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Which in the deep have birth,
And chant their awful hymns about
The *watching* hills of earth.

The green earth sends its incense up
From every mountain shrine,
From every flower and dewy cup,
That greeteth the sunshine.

The mists are lifted from the rills,
Like the white wings of prayer,
They lean above the ancient hills
As doing homage there.

The forest tops are lowly cast
O'er breezy hill and glen,
As if a prayerful spirit pass'd
On nature, as on men.

The trees weep o'er the fallen world,
E'en as repentant love;
Ere, to the blessed breeze unfurl'd,
They fade in light above.

The sky is as a temple's arch;
The blue and wavy air
Is glorious with the *spirits-march*
Of messengers of prayer.

The gentle moon, the kindling sun,
With thousand stars, are given
As shrines to burn earth's incense on—
The altar-fires of Heaven.

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The New Magdalen.

'I will keep her company,' added Horace.

Lady Janet hesitated. She had promised to see her nephew in the dining-room on his return to the house—and to see him alone. Would there be time enough to get rid of the visitors and to establish her adopted daughter in the empty drawing-room before Julian appeared? It was ten minutes' walk to the lodge, and he had to make the gate-keeper understand his instructions. Lady Janet decided that she had time enough at her disposal. She nodded kindly to Mercy, and left her alone with her lover.

Horace seated himself in the vacant place on the sofa. So far as it was in his nature to devote himself to any one he was devoted to Mercy. 'I am grieved to see how you have suffered,' he said, with honest distress in his face as he looked at her. 'Try to forget what has happened.'

'I am trying to forget. Do you think of it much?'

'My darling, it is too contemptible to be thought of.'

She placed her work-basket on her lap. Her wasted fingers began absently sorting the wools inside. 'Have you seen Mr. Julian Gray?' she said, suddenly.

'Yes.'

'What does he say about it?' She looked at Horace for the first time steadily scrutinizing his face. Horace took refuge in prevarication.

'I really haven't asked for Julian's opinion,' he said.

She looked down again, with a sigh, at the basket on her lap—considered a little—and tried him once more.

'Why has Mr. Julian Gray not been here for a whole week?' she went on. 'The servants say he has been abroad. Is that true?' It was useless to deny it. Horace admitted that the servants were right. Her fingers suddenly stopped at their restless work among the wools; her breath quickened perceptibly. 'What had Julian Gray been doing abroad?' Had he been making inquiries? Did he alone, of all the people who saw that terrible meeting, suspect her? Yes! His was the finer intelligence; his was a clergyman's (a London clergyman's) experience of frauds and deceptions, and of the women who were guilty of them. Not a doubt of it now! Julian suspected her.

'When does he come back?' she asked, in tones so low that Horace could barely hear her.

'He has come back already. He returned last night.'

A faint shade of color stole slowly over the pallor of her face. She suddenly put her basket away, and clasped her hands together to quiet the trembling of them, before she asked her next question.

'Where is—' she paused to steady her voice. 'Where is the person,' she resumed, 'who came here and frightened me?'

Horace hastened to reassure her. The person will not come again, he said. 'Don't talk of her! Don't think of her!'

She shook her head. 'There is something I want to know,' she persisted. 'How did Mr. Julian Gray become acquainted with her?'

This was easily answered. Horace mentioned the consul at Mannheim, and the letter of introduction. She listened eagerly, and said her next words in a tender, firmer tone.

'She was quite a stranger, then, to Mr. Julian Gray—before that?'

'Quite a stranger,' Horace replied. 'No more questions—not another word about her, Grace! I forbid the subject. Come, my own love!' he said, taking her hand and bending over her tenderly, 'rally your spirits. We are young—we love each other—now is our time to be happy!'

Her hand turned suddenly cold, and trembled in his. Her head sank with a helpless weariness on her breast. Horace rose in alarm.

'You are cold—you are faint,' he said. 'Let me get you a glass of wine!—let me mend the fire!'

The decanters were still on the luncheon-table. Horace insisted on her drinking some port-wine. She barely took half the contents of the wineglass. Even that little told on her sensitive organization; it roused her sinking energies of body and mind. After watching her anxiously, without attracting her notice, Horace left her again to attend to the fire at the other end of the room. Her eyes followed him slowly with a hard and fearless despair. 'Rally your spirits,' she repeated to herself in a whisper. 'My spirits! O God!' She looked round her at the luxury and beauty of the room, as those look who take their leave of familiar scenes. The moment after, her eyes sank, and rested on the rich dress that she wore—a gift from Lady Janet. She thought of the past; she thought of the future. Was the time near when she would be back again in the Refuge, or back again in the streets!—she who had been Lady Janet's adopted daughter, and Horace Holroyd's betrothed wife! A sudden frenzy of recklessness seized on her as the thought of the coming end. Horace was right! Why not rally her spirits! Why not make the most of her time! The last hours of her life in that house were at hand. Why not enjoy her stolen position while she could? 'Adventuress!' whispered the mocking spirit within her, 'return to your character. Away with your remorse! Remorse is the luxury of an honest woman.' She caught up her basket of wools, inspired by a new idea. 'Ring the bell!' she cried out to Horace at the fire-place.

He looked round in wonder. The sound of her voice was so completely altered that he almost fancied there must have been another woman in the room.

'Ring the bell!' she repeated. 'I have left my work up stairs. If you want me to be in good spirits, I must have my work.'

Still looking at her, Horace put his hand mechanically to the bell and rang. One of the men servants came in.

'Go up stairs and ask my maid for my work,' she said, sharply. Even the man was taken by surprise: it was her habit to speak to the servants with a gentleness and consideration which had long since won all their hearts. 'Do you hear me?' she asked, impatiently. The servant bowed, and went out on his errand. She turned to Horace with flashing eyes and feverish cheeks.

'What a comfort it is,' she said, 'to belong to the upper classes! A poor woman has no maid to dress her, and no footman to send upstairs. Is life worth having, Horace, on less than five thousand a year?'

The servant returned with a strip of embroidery. She took it with an insolent grace, and told him to bring her a footstool. The man obeyed. She tossed the embroidery away from her on the sofa. 'On second thoughts, I don't care about my work,' she said. 'Take it up stairs again.' The perfectly trained servant, marvelling quietly, obeyed once more. Horace, in silent astonishment, advanced to the sofa to observe her more nearly. 'How grave you look!' she exclaimed, with an air of flippant unconcern. 'You don't approve of my sitting idle, perhaps? Any thing to please you! I haven't got to go up and down stairs. Ring the bell again.'

'My dear Grace,' Horace remonstrated, gravely, 'you are quite mistaken. I never even thought of your work.'

'Never mind; it's inconsistent to send for my work, and then send it away again. Ring the bell.'

Horace looked at her without moving. 'Grace!' he said, 'what has come to you?'

'How should I know?' she retorted, carelessly. 'Didn't you tell me to rally my spirits? Will you ring the bell, or must I?'

Horace submitted. He frowned as he walked back to the bell. He was one of the many people who instinctively resent any thing that is new to them. This strange outbreak was quite new to him. For the first time in his life he felt sympathy for a servant, when the much-enduring man appeared once more.

'Bring my work back; I have changed my mind.' With that brief explanation she reclined luxuriously on the soft sofa-cushions, swinging one of her balls of wool to and fro above her head, and looking at it lazily as she lay back. 'I have a remark to make, Horace,' she went on, when the door had closed on her messenger. 'It is only people in our rank of life who get good servants. Did you notice? Nothing upsets that man's temper. A servant in a poor family would have been impudent; a maid-of-all-work would have wondered when I was going to know my own mind.' The man returned with the embroidery. This time she received him graciously; she dismissed him with her thanks. 'Have you seen your mother lately, Horace?' she asked, suddenly sitting up and busying herself with her work.

'I saw her yesterday,' Horace answered.

'She understands, I hope, that I am not well enough to call on her? She is not offended with me?'

Horace recovered his serenity. The deference to his mother implied in Mercy's questions gently flattered his self-esteem. He resumed his place on the sofa.

'Offended with you?' he answered, smiling. 'My dear Grace, she sends you her love. And, more than that, she has a wedding present for you.'

Mercy became absorbed in her work; she stooped close over the embroidery—so close that Horace could not see her face. 'Do you know what the present is?' she asked, in lowered tones, speaking absently.

'No. I only know it is waiting for you. Shall I go and get it to-day?' She neither accepted nor refused the proposal—she went on with her work more industriously than ever. 'There is plenty of time,' Horace persisted. 'I can go before dinner. Still—she took no notice: still she never looked up. 'Your mother is very kind to me,' she said, abruptly. 'I was afraid, at one time, that she would think me hardly good enough to be your wife.'

Horace laughed indulgently: his self-esteem was more gently flattered than ever. 'Absurd!' he exclaimed. 'My darling, you are connected with Lady Janet Roy. Your family is almost as good as ours.'

'Almost?' she repeated. 'Only almost?'

The momentary levity of expression vanished from Horace's face. The family question was far too serious a question to be lightly treated. A becoming shadow of solemnity stole over his manner. He looked as if it was Sunday, and he was just stepping into church.

'In our family,' he said, 'we trace back—by my father, to the Saxons; by my mother, to the Normans. Lady Janet's family is an old family—on her side only.'

Mercy dropped her embroidery, and looked Horace full in the face. She, too, attached no common importance to what she had next to say.

'If I had not been connected with Lady Janet,' she began, 'would you ever thought of marrying me?'

'My love! what is the use of asking? You are connected with Lady Janet.'

She refused to let him escape answering her in that way.

'Suppose I had not been connected with Lady Janet,' she persisted. 'Suppose I had only been a good girl, with nothing but my own merits to speak for me. What would your mother have said then?'

Horace still parried the question—only to find the point of it pressed home on him once more.

'Why do you ask?' he said.

'I ask to be answered,' she rejoined. 'Would your mother have liked you to marry a poor girl, of no family—with nothing but her own virtues to speak for her?'

Horace was fairly pressed back to the wall. 'If you must know,' he replied, 'my mother would have refused to sanction such a marriage as that.'

'No matter how good the girl might have been?' There was something defiant—almost threatening—in her tone. Horace was annoyed—and he showed it when he spoke.

'My mother would have respected the girl, without ceasing to respect herself,' he said. 'My mother would have remembered what was due to the family name.'

'And she would have said, no?'

'She would have said, no.'

'Ah!' There was an under-tone of angry contempt in the exclamation which made Horace start. 'What is the matter?' he asked.

'Nothing,' she answered, and took up her embroidery again. There he sat at her side, anxiously looking at her—his hope in the future centred in his marriage! In a weak more, if she chose, she might enter that ancient family, of which he had spoken so proudly, as his wife. 'Oh!' she thought, if I didn't love him! if I had only his mercilless mother to think of!'

Uneasily conscious of some estrangement between them, Horace spoke again. 'Surely I have not offended you?' he said. She turned toward him once more. The work dropped unheeded on her lap. Her grand eyes softened into tenderness. A smile trembled nearly on her delicate lips. She laid one hand caressingly on his shoulder. All the beauty of her voice lent its charm to the next words that she said to him. The woman's heart hungered in its misery for the comfort that could only come from his lips.

'You would have loved me, Horace—without stopping to think of the family name?'

The family name again! How strangely she persisted in coming back to that! Horace looked at her without answering, trying vainly to fathom what was passing in her mind. She took his hand, and wrung it hard—as if she would wring the answer out of him in that way. 'You would have loved me?' she repeated.

The double spell of her voice and her touch was on him. He answered, warmly, 'Under any circumstances! under any name!' She put one arm round his neck, and fixed her eyes on his. 'Is that true?' she asked.

'True as the heavens above us!'

She drank in these few commonplace words with a greedy delight. She forced him to repeat them in a new form.

'No matter who I might have been? For myself alone?'

'For yourself alone.'

She threw both arms around him, and laid her head passionately on his breast. 'I love you! I love you!! I love you!!' Her voice rose with hysterical vehemence at each repetition of the words—then suddenly sank to a low hoarse cry of rage and despair. The sense of her true position toward him revealed itself in all its horror as the confession of her love escaped her lips. Her arms dropped from him; she flung herself back on the sofa-cushions, hiding her face in her hands. 'Oh, leave me!' she moaned, faintly. 'Go! go!'

Horace tried to wind his arm round her, and raise her. She started to her feet, and waved him back from her with a wild action of her hands, as if she was frightened of him. 'The wedding present!' she cried, seizing the first pretext that occurred to her. 'You offered to bring me your mother's present. I am dying to see what it is. Go and get it!' Horace tried to compose her. He might as well have tried to compose the winds and the sea.

'Go!' she repeated, pressing one clinched hand on her bosom. 'I am not well. Talking excites me—I am hysterical; I shall be better alone. Get me the present. Go!'

'Shall I send Lady Janet? Shall I ring for your maid?'

'Send for nobody. Bring for nobody! If you love me—leave me here by myself! leave me instantly!'

'I shall see you when I come back?'

'Yes! yes!'

There was no alternative but to obey her. Unwillingly and forebodingly, Horace left the room. She drew a deep breath of relief, and dropped into the nearest chair. If Horace had staid a moment longer—she felt it, she knew it—her head would have given way; she would have burst out before him with the terrible truth. 'Oh!' she thought, pressing her cold hands on her burning eyes, 'if I could only cry, now there is nobody to see me!'

The room was empty: she had every reason for concluding that she was alone. And yet at that very moment there were ears that listened—there were eyes waiting to see her. Little by little the door behind her which faced the library and led into the billiard-room was opened noiselessly from without, by an inch at a time. As the opening was enlarged a hand in a black glove, an arm in a black sleeve, appeared, guiding the movement of the door. An interval of a moment passed, and the worn white face of Grace Roseberry showed itself stealthily, looking into the dining-room.

Her eyes brightened with vindictive pleasure as they discovered Mercy sitting alone at the farther end of the room. Inch by inch she opened the door more widely, took one step forward, and checked herself. A sound, just audible at the far end of the conservatory, had caught her ear.

She listened—satisfied herself that she was not mistaken—and drawing back with a frown of displeasure, softly closed the door again, so as to hide herself from view. The sound that had disturbed her was the distant murmur of men's voices (apparently two in number) talking together in lowered tones, at the garden entrance to the conservatory. Who were the men? and what would they do next? They might do one of two things: they might enter the drawing-room, or they might withdraw again by way of the garden. Kneeling behind the door, with her ear at the key-hole, Grace Roseberry waited the event.

CHAPTER XVI.

THEY MEET AGAIN.

Absorbed in herself, Mercy failed to notice the opening door or to hear the murmur of voices in the conservtory.

The one terrible necessity which had been present to her mind at intervals for a week past was confronting her at that moment. She owed to Grace Roseberry the tardy justice of owning the truth. The longer her confession was delayed, the more cruelly she was injuring the woman whom she had robbed of her identity—the friendless woman who had neither witnesses nor papers to produce, who was powerless to right her own wrong. Keenly as she felt this, Mercy failed, nevertheless, to conquer the horror that shook her when she thought of the impending avowal. Day followed day, and still she shrank from the unendurable ordeal of confession—as she was shrinking from it now! Was it fear for herself that closed her lips? She trembled—as any human being in her place must have trembled—at the bare idea of finding herself thrown back again on the world, which had no place in it and no hope in it for her. But she could have overcome that terror—she could have resigned herself to that doom.

No! it was not the fear of the confession itself, or the fear of the consequences which must follow it, that still held her silent. The horror that daunted her was the horror of owing to Horace and to Lady Janet that she had cheated them out of their love. Every day Lady Janet was kinder and kinder. Every day Horace was fonder and fonder of her. How could she confess to Lady Janet? how could she own to Horace that she had imposed upon him? 'I can't do it. They are so good to me—I can't do it!' In that hopeless way it had ended during the seven days that had gone by. In that hopeless way it ended again now.

The murmur of the two voices at the further end of the conservatory ceased. The billiard-room door opened again slowly, by an inch at a time. Mercy still kept her place, unconscious of the events that were passing around her. Sinking under the hard stress laid on it, her mind had drifted little by little into a new train of thought. For the first time she found the courage to question the future in a new way. Supposing her confession to have been made, or supposing the wound whom she had personated to have discovered the means of exposing the fraud, what advantage, she now asked herself, would Miss Roseberry derive from Mercy Merrick's disgrace?

Could Lady Janet transfer to the woman who was really her relative by marriage the affection which she had given to the woman who had pretended to be her relative? No! All the right in the world would not put the true Grace into the false Grace's vacant place. The qualities by which Mercy had won Lady Janet's love were the qualities which were Mercy's own. Lady Janet could do rigid justice—but hers was not the heart to give itself to a stranger (and to give itself unreservedly) a second time. Grace Roseberry would be formally acknowledged, and there it would end. Was there hope in this new view? Yes! Yes! There was the false hope of making the inevitable atonement by some other means than by the confession of the fraud.

What had Grace Roseberry actually lost by the wrong done to her? She had lost the salary of Lady Janet's companion and reader. Say that she wanted money, Mercy had her savings from the generous allowance made to her by Lady Janet; Mercy could offer money. Or say that she wanted employment, Mercy's interest with Lady Janet could offer employment, could offer anything Grace might ask for, if she would only come to terms.

Invigorated by the new hope, Mercy rose excitedly, weary of inaction in the empty room. She who but a few minutes since had shuddered at the thought of their meeting again, was now eager to devise a means of finding her way privately to an interview with Grace. It should be done without loss of time—on that very day, if possible; by the next day at latest. She looked round her mechanically, pondering how to reach the end in view. Her eyes rested by chance on the door of the billiard-room. Was it fancy? or did she really see the door first open a little, then suddenly and softly closed again?

Was it fancy? or did she really hear, at the same moment, a sound behind her, as of persons speaking in the conservatory? She paused, and, looking back in that direction, listened intently. The sound—if she had really heard it—was no longer audible. She advanced toward the billiard-room, to set her first doubt at rest. She stretched out her hand to open the door, when the voices (recognizable now as the voices of two men) caught her ear once more. This time she was able to distinguish the words that were spoken.

'Any further orders, sir?' inquired one of the men.

'Nothing more,' replied the other.

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Chip Basket.

An Austrian officer, Capt. Ahlstrom, swam from Vienna to Pesth, in the Danube, 160 miles, in 39 hours.

Castle Garden, the famous landing place for emigrants at New York, was totally destroyed by fire a few nights ago.

The United States Commission has decided by a vote of 29 to 10 to keep the Centennial Exhibition closed on Sunday.

A monument to Luther will be erected at Eisleben, his birthplace. The Emperor of Germany has given 3,000 marks to help defray the cost.

The copper mines of Newfoundland are developed with great success, and some large deposits of lead have been discovered.

L. D. Sine, the lottery man whose memory is green in the hearts of hundreds of thousands of simpletons in the United States and Canada, died in Cincinnati on Saturday.

The finest gift brought home from India by the Prince of Wales is a golden boot, more than a foot long and wonderfully enamelled. The stern represents the head, wings, and tail of a peacock, the lustrous breast of the bird being carved into the body of the boat with great skill.

Americus, Georgia, has placed on exhibition at the Centennial the first barrel of new flour exhibited anywhere during the present year. The wheat was harvested May 11th, the flour ground the 15th, shipped from Americus the 16th, and received at Philadelphia on the 24th.

The Liverpool *Mercury* says that a borough magistrate has made a rough calculation of the amount of money spent upon drink in Liverpool. He shows that there are 1,240 public houses where drink only is sold, and 500 where food is sold in addition to drink. The money expended in them weekly is £54,450.

Talking at table is one of the very best digesters; there is no tonic known to equal it, as it is of the kind known to promote hilarity and good feeling generally. Most parents are prone to prohibit their children from laughing and talking at the table; it is unphysiological; it is cruelty. Let the conversation be agreeable, not tending to controversy but instruction and amusement.

In speaking of gold a carat signifies a name given to the fraction 1-24, thus: Gold of 22 carats fine is a gold of which 22 parts out of 24 are pure, the other two parts being silver, copper, or other metals. The carat, in speaking of diamonds or other precious stones, is a weight of fraction less than 4 grains troy, or 74 1-16 carats, being equal to 72 grains troy. The term or weight carat derives its name from a bean, the fruit of an Abyssinian tree called kura. This bean, from the time of its being gathered, varies very little in its weight, and seems to have been from a very remote period used as a weight for gold in Africa, In India, also, the bean is used as a weight for gems and pearls.

$10,000 fine and six months in goal were awarded to Jacob Rehm, the Chicago whisky defrauder. No wonder most of them come to Canada.

Lightning Machinery.

"THE TIMES" EXHIBIT AT THE CENTENNIAL.—EIGHT PAPERS A SECOND.

Three times every day, at 10, 2 and 4 o'clock, a rush and a whirr near the centre of Machinery Hall, call together a crowd about the railing that surrounds the new lightning press on which the Centennial edition of the *Times* is printed. The beauty of the machine, the novelty of its operation, and the terrific speed with which its cylinders revolve, are a sight that is unusual even in Machinery Hall. In all essential parts, the press is the counterpart of the one that

Bruce Counties, and subsequently of Dundas, on Friday, by the Buffalo Express.

Seven cases of destitution were reported on Monday, in different parts of Galt.

Three horses owned by Jos. Biddle, Kincardine, were stuck by lightning on Tuesday night, and totally destroyed.

Mr. C. S. Rae, Assistant Receiver-General, died in Toronto early Saturday morning. He was sixty years of age.

In a house about Hamilton, shop window is displayed and with the property of George III. to Chief Justice. It bears the marks of musket balls.

A man named Hugh Rice, while working on a railway near Christ Church, Ottawa, fell down a precipice and met to death by a stone well falling on him.

All Wade, member of the International Railway, has disappeared and it is said there is a deficiency in his accounts of some $20,000.

A boy was arrested in Toronto on Friday charged with having in his possession a watch valued at $22,000, of which he could not give a satisfactory account. The watch is stolen.

The anniversary of sermons in Hamilton in connection with the Synod and conducted by eighteen ministers, discontinued on the Sabbath funerals, except in cases of absolute necessity.

A murder was committed on Friday in the township of Torbolton, Carleton Co., by a man by the name of John Brennan, shot and killed another man named Wm. Moore.

The body of a boy named Lane, about three years of age, was found on Friday morning in a pond on Munro's farm, about two miles from Morrison. He had been missing since Thursday, and it is thought he stopped in accidentally.

During the performance of Cole's circus at Guelph, Wednesday, the driver of one of the chariots was thrown out, and the horses ran away. A test was attached to stop them when he was run and seriously injured.

At Guelph, a few nights ago, a man named Davis committed a brutal assault on his wife, knocking her down and stamping and kicking her till she was insensible, and then throw her out of doors, where she remained all night. She is considered serious.

A few days ago a couple of Toronto children, crossing in a boat to Hunter's Island, frozen and they were overboard in water up to their armpits. The body of a young woman was found in the lake, and the man arrested.

The body of Alphonse Walton was found in the river at Gananoque, on Friday. The deceased's sitting bitty that he had been murdered, two men with whom he was last seen at Suspension Bridge were immediately arrested, and are now awaiting examination.

It seems that the young Lundoner, Lowry, who recently died at Tecumseh station, on the G. W. R., was on the top of the cars pulling the bell rope, which was foul. It suddenly gave way, and he fell between the cars and was literally cut up about the lower extremities causing instant death.

On Thursday morning, while Rev. George Hall, of New York, and other delegates to the Christian Canal Y. M. C. A. were passing on Bolton street, one of the streets of Toronto, they were suddenly ordered to stop by the driver and consequently assaulted with bottles and by a gang of roughs.

On Thursday afternoon a horse and buggy attempted to cross the G. T. R. track near Oshawa. It was struck by the engine, and both of the occupants thrown out. The driver, James Flynn, was instantly killed, and the woman, Rose Spencer, was carried with the buggy on the cow-catcher for some distance. She is seriously if not fatally injured.

At the teachers' examinations for the county of Peel only two out of 14 second-class candidates and nine out of fifty-five third-class have survived the examination. In Prince Edward only two out of seventeen applicants for second-class certificates succeeded. Arithmetic and dictation were the puzzling subjects.

Our Canadian team at Wimbledon are winning laurels. In the St. George's Challenge Vase competition Sergt. T. Mitchell, 12th Batt., Ontario; Lieut. Fitch, 78th Batt., Nova Scotia; and Bomb. Crowe, W. T. B., Ontario win prizes.—In the Prince of Wales, open only to medallists, Sergt. D. Mitchell, 13th Batt., Ontario, and Sergt. Corbin, 63rd Batt., Nova Scotia, also win prizes.

On Wednesday night a boy named Brigham, while in the woods in the vicinity of Beechwood Cemetery, Ottawa, discovered the dead body of a woman lying between two tamarac logs. He investigated when to the police, but on the whole visiting the cemetery the body had been removed. Brigham says a portion of the flesh was torn from the left side, and a bunch of her hair had been pulled out. The police are investigating the mysterious affair.

ASHFIELD.

PROMOTIONS.—The names of the pupils promoted at the quarterly examination of School Section No. 6, Ashfield held June the 30th, are as follows:—From 4th to 5th form—Alice M. Potts. From 3rd to 4th Form—Eliza A. McConnell, Ellen A. Stales, Alex. Shackelton, R. J. Stales, Barbara A. Dreamay. From 2nd to 3rd Form—Wm. J. Hagen, Sarah J. Willis, Albert Shackelton, Lucy Ann Hart, Albert Maire, Mary A. Hagen, Elizabeth A. Finley, Jas. Maine, Wm. H. Males, Wm. Allen, Elizabeth Montgomery, Jessie Livingston, Geo. E. Hagen. From 1st to 2nd Form—W. Robertson, Chas. Robertson, Letitia Deany, Barbara A. Willis, Wm. Hart, Mary Templeton, Alberta Harlow, Sarah Davis, Mary Deany, Richard Baker, John Rankine.—Cor.

CLINTON.

CRICKET.—A game of cricket was played here a few days ago, which resulted as follows—Bayfield club, 83 runs; Clinton club, 84 runs with four wickets to spare.

H. R. A. S.—The annual fall show of the Bulletti Beach Agricultural Society will be held in this town on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 3rd and 4th of October next.

DEATH OF A STALLION.—Mr. T. Gibbings has suffered the loss of his fine trotting stallion, Young Sir Archy, which died of inflamation, on Tuesday of last week.

FARM SOLD.—Mr. Geo. McLaughlin has sold his farm of 66 acres, on the Bayfield con., to Mr. John Wood, for the sum of $4,500, which is considered a good price.

ORDER YOUNG BRITONS.—A lodge of this society, to be called the Huron True Blues, has been formed on the Base Line and has a fair membership already. A. B. Nesbitt is master and G. Burns deputy master.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On the 2nd inst., Mr. Lawson Moore, of the Base Line, on visiting his stable in the morning, found his entire horse, Young Dick Turpin, which was tied in a close stall, with one of its hind legs badly broken. How, or by what means this had been done is not known, but it is supposed it had kicked itself. The horse had to be shot, as it was beyond the cure of the veterinary surgeon.—*New Era.*

—Mr. Wm. Scarlett, of Seaforth, while transacting business in Mr. Smale's store Brussels laid his pocket book containing about $70 on the counter and forgot to take it up again. On reaching home he discovered his loss, and at once drove back to Brussels, roused Mr. Smale out of his bed and after a vigorous search found the pocket book where it had been left, all correct.

—Mr. Douglas Fraser, of Bluevale, took part in the International plough-ing match at Philadelphia on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Mr. Teasdel, of Stratford, manufacturer of ploughs, is the person who took Mr. Fraser, who is an excellent ploughman, to the great contest.

Grand Trunk Railway.

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT GODERICH AS FOLLOWS:

No. 1 Express,	7.00 a. m., for Toronto, London and Buffalo.
No. 7 Mixed,	8.45 a. m., for Stratford.
No. 3 Mail Express,	12.20 p. m., for Toronto, Buffalo and Detroit.
No. 9 Mixed,	3.30 p. m.

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AS FOLLOWS:

No. 8 Mixed,	8.15 a. m., from Stratford.
No. 2 Mail Express,	3.10 p. m., from Toronto, Detroit and Buffalo.
No. 10 Mixed,	7.00 p. m., from Stratford.
No. 4 Express,	10.00 p. m., from Buffalo.

Huron Signal.

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Right Resting.

NOTES OF A SHORT SOJOURN IN THE "QUEEN CITY OF THE LAKES."

Buffalo is one of the most prosperous and wealthy cities in the United States—it has progressed steadily and surely, and although its public buildings, hotels, theatres, &c., heretofore did not indicate the fact it is nevertheless true that among its citizens are some of the wealthiest in the Union. In the last few years the character of its public buildings has been greatly improved, and the City Buildings, State Asylum, the new German bank, the many handsome new business houses and the new public park betoken the wealth of the city. It is a city well worth seeing, and when the sight seer turns off the haunts of commerce with its magnificent establishments and the din of traffic, he may turn to enjoy a cool and pleasant jaunt through the beautiful Avenues, Delaware, Franklin, and Niagara, lined with handsome private residences; rich green lawns and beautiful shade trees, or his way to the simple pleasures of the city park and rusticate amid all the modern improvements. In this sketch we have not opportunity to speak of the attractions of the city, or its general features, among which latter we might mention, however, the production of lager beer. Germans form a large portion of the population, and their love for this beverage creates a great demand therefor; but notwithstanding the great consumption of this liquor, drunkenness is not so prevalent as many would suppose. The arrests in the city on the last 4th of July, when the city was crowded with visitors and the saloons were doing a thriving business, only numbered six for drunkenness. Such a record speaks well.

It would occupy too much space to describe the new city buildings which are nearly completed and present an imposing and magnificent appearance, costing about $5,000,000, but we will simply refer to one or two sketches from our note book. It was our pleasure to visit the Board of Trade rooms and see the "bulls" and "bears" at their ordinary occupation. There is none of the excitement which prevails in Chicago and New York, obtains here, at least very unfrequently, and business is transacted in a quiet manner. The rooms are commodious, well-furnished, overlooking the harbor and are visited only by members or friends formally introduced by members. Despatches are received from all the principal commercial cities, giving trade quotations, and while we were present at 11 o'clock in the forenoon a despatch from Liverpool dated 2:20 p. m. on the same day was posted on the bulletin board. A daily report from the Signal Service Department is posted each morning and the probabilities for the day are given, which are wonderfully correct and are considered very valuable. Specimens of grain are kept on exhibition, each specimen accompanied by the owner's name, the name of the elevator in which the grain is stored and the amount of the lot for sale; and here the purchaser meets the owner and makes his bargain. Before leaving the presence of the shrewd, hearty looking denizens of the rooms, the genial Secretary, Wm. Thurstone, Esq., presented us with a souvenir of our visit in the shape of a visitor's pass.

DR. V. PIERCE'S ESTABLISHMENT.

We took occasion to visit the immense establishment of Dr. R. V. Pierce, M. D., situated on the corner of Seneca St. and the Terrace. This mammoth medical institution is well worth visiting, and any who do so will come away satisfied that a physician may conduct business on a wholesale scale and prepare specifics for the ailments of the world and be above the imputation of quackery. Assisted by an efficient staff of physicians the doctor has the advantage of varied experiences in the consultation of doctors, whilst his own experience is naturally varied and extensive. The number of patients who apply is large, and the beautifully furnished reception and consulting rooms are almost constantly occupied. Every department of the establishment is worked like clock work. The staff of about twenty physicians is divided into sections having superintendence over certain classes of diseases, and they have separate apartments with the necessary appliances at their disposal. The prescription department adjoins an apartment where another staff of physicians receive letters from patients who state the nature of their trouble and ask for advice. Instructions for treatment are returned by mail, or else a prescription is made out and sent to the proper apartment to be prepared. Mr. Pierce is at present erecting a magnificent hotel on Prospect Avenue for the reception of his patients, with accommodation for 250 persons, and thus will have his wholesale laboratory separate from his general practice.

The preparation of the medicines, the names of which have become household words, comprehends many wonderful processes, and the machinery occupies five flats. Chemists of experience prepare the ingredients, which instead of being weighed out in grains, pennyweights and ounces are measured by ovts. and tons and put through all the necessary processes with great care. Each bottle of medicine, or box of pills passes through many hands before being ready for packing. A boy and girl every working day of the year do nothing but cork bottles of the "Favorite Prescription" by machinery, while six girls are employed putting wrappers on the bottles. The packingroom is a sight worth seeing itself. Here the medicine is packed into small boxes for shipment to different wholesale drug houses, home and foreign, and immense quantities are packed up and sent off each day. It would be a difficult matter to detail the processes of manufacture, which are complicated and numerous, and as we merely desire to give an idea of the proportions of the establishment we will not undertake the task. An immense amount of printing is done for the establishment, and lately Mr. Pierce has introduced this art as one of the branches of his business. He has eight fine printing presses, four folding machines, cutting presses and a number of sewing machines employed to keep up a supply of labels, pamphlets, etc., printed in different languages for his own use. The amount of paper used is larger than is consumed in any printing office in the city, and yet it is worked up so promptly with the great care and attention to accuracy of department is attributed to the fact of the proper business being made to attend to the printing of the notices in different languages that the world, and judging from the list of papers which we saw passed before us from the post office, Dr. R. V. Pierce must be known in the four quarters of the globe. And yet this institution is looked upon as being only in its infancy, and we should judge that it is destined to double itself again and again after being as extensively advertised and when such efforts are being put forth to receive the increasing army of patients.

FRIENDLY SIGN.

At No. 63 Lloyd St., the Young Men's Christian Association have established what is called the "Friendly Inn," a place well worthy its name. It was started, we believe, three years ago, but its affairs having been mismanaged by the first managers it did not prove a successful venture until the present Superintendent, Mr. P. M. Ferris, took charge. The object of the institution is to furnish cheap board and lodgings to the poorer classes, and being situated in the vicinity of the canal and docks many a weary hard worked sod heaves, deck hand or employee on the canal has found sweet repose under its hospitable roof. The rooms and beds are kept clean and well aired, and although the couches are not by any means luxurious in the judgment of well-to-do people they are counted so by many poor unfortunate fellows. Accommodation is provided for about sixty persons, yet frequently large numbers have to be turned away unable to secure accommodation. The following scale of prices will show how filendly the poor unfortunates are dealt with: Cup of coffee and roll, 5 cents; lunch, 15 cents; regular meal, 25 cents; lodgings, 15 and 25 cents. Divine service is held in the Inn regularly, and much good is done. Situated as it is in the midst of the "infected neighborhood," the good men who conduct these services have a large field to work in, and it is pleasing to know that they are meeting with encouraging success. Many strange characters meet with in the time-soiled wrecks of humanity some of them, others bowed down by misfortune or sickness, and others who have always worked hard and fared poorly. Sad stories of misfortune are heard from some of the guests, which would touch the heart of the most stolid. The good hearted superintendent, while often grieved at the sights and experiences which come under his notice, must often rejoice that he is in a position to do so much good.

Our visit, although short, was spent very pleasantly, and its recollection will long remain fresh in our memory.

THE Seaforth *Expositor*, speaking of the receipts of American grain at the Goderich Harbor Mills, takes occasion to remark that a protective tariff would benefit our home producers and prevent so much of the supply for our mills being drawn from the Western States. Not long ago our contemporary talked of protection for our manufacturers, but in this instance the policy which it advocates would have quite the opposite effect. It forgets that there are many such mills which consume large quantities of Western grain, preparing it, not for the Canadian market alone, but for exportation. Protection would have the effect of crippling these mills and diverting a very extensive trade from the country. Canadian grain is used to mix with the American grain, and in the vicinity of Goderich all the farmers' grain which can be procured finds ready sale at the mill. The interests of the farmer here have not been injured, on the contrary they are benefitted by the presence of the mill, notwithstanding that so great amount of its supply is drawn from the West. This is an instance of the fallacies in protectionist reasonings, growing out of the fact that they fail to consider that the exports of grain and its products far exceeds the imports, consequently falling in with the delusion that every import of grain draws so much from the pockets of Canadian farmers.

TWELFTH OF JULY was celebrated throughout Canada by Orangemen with the usual ceremonies, and with the exception of Montreal, and Point St. Charles in Quebec, and St. Johns, N. B., no disturbances took place. In Montreal the day was celebrated without a procession, notwithstanding which some roughs assaulted some of the celebrators as they were passing along the street wearing badges, and several rows took place, one assailant being shot through his jaw and seriously injured. The assailants were quickly arrested.—In St. John the processionists were attacked, when the Orangemen made use of revolvers. One man named Burke was dangerously wounded. At Point St. Charles, during the progress of a social re-union, at the Lomas hotel, a body of roughs with fire arms attacked the house. The Orangemen replied with revolvers, and in a short time every window in the house was broken. A squad of policemen from Montreal soon arrived and quelled the disturbance, but not until several persons on both sides were wounded. It is much to be regretted that celebrations lead to these disturbances, but there is no excuse for those who disturb the celebration out of hatred for the society, ostensibly, but in reality because their bump of combativeness is too fully developed to permit them to be good citizens.

SINCE the *Globe* took occasion to reply to the remarks made by Judge Wilson, in his decision in the Simpson vs. Wilkesou libel suit, with reference to Hon. George Brown, the Opposition press has talked loudly of the dignity of the Bench and berated the man who took exception editorially to a legal decision. The Tory press has found something to respect besides John A. Macdonald and the Conservative Association, in the person of the Bench, but only since Mr. Brown put himself in a position to receive their abuse. It is not long since the organs of this same party used the most disgraceful language against Minister of Justice Blake in connection with the commutation of a death sentence. How they reconcile their present professions with their recent conduct is best known to themselves, but to us their dishonesty and inconsistency is painfully apparent in this paradoxical conduct.

A SHORT time ago a number of brewers assembled in Philadelphia, as a "Brewers' Congress," and amongst other business it was "resolved that by every lawful means those who espouse the cause of teetotalism, whether for political influence or personal aggrandizement, be opposed to the uttermost;" and also "that, by lectures, pamphlets, and the newspaper press, the benefits of malt liquors be prominently placed before the public." This is bringing the question to a square fight, and if the liquor manufacturers everywhere unite after this manner temperance advocates will have the satisfaction of meeting their opponents face to face.

THE Intercolonial railway, since its opening has done an immense and increasing business, both in freight and passenger traffic. Freights have been greatly reduced, and passenger fares to the maritime provinces are at such a figure that travelling between Quebec and Halifax has become very extensive.

A FULL bench of judges, it is said, has decided to take proceedings against Hon. George Brown for contempt of court, in publishing the severe criticism, which has created so much excitement during the last few days, upon Judge Wilson's finding in the Durham *News* libel case.

REPORTS from the East are very conflicting, but the Times show a depth of earnestness which surprises the general public and speaks favorably for their success. In the early part of the week the Servians, who have fought heavily, and with several important successes last latterly their enemies have been carrying the day. The latter have been guilty of such atrocities as to call forth the indignation of foreign nations, and sympathy is increasing towards the Servians. The Turkish authorities have been inducing the Circassia to harass the Servians, and the former have been guilty of placing Christian women and children before their army on entering battle. If such conduct is continued it will not be long before foreign Nations interfere.

BUFFALO has been very unfortunate with her ironclads, and the unwieldy but terrible monsters which have been floated have proved more dangerous to themselves than otherwise. The Captain foundering carried down with her some 400 sailors, and while the ironclad Roe were out cruising recently the Vanguard was sunk by one of her big companions. On Friday last the turret ship Thunderer met with an accident by the bursting of a boiler, damaging the vessel, killing 25 seamen and fatally wounding 23 more.

THE SHAVER family of Ancaster numbers nearly 700 persons, and is descended from a U. E. loyalist who fled from the United States with his wife and settled in the neighborhood of Ancaster village about the year 1790. Almost in one generation has this family sprung up, and the greater part of them reside in the vicinity of the old homestead, and are well-to-do and prosperous.—With a very few exceptions they are all Reformers. It is natural to wish that they "may increase and multiply."

News from Point St. Charles, a suburb of Montreal, indicate that a bitter feeling exists between the Protestant and Catholic residents, growing out of the recent Twelfth of July troubles. The 6th Fusiliers patrolled the town on Friday night, and a threatened attack on the Protestant quarter was directed. It is to be hoped the police will keep a sharp lookout on both parties, who are all evidently a rough lot of men.

THE NEWS.

Three thousand more troops have left Egypt for Constantinople.

John Bright, at a banquet in Greenwich, abstained from responding to the toast "The Empress of India."

The Spanish Congress has passed a vote of confidence in the Ministry by a vote of 211 against 26.

Sitting Bull and his chief adviser, a white man, are reported killed in the Little Horn battle. His braves secured $20,000 from the bodies of the soldiers, who had been paid not long previous to the engagement.

The Porte is using Circassians against the insurgents, and these Asiatics have began burning villages, murdering men, and quartering children. If this continues, European sympathy will turn decidedly against the Turks.

Thirty-four of the crew of the turret ship Thunderer have died from injuries received by the explosion of one of her boilers on Friday last. At least one-half of those lying wounded are not expected to recover.

Generals Crook and Terry, who it was feared had been destroyed by the Indians at Little Big Horn, Montana, have both been heard from, and are all right, but not willing to advance till reinforcements come up. The Indians are bent on causing trouble.

Lord Derby on Friday received large deputations favouring a policy of non-intervention on the part of England in the Eastern Question. He said England's policy was to keep the conflict within its present limits, and to impress that view on others. He stated in effect that none of the powers of Europe desired to enter the contest.

Presbytery of Huron.

The Presbytery of Huron met in Seaforth Canada Presbyterian Church on Tuesday of last week. The following are some of the items of business transacted: Mr. Barr was elected Moderator for the ensuing six months. A petition of certain inhabitants of Wawanosh, in the neighborhood of Donnybrook, asking for supply of preaching, was read, and the Presbytery agreed to endeavor to give them what supply they can for a month or two. Mr. Ferguson was appointed Moderator of the session of Wingham, instead of Mr. McLean, who desired to be relieved of it. A call was sustained from the congregations of Rodgerville and Exeter, in favor of Mr. Hartley of Dungannon, and a special meeting of Presbytery was appointed to be held at Clinton on the 1st of August, to dispose of this call. Mr. Ferguson was appointed to moderate in a call at Wingham, when the people desire it. A committee consisting of Messrs. Gracey, Cameron and Gardner, was appointed to consider the Financial and Statistical returns of the past year, and to bring in a deliverance thereon at next meeting. Mr. Mann, late of Walton, was formally received as a minister of this church. The Home Mission Committee was appointed, and is composed of the following members: Messrs. McCuaig, (Convener,) Young, Leask, Gracey, and Matheson. A committee consisting of Messrs. Goldsmith, Barr, Scott, Thomson and Carnochan, was appointed, to make arrangements for Missionary meetings, and to report at next meeting, Mr. Thompson, Convener. All the Session Records of the congregations south of the Huron Road and called for being examined at next meeting. The next meeting of Presbytery (ordinary) is to be held at Clinton on the 2nd Tuesday of October at 11 o'clock A. M.

Lumber Market.

SHIPMENTS.—Wm. Seymour & Co., 12 cars lumber; Williams & Murray, 5 cars; Wm. Lee, 3 cars; Secord, Cozzens & Co., 14 cars lumber and one car lath.

RECEIPTS.—Williams & Murray, 184 M. by schr. Ontario from Spanish River; Secord, Cozzens & Co., schr. Dauntless, 140 M. feet lumber.

Our dealers are waiting until the Grand Trunk dock is completed before bringing in any large cargoes.

Business has been quiet during the past week. Freights continue at $1.25 per M. as a ruling price, although charters at a lower rate can be made.

Messrs. Buchanan, Lawson & Robinson started operation in their new planing factory at the lumber yards. The mill is 62x36 ft, with engine room and office attached. At present the machinery consists of a handsome planing, grooving and tongueing machine, from Cant, Gourlay & Co's works in galt, and a gang slitting machine (the first in use in these parts) from Williamsport, Pa. The latter machine is intended for ripping large boards into smaller stuff, and for this purpose it can run four saws at once. The saws are placed side by side on the same shaft, and the boards are run through in the same manner as on the ordinary machines. It is intended to add a three sided moulder shortly. The motive power in furnished by a 20 horse power engine from Cant, Gourlay & Co's works. Plenty of orders are coming in, and there is a promise of good business in this line. We wish the new venture the success which the enterprise of this firm deserves.

Williams & Murray are busy filling up their new yard, at the foot of Nelson St., the recently completed siding from the main track proving very valuable. A siding has also been constructed to the new planing mill, by which means cost of teaming is saved.

A daughter of Mr. J. Armstrong, of Eramosa, committed suicide near Fergus, on Wdnesday, by putting a gag in her mouth, tying her hands and jumping head first into a barrel of water.

MARINE DISASTER.

PROPELLOR ST. CLAIR BURNED ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

TWO GODERICH MEN AMONG THE CREW.

CAPT. RHYNAS SAVES PASSENGER MANCHMAN, DROWNS.

The following letter from the agent to Capt. Ross Wardle has been given us, betel the propellor St. Clair, Robert Rhynas, Goderich, captain, which trades between Duluth and Detroit:—

HOUGHTON, Mich., Monday July 10.

Ross Ward:

DEAR SIR.—It becomes my painful duty to report the details, as far as I can learn, of the terrible disaster. The St. Clair left Ontonagon at midnight on Saturday—Sun night—with light southerly wind. Had fourteen of a crew and eighteen passengers, flour, feed and deck load of cattle and sheep. About 1 o'clock a. m., Sunday, when abreast of Fourteen-Mile Point, about five miles off shore (the second engineer on watch) the first engineer being on a tour of inspection round the boat, heard a rumbling sound in the cylinder which caused him to go to the engine room to tell the second engineer to oil it, and while the latter was detained the first engineer saw a light by the boiler. He immediately gave orders to his subordinate to get the hose ready (which was secured on in place and coiled up) and he gave

THE ALARM OF FIRE

to the captain. The latter jumped down, as well as the first engineer and lookout, and got a stream of water on the flames, which even increased in volume every moment. Not half a minute elapsed between the time fire was first seen and water was being thrown on it. In less than a minute the flames drove the captain, the two engineers, two firemen and lookout men out of the engine room. The captain then headed the propeller direct for the shore and tried to launch the yawl-boat, but the flames drove the men away, and the yawl-boat caught fire. In the meantime the passengers were waked up, the preserves thrown out, mattresses and doors wrenched off, and, in fact, all that the cooler heads could think off, was done to try and preserve life. The life-boat (which had been moved since leaving Detroit from the hurricane deck to about midships on the promenade deck) was launched, but in doing so the lines got foul. The captain jumped down into it and cut some lines, which caused it to float all right. Then a rush of passengers and crew took place! In the boat. The captain says twelve got in, and a thirteenth jumped into it, lighted on the gunwale, and his weight, added to its already unbalanced condition,

CAUSED IT TO CAPSIZE.

While in the water those around the life boat righted it six times, and each time some one or other of the unfortunate people would make an effort to crawl into it and would again capsize it. Those who are saved say the piercing cries of those on the vessel and the bellowing of the cattle were heartrending. Gradually those around the life boat got chilled and dropped off, one by one, being no longer able to hold on. It was a beautiful, clear night, so that each one could distinctly see those around him. Finally, the boat was righted for the last time, and Capt. Rhynas got into it, and commenced bailing the water out, in which he was helped by the engineer, and when it floated fairly four persons got into it. They then paddled around, using the rudder and one oar (which the foresight of the engineer caused him to push under the thwarts when the boat was bottom up) to pick up whoever they could find. They found one man alive,

FLOATING ON THE HATCH,

But with the exception of another, who they saw was dead, could not discover any one in sight. They had been just two and a half hours in the water, when they directed their course for the shore, and to keep up animation and to ward off the cold as much as possible, they tore the seats out of the boat and used them as paddles. The last they saw of the ill-fated St. Clair (a light fog having arisen) was when she was drifting before the wind, a blackened hulk, burned to the water's edge, her mast still standing, and some smoke arising from her charred frame.

THE SAVED,

As far as known, are: Robert Rhynas, captain; John Sutphin, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, cattle dealer; Daniel J. Stringer, of Duluth, first engineer; Thomas C. Bootman, of Detroit, first mate, and Thomas Farkie, of Sandwich, wheelsman.

THE LOST.

Among those we call lost (although I pray that some may have been saved), are J. H. Beardsley, lawyer of Ontonagon; Capt. Mellen, of Inhoming; Messrs. Collins and Stewart, of Duluth, and, it is said, the president of the "Flint Steel" mine (but I think there is a mistake in this, and I think Judge Edwards, of Marquette, is meant, he being president of a silver mine. He was with a party who were to return to Portage to-day); Wm. McDeimel, of Detroit, previously of Philadelphia; Pat. Mahony, of Goderich, watchman; Chas. Forrest, of Sandwich, wheelsman; one "Shorty," of Cleveland, a deck hand, and poor Shackleton, the clerk, are all the names I have been able to learn so far.

The captain showed himself a man throughout, as did the engineer, and equal to the terrible emergency.

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Yours truly,
D. FILLANS.

Patrick Mahony was a few months over 22 years old, and was at one time bar tender at the British Exchange.—Last season he sailed on the Keweenaw with Capt. Shepard, Mr. Rhynas being first mate, and he and the latter gentleman were put on the St. Clair, which had been fitted up as a passenger boat, at the beginning of the present season.

The tug Bob Anderson left Houghton at 12 o'clock on Sunday night for the scene of the accident, for the purpose of picking up the bodies of the drowned. She succeeded in finding fourteen, twelve of which were brought to Houghton on Monday evening, and the two others—Beardsley and Lawrence—were sent to Ontonagon by the tug Fero.—Eleven of the passengers and two of the crew are still missing, and it is likely their bodies will never be found. Poor Mahony's was found amongst the rest, with a life preserver about his waist. The cold water had chilled him so that he perished from exposure. Capt. Rhynas had the body encased in a handsome coffin, and interred with the proper rites in the absence of his friends.

An inquest was held on the bodies found, and a verdict in accordance with the facts returned, and attaching no blame to any one. Great credit is given to Capt Rhynas for his conduct in the trying occasion. His many friends here will extend hearty congratulations to him on his narrow and providential escape, while much sympathy is expressed for the fate of poor Mahony.

McKILLOP.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Chas. Davis, hotel-keeper eight miles north of Seaforth, met with a severe accident, on Friday last, by falling off the roof of a barn which he was shingling. He was working without scaffolding, hence the result. He was carried into the house insensible and Dr. Campbell of Seaforth, telegraphed for, who when he arrived found that he had broken his left arm above the wrist and that he was also pretty severely injured internally. He is a weighty man, and fell 16 or 18 feet and his arm hit a keg of nails which was on the ground.—COM.

A Caveat, Collector of Inland Revenue, Goderich, and A. Macintosh, Collector, Kincardine, visited the dwelling of Wm. McMurchy, in the village of Ridley, and seized some illicit distillery apparatus and six bags of illegally manufactured malt on Thursday.

Local News.

ABOUT TOWN.

HOME.—Mr. Jas. Wells, during last week, shipped 20 kegs of beer from the station for different points.

HARBOR MILLS.—The shipments from the Harbor Mills last week were 2310 barrels of flour, 905 bags and 4 cars of bran and one car of feed by rail for the east; and 520 bbls. of flour by the Manitoba for the Hudson Bay Co.

FISH.—During last week Z. Tolsma shipped 22,200 lbs of fish from the dock, and the shipments from the station amounted to 2,000 lbs. Wm. Lee shipped 1,440 lbs of cured fish.

TENDERS WANTED.—Tenders are invited for certain improvements contemplated to be made in the Temperance Hall. Plans and specifications to be seen at the Town Clerk's office.

RURAL COUSIN.—We are now prepared to furnish our readers with information upon horticultural and agricultural topics from the pen of an experienced person. Questions addressed to this office will be answered. Look for "Horticultural and Agricultural" department on the fourth page.

PERSONAL.—Mr. M. Whitty, of St. Louis, Mo., favored us with a call last week, in the spirit of a brother printer. He is visiting his relatives in the north-east part of the county. We are pleased to learn that he has established himself in a good business in that city.

—Mr. M. Y. McLean, of the Seaforth *Expositor*, joined the *Manitoba* at Goderich on Saturday last with the purpose of making a pleasure trip to Duluth and return.

THE JAIL.—Fourteen persons are at present confined in the jail. On Saturday forenoon one prisoner was let free after serving a term of 15 days, but he could not bear the sudden separation from such companionship, and in the evening he was returned in a glorious state of intoxication to serve another term of five days.

SOMETHING NEW for the ladies. The ladies of Goderich and vicinity are invited to call at Mrs. E Warnock's millinery and fancy good's store and examine the new and delightful perfume called Perfection. The only powder of perfume in the Dominion. It is not a liquid, but comes in boxes. Come and see it. Mrs. E. Warnock sole agent for Goderich, Ont. 1533 3m

EXCURSION TO PORT HURON.—To-day (Wednesday) having been appointed a civic holiday by His Worship Mayor Finlay, no doubt the propellor HOLLAND will be well laden with excursionists for Port Huron. The boat leaves at 8 and will take about five hours in making the down trip, returning will leave at 4 p.m. Tickets have been placed at the low figure of 75 cts for adults and 35cts for children under 12 years of age.

SCHOOL BOARD.—An adjourned meeting took place on Tuesday evening of last week. Accounts were passed as follows:—Kerr & McKenzie, $1.50; H. W. Ball, printing, $23.75; Crofts & Johnston, $1.50. Mr. W. R. Miller's report of the attendance at the schools for the previous month was read showing the attendance to have been 754, 376 boys and 378 girls. Mr. J. R. Miller, I. P. S., on account of ill health, was granted three months' leave of absence.

SUMMER VISITORS AT THE POINT FARM.—We are pleased to hear that every room in this large establishment was fully occupied last week and the demand for still further accommodation is unceasing. A number of men are engaged preparing the new rooms, which are taken up as soon as completed. The entire success of this new watering place must be extremely gratifying to the proprietor, Mr. Wright, and should act as an incentive to go on with our town house.

A NEW VENTURE.—On Saturday last Mr. Murdoch McPherson with three men left by the Manitoba for Lake Superior, where he will examine the north coast with the object of finding a good fishing ground. He took with him his boat Zebra together with all the necessary material. The fish of Lake Superior are said to be finer than those in Lake Huron, and as but little fishing has yet been done on the north shore of that lake no doubt some splendid fishing grounds will be found. We wish Mr. McPherson success.

THE "GLORIOUS TWELFTH."—The day of "pious and immortal memory" was celebrated by the Orangemen of this vicinity in Bayfield, and the gathering there was very large. Goderich lodge paraded here before starting for Bayfield by the steamer *Bertsoky*, which arrived at its destination after the procession was over. A grand gathering took place in the grove near the village, where excellent addresses were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Watson, Broley, Ryan, Seiveright and Griffin. County Master, A. C. Simmons, filled the chair. The Goderich party, which was accompanied by the Silver Cornet Band, returned at about 8 o'clock in the evening.

REGATTA AT KINCARDINE.—On the 12th inst., an interesting regatta took place at Kincardine. Quite a number of our local boats left here to participate, and succeeded in bringing home three prizes. In the first class race J. McGee's "Water Lily" of Kincardine won the flag and first money, closely followed by Jas. Clark's "Fallowcraft" of Goderich, which took a $10 prize. In the second class, J. Craig's "Wm. Hazard" of this place took first prize of $15, and Jas. Wiggins' "Fleetwing," also of this place, took second money, $10. The "Vixen" and "Zeda Marlton" started in the races, but the wind falling they withdrew at the first buoy; in a few minutes the wind revived and the race continued. Thos. Finn sailed the "Fellowcraft."

DREDGES STOPPED.—Messrs. Moore & Co., contractors for the harbor improvements, on Friday last received notice from the Public Works Department at Ottawa, to stop the work of dredging the basin of the harbor, which was at once done. No reason is assigned for this order, but it is supposed the appropriation has been exhausted. The construction of the breakwater is still continued, and two of the dredges are still working filling in the cribs, but the other two are idle. It is not expected, of course, that the basin will be left in its present condition for any great length of time, but it is sincerely to be regretted that the work is to be delayed, as it was expected that it would be brought nearly to completion this season. We hope that the work will not be long delayed, as it would be unfortunate for the work itself as well as for the town, if the basin was left in its present unfinished condition during the remainder of the season.

A PLEASANT GATHERING.—An ice cream social in aid of the funds of the Sunday School of North St., Methodist Church, was held in the lecture room last Tuesday evening. A very fair number seated themselves at the tables, and seemed to greatly enjoy the cooling refreshment provided. About 9 o'clock the audience made an adjournment to the church proper, where a lecture on "British Columbia" was delivered by the Rev. Manly Benson, of Stratford. The lecture was an exceedingly interesting one, Mr. Benson picturing very vividly the angry storm at sea, the inhabitants of the country, peculiarities of the natives, vastness of extent, beauty of scenery, &c., and enumerating several spicy and humorous incidents which came under his own observation. The Rev. lecturer was listened to with a great deal of attention and pleasure, speaking for about an hour. Before the audience was dismissed with the benediction, Rev. Mr. Henderson, pastor of the church, presented Miss Barnes, on behalf of the Trustees and S. School, with an envelope containing $50, as an expression of the appreciation of her services, so freely and frequently given on every occasion when required, as organist of the Sabbath School and vocalist in the church choir. Miss Barnes replied "by proxy," Mr. Thomson, leader of the choir, acknowledging the substantial gift, and thanking her friends therefor. We have not learned what was the amount realized.

MARKET NEWS.—For the week ending Tuesday, the arrivals at this port numbered 23 vessels and departures, 22. Two cargoes, about 200 tons, of coal, and three cargoes of lumber were among the receipts.

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION.—The Algebra paper in the recent Intermediate examination in the High School was considered so severe by the examiners that a protest was sent to the Education al Department, which had the effect of procuring a reduction in the percentage of marks necessary to pass.

COUNTY OF HURON DIRECTORY.—We are in receipt of this lately issued work. The publishers, Messrs. Crabbe & Brownell, of Kincardine. The work is neatly gotten up, contains a vast amount of information valuable to business men of all kinds. A very complete index to the inhabitants of the County is given, with interesting information respecting the various towns and villages. It also gives the License Act, the Voters' Act, postal and customs information, a long list of various Government officials, &c., &c. It is a work which every person doing business in Bruce County should possess, and is valuable as a book of reference.

JUDGE'S CRIMINAL COURT.—John Moore, a tall, lank tramp, was brought before Judge Toms on Saturday, charged with an indecent assault on Ellen Holliday, a little girl about ten years of age. The little girl lives in Colborne, and was going to school when prisoner met her and made indecent proposals to her; she ran away to a near neighbor who at once sent a constable in quest of the prisoner. After hearing the evidence the Judge deferred sentence till the 20th inst. John McPhail pleaded guilty to larceny of a pair of boots from Henry Oesmers who lives on the flats. Mr. Cameron produced certificates of previous good conduct, and the Judge sentenced prisoner to one month at hard labor. The boys John Scallion and Richard Kelley were up for stealing money from M

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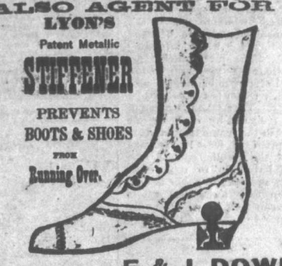

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WM WELSH,

WEST STREET.

The Clinton Mystery.

WILD EVIDENTLY LEAVES THE COUNTRY.

HIS COAT REFORMS FOUND.

WHICH REPORT PROVES TO BE A HOAX.

A correspondent writing to a contemporary regarding the disappearance of Jesse Wild, says —

"The inhabitants of our usually quiet town were thrown into a state of great excitement on the morning of the 19th inst., caused by the fragments of a dirty shirt front, with some small stains of blood on it, an old hat and paper collar, with a young man's name wrote on it with a lead pencil, being found on the G. T. RR., about one mile east of the station. The supposed corpse is missing. News was brought to our City father. He said, "It must be murder," and had the town bell rung with great fury. Men, women and children ran in all directions, in great excitement, calling, "where is the fire?" Our City Father mounted the hand-stand, and with great difficulty was heard say, "It is not fire; it's murder! And here is good proof of foul play," showing the articles found. "Now, I want you all to come and hunt for the body." About this time the Town Constable was seen with head and shoulders above the crowd, and a pair of iron cuffs in each hand. All being ready, over five hundred started for the woods. Every place was hunted high and low. The search continued all day, without the slightest mark of success, and most all returned home at night crestfallen. Through the day several arrests were made by Paisley. Two poor Indians, who happened to be looking on in great astonishment at the excited crowd, had a narrow escape of being lynched, and two tramps, who were found washing their shirts in the river for want of a change, and some five or six others, were all locked up and tried before His Worship, but all were set free. A more wild and excited crowd I have never seen, and I think will never see again."

"The supposed murdered man was last seen making good headway down the railway track for the Centennial, large carpet bag in hand. It is supposed that Wild had got into some unfortunate love affair, and that this was the principal object he had in view in suddenly going off. His parents, brother, sister, and two of the daughters of Mrs. Shaw have been examined before the Mayor and Mr. W. W. Farran. They made candid answers to the questions put to them, as follows:—No, idea was entertained by any of them that he was going away; he had insured his life for $2,000; he appeared to be very downcast and melancholy; he took with him from home an extra shirt; just before he started for Clinton his brother killed a chicken for him, which he said he wanted to make soup with; his mother especially noticed his reserved and melancholy appearance, and questioned him on the subject, but got no satisfactory answer; he had about $30 in money with him; he has two brothers in Michigan, one in Huntingdon, near Montreal, and one in Nova Scotia; none of the witnesses, except the brother, who is about 16 years of age, entertained the idea that he was foully dealt with." Doubtless the missing man will be heard from by and bye."

All manner of rumors have been afloat regarding the affair, and one report had it that Wild had been seen at Sarnia. The following telegram appeared in Friday's *Globe* :—

"The body of the young man, Jesse Wild, who mysteriously disappeared from Clinton last Monday morning, has been found in the river, near the salt works. How the body came to be there is yet a mystery. It is said there are marks of violence on it, as if deceased had been the victim of foul play. But the fact that deceased took so affectionate a farewell of the girls at his boarding house gives rise to a suspicion that he may have committed suicide. The general belief in the neighborhood is that deceased has been murdered by some person or persons following the circus. A couple of Indians, who say they followed the circus from London to Goderich, were in custody for several days on suspicion, blood having been found on their shirts; but they have now been discharged, as no direct evidence was shown against them."

This latter report brought news to many of the Clinton people, and they are now anxious to find out the author of this canard. No trace has really yet been found of the young man.

The Mother's Lament.

CONTRIBUTED.

Did I not love thee, oh! too well,
Loved thee more than words can tell.
Thou art gone away to that better land,
And with angels are roving hand in hand.

Thou wert fairer far than all the rest;
Say was it right to love thee best.
Oh! it was hard with thee to part,
In truth it well nigh broke my heart.

Sad was the day thou wert taken away
Under the dark, cold earth to lay;
Many and bitter were the tears I shed,
My child, when I learned that thou wert dead.

All I have left to remember thee now
Is a golden tress off thy infant brow;
Thou art not dead but gone before,
Soon, soon to thee I hope to soar.

The flowers o'er thy grave are growing,
And close beside the rivulet's flowing.
Thou art better, happier now above,
Where all is peace and joy and love.

On Thursday evening, twenty volunteers returning to their homes in Point St. Charles, from drill in Montreal; were attacked by roughs, and a number of them injured by stones thrown.

BIRTHS.

In Goderich, on the 15th inst., the wife of Mr. W. H. McFadden, of a son.

DIED

In Dungannon, on the 16th inst., Clara J. oldest daughter of Mr. R. Clendenning, aged 14 years and 4 months. Drowned in Lake Superior, near Houghton, Mich., Patrick Mahony, aged 22 years.

THE MARKETS

GODERICH, July 18, 1876.

Gold	1.11½.	Salt, per bbl	90 to $1.00
retail; wholesale	70 to 80.		
Wheat, (Fall) ⅌ bush.(new)	$0 97	@	1 00
Wheat,(Spring) ⅌ bush....	0 90	@	0 95
Flour,(per bbl).....	5 50	@	5 00
Oats, ⅌ bush.....	0 30	@	0 32
Peas, ⅌ bush.....	0 62	@	0 64
Barley, ⅌ bush.....	0 45	@	0 50
Potatoes, ⅌ bush.....	16	@	0 20
Hay per ton.....	9 00	@	10 00
Chickens.....	0 03	@	0 12½
Butter, ⅌ lb.....	0 15	@	0 16
" Roll.....	15	@	16
Eggs, ⅌ doz (unpacked)..	0 11	@	0 12½
Beef.....	4 50	@	6 00
Pork.....	6 00	@	8 00
Hides.....	3 50	@	4 00
Wood.....	2 00	@	2 50
Wool.....	22	"	24

CLINTON, July 18, 1876

Wheat, (Fall) per bush..	$0 95	@	1 00
Wheat, (Spring) per bush	0 90	@	0 95
Flour, (per bbl).....	5 00	@	5 50
Oats, per bush.....	25	@	27
Peas, per bush.....	60	@	65
Barley, per bush.....	0 40	@	0 45
Potatoes, per bush	0 20	"	0 25
Butter	0 15	"	0 16
Eggs, per doz. (unpacked)..	0 10	"	0 10
Beef	4 50	"	6 00
Hay	8 00	"	9 00
Sheep skins.....	1 00	"	1 50
Hides.....	3 50	"	4 00

SEAFORTH July 18, 1876.

Wheat, (Fall).....	$0 95	"	1 00
Wheat, (Spring) per bush....	0 90	"	0 95
Flour, (per bbl).....	5 50	"	6 00
Oats, per bush.....	0 25	"	0 28
Peas, per bush	0 60	"	0 65
Barley per bush	0 44	"	0 45
Potatoes per bush.....	0 10	"	0 15
Butter, ...	0 15	"	0 16
Eggs, per doz. (unpacked)....	0 10	"	0 10

New Advertisements.

TO DEBTORS.

BEING ABOUT TO LEAVE GODERICH

the first of August

all parties indebted to me are requested

To settle their Accounts

BY THAT DATE.

All accounts not settled, either by note or cash, on that day, will be put into court for collection.

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1535-4

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1535-4

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OTTAWA, 7th April, 1876.

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J. JOHNSON,

1515-3m Commissioner of Customs.

Cornwall Canal Enlargement.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Secretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for the Cornwall Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails, on WEDNESDAY, the FIFTH DAY OF AUGUST NEXT, for the formation of a new entrance—south of the present one—at the lower end of the Cornwall Canal, embracing the construction of two Locks, Waste-weir, &c.

The works will be let in one section, as indicated on the map of that part of the line, which, together with plans and specifications of the various works, can be seen at this office, and at the office of the Canal Superintendent, Cornwall, on and after FRIDAY, the TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF JULY (INSTANT), at either of which places printed Forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted bank cheque, or other readily available security, for the sum of FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS, must accompany each Tender, which shall be forfeited, if the party tendering declines or fails to enter into con ract for the works when called upon to do so, at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque or money thus sent in, will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required on real estate, or by deposit of money, public or municipal securities, or bank stocks, to the amount of five per cent. on the bulk sum of the contract, of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the works

To each Tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the contract.

This department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order.

F. BRAUN,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works, OTTAWA, 15th July, 1876. 1535 c.

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Goderich, July 14, 1876.

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1. My first an interjection is,
Somewhere, perhaps, you've met it;
My second a direction is,
Familiar to the sailor;
My third one every man is,
In prompting, or in [illegible]

My whole behold in rushing on
With wild resistless force!
No voice can [illegible] my son
Is [illegible]
Yet greatly [illegible] the [illegible]
By skilful [illegible]

CONVUNDRUM.

Why is a bee-hive like a spectator?
Ans. [illegible]

1. I am a word of five letters; cut off my tail, I am painful to [illegible]; cut off my head, I am a [illegible] flower; drop a consonant and transpose, I am dug out of the earth. My whole is a Canadian town.

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3. Regular. 4. On a tin car.
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CHARADE—1. Wilkie. 2. Ochotsk. Boot-jack.

DECAPITATIONS—1. Adieu, tent, and. 2. Water, ear, tuber. 3. Sector, [illegible] [illegible]

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WAR AND COMMERCE.—It is urged by some that English trade has gained largely by the Franco-German war, and that she has been serving both belligerents to the great advantage of her commercial interest; but official statements prove that such has not been the case. But it is true that the sales of the "Canadian Pain Destroyer" are rapidly increasing, and gaining the confidence of the public, for curing coughs, colds, rheumatism, neuralgia, summer complaints, &c. For sale by all Druggists and country dealers. Price 25 cents per bottle.

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County of Huron, } By virtue of a writ of Fieri
To Wit: } Facias issued out of Her Majesty's County Court of the County of Huron, and to me directed against the Lands and Tenements of John Curry, Defendant, to the suit of James Thom, Plaintiff, I have seized and taken in execution all the right title and interest of the said defendant of in and to lot number twenty-two, in the eleventh concession of the Township of Tuckersmith in the County of Huron, which Lands and Tenements I shall offer for sale, at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on Saturday, the twenty-second day of July, at the hour of twelve of the clock, Noon.

ROBERT GIBBONS, Sheriff of Huron.

Sheriff's Office, Goderich, }
April 14th, 1876. } 1522

Sheriff's Sale of Lands.

County of Huron, } By virtue of a Writ of Fieri
To Wit: } Facias issued out of Her Majesty's County Court of the County of Huron, and to me directed against the Lands and Tenements of James Johnston, Defendant, at the suit of Addison Worthington, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the Defendant of, in and to the North half of lot number thirty-five, in the first concession of the Township of Grey, in the County of Huron, which Lands and Tenements I shall offer for sale, at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on Saturday the thirteenth day of August next, at the hour of twelve of the clock, noon.

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Sheriff's Office, Goderich, }
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H. COOKE.

Goderich, May 12, 1876.

CUTS AND SIDS.

[illegible]

A Pike lady fainting in Church with a chemic fire question to mention.

What species of love is that which is [illegible]

[illegible] Y. M. C. A. it means 'you may call again.'

It is given on the authority of a New Orleans paper that Adam is dead. He died [illegible] the [illegible] last Sunday.

An Irishman having been told that the price of bread had been lowered, exclaimed: "Bud is the first time I ever [illegible] at the foot of my last loaf!"

"Yaas, bud do it yourself that can be either fishy, no how fishy sticks becomes I." "In troth I can. Don't they hold them in could ovens, to be sure?"

Irate Landlady (warmly)—"Really, sir, this amounts been a running account! Remember, Madam (coolly)—"Running, ma'am! Then, perhaps, it would be as well to let it rest a bit!"

[illegible] Eleven [illegible] Bachelors of Arts at Elmira. Now, let them turn about, and go for the arts of bachelors, as well.

"You must have lived here a long time," said a travelling Englishman to an Oregonian. "Yes, sir, I have. Do you see that mountain? Well, when I came here that mountain was a hole in the ground."

Richard Grant White says there is no such thing as "in our midst," but we would like to know a place where he would locate the pain that makes paregoric a popular beverage among the young.

A minister travelling through the Westcomes vicinity asked an old lady on whom he called what she thought of the doctrine of total depravity. "Oh," she replied, "I think it is a good doctrine, if the people would only set up to it."

In the examination of an Irish case for assault and battery, counsel, on cross-examining the witness, asked him what they had to eat at the first place they stopped at. He replied, "Four dishes of tea." "What next?" "One glass of brandy." "What next?" "A [illegible]"

A dealer in cheap hatted a chestnut peddler with the query, "Have you got chestnut in your wagon?" "Yes, sir," said the expectant driver, stopping the horses. "That's right," observed the hatter, with an approving nod, "keep the fruit, and people will respect you!" and he hurried on, much to the regret of the peddler, who was getting out of the wagon to look for a brick.

They had a good deal of trouble with the Aztec woman attached to Barnum's circus in Providence. It seems she wanted her salary raised to $7 a week, but they told her if they did it she would also be obliged to appear as the Siberian mammoth, and she said she would go back to her scalp first, and take in washing again at two shillings a day, and they were obliged to compromise by bringing her out as the fascinating Odalisque of the Orient.

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Scalloped Veal—Chop cold cooked veal fine; put a layer in a baking dish, alternated with a layer of powdered crackers, salt, pepper and butter, until you fill the dish. Beat up two eggs, add a pint of milk; pour it over the veal and crackers. Cover with a plate and bake half an hour. Remove the plate and let the top brown.

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Strawberry Blanc Mange—For a quart of strawberries take four ounces of white sugar; crush the strawberries with a silver spoon; mix them well with the sugar. In four hours strain through a sieve. In a pint of boiling milk dissolve two ounces of gelatin, add it to four ounces of sugar, strain through a bit of muslin, and mix with it one and one-fourth pints of cream, stir till nearly cold, and add the strawberries gradually, beating the two quickly together, then drop in, a little at a time, the juice of one lemon. Butter a mould, pour the mixture in, and set in a cold place over night.

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