, can be restored, seems to have been solved by a young physician of this city. Five years ago, Miss Clara Nichols, of South 4th street, was shot in the back. A diagnosis at the time resulted in the announcement that the spinal cord had been severed by the bullet.

CHANCELLOR VON BUELOW SICK.

He Made a Speech and Was Listening to Herr Bebel When He Fell Ill.



Chancellor Von Buelow, while attending the debate in the Reichstag, Berlin, to-day, fainted and was carried to a committee room by some of the members of the house.

The Chancellor made a speech on the subject of Morocco and was listening to the answer of Herr Bebel, the Socialist leader, when he was taken ill. The Vice-President of the House, Dr. Count Von Stolberg Wernigerode, adjourned the sitting for a quarter of an hour during which deep silence prevailed throughout the house.

Dr. Mugden and Dr. Mecker had in the meantime gone to the assistance of the Chancellor who appeared to be conversing with them and with the members who carried him from the Chamber into the committee room.

He was removed from the Chamber to the sitting room of the President of the House, and placed in an easy chair, and he began to show signs of returning consciousness.

Prof. Rudolf Reners, head of the Moorish Hospital, reached the room some time later, and after examining the Chancellor said he was suffering from a severe fainting spell, the result of influenza, and that there was no indication of paralysis which was at first feared.

NATAL FIELD FORCE DRIVEN FROM LAAGER.

Attacked by Large Force of Seutis and Compelled to Retreat to Greytown.

Greytown, Natal, April 9.—The colonial field force which was concentrating at Impanza, twelve miles northwest of Greytown, for operations against the insurgent chief, Bambata, the deposed regent of the Greytown district, has been compelled to abandon its laager after heavy fighting, and retire to Greytown.

A portion of the force sent to rescue the women and children isolated at Keate's drift succeeded in doing so, but while returning was attacked by rebellious natives. A running fight was kept up for six miles, the Seutis continuing the pursuit until within a mile of Greytown. Three of the colonial police were killed and several were wounded. The remainder are safe at Greytown.

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A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She had the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education and what she has to say may be absolutely relied upon.

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DISTRICT NEWS

CHARLESTON

Farmers are busy making sugar. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanson are expected to arrive in May.

A number of our youngsters were treated to a feed of sugar at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Botsford on Friday evening.

R. Foster is having his hotel lighted with the Earl light.

Miss Hattie Mulvena has returned home from Brockville where she visited friends.

Neither pike nor suckers have put in an appearance yet.

SEELEY'S BAY

April 3.—Geo. C. Moore is convalescent.

Gilt Edge Cheese factory reopened last Monday.

Gardiner's cheese factory reopened last Monday. This factory has been refitted, a new boiler placed in position and everything put in proper condition for the season's operations.

Capt. J. Rendall is getting the steamer, "John Rendall" in readiness for the opening of navigation.

Jos. McElroy has opened up a paint shop in the old Coleman's hall.

The members of the hockey club will give an entertainment in the Masonic hall on Friday evening, April 20th.

GLEN BUELL

A meeting of the patrons of the Glen Buell cheese factory was held last Friday evening in the school house.

This being the first meeting of this kind held here in fifteen years there was considerable business to transact. Everything passed off in a most satisfactory manner, with Mr. George Hutton presiding.

The officers for the coming season were elected as follows: Mr. C. J. Gilroy, salesman; Miss Kelly, secretary; Mr. Wm. Robins, treasurer.

The factory opened to-day (Apr. 2) with Mr. Stewart in his old stand as maker.

Latest rumors are that the ownership of the factory has changed hands, Mr. C. J. Gilroy having disposed of his property to his son, G. A. Gilroy. In all probability this factory will in the near future become one of the largest, best equipped in the district.

GLEN MORRIS

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris took a business trip to Brockville on Tuesday last.

Mrs. E. and Mrs. W. A. Thornhill entertained a number of their lady friends on Wednesday last. An old fashioned quilting bee was the leading feature, and after the quilt was satisfactorily disposed of, a treat of warm sugar was enjoyed by all present. The names of the ladies who retired to secluded corners and removed their teeth in order to eat the wax will be withheld from publication until the next time.

Miss M. Morris, Mrs. M. C. Lee, Athens, and Mr. M. Webster, Kingston, were guests of Mr. Johnston Morris last week.

Mrs. Kholer Wiltse spent Thursday last guest of Mrs. Jos. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Foster visited Charleston friends on Sunday.

Messrs. James Patterson, Athens, and R. Lincoln visited friends in Lyndhurst recently.

NEWBORO

The remains of the infant child of Mr. George Morris were placed in the vault here on Monday. The funeral, which took place to St. Mary's church, was well attended.

Miss Mabel Pierce went to Crosby on Monday, where she re-opened her fashionable dressmaking rooms.

Miss Ada Flood, Crosby, was the guest of Miss Katie Landon on Monday.

The regular meeting of the council was held on Monday evening.

Mrs. Kelsy, Elgin, was the guest of Mrs. Jos. Butler last week.

Mr. McDougall had the misfortune to be kicked in the face on Sunday by a horse and had his jaw broken. Dr. Preston dressed the fracture and he is improving favorably.

Miss Marjorie Leeb, Westport, was guest of friends here on Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. Bass was in Perth on Friday.

The revival in the Holiness Movement church, conducted by Miss Birdsel and Messrs. Mahue and Failing, is largely attended daily.

Miss Maggie Ripley spent the week end the guest of Mr. Wm. Dwyer, Elgin.

Miss Helen Leggett who is attending Whitby Ladies' College, arrived home for her holidays on Friday.

Mr. Ralph Barker of Queen's University, arrived home for his holidays on Wednesday.

Miss Sams, Brockville, is the guest of her grandmother who is seriously ill. Miss Agnes Halladay will hold her millinery opening on Friday, 13th inst. Mrs. Kenn, Westport, is the guest of friends here this week.

Mr. Charles Chamberlain, Westport was the guest of friends here on Saturday.

Miss G. Chant, Delta, is the guest of her brother, O. F. Chant.

Miss Dargavel, Elgin, was visiting friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. Bell, who has been seriously ill for some time, is recovering.

Mr. Geo. Foster intends leaving for Vermillion, Alberta, in about two weeks.

The Moiel cheese factory will open on 16th inst. Mr. Leader, Seeley's Bay, will be the maker for this season. The Ontario factory will open on 11th with Mr. Perry, Peterboro in charge.

Miss Kate McLeod, for many years a highly respected resident of this locality, died at the House of Industry, Athens, last week where she has been for the past two years.

A meeting of the members of the Newboro Masonic Brass Band was held on Saturday evening for the purpose of re-organizing. The following officers were elected: Hon. Pres. J. R. Dargavel, M.P.P., Elgin; Pres., Gordon Pierce; Sec., B. Cavanna; Treas., Geo. Warren; Committee, Jas. Kneller, A. Samuels, and J. Lyons. Mr. Hiram Chamberlain will again be leader.

GREENBUSH

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Hannah's health is improving nicely. The health of E. M. Smith's children is not improving very fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers of Smith's Falls have returned home after visiting relatives here.

Henry Whiting of Brockville is the guest of Mr. L. B. Kerr at present.

John Forsyth of Athens is visiting his old friends here at present.

B. W. Loverin narrowly escaped losing his sugar house one night last week by fire. Fortunately the flames were discovered and extinguished by German Tinkens before much harm was done.

J. W. Hannah is rushing the rebuilding of his mill and expects to have it in operation in a few weeks.

Our Cheese Factory has been in operation for two weeks and has commenced the season under very flat ering circumstances. The proprietor, Mr. Henry Davis, is a very strong drawing card. He not only holds all his old patrons, but is steadily drawing new patronage.

GLOSSVILLE

Misses Keith and Ada Brown were visiting relatives here.

Miss Hazel Breakell and brother, Lesley, were visiting their friend, Miss Gertrude Cardiff.

Mr. Green of Spring Valley has been engaged by J. M. Percival for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mullen attended the funeral of Mr. Claude Moulton's youngest child at North Augusta on Friday last.

A box social held in Hawke's school house on Friday night was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Barnett acted as chairman. We were favored by songs by Mr. B. Mott of Lyn, Mr. Evans and Mr. Baxendale of this place; speeches from Dr. Kelly and J. I. Quinn; music on the organ by Miss Agnes Wiltse, also on the graphophone by Mr. Hiram Steward. Mrs. J. M. Percival gave a very appropriate reading. Misses Gertrude Forth, Nellie Collier and Etta Brown gave very nice recitations. The evening passed off very pleasantly, ending with "God save the King."

CAINTOWN

On Friday morning last (6th) Mrs. Charlotte Moore, wife of Mr. William Moore of this place and daughter of Mr. Robert Kincaid, passed away.

Mrs. Moore, for the past two years has been in poor health developing in the last three months a strong case of consumption.

She has long been a member of the Presbyterian church here. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Daly was absent and Rev. Mr. Sproule, Methodist pastor, preached an excellent discourse to a large assemblage.

She leaves but one child, the present Mrs. Richard Reid. John Kincaid of this place and Mr. James Kincaid of Syracuse are brothers of Mrs. Moore. Mrs. David Tennant, Mrs. John W. Tennant and Mrs. James W. Tennant are her sisters.

As Mrs. Moore, for weeks was drawing near the end, her faith in Christ, her confidence in the fullness of the provisions of His love, grew stronger daily and brighter rose her hopes of a glorious hereafter, leaving behind a beautiful and consoling souvenir that alone can rise out of resignation and patience. Do not think that our doctors, who often with their patient stand on the borders of the other world and see footprints that they quickly recognize, are lacking in sympathy. They are sympathetic and see revelations under flashing searchlights and receive impressions that never leave them.

Men's Suits from \$8 to \$14

We call "United" brand, because a number of S.-R. agents have "united" (joined together) and are buying cloths direct from the old country mills, thereby saving from 25 to 50 per cent on the cloth. They then get Semi-Ready Co. to make up these cloths into suits. The finished article is a "United" Suit—prices from \$8.00 to \$14.00.

And, sir, if you purchase one of our "United suits, you are wearing clothes that cost you from \$3.00 to \$5.00 less than you would have paid for them any where else.

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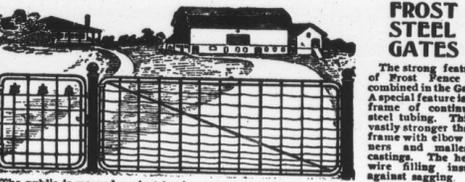
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SUGAR AND SYRUP

An interesting bulletin on the subject of the maple sugar and syrup industry has just been issued under the direction of the Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa. It deals at length with the best methods of manufacture, and a careful reading shows that the farmers of this country understand the business thoroughly. There is, however, another matter treated, one that the Reporter has frequently urged upon the attention of the farmers, namely, the proper protection of their products in the retail market. In respect to this, the bulletin says:—

"There has been an increased demand during the last few years for the pure maple syrup and sugar, and there is at the present time every assurance that an enhanced price would be paid for the genuine article. For some time past the trade of pure maple sugar and syrup has been seriously interfered with by the sale of maple syrup and sugar with other sugars or other ingredients and by making and selling these mixtures as pure maple products. This is a clear case of adulteration even though the mixtures contain only harmless or less digestible ingredients. There is no doubt as to the superiority of the pure maple goods over these compounds, but the latter are sometimes so attractively put up, and the difference apparently so slight, both in the labelling and in the contents, that the ordinary consumer who purchases it, unless quite accustomed to the nice delicate maple flavour of the pure maple goods, cannot detect the presence of any 'artificial flavour.' The sale of these adulterated goods, if their character is not clearly indicated on cans or packages, hinders the trade in pure goods, discourages the producer of the latter, and at the same time defrauds the consumer by tempting him to purchase a misrepresented article. 'Until quite recently the only adulteration that could be detected in maple sugar and syrup was that of glucose or artificial flavours. The Department have now, however, discovered other processes by which the presence of cane or beet sugars can be detected. 'A good label placed on the packages of syrup or cake of sugar with the purity of the article distinctly declared on it, with the name and address of the packer or producer should give confidence to the purchaser, and is an assurance to the latter that what he is getting is genuine and above suspicion. The above purchaser cannot be blamed if he is suspicious of goods that are put up without such labels.' A few farmers in the vicinity of Athens are labeling their syrup, but the practice is not sufficiently general to have any appreciable effect on the market, though individually they derive a benefit. What we have advocated is the formation of a county association, qualification of membership to be the production of a certain specified grade of goods, and the use of a registered trade mark to be placed on a label. The cost of organization and trade mark would be trifling and a suitable label could be obtained at \$2 or \$3 per thousand. Leeds county farmers make as good a grade of syrup as this continent produces, and if they can get their goods properly before the customers they will be sure to obtain a satisfactory return for their care and skill.

Getting Started as a Milliner

Given a knack and a little knowledge of millinery, nothing is easier to get started in than the bonnet business. The hat shop is a delightful clean place, one where artistic tastes have opportunity to show themselves and to earn a good income for their fortunate possessor. It is commonly thought that millinery is a matter requiring capital, and so it is if the milliner must begin on a large scale. Granted, however, that she must not, cannot, but on the contrary must climb into the hat business without capital, she may become a visiting milliner, go from house to house, use "ladies' own material" and furnish up old hats until she has laid by a small sum of money.

The next step in this self-making process is the stage of taking orders. Doubtless many of the girls' customers—those she has worked for in their own homes—have now come to trust her judgment and admire her taste. So when she asks them to order their hats through her, letting her do the work at her own home, and looking for acceptance "on approval," her necessarily wearing journeys from house to house are at an end. She buys materials with her little capital, makes her hats and delivers them. Her profit now is considerably larger than when she worked with the "ladies' own material."

And then some day she is rich enough to rent a shop and make her hats in it instead of in her bedroom.

HARRIET MARTIN in The New Idea Woman's Magazine for April.

THE IDEAL HOME.

Man's Ideas Constantly Change as He Grows Older.

As the male member of the human species advances in years his ideas as to what constitutes an ideal dwelling change so absolutely that there is between the different places he would select almost no similarity.

At three years old his ideal is a tent formed from a table cover, a blanket, a spread, a piece of carpet, or any other material that can be so arranged that it will form a little place into which to crawl.

At six the best possible dwelling is a hut built of barrel staves, boards and planks, and unknown to persecuting adults, and especially to policemen.

A boy of ten would select a spacious cave, with a marvelous secret entrance, preferably with the entrance under water at flood tide, with the floors covered with heavy costly carpets, the walls decorated with deadly weapons inlaid with gold, silver and precious stones, and with enough food stowed away to enable the inhabitants of the place to live for a year if necessary.

At twenty the heart's desire is a room in a large hotel where the cost would be at least \$3 a day and where there would be a dinner at 7 o'clock, with lots of pretty and rich women present, a big smoking room and plenty of stationery with a heavy gold monogram or crest stamped on it.

At twenty-five the best possible home is a neat, comfortable modern flat in some respectable neighborhood, not too far from the cars, theaters and shopping district, and with asphalted streets so there will not be too much noise.

At thirty-five the only proper dwelling is a town house, preferably situated near houses of men whose wealth is reckoned in the tens of millions of dollars and who really have considerable money, said house to have a washroom bathroom, music room and art gallery, and in addition to this house another country house within easy distance of the city, and still again, in addition to these two houses, a modest but quaintly elegant cottage at some popular seashore resort.

At fifty a man's tastes have toned down, and he longs for a little cottage in the country, where all is quiet, where birds sing and there are chickens in the yard, a cow in the stable, a goodly plot of ground that continually yields an unending supply of fresh vegetables and where all is modesty, sweet content and freedom from the usual annoyances that make life a burden.

At sixty the cottage has grown smaller, and the man would be content with less ground, fewer chickens and vegetables and could get along quite nicely without the cow.

At seventy any place will do so long as a man is not disturbed and has reasonable assurance that he will not be.—Exchange.

Victims of Old Jokes.

A hospital surgeon says that there is more facial paralysis among bank paying tellers, photographers and elevator operators than in any other classes. He accounts for it with the words, "Old Jokes."

"Jokes! How so?"

"Whenever a bank clerk hands out a fresh, crisp bill, the man on the other side of the window says: 'New money, eh? Made it yourself, I suppose?' It is up to the teller to force a laugh. The man on the chair says, 'Ain't you afraid I'll break the camera?' He would be mortally wounded if the operator did not laugh. One man out of every ten will enter an elevator and say to the boy at the rope, 'Lots of ups and downs in your life, ain't there?' The boy forces a smile.

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Mamma's Baby.

"Pretty? No, I won't say baby is pretty," declared a young mother, "for I can't speak of him impartially even though he is my own, and that's more than most mothers can do. He has lovely blue-eyes, perfect in shape, hair like the morning sunshine, mouth—well, no roscodent could be sweeter; complexion divinely fair, nose just too charming for anything—in fact, he's faultless, but I won't say he's pretty."

You Know Him.

"Oh, yes, he's a very intellectual man."

"What makes you think that?"

"I judged so from his talk."

"What does he talk about?"

"He's always talking about how intellectual he is."

How He Won.

How did you get along with that mining proposition that fellow wanted you to go into?"

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Lyn.....	10:10 " 8:54 "
Sealeys.....	*10:20 " 4:01 "
Fortillon.....	*10:33 " 4:11 "
Elbe.....	*10:39 " 4:16 "
Athens.....	10:53 " 4:24 "
Soperton.....	*11:18 " 4:41 "
Lyndhurst.....	*11:20 " 4:48 "
Delta.....	11:28 " 4:54 "
Elgin.....	11:47 " 5:07 "
Forfar.....	*11:55 " 5:18 "
Crosby.....	*12:03 p.m. 5:18 "
Newboro.....	12:12 " 5:28 "
Westport (arrive) 12:30	" 5:40 "

GOING EAST

No. 2	No. 4
Westport (leave) 7:30 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
Newboro.....	7:42 " 2:55 "
Crosby.....	*7:52 " 3:06 "
Forfar.....	*7:58 " 3:12 "
Elgin.....	8:03 " 3:22 "
Delta.....	8:16 " 3:41 "
Lyndhurst.....	*8:22 " 3:48 "
Soperton.....	*8:29 " 3:56 "
Athens.....	8:46 " 4:24 "
Elbe.....	*8:52 " 4:30 "
Fortillon.....	*8:58 " 4:37 "
Sealeys.....	*9:08 " 4:48 "
Lyn.....	9:16 " 5:04 "
Brockville (arrive) 9:30	" 5:30 "

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Sunday School

INTERNATIONAL LESSON NO. 14 APRIL 22, 1906.

Jesus the Sinner's Friend.—Luke 7: 36-50.

Commentary.—I. Jesus anointed in Simon's house (vs. 36-39). 36. One of the Pharisees—Simon by name. This was a common Jewish name. There were two by this name among the apostles, nine are mentioned in the New Testament and twenty in Josephus. There must have been many, probably thirty, by that name in Palestine. This man seems to have been of the better class, and was evidently partially open to conviction, but his treatment of the Saviour shows that he was unwilling to be recognized as one of his disciples. Sat down to meat.—Reclined at table. The custom was to recline on a couch, on the left side, the head toward the table, and the feet outward. But Simon omitted the usual ceremonies of respect which Jesus might well have expected.

37. A woman.—A sinner.—There is a difference of opinion as to the character of this woman. Some think that she was a notorious woman of the street, while Clarke, Whedon and others think the term "sinner" is used here, as in many other places, merely to designate a heathen. There is no evidence to prove that this woman was a Magdalene, or that she was a grossly immoral character. When she knew—She had heard Christ preach and knew where he had gone to dine. She was confident that his heart would beat in sympathy for her; she had faith enough in Christ to come to him for help. She came in a respectful, humble manner. Brought.—In the east there is not the exclusiveness there is in this country. Meals are often taken in the court, with one side perfectly open, and it is not uncommon for persons to come in uninvited and enter freely into conversation. Alabaster box.—A sort of stone of fine texture, nearly allied to marble. Of ointment—Probably spikenard, very precious and odorous.

38. Stood.—behind.—The knees were bent and the feet turned outward behind. The sandals were put off on entering the house. Wash.—wipe.—She wept profusely; her hair was flowing loosely about her shoulders as a sign of mourning, and with this she wiped his feet. Kissed.—The kiss is an emblem of love, submission and affection. In Ps. ii. 12, "kiss the Son" means to embrace affectionately the offers of salvation made unto you through Christ Jesus; which commandment this woman was obeying, both in the literal and spiritual sense.—Clarke. Anointed them.—She did not think herself worthy to anoint his head. "The woman's kissing his feet was no impropriety. A woman in that country would do the same to a judge, or to an official from whom she expects or has received a great favor." It was a sign of respect.—Isaac Hall. 39. Pharisee.—saw it.—The first feeling of Simon was that of displeasure that a heathen sinner had ventured to pollute his pure threshold. Within himself—He has doubt with reference to his guest, but he dare not speak his thoughts. A prophetic—The idea prevailed among the Jews that "a prophet must know everything secret." That toucheth him—Simon, if she had touched him, would have said, "Stand by thyself, come not near me, I am holier than thou." He thought Christ should say so, too. One thing we know, that Christ permitted nothing improper or unbecoming his divine character. Let Simon and all of his followers take notice that the woman went into the kingdom with glory, with their criticisms, are on the outside.

40. Jesus speaks a parable (vs. 40-43). 40. Jesus said—Simon probably expressed his displeasure by his looks. "Simon did not see through his guest, but Christ saw through him."—Van Doren. Somewhat to say.—A courteous way of asking permission to speak. "These Christ hath somewhat said, he hath somewhat to say unto." Master, say on.—Although not believing him to be a prophet, yet he recognizes him as a teacher. 41. A certain creditor.—The creditor is the two debtors, one is Simon and the other woman. Our Lord handles this subject with great skill; he causes the accuser to appear as witness against himself, he explains his deficiency in love, and gives him to feel that his sin is unforgiven; and yet he is not severe in his censure.—Lange. Five hundred pence.—Or denarii. Silver denarii were worth from fifteen to seventeen cents. But the exact sums specified are unimportant. "Measuring them by their equivalents in labor, we shall not err from the intention of our Saviour if we substitute dollars in place of pence."—Bliss. The emphasis is on the contrast between 500 and 50; one debtor owed ten times as much as the other. In the application the woman owes the five hundred pence and Simon 50. 42. Nothing to pay.—Simon, the Pharisee, was in debt and without the means of paying. He could no more pay his fifty pence than the poor woman could pay her five hundred, and if both be not freely forgiven by divine mercy both must perish. Forgive them both.—No righteousness of ours can merit his pardoning love. Salvation is the gift of God. Will love him most.—Neither of them would love him before he had forgiven them. An insolvent debtor, until he is forgiven, does not love, but shuns his creditor.—Benson.

43. I suppose.—With greater modesty than that with which he had just murmured in secret does he give his opinion, and Jesus proceeds to turn his answer immediately as a weapon against him. Lange. "Jesus asks the privilege of speaking, puts his roof into a parable, and thus makes Simon administer his own reproof." When he forgave most.—This one would be under greater obligations than the other, and would rather be expected to have greater affection.

44. Jesus reproves Simon (vs. 44-47). 44. Scold thou this woman.—Afflicted and distressed and burdened with sin, but longing to be delivered. Do you see the tenderness and affectionate regard she is manifesting toward me?—entered.—As a guest, by your invitation. No water for my feet.—Simon was greatly deficient in not performing the common civilities to Christ. The custom of providing water to wash the guests' feet was very ancient. It was "one of the rites of hospitality." With tears.—Tears of sorrow for sin and of love for me her Saviour. 45. No kiss.—A kiss on the cheek from the master of the house, with

the invocation, "The Lord be with you," conveyed a formal welcome.—Geikie. A kiss was an expression of a hearty and affectionate welcome to a friend. This woman—That you consider so far beneath you. Hath not ceased—Hath again and again in a most humble manner kissed my feet. 46. Head with oil.—Anointing the head with oil was as common among the Jews as washing the face with water is among us. See Psa. xxiii. 5. To anoint the head of a guest was another mark of hospitality. Simon had omitted all of these. My feet with ointment.—This woman had not forgotten any of these marks of respect that were generally shown to guests.

47. Her sins, which are many.—If we come to Christ in the right spirit, confessing our sins, he is as willing to forgive many, as he is only a few. Are forgiven.—What precious words! They are all forgiven, never to return; the Lord will remember them no more, forever. For she loved much.—Or, therefore she loved much. Her great love was the effect of her being forgiven. To whom little is forgiven.—A man's love to God will be in proportion to the obligations he feels himself under to the bounty of his Maker. Loveth little.—What Simon lacked was a deep sense of his sinful heart and life. The one who thinks his debt is small feels but little gratitude when it is forgiven. Those forms of theology which treat sin lightly always a little Christ's divine nature and the necessity of the atonement.

48. Said unto her.—Jesus now for the first time speaks directly to the woman.—Forgive.—A precious word of a sin-burdened soul, and doubly so when spoken by Christ. While the self-righteous Pharisee murmured the poor penitent rejoiced.

49. Who is this, etc.—We need not credit them with unbelief; they were amazed at a claim which doubtless many of them soon came to see was fully justified.—Willcock. 50. They faith hath saved thee.—Christ ascribes to faith those benefits which are due to himself as the meritorious cause. Faith is the instrument on our part by which His benefits are supplied.—Wordsworth. We are justified by faith. It is not our humility, or our prayers, or tears, or even a thorough repentance, that saves us; but faith is always the instrument of receiving salvation; and the peace of God in the soul always follows a living personal faith in God. Go in peace.—Literally, "into peace"—the state of mind to which she might now look forward.—Alford. Peace is one of the marks of pardoning grace.

I. Be in the world, but not of it. "He went into the Pharisee's house and sat down to meat" (v. 36). Jesus could dine at the Pharisee's house because He went there not from personal preference but for the glory of God. In Jesus' most wonderful prayer for His own. (John 17), we get the seven-fold life of the believer in His relation to the world. II. Emphasize Bible pronouns. "I have somewhat to say unto thee" (v. 40). Accept the words of Jesus as written personally to you. Hear him say, "Your sins are forgiven you" (I John ii. 12). "Let not your heart be troubled" (John xiv. 1).

II. Commend others. "She hath washed my feet" (v. 44). Jesus was not afraid to enumerate to Simon in the presence of the woman, the good she had done from the love of her heart. IV. Love much. "She loved much" (vs. 47). Think how much Jesus loves you. Remember who He has forgiven you. Recount His gifts to you. Study His life of sacrifice for you. Tell others how He died for you. Appreciate that He lives to intercede for you.

VI. Forgive. "He said unto her. Thy sins are forgiven" (v. 48). Forgiveness is in God. It is His nature to forgive. "There is forgiveness with thee" (Psa. cxxx. 4). Forgiveness is from God. "Who can forgive sins but God only?" (Mark ii. 7). Forgiveness is like God. He is "merciful and gracious, long-suffering and abundant in goodness and truth, keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression" (Exod. xxxiv. 6-7). A statesman came to Sir Eardley Wilmot in great excitement over an injury just inflicted. He told the story with warmth, and used strong epithets. "Is not my indignation righteous?" he asked impetuously. "Will it not be manly to resent such an injury?" "Yes," was the calm reply. "It will be manly to resent it, but it will be godlike to forgive it." The answer was so unexpected and convincing the statesman had not another word to say. His anger suddenly departed.

VII. Accept forgiveness. "Go in peace" (v. 50). Peace comes with acceptance. Only he who knows God can rest in God.—A. C. M.

ABDUCTS REGENT.

Deposed Chief Makes Sudden Raid and Carries Off His Uncle.

Durban, April 9.—Bambata, the deposed chief of the Greytown district, who had fled, has made an incursion into his old territory and carried off his uncle, Magwababa, who has been appointed regent in his stead. A local farmer states that the regent's wife came to his house last night, knocked at the door and told him that her husband had been carried off by Bambata's men, who asked her, "Where are your small white men now?" adding, "We swear by Cotwayo, not your King."

Natives say that Bambata is moving within twelve miles of Greytown with an armed force, probably consisting of a few hundreds of the scum of the country.

SURRENDER TO LABOR.

British Government Grants Full Immunity to Union Funds.

London, April 9.—The Government has surrendered to the Labor party on the Trades Dispute Bill, and Premier Campbell-Bannerman himself announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that he would support the bill introduced by the Labor party in opposition to the Government. He advised the House to accept the bill of the Labor party, which then came up for its second reading. It provides complete immunity for trade union funds, but otherwise is practically a duplicate of the Government's measure. After some Opposition twitting of the Government for its cowardly surrender to the clamor of the Labor party, the bill passed its second reading by 446 to 60 votes.



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HORRIBLE CRIME IN MONTREAL; LITTLE GIRL STRANGLER TO DEATH.

Her Body Found in a Clump of Bushes Behind a Church—Was Seen With a Drunken Man.

A Montreal, Que., special despatch: After a search extending over 24 hours, the body of Ida May Ahern, the little 4-year-old girl, who was missing from her home in St. Cunegonde, was found this forenoon by Constable Tourgeon, in a clump of bushes behind the Cote St. Paul Church, near the aqueduct. The little girl had been strangled to death, and there were other marks of

CHURCH UNION.

REPORT DISCUSSED BY WESTERN CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Public Meeting at Guelph.—The Officers Elected—Reports Received From the Churches and the Foreign Missions—Committees Appointed. Guelph, Ont., despatch: The principal business at to-day's session of the Western Association of Congregational Churches was a report on church union and election of officers. Rev. J. K. Unsworth, of Hamilton, presided. Those elected were: President, Rev. J. P. Gerrie, Stratford; Secretary, Rev. D. S. Hamilton, of London; Treasurer, Rev. W. H. A. Claris, London. Home Missions representative, Rev. M. Kelly, Watford.

Rev. J. K. Unsworth reported concerning the jubilee fund, showing that over \$182,000 had been raised by the Canadian Congregational Churches and individual subscribers, in addition to which \$20,000 was subscribed by the English Congregational brethren, making a grand total of \$202,000. About \$8,500 was still needed by the central fund to complete the work of clearing the churches of debt.

Committees were appointed as follows: Business, Rev. Messrs. Unsworth and Hamilton, and Messrs. Wm. Scott, J. A. Ramsome and P. Kelly; Membership, Wm. Foster, Rev. W. H. Claris, I. Bower, R. Y. Blyth. They all took to their heels through the swamp and disappeared. Carrrie fired several shots after the men, but does not know whether they took effect. The men were tall, wearing black overcoats, and were hard-looking characters.

THE WHALERS.

NEWS FROM THE FLEET IMPRISONED AT BAILEY'S ISLAND.

San Francisco, April 9.—The first advices from the whaling fleet imprisoned in the ice at Bailey's Island, were received in this city yesterday. The fleet consists of the steamers Beluga, Heron, Narwhal, and Belveder, and as all but the Belveder were to winter this season in the Arctic, there is no danger of starvation. The men are in good health, and though it is an extremely cold winter, no great hardships have been recorded. Bailey's Island is about 250 miles to the eastward of Herschel Island. The letters are dated October 25, last. The mail was brought out by relief detachment of the Canadian mounted police.

HELD UP STUDENT.

Nervy Highwaymen Near Belleville Try to Get a Little Easy Money.

A Belleville despatch: A daring hold-up occurred near here early this morning. William Carrrie, veterinary student with Dr. Purvis, with a young man named Peter Purvis, were called to attend a sick horse six miles this side of Picton. They left about 10 o'clock, and what is known as Long Swamp, three men jumped from behind a tree. One grabbed the horse's head, while the other two came up with clubs, ordering the occupants to hold up their hands and to hand out their valuables. Carrrie happened to have a revolver, which he took from his pocket, and pointing at the men, threatened to shoot. They all took to their heels through the swamp and disappeared. Carrrie fired several shots after the men, but does not know whether they took effect. The men were tall, wearing black overcoats, and were hard-looking characters.

Market Reports of The Week.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

The offering of grain to-day were moderate, prices generally unchanged. Wheat steady, with sales of 200 bushels of Fall at 70c, and 100 bushels of goos at 71c. Barley unchanged, 200 bushels selling at 50c. Oats are steady, with sales of 200 bushels at 35 1/2 to 36c. Hay in fair supply, there being sales of 30 loads at \$10 to \$11.50 a ton for timothy, and at \$8 to \$9 for mixed. Straw sold at 10c a ton per one load. Dressed hogs, are unchanged, with light quoted at \$9.50 to \$9.75, and heavy at \$9.25 to \$9.50. Wheat, white bush, \$0.75 00 00 Do, red, bush, \$0.73 00 00 Do, spring, bush, \$0.71 00 00 Do, goos, bush, \$0.71 00 00 Oats, bush, \$0.34 00 00 Barley, bush, \$0.61 00 00 Peas, bush, \$0.77 00 00 Rye, bush, \$0.75 00 00 Hay, timothy, ton, \$10.00 11.50 Do, mixed, ton, \$6.00 8.00 Straw, per load, \$2.00 2.50 Dressed Hogs, \$2.25 2.75 Apples, per bush, \$3.00 4.00 Eggs, fresh laid, doz, \$0.18 0.20 Butter, dairy, \$0.25 0.28 Do, creamery, \$0.30 0.35 Cheese, per lb, \$0.12 0.15 Powl, per lb, \$0.10 0.12 Turkeys, per lb, \$0.17 0.20 Geese, per lb, \$0.12 0.14 Cabbage, per doz, \$0.40 0.50 Cauliflower, per doz, \$0.75 1.00 Potatoes, per bag, \$0.75 0.85 Onions, per bag, \$0.90 1.00 Celery, per doz, \$0.40 0.45 Beef, hindquarters, \$5.00 5.25 Do, forequarters, \$5.00 5.25 Do, choice, carcass, \$7.00 7.50 Do, medium, carcass, \$6.00 6.50 Mutton, per cwt, \$9.00 10.00 Veal, per cwt, \$9.00 11.00 Lamb, per cwt, \$9.00 12.00

Leading Wheat Markets.

New York, \$8.85 May, \$8.75 July, \$8.65 Minneapolis, \$7.75 Duluth, \$7.85 St. Louis, \$7.75 Chicago, \$8.00 Toledo, \$8.15

Toronto Live Stock.

Trade was not so good, and with the exception of a few prime Easter cattle prices were from 10c to 15c per cwt. lower. Exporters—Prices ranged from \$4.80 to \$5.15; export bulls sold at \$3.30 to \$4 per cwt. Butchers—Medium butchers sold at \$4 to \$4.40; common and mixed, \$3.75 to \$4; cows at \$3 to \$4 per cwt. Stockers and Feeders—Mr. Murby reports a fair trade in stockers and feeders. There were quite a sprinkling of good feeders on the market, which were easier to-day, as the butchers got what they wanted without having to buy feeders. The highest Mr. Murby paid for any feeders was \$4.00, but only in a few instances, the general price being from \$4.40 to \$4.50. The run of light stockers was light, but there was enough hold-overs to fill the demand. Milch Cows—Only a limited number was offered, few of which were good enough to command good prices, which ranged from \$30 to \$55 each. Veal Calves—Veal calves, or, we should have said, that class known as "bobs," were plentiful. Prices ranged from \$8.50 to \$9 for the bulk, but there were two calves sold at \$7.25 and one at \$7.50 per cwt. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts were light, with prices firmer. Expert ewes sold at \$5.25 to \$5.75; hucks, \$4.50 to \$5. Hogs—Prices have again advanced 25c per cwt, and Mr. Harris quotes select at \$7.25 per cwt, and lights and fats at \$7 per cwt. Sows are worth \$5 and stags \$3.50 per cwt.

FAILURES IN CANADA.

Commercial insolvencies in the Dominion of Canada, as reported by R. G. Dun & Co., were 387 in number and \$2,919,720 in amount of defaulted indebtedness during the first quarter of 1906, slight increase compared with the 357 failures for \$2,895,870 in the corresponding three months last year. Failures this year compare very favorably with the average for a series of years back to 1899, in which year there were liabilities of \$4,241,141. Manufacturing defaults numbered 90 and involved debts of \$1,172,157, but this is really a good showing in view of the notable broadening of manufacturing activity. Trading failures were 257 in number and \$1,433,225 in amount, an increase of 258 for \$1,937,422 in 1905. Other commercial insolvencies were 10 in number and \$313,000 in amount against 4 for \$9,300. This increase was located in the Province of Ontario. No banking or other fiduciary failures were reported. Examination of the Canadian failures by Provinces discloses the fact that Ontario and Quebec alone reported heavier losses than in the same months of last year, improvement being notable in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, while liabilities decreased moderately in Manitoba and Prince Edward Island. The heaviest increase was about \$500,000 in Ontario, more than half of which was provided by two brokerage failures, although there were some increases in both manufacturing and trading liabilities. A small net increase occurred in Quebec, although trading losses were much smaller than last year, but an increase of \$350,000 occurred in the manufacturing class; a linen mill and a clothing manufacturer supplying most of this increase.

AGRICULTURE.

The following table shows the area of land used for agricultural purposes in Canada: Land occupied, 65,228,338 acres. Land owned, 57,522,441 " Land leased or rented, 7,705,897 " Land improved, 20,198,033 " Land unimproved, 22,258,205 " Land in forest, 29,791,586 " Land in field crops, 19,783,749 " Land in pasture, 11,751,556 " Land in orchard, 334,545 " Land in vegetables and small fruits, 115,517 " Land in vineyards, 5,600 " Land in nurseries, 1,561 " Land in forest plantations, 3,321 " There are 41,833 occupiers of farms, of whom 18,331 are from five to ten acres; 11,242 from 11 to 50 acres, 156,778 from 51 to 100 acres, 150,820 who held from 101 to 200 acres, and 64,654 who held 201 acres and over. The number of owners was 416,228, of tenants 33,263, and of owners and tenants, 2,017. There were 72,000 persons who occupied farming land of less extent than five acres. The land areas of the provinces and territories included in the census of agriculture is estimated at 88,017,837 acres. The extent of farms and lots occupied was therefore only 7.38 per cent. of the whole.

To Continue as Before.

(Scraps) She—Of course, Bertie, when we are married you will not expect me to give up all my time in cutting up scraps. Bertie—Certainly not, dear; for instance, I should like you to still continue receiving your "scraps" please.

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A gang of thieves looted the Troitz Warnilski monastery at Rostoff, Province of Yaroslaf, Russia, during the night of April 3rd, and got away with \$25,000 and a quantity of valuable articles.

The funeral of General Blanco, the former Captain-General of Cuba, who died at Madrid yesterday, was held to-day with the highest military honors. The royal family and the diplomatic corps were represented.

The extra financial burden caused Russia by the war with Japan will be borne in part by tobacco consumers. A project to increase the internal revenue tax on an average of 30 per cent, has been approved for submission to the approaching national parliament.

Major Moses W. Jenks, of Evanston, Ill., 85 years old, died yesterday as a direct result of his efforts to go to the polls Tuesday. Three times he tried to make his way to a carriage, but was too feeble. He invented and patented the rubber clothes wringer, which was patented in 1940.

Fire to-day completely destroyed the plant of the Hallack Lumber & Supply Company at Denver, Col., entailing an loss of \$300,000. The plant covered an area of twenty acres, and was swept clean of millions of feet of lumber and several buildings.

When the chief of police of Toulon, France, visited a meeting of strikers last night, for the purpose of bringing about a reconciliation, he was seized and locked up in a dark room. The strikers then announced that they were holding the chief as a hostage. The prefect finally intervened and secured his release.

The Los Angeles, Cal. Times to-day says: Immense new coal fields, comprising 600,000 acres, in Colfax county, New Mexico, have been bought by the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain & Pacific Railway Company from the Dutch syndicate which owns the old Maxwell land grant of 1,570,000 acres in Colfax county. The price paid is said to be \$15,000,000.

Scarlet fever and diphtheria in the province for the month of February in this year show a marked decrease from the number of cases and deaths of February a year ago. Typhoid fever and tuberculosis, however, show an increase, according to the records of the provincial board of health.

RAILWAY TENDERS.

Are Hogan & Macdonald's Figures Too Low?

Ottawa, April 9.—It turns out that the report of the Transcontinental Railway Commissioners on tenders for the two sections of the eastern division of the railway was not placed in the Government's hand until this afternoon. From reports that are in circulation the lowest bid, The Grand Trunk, however, are reported to come nearest to the estimate of the Government engineers. If rumor be correct, Messrs. Hogan & Macdonald's figures are below the amount the Government engineers consider the work can be done for. In such cases there are numerous precedents for not accepting a tender below the estimate. And there is a proviso that contracts involving an expenditure of \$10,000 and upwards must be sanctioned by the Governor-in-Council.

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It seemed to poor, dazed Mona that Sir Robert and Lady Mary Everard appeared as if by magic.

"Well, dear, you may rest assured that the near prospect of your marriage soothed and brightened her last hours...

"Oh, no, no! You are the best. You knew poor, dear grannie so well, and she was so fond of you."

"Dear old lady! Of course, at such a painful crisis, old friends count for a great deal."

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Mona was ready enough to speak of her sorrow. She was gently grateful for his sympathy, but she would not sit beside him, her head on his shoulder, and his arm around her, nor did she permit a course of consolation compounded of whispers, kisses and assurances that the whisperer would be brother and sister and grandmother and everything to her.

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offensive affection wearied her, whose her eye, became infinitely repugnant as she dwelt upon it.

Her resolution to break with him grew rapidly stronger almost before she was aware she had formed it.

"Pray, dear, did poor Mrs. Newburgh leave any ready money?" asked Lady Mary, coming into her husband's dressing room, where he was occupied with his toilet, after a sharp and satisfactory run with the Daughters.

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arms, that she must be shown all patience and consideration.

It was with a nervous sense of guilt, of being a deceiver, that Mona took leave of Lady Mary and her daughter.

It was a gray, blustering afternoon when she reached St. Pancras, and found Mme. Debrisay waiting for her.

"My dear, you do look bad. Come, get into the cab. I will find your things."

"That's right. I am sure you are not fit to be out in such weather; get in, dear."

"I must post this letter, first," said Mona, her lips quivering.

"Very well; give it to me. Oh, yes; quiet right," glancing at the address.

"There now," said Madame, placing a small table with a cup of tea and plate of bread and butter beside her.

"I have no doubt of it," returned Mona with a faint smile.

"I am indeed," returned Mona, in a voice that faltered and shook in a way far more touching than the most violent burst of tears.

"I know you would be angry," said Mona, sadly, "but I cannot help it. I can not marry him, or any one. Life is too hard."

"Ah, then do you think you'll make it softer by keeping single. I know better. Life is cruel to a single woman than it is to a married one."

"I believe you, for I never knew you speak falsely; but there is something under it all I can't make out."

"I have done it, Deb," stretching out her hand and laying it on her friend's plump arm.

"Ah, that was base of you—base, to take my hand to deal the blow. I'll never forgive you, never!"

"Yes, you will, you must," rising and kneeling beside her, while she clasped her arms round her waist.

"And you have written to him. Then he will never rest satisfied without seeing you, and when he comes in the name of God, let him persuade you."

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"That's right. He'll come and speak his answer himself, or I am much mistaken, and—well, we'll wait and see what it will be."

"He will not hold me to my word?"

"Yes, I told him I was driven by my grandmother's position to accept him; that I was heartily ashamed of having misled him; that I felt it was only just to tell him that I did not and could not love him as a wife ought to love; that I deeply deplored the pain I gave him, and humbly begged his forgiveness; that I thanked him for his goodness, and prayed that he would soon forget me, and soon be happy with some one more worthy than myself."

"Ah! I know—the usual sort of thing. It would serve you right if he never replied. Ah, Mona, Mona, this is the biggest mistake ever you made. Still, I'll not turn my back on you, my poor child, and may be—may be your luck won't leave you yet."

CHAPTER VI. The change from the luxurious elegance of the Chase to Mme. Debrisay's London lodgings was about as great as can be imagined.

Yet the house was not mean. The "widow woman" who owned it was a certain refinement. Instead of the usual extremely unplaced and unkempt "saw-vey," she had an elderly servant of neat and imposing aspect, who had been with her for years, and who was rather a terror to Mme. Debrisay.

(To be continued.) A SPRING TONIC. Weak, Tired and Depressed People Need a Tonic at this Season to Put the Blood Right.

Spring blood is bad blood. Indoor life during the winter months is responsible for weak, watery, impure blood.

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"I believe you, for I never knew you speak falsely; but there is something under it all I can't make out."

"I have done it, Deb," stretching out her hand and laying it on her friend's plump arm.

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Strange Cases of Dual Personality

Cases of dual personality are not so rare as might be supposed. Many such remarkable is that of the Rev. Thomas Carson Hanna, a young clergyman of Plantville, Conn.

One day when stepping from his carriage his foot slipped, and he fell forward, striking on his head. He was picked up unconscious.

Under Dr. Sidis' direction, the young minister was educated from his A. B. C's upward. His faculties were as keen as ever; even keener, it seemed, than before the accident.

The first assurance that some traces at least of his former personality remained was in the dreams which he related. He told of incidents and places seen in dreams which were really experiences of his past life.

Dr. Sidis, not at all discouraged, began a most unusual course of treatment. When Mr. Hanna was asleep he passed naturally into a hypnotic state, which was not a hypnotic condition, but was a resuscitated dead personality of his own life experiences.

RESURRECTION OF THE MR. HANNA. Dr. Sidis, not at all discouraged, began a most unusual course of treatment.

He was himself again! This was the joyous thought that first flashed into the minds of his father and attendants.

As the hypnotic state passed away the young minister relapsed into the secondary state, as Dr. Sidis called it. Again and again the patient was brought back to glimpses of his first life.

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Scraping the Surface. "Don't merely scrape the surface of your business chances. Probe them. Then take your coat off and dig."

As Good Now as Then. At Christie's great auction rooms in London one day last week there was sold the autographic order issued by Nelson to captivate his fleet just previous to the battle of Trafalgar.

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Another kind of case which Dr. Sidis relates is that of a pretty young Russian woman of 22. She suffered from violent headaches, which seemed to be located in a spot about as large as a half dollar just back of the left temple.

Upon questioning her, Dr. Sidis learned that when she was a child an insane woman living across the street rushed into the house one day when her parents were away, caught up the child and kissed her on the left side of the head.

Now comes a still queerer development. It was learned that this insane woman's delusion was that two women in white were always following her and pointing their fingers at her.

Another example of the practical use of psychological methods occurred when Dr. Sidis was director of the Psychological Institute in New York.

Dr. Sidis put her through a severe psychological test, and afterwards administered to her some cannabis, or Indian hemp. In this relaxed condition which followed he plied the girl with questions.

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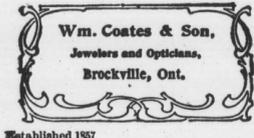
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LOCAL ITEMS

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Little hope is given of the recovery of Mr. David T. Tennant of Caintown.
Roy Knowlton has left Winnipeg to take charge of a business at Estevan, Sask.

—Mr. T. G. Stevens in this week receiving a large shipment of new furniture.
Miss Bertha Lester will spend Easter holidays at her home in Renfrew.

A special Easter service will be held in St. Paul's church (Presbyterian) next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.
Mr. A. J. Slack this week moved his household goods to Westport, where the family will reside.

Westport council is asking for tenders for the construction of 8000 feet of concrete sidewalks to be built this summer.
Special Easter music is being prepared by the Baptist choir, including a solo by Miss Eliza Percival and a duet by the Misses Frye.

A new feature is budding in the newly appointed grocery of Mr. E. C. Tribute and will later bloom into a first-class ice-cream parlor.
Tomorrow (Thursday) evening Rev. S. Sheldon of Toronto, a former pastor of the Athens Baptist church, will give an address at the service of prayer and praise.

On Thursday, at 7.30, Rev. W. F. Fitzgerald of Lyndhurst will preach in the Anglican Church. On Good Friday service at 11, and on Easter Day at 11, with a celebration of the Holy Communion. There will be no evening service.
On account of inclement weather, several candidates were unable to present themselves for initiation at the meeting of the C. O. F. on Friday evening. Mr. F. A. Barr, the organizer, will attend a special session to be held on Monday evening next to complete this work.

We are pleased to learn that Miss Addie Hunt has so far recovered from the very serious railway accident that maimed her and jeopardized her life as to be able to move about by the aid of a crutch. It is expected that she will arrive in Athens on the 20th inst. on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Stevens.

Dr. A. B. Stevens, brother of the late Mrs. G. W. Brown of Athens, died at his home in Watertown, N. Y., on Saturday last. He is survived by his widow, by his brother, Appleton, and by his sister, Mrs. Delorna Kilborn of Deloraine, Man. He was born May 26, 1840, in this village, being a son of the late Reuben and Katherine Stevens.

Mrs. Jennie M. Menzies of Syracuse announces the marriage of her daughter Jessie to Samuel Budd Covey on Saturday evening, March 31st, Fayetteville, N. Y. At home after May 15 at 107 Linden St., Syracuse. The Post-Standard publishes excellent photographs of the bride and groom and gives particulars of a carnival accident by which the bride was injured last September. The groom is a recent graduate of the Athens Reporter office and here was prominent in athletic sports. His Athenian friends offer congratulations and best wishes.

The address by the Rev. J. Cooper Robinson on Monday evening in the Anglican church was most interesting and was full of interesting missionary facts on Japan, where he has been for fifteen years. He traced briefly the history of Christianity from the 15th century, when the Roman form was introduced by St. Francis Xavier. He told of its signal success for a time and then of its total eclipse through the political intrigues of the Jesuits. Japan was a sealed book until about 1859, when Protestant missionaries gained admittance, and Japan to day has 60,000 Protestant Christians. Mr. Robinson was the first of the mission aries to go out there from the Canadian Church of England. The Japanese are an intensely religious people, being either Shintoists or Buddhists, and have millions of idols.

5,000 Deacon skins wanted—Wilson & Son.
Easter shirts, neckwear, gloves, hats, etc.—LeClair, clothier, Brockville.
Mr. Ben. Bellamy of Lombardy was a visitor in Athens on Monday.
Mr. Claude Patterson, medical student at Queen's, is home for vacation.
Mr. Joseph Kelly, medical student at Queen's, called on friends in Athens on Saturday.

A special choral service has been prepared for the Easter services in the Methodist church.
—We wish to say to our many customers that we have a large stock of tweeds, flannels, and yarns in all colors at the woolen Mill.—Jas. F. Gordon.
The Ladies' Aid Society, of the Methodist church meets at the home of Mrs. I. C. Algure at 8 p.m. on Thursday.

The fourth form in the A. M. S. has been closed since Thursday last, the principal being engaged in writing on examinations at Kingston.
Mr. A. J. Slack having resigned his office as councillor, a meeting for the nomination of a candidate for the position will be held on April 18.

In the results of the exams at McGill, we are pleased to note that Mr. H. B. Blanchard's name appears in the honor list of third year Medical Jurisprudence.
Miss Maud Addison has opened a confectionery and fruit business at the centre store of the Dowley block and will add ice cream as soon as the season opens.

On Friday afternoon the ladies of the W. M. S. treated the members of the Pansy Mission Band to cake and coffee and their kindness was thoroughly appreciated.
The choral class, under the direction of Mr. A. H. Howell, has made satisfactory progress and has decided to give a concert on the evening of Wednesday, May 16.

Miss Mollie Stinson, teacher at Westport, having qualified for a scholarship at McDonald Institute, resigned her position and after spending a couple of days at her home here, left for Guelph this week.
According to the government experts, an imperial gallon of maple syrup, when strained, settled and cold, should weigh 13 lbs. 2 oz. If it weighs more, it is apt to grain; if it weighs less, it may sour.

A brief session of the public school board was held on Monday evening at which several financial matters were dealt with. It was decided that the work of grading and seeding the school ground should be proceeded with at once.
This (Wednesday) evening the members of the Pansy Mission Band entertain in the S. S. room of the Methodist church. A good programme has been prepared and a delightful evening is assured. Admission, non-members, 10c.
Rev. E. W. Crane, of Elgin, a former pastor, conducted both services in the Methodist church on Sunday last, presenting in the morning with especial emphasis the claims of the superannuation fund of the church. In the evening a very large congregation assembled, which included many from other denominations, and the speaker's earnest discourse was heard with profit and pleasure. During Monday, Rev. Mr. Crane called on many of his old friends and parishioners and was everywhere warmly greeted.
—On account of mix-up in dates, two large opera Companies had been booked to appear at Ottawa on Monday, April 16. In order to overcome the difficulty, Manager Ritchie, by giving a large guarantee, has succeeded in booking Raymond Hitchcock, in the Comic Opera, "The Yankee Consul", composed of 100 people, for Monday, April 16th. Had it not been for above mix-up it would have been impossible to induce such a large company to stop over at Brockville. Arrangements have been made to run a special train leaving Westport at 6 p.m. and stopping at intermediate stations at greatly reduced rates. This will be a good opportunity for lovers of Comic Opera to take in the largest and best company traveling through Canada this season.

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Mr. W. B. Parish left for the Canadian West last week.
Last week a Brockville young man was fined \$1 for spitting on the sidewalk.
Messrs. Dan McVeigh and Sheriff Robinson left last week for their factories at Winchester.
Rev. S. S. Klyne, en route to Grand Forks, N. D., has been spending a few days with his mother and sister here.
Mrs. Walter Lee of Seely's Corners has been visiting friends in Athens, the guest of Miss Caroline Lee, Wiltsie street.
Miss Inda Knapp and little sister Hattie of Lakeport are visiting Mrs. Joseph Kerr and other friends in Athens.
Mrs. Norris Loverin of Greenbush, whose serious illness was reported two weeks ago, is now much better and able to move about the house as usual.

On Brockville market, Saturday, eggs sold for 15 and 16c; butter, 24 and 25c; potatoes, 60 and 65c; maple syrup, 90c and \$1.00.
Geo. W. Lee, general merchant of Lyndhurst, on Friday made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to H. H. Arnold of Athens.
On Friday evening last Carman Slack gave a farewell party to his little friends, and they enjoyed the event immensely. The feast of good things was all the little ones could desire, which is paying it a high compliment, and they expressed their regret at losing the companionship of such a merry little friend as Carman has always been.

Referring to the death of Abner Wiltsie, which we announced last week, the Watertown (N. Y.) Standard says: Mr. Wiltsie had been in this city about ten years and had been an invalid most of that time. He had two daughters, Mrs. J. M. Smith and Mrs. F. C. H. Bell of this city and a sister, Mrs. Hunt of Athens, Ont. He also has two sisters who reside in the West.
Through the favor of Mr. C. D. Clow, merchant, of Lisbon, N. D., the editor of the Reporter has been invited to attend the annual Easter reunion and banquet of the Knights Templars at that place. It is to be held at the asylum and the menu includes a tempting list of indigestibles. Thanks. If they will hold it in the hospital, and give soup and custards greater prominence on the bill of fare, we'll feel more like accepting.

Mr. Ed. Derbyshire left last week for the West where he will homestead. Ed's defective vision is a heavy handicap in the race of life, but he has always manifested a cheerful spirit, been strictly honest in all his dealings with the public, and exceedingly industrious. It is the sincere wish of his many friends that a continuance of the practice of these virtues will bring him a snug competency in the great western land of promise.

The Bell Telephone Co. have recently installed in the Athens central apparatus called a calculagraph which accurately registers the time occupied by any patron of the office. The time of the beginning and ending of the service is stamped in dial form, placing disputes out of the question and forming a reliable record. There are now 54 phones centering at this office, a rapid increase within the last two years, due largely to the uniform courtesy and efficiency of the manager and staff at the central office.

Notwithstanding the frequent defeats that the movement for toll gate abolition has received in these counties, the Brockville Times hobs up serenely and says: "It is expected that at the June session the Leeds and Grenville Counties' Councillors will take some decisive action about the toll roads of these counties." This expectation is inspired by the announcement that Frontenac County Council proposes to purchase 52 miles of toll roads and convert them into county roads. It is not hard to guess what the nature of the "decisive action" will be. Perhaps the abolitionists will stand a better show under the new county council representation.

Times: On Friday last a terrible accident befel Robert Grey, a well known resident of Elizabethtown, while assisting Jas Justus in the drilling of a well at a cheese factory on the second concession of Elizabethtown, North of the Brockville Asylum. The drill was being operated by a horse power and Grey undertook to oil the machinery while it was in motion. In doing so the coat sleeve of his left arm was drawn into the cog-wheels, and before the machinery could be stopped the wrist joint was horribly mangled the bones being ground to pieces and the sinews cut and lacerated. The unfortunate man was hurried to the General hospital where his injuries were dressed and where he still is a patient. Little hope is held out of saving the hand as the doctor in attendance thinks amputation will be absolutely necessary.

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