

DARING ATTACK ON A YOUNG WOMAN.

Toughs on the Mountain Side Are Getting Bolder and More Fearless Than Ever.

Mountain People Want Gang Broken Up Before More Serious Crimes Are Committed.

The mountain road near James street was the scene of another daring attack on a respectable young woman on Saturday night.

The mountain residents along the brow, who have to make frequent trips up and down the roads and steps, are greatly worked up over the operations of the gang that has been terrorizing women along the roads for the last six or seven weeks.

NEW YORK FINANCIERS BEGIN THE WEEK IN HOPEFUL MOOD.

British, French and German Opinion of Situation ---Run on Small Banks.

New York, Oct. 28.—Fortified by the remedial plans adopted on Saturday for the protection of New York's supply of currency, financiers began the new business week in a hopeful frame of mind.

Confidence in London. London, Oct. 28.—The confidence felt here in the general soundness of the financial situation in the United States was further evidenced at the opening of the stock exchange this morning.

Lines of depositors remained in front of the doors of the Lincoln Trust Co., and the Trust Co. of America despite the heavy rain which fell throughout the night.

At the Northern Bank, a State institution, at 893 Broadway, there were 60 persons in line at the opening hour.

Loan Certificates. Boston, Oct. 28.—As a precautionary

GRIMSBY MUCH EXCITED OVER "SCALE" IMPORTATION.

Five Car Loads of Infected Pears Have Arrived From United States.

Grimsbly is in a state of excitement. The fruit growers there have spent thousands of dollars fighting the San Jose Scale and are determined that the pest shall not be imported in car loads from the United States if they can prevent it.

The Grimsbly Canning Company has just about completed the local pack, but has been trying to get outside fruits to keep things running. On Friday it succeeded in securing five cars of pears from the United States.

It is the general belief of people along the mountain top that there is a bad gang working there, that should be promptly run down by the police before some more serious crime is committed.

The case of Dr. Olmsted, who was sandbagged on Upper James street one night last week, looks as if it might be the work of the same crowd, and it is suggested that the gang is probably responsible for a number of small robberies that have been committed around the city within the last month or so.

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London, Oct. 28.—The United States secured all the bar gold offered today in the market, totalling nearly \$5,000,000. The price paid was \$18.50. This is 10 cents higher than previous quotations, indicating the keenness of the competition.

London Optimistic. London, Oct. 28.—While the sensation mongers here and in other European capitals have seized on the crisis in New York to discredit American finance and financial methods, there is a strong note of optimism in more reliable and saner quarters.

Paris, Oct. 28.—The prevailing opinion in financial circles here is that the worst phase of the crisis in New York is over, if it does not extend to the interior of the country.

What Berlin Thinks. Berlin, Oct. 28.—The violent financial squall in the United States is regarded here as having passed as quickly as it came up.

To Reform Corporations. Chicago, Oct. 28.—A despatch from Indianapolis says: During a conversation at a dinner at the Columbia Club last night, Federal Judge Peter S. Grosscup,

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CANADA AHEAD.

Doing More Business With Newfoundland Than the States.

Ottawa, Oct. 28.—Canada's trade representative in Newfoundland in a report to the Department of Trade and Commerce says that the increase in Canadian trade with the colony for the year ending June last was \$147,159 over the previous year.

DOWNS VS. H. & D. DISMISSED. Toronto, Oct. 28.—(Special).—Chief Justice Falconbridge gave judgment this morning dismissing the action of Downs against the Hamilton & Dundas Railway Co.

This was a personal injury case tried at the last sittings here.

COPPER JUMPS. Montreal, Oct. 28.—Copper Metal jumped three pounds ten shillings for spot and three pounds fifteen shillings for futures, which is considered one of the potential factors in the betterment of the financial situation in Europe.



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Had a Throat Trouble and Decided to Have the Operation, But Heart Failed Him at Door of Institution.

William H. Magee, a marble polisher for H. N. Thomas, York street, on Saturday deceased was around town and told his friends that he was going to the hospital on Tuesday morning to undergo the operation.

The operation which the deceased was to have undergone was not a serious one and he had not regarded it as such himself.

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The Flatt park is not flat.

If I were you I wouldn't bank much on your York Loan money.

The Neilligan charges must be nearly outlawed by this time.

But how is the city going to stop the quarrying on the mountain? Buy out Mr. Webb?

Of course, when we hear of a man being sandbagged, suspicion points to the sandnucker.

The Montreal newspapers are now explaining to their sporty readers how it happened that the "best" team got beaten. But the explanation is not very satisfactory.

We will have little cause for thankfulness on Thanksgiving Day if the fortune of war goes against us in the struggle with Toronto's invading forces.

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It is not pleasant to reflect that those neglected wives who appear before the Police Magistrate from time to time with complaints against their husbands were once happy, blushing brides.

While cheering for the Tigers don't forget to talk up the ward system and honest government.

Although well supplied with thirsty citizens, Hamilton lays no claim to being the drunkenest city in Canada.

After the battle is over it will be time enough to count the dead. But I fear me for the Queen's Own.

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THEY AGAIN CHARGE CITY WITH HOLD-UP.

Solicitors of the Electric Railways Flay Aldermen Over Tactics They Pursue.

Department Has No Intention of Cleaning Out Other Filtering Basin This Fall.

Gibson, Osborne, O'Reilly & Levy, solicitors for the several electric railways controlled by the Dominion Power & Transmission Company, have sent another caustic letter to City Clerk Kent, in which they flay the aldermen for the hold-up methods pursued in dealing with the companies over the double tracking of Main street from James street east-

As has already been intimated to the city verbally, we now desire on behalf of the company to place on record in connection with the closing up of the agreement between the city and the different railway companies interested in the double tracking of Main street, that the provision put into the agreement requiring the railways to pave the entire width of Main street, from James to Hughson streets, from between two feet outside the track and the curb, is on its face a very unjust exaction for the city to have made, and would not have been listened to by the railway corporations interested but for the exigencies of the situation.

The new chemical wagon for the Fire Department arrived yesterday afternoon and was taken to the Central Fire Station, where it is now housed. The Chief made a test this morning and it worked like a charm. It is a red wagon, and is built on the new style, with a low box and gear.

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FIRE DID \$15,000 DAMAGE AT CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

Large Warehouse on MacNab Street and Its Contents Destroyed by Fire.

A fire which started yesterday morning in the Canadian Co-operative Concern, Limited, MacNab street south, did \$15,000 damage before it was finally extinguished. The alarm was turned in by the police, who saw the flames at 2.35 a. m., and the department quickly responded.

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et intention of proceeding with the work of cleaning out the northern filtering basin this fall. All it intends doing is to proceed with the repairing of the dredge, so as to have it in shape. The city has spent nearly \$17,000 this year, with a view to getting the basins cleaned, including the capital cost of the dredge. The sucker, it will be remembered, had just completed the southern basin when it was so badly damaged by fire as to be put out of business. It will cost about \$2,800 to repair it. In some quarters it is thought this work could be done cheaper if allowed to stand over until spring. Chairman Clark does not see it in that light, however, and is determined that the dredge shall be repaired, overhauled or no overhaul. It is expected that it will be necessary to employ a watchman during the winter. Mayor Stewart thinks it could be jacked up on the middle road until spring.

It is likely application will be made at the City Council meeting to-night by L. Berowitz and Nicholas Erdos, who are interested in establishing a school here to teach foreigners the English language, for a grant towards assisting the work. Mayor Stewart is an enthusiastic supporter of the scheme and has promised to give it his hearty support. He thinks it is one of the best things Hamilton could do for these foreigners to teach them the English language. It is not expected that there will be any difficulty getting the use of two rooms in the old Custom House.

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AND IT WAS.

The best football story ever put out in "an extra," was what hundreds said on Saturday, after reading the Times extra. Their judgment was good.

FOR THANKSGIVING.

New cider, refined cider, oysters, wild ducks, turkeys, ducks, chickens, pigeons, cranberries, new table raisins, nuts, figs, dates, snow apples, sweet potatoes, pears, grapes, bananas, oranges, Malaga grapes, comb and extracted honey, square cream and Neufchatel cheese, oyster cocktail, haggis, claret. Bain & Adams, 89-91 King street east.

Love and Crime

"But, of course," Sir Roger concludes, "so much will depend on our pioneer, with Lindsay we shall be all right, without Lindsay we shall be all wrong. So much depends on one's pioneer having a practical knowledge, you see."

sensible by the lighting, and the other fellow rode off to the nearest station for help, and when they got back to the other fellow found that the girl and the other fellow were there of them— the fellow was stone dead, and the doctor said he had been strangled, poor devil, as well as struck with lightning, for there were blue bruises and marks of a woman's fingers, the doctor said."

"And the son and the grandson of this man, Marous Lindesay," concludes Mrs. Mallibrane, "are simply what the offspring of such parents would likely be— low, selfish, dishonest—a race whom your father's father renounced as a disgrace to the family name! They did well to change it. It was, indeed, all the atonement they could make! Never let me hear you speak of this person again, nor attempt to allow him to force an acquaintance on you through the condensation and good nature of Lord Glendornoch! If you do, Christabel, Dame Mallibrane says, with an evil fire shining in her eyes, and her voice falling to a husky whisper of vindictive rage, "you will inherit my curse!"

"A curse!" echoes Christabel, but she says no more, and dismisses the matter from her mind till her visit is at an end. When she at last escapes from her grandmother, and is back at St. Cray's Abbey, Dame Mallibrane's words return to her. She broaches the subject while at tea with her father in the earl's favorite room. "Tell me, father," she says, suddenly, "is it not very wicked for one person to curse another?"

Lord Cardonell looks up in mild astonishment. He searches in his mind for a woman's fingers, the doctor said. The gifted narrator of this clearly told story is in trouble with his eyes, as usual and does not observe the effects of his greswome tale for a few moments. When he does he is honestly sorry at the results of his eloquence. Lady Glendornoch has closed her eyes and flung up her hand in horror, but Lady Christabel is gazing at him with distended eyes and parted white lips. "Oh, by Jove! Lady Christabel, I've upset you," he says, penitently. "I'm so sorry. It's a rather tragic story, ain't it? You should have heard Lindsay tell it. By Jove, ha! ha! It would make your very blood run cold."

"And which part did Mr. Lindsay take in this tale of horrors, marquis?" Mrs. Mallibrane asks, smiling, spitefully still, and buttoning her dainty gloves over the small, sinewy hands. "Was it he who rode for the doctor, or ran away with the red-haired girl?" "Roderic Lindsay accompanied the doctor from the nearest township," Sir Roger says quietly, taking the answer on himself. "The unhappy man was a relative of his, who had got among evil associates, and fallen into evil ways. The money of which he was robbed he had only received the day previously to pay the shepherds and stockmen on the station. He was acting as Mr. Keith Lindsay's agent in that place, and Roderic had just paid in two hundred pounds to his account at the bank a few days before. The girl and her accomplice were traced to Melbourne, and the man was arrested there when drunk, but she escaped. She has been traced to Europe, and Roderic Lindsay has followed her, not so much with any idea of delivering her up to justice—for it could not be proved that the unhappy man was murdered—as to obtain from her certain information respecting family affairs, and certain papers belonging to the family estate which she is supposed to possess."

3rd Day of Our Great Hurry-Out Sale. The Price Tickets will be Pink To-morrow. Look for them, they will tell you of wonderful reductions.

Don't Miss This. Hurry-Out Sale of Embroideries and Insertions 5c, 9c, 14c, 19c, 29c yard. 50 cartons of manufacturers' sample ends of Embroidery, ranging from 1 to 15 inches wide, in dainty open eyelet shadow designs, on fine Swiss and Nainsook, also Insertions to match.

Hurry-Out Sale of Blouses and Underskirts. Third Floor. \$5 Silks Waists for \$2.98. \$1.50 Black Satin Underskirts 98c.

Tremendous Reductions in Up-to-Date Dress Goods. For the 3rd Day of Our Hurry-Out Sale. Now and for the third day of our Hurry-Out Sale of Dress Goods, many splendid and up-to-date lines on sale at reckless prices.

Here's a Great Bargain. A Genuine Kimona Snap 14c. Tuesday morning we place on sale 200 yards Imported Twill Cashmerette, dark rich shades, for bath robes and house coats; regular 25c, Hurry-Out Sale 14c.

Hurry-Out Prices from Our Busy Staple Section. Values That Can't Fail to Interest Every Housekeeper. Towels. Hemstitched Huck Towels, extra size, firm, absorbent weave, regular 25c value, for 19c.

Bargains for the Men. Watch for Our Bargains on Tuesday for Men. 25 dozen Boys' Sweaters, good patterns, regular price \$1.50, on sale \$1.25, on sale, 50c.

Hurry-Out Prices in Housefurnishings. Tapestries and Drapery Silks. Over 300 yards of Tapestry and Drapery Silks of various weights, colors and designs, some new conventional designs and a number of quaint old patterns of the best make of tapestry, which cannot be rivalled for effect and durability.

RAILWAYS. GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. Hunters' Excursions AT SINGLE FARE. Now in effect to all points in the "Highlands of Ontario." Tickets valid for return until Dec. 7th, 1907.

THANKS-GIVING. Return Tickets AT SINGLE FARE. GOOD GOING Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 30 and 31. RETURNING until and on Monday, Nov. 4.

T. H. & B. RY. Thanksgiving Day, OCTOBER 31st. For the above excursion tickets will be sold at ONE WAY FIRST CLASS FARE for the round trip, good going October 30th and 31st, good to return to and including November 4th, 1907, between all T. H. & B. Ry. stations, from Toronto to and including Hamilton, and from Hamilton to and including Toronto, and from Toronto to and including Niagara Falls, and from Niagara Falls to and including Toronto, and from Toronto to and including Hamilton, and from Hamilton to and including Toronto, and from Toronto to and including Niagara Falls, and from Niagara Falls to and including Toronto.

BIG GAME SEASON OPENS. Moose New Brunswick. Caribou Quebec. Deer Nova Scotia. Moose only. October 1st. WRITE FOR INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

DOMINION LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS. From Montreal, Portland, Canada, Dec. 7. Dominion, Nov. 2. Dominion, Dec. 14. Kenilworth, Nov. 2. Dominion, Jan. 4. Southport, Nov. 15. Dominion, Jan. 18. Steamers call from Montreal, departing from Quebec, 7.00 p.m.

INSURANCE. THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. Capital and Assets valued at \$108,000,000. Losses settled with PROMPTNESS and LIBERALITY.

WESTERN ASSURANCE Co. FIRE AND MARINE. MARRIAGE LICENSES Phone 2384. W. O. TIDWELL, Agent. 75 James Street South.

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

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TRUE SUCCESS IN SPORT.

The crowd that gathered opposite the Times office on Saturday afternoon to hear the story of the great football game at Montreal read off as the struggle went on, the cheers they gave for the victors, and the eagerness with which they sought the extras containing the full account, showed how keen was the interest felt in the sport and in the success of the home team.

But devotion to the game is not free from danger. We are not now speaking of the chances of physical accidents inseparable from all sports, and which all participating in them must take.

There are other dangers, mostly due to our proneness to run into excesses in our enthusiasm. There is the danger of allowing even the best of sport to interfere with the more serious aims and occupations of life; to absorb too much of our attention, and claim too much of our energy of mind and muscle.

That should be guarded against. There is the danger of becoming so devoted and enthusiastic as to cause us to take undue advantages; to be rough when roughness does not become the true sportsman, and to be less chivalrous toward an opponent than we should be.

It means ruin to them—ruin not only of their fine physique and capacity to win victories in sports; it means ruin socially, morally, intellectually. All human experience stands as a warning against dissipation. Every captain and coach and organizer says "Refrain!"

BORDEN'S BRIBERY BID.

Mr. R. L. Borden, while in the West has been very careful to avoid discussion of the tariff plank of his platform; has in fact, to use the Toronto News' words, "Kept industriously silent about it."

On several other important issues the Vancouver Sunnet says his course has been "one of evasion, equivocation, of 'ifs' and 'platiitudes.'" His entire effort has been to work a little capital out of the Japanese immigration and the subsidy questions.

Mr. Borden's course in the subsidies matter is not creditable to him as a man of candor and honor. The settlement of that question was made at a conference of the Provincial Premiers, and was satisfactory to all but to McBride, and it cannot be gaisned that very liberal allowance was made for British Columbia's exceptional position.

WHAT THE LIBERALS LOSE.

The Vancouver Province seems to have broken entirely away from the Liberal party, and, moreover, it is able to give excellent reasons for its change of mind.—Spectator.

It almost moves one to tears to think of how it must have grieved Walter C. Nichol to "break away from the Liberal party." Perhaps a few extracts from the Vancouver Saturday Sunnet, which will not be accused of partiality toward the Liberal party, will tend to show how the Province is regarded out there.

Last week I said in this column that "the Vancouver Daily Province stands for nothing, instead of being a leader of public opinion, a journal with courage, stamina and virility, it is a servile, spineless laggard behind popular opinion, a jellified adherer to the conditions in which it and its alleged proprietor may find themselves."

The Province has never been known to stand for anything in the interests of British Columbia which seemed, in its pin-headed estimation, to be antagonistic to the C. P. R. Just how long it will be before the C. P. R. realizes the utter weakness and futility of such a rubber-spined advocate, depends upon how soon the astute management of the C. P. R. gives it attention to it.

But this has always been a favorite style of attack with the Province. The knife in the back, the sandbag and the kick below the belt, are the weapons and methods of a paper which has neither independence, decency nor honor. Loyalty is its name. Politically it would and has sold and betrayed its best friends. A journalistic jumping-jack and weather cock, with its ear to the ground or a wet finger in the air, it measures the strength and direction of the coming winds and trims its sails accordingly.

No beating into the teeth of a gale, no sturdy stand for principle, because it is right, does the Daily Province ever make. Better to flout sapiently with a fair wind and current than make a stand for justice, patriotism or journalistic ideals.

A PEACE MEASURE.

Contrary to the expectations of many and in the face of much adverse criticism, the Lemieux Labor Act has been a great success in settling disputes between employers and employees.

Perhaps the reason for this success may be found in the speech delivered by Hon. Mr. Lemieux at a banquet tendered him by his friends in Montreal on the eve of his departure on his mission to Japan, in connection with the Vancouver riots. Of the Act he said:

If, in my capacity as Minister of Labor, I take pleasure in one respect more than another, in my connection with that Department of the Government of Canada, it is in the fact that the keynote of my policy in all its varied relations with the vexed and intricate problems of the relations between labor and capital has been conciliation.

Conciliation, first, last and all the time, has been and remains the watchword of all our efforts and energies in our attempt to diminish the bitterness and moderate the intensity of the unending struggle between these two vital elements of society, and if we have sometimes succeeded in averting evils to the community it has been possible to do so only in this way.

By conciliation we have sought to obtain justice—justice from the beginning of things the highest aim of statescraft. Therefore, conciliation is and shall still be my watchword.

It was conciliation, linked with justice, that settled the Lethbridge miners' strike, the railway men's trouble, the C. P. R. telegraphers' and other differences of the work done through his Act.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Nine to seven: The Tigers have just woke up and got their appetite.

Sorry for you, Montreal, but we had to have that game. The official estimate of Saskatchewan's wheat crop is about 30,000,000. That will make a large loaf of bread.

as a ward politician." And that answer probably explains why Beattie Nesbitt was able to hold up Whitney for a \$8,000 job, which he boldly declares is merely a sinecure—in other words, so much that the people are compelled to pay a ward heeler: to keep him in good humor.

The Tigers II. and Tigers III. are showing excellent form, and their scores on Saturday indicate that there is a great reserve of football talent in this city. They are able now to give some of the senior teams battle.

The Toronto World approvingly quotes a gentleman of scientific attainments as saying of that city's needs: "Pure water is not a luxury; it is an imperative necessity, and in comparison with it, the sewage question becomes altogether secondary." Perhaps the World might in time be led to admit that it is not even secondary to the Hydro power fad.

The earthquakes in Italy have been followed by an eruption of Vesuvius, which has done some damage and added much to the terror of the unfortunate inhabitants threatened with further disaster. It is not improbable that the same subterranean activities which caused the earthquake will account for the volcanic eruption. It is to be hoped that the worst is over.

Toronto's present civic government is anxious to have itself remembered by intimate association with the beginnings of a great \$5,200,000 trunk sewer scheme. Toronto is still more anxious to have the present civic government done with and forgotten or remembered only as a partisan mistake.—Toronto Telegram.

Some cranks are very eager to have all public utilities and their management turned over to the same blundering civic government. Funny, isn't it? We are told that St. Peter's Home may be closed owing to the death of the worthy matron, Miss Chowne. The Home has been a monument to the philanthropic endeavor of the late Father Geoghegan, whose pity for the inebriate sick led him to open the institution and labor gratuitously for many years for its support; and its passing will not be without regret for its founder and for the woman who so unselfishly helped to carry on the good work.

Teachers of Toronto Public Schools bear testimony to the reformatory influence of a pair of spectacles. Although the School Board there is just waking up to the need for medical inspection of the pupils, it seems that in the Elizabeth street school the teachers have been doing a little along that line on their own account, supplying spectacles to scholars whose eyesight was not good, and they have made discovery. It is that a boy who had poor eyesight, and who was both a thief and a liar, upon having his eyes treated and wearing spectacles, lost all his bad habits and became a model pupil. A girl pupil in the same school who was irritable and cranky all day because of the condition of her eyes became a changed being after wearing a pair of spectacles for a short time. Our School Board will please take notice.

HERE AND THERE.

Montreal Herald:—The ounce of bitter in the pound of sweet is the inability of the Toronto Mail to hold Sir Wilfrid Laurier responsible for the Wall Street smash.

Ottawa Free Press:—Corn looks like the one best crop. A chiroplastist is using a man for \$25,000 with a good show of getting it.

Toronto News:—The politics of London town are mixed, you will agree. With Hyman in St. Petersburg, and Gray across the sea.

Montreal Star:—Women's skirts are going to be shorter this winter, but let us hope that this does not apply to the skirts being worn by the chorus girls.

London Advertiser:—Of course, it is one thing to prohibit the defilement of water courses and another to devise other means for the disposal of sewage.

Toronto News:—Socialism opposes the piling up of money. One's grocer, in these days of high prices, must be a Socialist.

Saskatoon Phoenix:—Vancouver seems to have stopped worrying about the valley peril since Borden left. Maybe the whole trouble was engineered in anticipation of his visit.

Kingston News:—Talk of this being a land of plenty—with bread at 4 cents a pound, meat at 15c, butter at 30c, milk at 7c a quart and coal at 70c!

St. Thomas Journal:—Toronto students created a row on a Hamilton street car. People from Toronto, of course, naturally think that it is what street cars are for—in Hamilton.

London Tribune:—Study of Henry George may not convert one to the single tax, but it cannot fail to leave an abiding impression that the taxation of land values is a natural tax at present deliberately evaded to the community's loss.

THE NEWS ANSWERED. Commenting on the Toronto News' remark that Hon. Mr. Graham in all his tour of inspection "would not see a Conservative holding down an Intercolonial Railway job," the Moncton Transcript says: "If the Minister desires to see Liberals holding I. C. R. jobs, he had better postpone his trip until the gravel trains are in operation; then visit the ballast pits and see his party supporters shovelling earth. A story is told in this connection that carries with it a lot of truth. A Liberal M. P.—one of the solid eight—was standing on the Truro depot platform when a swell train carrying a lot of I. C. R. officials and uniformed employees swept by. A friend remonstrated with the M. P. over the fact that only Tories were on the train and asked why in several years of Liberal rule at Ottawa, Liberals had not been given positions. "Oh!" the M. P. answered, "you will see the Grit voters in a few minutes. Just wait until the tallest train comes along." Providing the Liberals are in power for eleven years more maybe some Liberals may be holding down good jobs on the I. C. R.

but they are now as scarce as hen's teeth, and if there are any they were there in some capacity under the Tories and were then as good Tories as we were going, the kind there were when Sir H.B. Tupper declared that every official in the County of Picton voted Tory. No Tories on the I. C. R. Well the Toronto News is an ignorant of I. C. R. matters as old Balaam was of the mind of the Lord.

THIRTEENTH AT CHURCH.

Good Turnout for a Rainy Sunday Morning.

Rev. Beverley Ketchen Gives a Plain Talk to Men.

Influence of a Clear Life on Present and Future.

Owing to the inclement weather, the parade of the 13th Regiment to MacNab Street Presbyterian Church yesterday morning was a rather slim one, there being 305 men in line, but the 305 men made a good showing, even though they did get wet. The address given by Rev. Beverley Ketchen was earnest and forcible, and was greatly appreciated.

He based his remarks on the word of God, and the experiences of men. He wished it understood that he did not want to give them a sermon, just a heart to heart talk. Mr. Ketchen asked the men if they were satisfied with the life they were leading. To be satisfied meant that one is contented to go on in his own little way, without looking to see if there was something that he might do to help the cause of God. Not many people realize what influence their own life has over others, and how they may come in contact with them.

No matter what position one may hold, whether it be in the shop or the office, his influence, whether good or bad, has a great deal to do with the moulding of other men's characters. Mr. Ketchen said he was glad to see that there were many men in the 13th who were trying to live clean and wholesome lives, and he asked the question as to those who might not be living quite up to the right standard, "Are you doing right by yourself as well as to others." Canada is certainly the place for young men, this is the age for young men, as can be seen by the number of responsible positions that are held by them—positions that in days gone by were entrusted to men with long experience. For that reason it is necessary that the future of Canada be placed in safe hands, so that this country may prove a blessing to other countries as well as to itself.

Mr. Ketchen was of the opinion that many of the young men of this age do not realize the harm they are doing to the future generations, when they say they are going to have a good time while they are young, or when they sow their wild oats. It has been shown time and again that when men will corrupt themselves the seed of corruption stays with them to the third and fourth generations, so that when one man says he is going in for a time, he should stop and consider that the harm he will cause in the future. The spirit of chivalry should make us keep from doing unclean things, that will reflect on our characters later in life.

During the service, Mr. Edwin Skedden sang "Fear Ye Not, O Israel." At the return of the regiment to the Army, Col. Moore complimented the men for turning out under such disagreeable conditions, and announced that the orders for the Thanksgiving Day sham fight would be issued on Monday or Tuesday, and that they would be in the papers on either night. The parade state was: Lieut. Col. Moore, Capt. Carter, Surgeon, Staff Sergeants 6, Buglers 27, D 25, E 26, F 23, G 21, H 34; total, 305.

DUNDAS FUNERALS.

Old Residents of the Town Go to Their Long Home. Dundas, Oct. 28.—The funeral of the late John Enright took place this morning and was largely attended. The services were held at St. Augustine's Church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. M. S. Wilson, Charles Wilson, A. S. Cain, Wm. Lunn, James Hourigan and Wm. Lawson. Deceased was one of the well known residents of Dundas, and was in the 73rd year of his age. He was born in Limerick, Ireland, and came to Canada in 1851, and located in Dundas. In his early days he learned the trade of a carriage trimmer, and after working at it in a number of places in Canada and the United States, he permanently located here in the hotel livery business in partnership with his brother, William. The hotel business was given up years ago, but the livery business he conducted until three or four years ago. The firm was one of the pioneers in the shipping of horses to the northwest, a business they successfully carried on for many years. Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. James Murray, of Smithville, his wife predeceasing him about three years ago. Two sisters also survive him, and one brother—Mr. Patrick Enright, of Greensville. The sisters are Mrs. John Kenin and Miss Enright, both of Dundas. Deceased was very highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends, and was a successful business man.

A former well known citizen of Dundas was laid at rest in Grove Cemetery here on Friday afternoon in the person of Mrs. John Enright. Deceased was second daughter of the late Edwin Woodhouse, the old time venerable clerk of the town. After her marriage they removed to Walkerton, where they lived for some time, subsequently moving to Hamilton, where they ended their days. Mr. Enright dying some three years ago. She was in her 60th year, and is survived by one adopted daughter.

In the Times' report of the High School entertainment on Friday evening there were two omissions; one that Mrs. George Pilgrim very acceptably presided at the banquet, and gave the piano during the evening; the other that at the close of the entertainment a number of High School pupils and some of their

Our Great Month End Sale Will Last Two Days More

Every department making offers of goods at reduced prices that should interest you.

10 and 12 1/2 Grey Cottons 7 1/2c. Just 1,000 yards grey Cottons, manufacturers' ends of 5 to 10 yards, worth regular 10 and 12 1/2c, Tuesday's price 7 1/2c.

Remnants White Diaper 6 1/2c. Just about 1,000 yards of white Diaper, Manufacturers' Remnants, usual selling price 10 and 12 1/2c, sale price 6 1/2c.

30 to 45c Sheetings 25c. White Cotton Sheetings, 72 to 90 inches wide, manufacturers' Remnants that sell regular at 30 to 45c, Tuesday's sale price 25c.

\$2.00 Kid Gloves 98c. Long 12 button Kid Gloves in Suede colors, grey and white, regular \$2, Tuesday 98c.

45 and 50c Ringwood Gloves 25c. Ladies' Ringwood Gloves, an assorted lot of all kinds that sold at 45 and 50c, on sale Tuesday 25c.

Ladies' Umbrellas 49c. Ladies' or Children's Rain Umbrellas, fast black top, dainty handles, good value for 85c, Month End Sale price 49c.

75c and \$1.00 Shirts 49c. Men's Colored Dress Shirts and heavy Wool Working Shirts, that are value for 75c and \$1.00, Tuesday's price 49c.

\$4.00 Silk Waists \$2.99. 36 only Silk Waists, in cream and colors, odd lots, worth \$4.00, we have bunched them together all one price \$2.99.

25c Pillow Cotton 15c. 44-inch White Pillow Cotton, English made, circular, regular value 25c, Tuesday morning price 15c.

Great Lace Display at 2 1/2c. 10,000 yards of White Cotton Lace, not one piece worth less than 10c, the bulk of them a good deal more; this lot will go on display Tuesday morning at 2 1/2c.

\$1.75 English Honeycomb Quilts \$1.19. Heavy English Honeycomb Quilts, fringe all round, ordinary \$1.75 value, for \$1.19.

10c Glass Towelling 5c. 1,000 yards Check Linen Glass Towelling, 16 inches wide, and value regularly for 10c, Tuesday morning price 5c.

Every day the assortment in our great Jacket Department get smaller. Why not come in Tuesday and make your selection while we still have the largest collection of Stylish Garments in Canada and at a good deal less than you can buy the same garments elsewhere.

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friends remained for a time for a very enjoyable dance. Chas. J. Woodhouse, of Erie, Pa., was in town attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Hurrell.

MUST SELL THEIR STOCK. Doukhobors Complain of Peter Verigin's Latest Fad.

Winnipeg, Oct. 26.—A correspondent, writing to the Free Press from Buchanan, Sask., states that the Doukhobors report the latest fad of Peter Verigin to be the issuing of a mandate that all the chickens and sheep must be disposed of at once, and that the herds of cattle must be diminished each year by a repetition of several incidents which occurred several years ago. In one case, some six years ago, during a hard winter, there were cases in which Indians in the far north, crazed by hunger, killed and ate eight other Indians, and whole families starved to death.

But of recent years there are no authentic reports of any such atrocities, although it is known that some tribal customs, such as killing the aged or infirm members of a family, are still kept up in the parts of Kewatin and Ungava where there is no Mounted Police patrol.

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NO CANNIBALISM.

MR. OSBORNE REPUDIATES INTERVIEW REGARDING INDIANS. New York Newspaper Correspondents Were at Their Old Game of Faking Sensational Trash—Old Stories Rehashed.

Ottawa, Oct. 27.—Col. Fred. White, Comptroller of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, is in receipt of a communication from Mr. Osborne, editor of The Fort Frances Times, denying the report credited to him in New York papers to the effect that cannibalism and other atrocities were prevalent among the Indians of the Kewatin district. Ottawa White wrote to Mr. Osborne a few days ago, asking for an explanation of the published interview with him.

In his reply Mr. Osborne states that he never gave any such interview, and that the detailed stories as to cannibalism, etc., are merely a repetition of several incidents which occurred several years ago. In one case, some six years ago, during a hard winter, there were cases in which Indians in the far north, crazed by hunger, killed and ate eight other Indians, and whole families starved to death.

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THE WELAND NOMINATION.

Niagara Falls Man Will Oppose Mr. German. Niagara Falls, Oct. 27.—George Hanan, Alderman and former Mayor, has been asked by the Conservatives of the city to be the party candidate against W. M. German, Liberal, of Welland, at the next Dominion election. Mr. Hanan was selected at the annual meeting of the North End Conservative Association after Mayor Slater had declined the nomination. He did not say whether he would accept the nomination or not. The Conservative party in the county has decided that their next candidate must be a Niagara Falls man, and whoever is chosen by the city convention will be endorsed by the county convention.

BRANTFORD BUSY. Over Five Thousand Hands Employed—Few Men to be Laid Off. Brantford, Oct. 27.—Brantford industries are booming. A canvass on Saturday shows 5,000 hands employed. Manufacturers say a busy season is being experienced, despite the tight condition of the money market and partial failure of the crops. Very few men will be laid off this winter, and the prospects for spring are bright. Factory extensions in some cases are already being planned. These favorable conditions mean much here, where more than one-fourth of the population of 20,000 is employed at factory work.

Dr. Thomas to Preach. Toronto, Oct. 28.—With regard to the pastorate of Bloss Street Baptist Church the decision of the Pulpit Committee at the present is to ask Rev. Dr. D. B. Thomas, former pastor of Jarvis Street Church, to act in that capacity at Bloss Street Church for three months, beginning on the 1st of December. The committee has not agreed upon any candidate for the vacancy and will consider further names.

William E. Ryan, of Toronto, who was injured in an automobile accident at Colborne, had his left leg amputated.

TUESDAY, OCT. 29th, 1907 SHEA'S May Manton Patterns All 10c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR Splendidly heavy fleeced and ribbed vests and drawers, absolutely the best values in the trade in button front vests and ankle length drawers, 25c to sell at per garment, each. WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR AT 50c TO \$1.25. Every best make in the trade is here in stock, and all marked at absolutely the lowest prices it is possible to sell them at, all weights and 50c to \$1.25 all prices, at from.

Women's Waists at \$1.50. Made of a good quality of Cream Lustre, finished with tucks and silk embroidery, tucked back and long sleeves, extra special value \$1.50.

Luster Waists at \$2.00. Made of Cream, Navy and Brown Lustre, hemstitched tucks back and front, tucked collar and cuffs, very neat and stylish, worth more, but our price is \$2.00.

Waists at \$3.75. Navy, Cream and Black Cashmere Blouses, fronts elaborately embroidered in silk, pleated back, 3/4 sleeves, tucked cuffs, a really beautiful waist, at \$3.75.

Knitted Underskirts, a Great Stock. Hundreds of dozens of Ladies' Knitted Underskirts, imported direct from Germany, and some made in Canada. Plain colors and fancy colors. Plain stitch and fancy stitch. We buy direct from the makers and save you the middleman's profit. All most moderately priced at \$0.59, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50.

Tapstry Table Covers. A splendid showing just arrived in beautiful patterns, colorings and designs, our own direct importations and sold to you at very low and reasonable prices \$1.75 and \$3.95.

Window Shades at 35c. At this very nearly impossible price we can still give you a good assortment of Mounted Shades on self-acting rollers, good opaque cloth, white, cream and 2 shades of green; they are really worth 45c, our price 35c.

Corduroy Velvets at 50c. Beautiful shades of green, brown, caramel, most reasonable in price, at per yard 50c.

Velveteens in All Shades. Our well known makes of Velveteens, all wanted shades, a full and complete stock just to hand, and equal value to any we have ever shown, at per yard 25, 50, 75c and \$1.

New Art Sateen. Beautiful qualities of Art Sateen and Pon Silk, at 15, 25 and 29c.

Ladies' Neck Furs. Mink Marmot Ruffs, broad front, wide cape, trimmed with heads and tails, special value at, each \$7.95. Isabella Opossum, a very strong fur, with heavy under fur in stoles, with good front and cape, trimmed with tails, special value at, each \$10.

Isabella Opossum Muffs, flat shape, satin lined, good large size, and extra value at, each \$6.50.

Ladies' Mantles at \$10.00. Made of splendid quality heavy mantle tweeds, and excellent quality of beavers, all made in the very smartest styles, with the newest ideas of trimming and absolutely the best Coat value in Canada at \$10.00. Our clearing sale of Mantle Cloths and cloths for men's wear is still in progress. We advise buying as early as possible.

CHRIST WAS SENSATIONAL

So Were His Apostles, Declares Rev. T. T. Shields.

Fourth Anniversary of Sherman Avenue Church.

Harvest Services in Wesley—Other Special Church Services.

"Jesus Christ was the most sensational preacher that ever lived, and his apostles were sensational preachers, too. They did not come into this world and go out again without letting anyone know it. The tragedy of the cross was the greatest sensation the world ever knew," said Rev. T. T. Shields, of London, in the course of his sermon at the James Street Baptist Church yesterday morning.

All great preachers of history, he declared, were more or less sensational. The services yesterday marked the opening of a mission that will probably last a month. There will be special services each afternoon and evening, and if the attendance yesterday, notwithstanding the unpleasant weather, is an indication the mission will be a big success. Mr. Shields was formerly pastor of Wentworth Street Baptist Church. He is a clear, distinct speaker, with a vigorous style and earnest manner. His theme yesterday morning was a simple exposition of the story of Joseph from the book of Genesis and he drew many lessons and helpful suggestions. The point he sought to drive home was the truth of the conviction that every man and woman needed Jesus Christ, and that this was absolutely essential to salvation. The gospel of Christ, he emphasized, was not some delicate confession or luxury that man could do without, but the bread of life. It was not a summer beverage, but the water of life. At the outset he explained to the congregation the courage and perseverance required to be and continue as soldiers of Christ.

The church was filled to overflowing last evening. Mr. Shields preached a powerful sermon on "The Atonement," and created a profound impression. His text was from Lamentations 1 and 12: "Is it nothing to you all ye that pass by?" In graphic language he depicted Christ's sorrow for sin.

Mr. Shields since has pastorate at the Wentworth Street Church some years ago has had large experience at London, Ottawa and other places.

Sherman Anniversary. Yesterday was anniversary day in the little Presbyterian Church on Sherman avenue. Four years ago it was opened as a mission of Central Presbyterian Church and to-day it has a membership roll of 112.

The services yesterday were conducted by Rev. Dr. Lyle and Rev. W. H. Sedgewick in the morning and evening respectively. Dr. Lyle took for his subject, "The Church in Canada."

Dividing it into two parts, the difficulties and the encouragements of the church, he dealt ably with both branches. The greatest difficulty which faced the church to-day, he said, was the extent of land to be looked after. There were 5,000 miles for the sewers and repairs to take care of and the work was heavy.

Hand in hand with this went the difficulty arising from the sparsely populated parts of the great west. There are many churches, the speaker said, where only a dozen families live near enough to attend church, and a host of these families have a hard time getting along the first year or so, they are unable to support their pastor and his living must come from the Augmentation Fund.

Another difficulty, and in one way the worst of all, is the difficulty of church and creed. Dr. Lyle spoke most emphatically on this subject, pronouncing it a sin and a blot on the name of the church. It was always thus even in Biblical times, for "while one saith, I am of Paul, and another, I am of Apollos, are ye not divided?"

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Dr. Lyle then turned to the brighter side of the church life, showing its encouragements and successes. He spoke of the climax of the great west fields, the many volunteers for the god work, and the great growth of the church in the past. The Presbyterian Church, he said, opens an average of 32 missions a year, or one every week. In conclusion, he spoke words of encouragement to the congregation of Sherman Avenue Church, telling of the steady growth since the day it opened as a mission of Central Church four years ago. The year ago the membership roll was 48, while to-day it is 113.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Sedgewick delivered a very able sermon, taking for his theme, "Drifting Away From God." He likened the sinners of a group of small children, who getting into a boat that is moored to the river bank, happened to snap the moorings, and being caught by the current, are carried out to sea. "We must pay heed to the warnings of God, and never allow ourselves to be drifted away from Him." At the conclusion of the service, Mr. VanVoy called on a group of young men and boys, who had been converted in the revival, which has been sweeping through the east end of the city for the last two weeks.

There were twenty converts present, and they prayed and gave very inspiring testimonies. There were Baptists, Methodists, Episcopians among them, but they all spoke of one thing—the love of Christ and what it had done for them. Last night they added six or seven converts to their list. The young men will hold meetings every night this week at the Baptist Church, except Wednesday, when they will be at Sherman Avenue.

Harvest Home Sunday. Harvest home services were held in Wesley Methodist Church yesterday evening. Rev. Dr. Tovell gave a very appropriate sermon, dealing with the bountiful harvest that Canada has experienced this fall. He said that people should have every reason to be thankful to God that He in His goodness should

INFIRMARY IS HANDED OVER

To Health Association By Colonel Grafton of Dundas.

Speakers Referred in Appreciative Terms To Donors.

Institution Built on Latest Designs in Sanitation and Heating.

The Mountain Sanitarium was the scene of a pleasing ceremony on Saturday afternoon, when, in the presence of a large and representative gathering of those interested in the checking and stamping out of the great white plague, the new Grafton infirmary was officially handed over by one of the donors, Colonel Grafton, of Dundas, to the directors of the Hamilton Health Association. The bright, crisp autumn air was ideal for the drive to and from the sanitarium, and added to the enjoyableness of the occasion. An inspection of the different buildings revealed many pleasant surprises in the way of improvements made since the opening and the splendid condition in which everything was found, reflects the greatest credit on the management of the institution.

OBITUARY.

Death of William A. Hill—Miss Chowne's Funeral.

William A. Hill passed away at the residence of his brother, Sackville Hill, 16 Fairleigh avenue, on Saturday evening after a lingering illness. Deceased was in his 43rd year, and was troubled with heart disease for upwards of ten years. He had been a member of "A" Battery, Kingston; "C" Battery, Victoria, B. C.; Quebec Citadel, and "C" Company of the R. C. R., Toronto. He was unmarried. The funeral took place this afternoon from the residence of his brother.

The funeral services of Miss Lucy Chowne were conducted yesterday afternoon at St. Peter's Home by Rev. Canon Bull, and at St. Peter's Church by Rev. J. W. TenEyck and Rev. S. Daw. The pallbearers were George Lynch-Staunton, R. H. Labatt, H. H. Robertson, Dr. Osborne, D. S. Gillies, E. H. Brown, P. D. Crear and A. O'Heir. The remains were shipped to Elmsdale last evening, and the burial service was conducted by the Bishop of Algoma this morning. Interment was made at Elmsdale.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Armstrong took place yesterday afternoon from the parents' residence, 77 Steven street. Rev. R. J. Treleven officiated.

The funeral of Fred. Smith took place from the residence of William Davis, 162 Locke street north. Rev. F. E. Howitt conducted the last sad rites, and the pallbearers were fellow-workmen of deceased. They were W. Marshall, W. Sheppard, J. Dillworth, J. T. Diamond, H. Larkin and P. Souter.

The remains of Mrs. Beckingham were laid to rest on Sunday afternoon, the funeral taking place from her late residence, 33 Wood street east. The attendance was very large. Rev. James Bracken officiated, and the pallbearers were E. Hollington, J. Potts, T. Smith, E. Beckingham, G. Beckingham and W. Beckingham.

The funeral of John Connor took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Green's undertaking parlors. Rev. Roy Van Weyk conducting the service. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The pallbearers were Messrs. Drevitt, Wiles, Culp, Kinrade, Garrity and Lighthouse.

JUVENILE TEMPLARS.

International Juvenile Temple I. O. G. T. Elects New Officers.

At the regular meeting of International Juvenile Temple, held in the C. O. O. F. Hall on Saturday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing quarter: Ruby Patterson, Past Chief Templar; Dora Statton, Chief Templar; Irene Pearson, W. C. Templar; I. B. W. Macdonald, Secretary-Treasurer; Nellie Rowan, Chaplain; Wallace Dunsmore, Marshall; Jean Wands, Deputy Marshall; Lizzie Smith, Pianist; Edgar Statton, Guard; Alvin Priestland, Sentinel.

Prizes have been offered for the boy or girl who brings in the largest number of candidates during the coming quarter.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

There was a large attendance at the Men's meeting yesterday and a very impressive address delivered by Rev. Mr. Philpott. Mr. Rogers of Boston, sang a solo, and the Y. M. C. A. choir, which was in charge of Mr. D. M. Barton, Mr. Hogarth, chairman of the Religious Work Committee, presided. The speaker for next Sunday will be Rev. T. Albert Moore, Dominion Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. The subject will be "The Workingman's Right to the Weekly Rest Day."

COMPANIES INCORPORATED.

The Domestic Specialty Company, which has long done business in this city, has been incorporated with a capital of \$40,000. Provisional directors, Joshua D. Treeman, Robert C. Stoddard and Harry C. Treeman.

EAST END Y. M. C. A.

The gospel service in East Hamilton Y. M. C. A. had over 90 in attendance yesterday afternoon. A marked increase over the previous Sunday. Rev. J. A. Wilson gave an instructive and helpful address on many things each one should thank God for. Thanks to God was much neglected in these days. He urged all to count their many blessings.

\$75,000 FIRE.

Rome, N. Y., Oct. 28.—The big store house and factory of the Rome Metallic Bedstead Co. was burned to-day. The loss is \$75,000. The store house, which was a wooden structure one story high, 400 feet long and 75 feet wide, contained 15,000 finished beds.

THE FIRE

At 28 MacNab Street South Will not interrupt business except in THE FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

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TO-MORROWS BY-ELECTIONS.

How the Voting in Former Elections in the Three Ridings Stood.

To-morrow by-elections will take place in London, Wellington North and Northumberland East, and those interested in them will be desirous of making comparisons with the results in former elections. For the convenience of readers we give these records:

Table with columns for riding names (Wellington North, Northumberland East, Beamsville) and candidates (Maj., Hyman, Gray, etc.) with corresponding vote counts.

There were over 1,200 votes added to the lists on the recent registration. The by-election is caused by the resignation of Mr. Hyman.

The riding was altered in 1903. The by-election is due to the death of Mr. Martin.

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PROF MOULTON.

Last of His Most Interesting Services of Lectures.

Prof. Richard G. Moulton, M. A., Ph. D., of the University of Chicago, gave his third and fourth lectures of a course under the auspices of the Hamilton Teachers' Institute, on Saturday afternoon in Centenary lecture hall.

The subject of the third address was Shakespeare's "Tempest." This drama, said the speaker, is the most difficult of all Shakespeare's plays to interpret. In it a condition of magic or enchantment is taken for granted. The scene, laid in a desert island, is especially favorable to such a condition. External nature is presented in great profusion, and with much significance. Even the prison is a natural one. This magic or enchantment sunders the law of cause and effect.

In ancient thought, before the unitary law of force was discovered, every manifestation of power was attributed to personality. Hence there were gods of the mountains, of the winds, etc. Christianity did not destroy the heathen gods, but only vanquished them.

Shakespeare never touches tradition without altering it. The fourth division of the elements, by the ancients, earth, air, fire and water, from which

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Our Thanksgiving Sale provides a host of suggestions for the busy housekeeper, intent upon making her Thanksgiving dinner a success and savings as well. Read every word of it, and do your buying to-morrow.

Preserved Ginger in pound jars at 25c each. New Valencia Raisins, 3 lbs. 25c. Old Church Corn, very fine grade, regular 10c can, Tuesday 3 cans for 25c.

3 lb. can of Golden Pumpkin for 10c. 3 lb. can of Delicious Sugar Beets or 12c. 3 cans of Aylmer Peas for 25c.

6 lbs. of good Yellow Sugar for taffy making for 25c. Choice Cleaned Currants 10c lb. Lemon and Orange Peel 17c lb. Heinz Mixed Pickles 15c lb. Gillard's Delicious Relish 20c jar. Heinz Sweet Mixed Pickles 30c quart.

McLaren's Jelly Powder, 3 pkgs. 25c. Prepared Icings 10c pkg. Seasoning in cans for poultry, only 10c can. Cerebos Salt, the very best grade, only 15c can. Celery Salt 10c btl.

Candies. Fresh Humbugs 10c lb. Peppermints, 12c lb. Marabone, 12c lb. Molasses Kisses, regular 20c lb. for 10c.

Fresh Nuts. Peanuts, freshly roasted, large, 20c lb., 2 lbs. 37c. Brilliant Almonds, Grenoble Walnuts, Sicily Filberts, Taragona Almonds, fresh, bright goods, 20c lb., 2 lbs. 37c.

Fine Fruits. Jamaica Grape Fruit, large and thin skinned, exceptional value at 10c each. Jamaica Oranges 20c dozen. Figs, Smyrna Layers, large, choice fruit, 15 and 20c lb. Layer Raisins 20 and 30c lb. Popcorn, large, white, cut, that pops thoroughly, no curls, 10c lb., 3 lbs. for 25c.

Fancy Biscuits. Choice Biscuits from Jacob & Co., Dublin, Ireland. Glacier Wafers 40c lb. Puff Cracknel 50c lb. Cream Chocolate 25c lb. Cream Sandwich 30c lb. Parlor Chocolate, 50c lb. Phillipine 5c per oz.

Tea and Coffee. English Breakfast Tea, in black Ceylon or mixed, delicious flavor, regularly 40c lb., Tuesday only 33c. Java and Mocha Blend Coffee, rich golden, 38c lb.

Hallowe'en Favors. Everything for a Good Night's Frolic. Funnier than ever are the Hallowe'en Favors, vegetable creatures that look so drolly human.

Pumpkin Men, big and little, Carrot Men, Piggies, Fruit Men, Spooks, Ghosts and Jack o' Lanterns. You'll have a good laugh when you see them. 5, 10, 15, 25 up to 75c. Hook It, Crazy Traveler, Aunt Sally, Parlor Quizzes. These are the latest games, only 75c. The new Teddy Bear Game. The funniest game of the season. 25c. Card Games, all the old favorites and many new ones. 10 and 25c.

False Faces, Coons, Chinese, Inrods, Monkeys, Women's and Girls' 1, 3, 5 and 10c each. Moving Chins, with moustache and whiskers. 15c. Animal Faces, Foxes, Dogs, Goats, Cats, Bears, Pigs, Rabbits, Birds, Roosters, Chickens, Lions, Frogs, etc., 15c each. Satin Domino Masks, with curtains for masquerade parties, 10c each.

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A CHANNEL FERRY. WORTH SAVING.

SCHEME APPROVED BY MR. LLOYD-GEORGE.

President of British Board of Trade States That Both Political Parties Are United in Opposition to Tunnel.

London, Oct. 27.—David Lloyd-George, the President of the Board of Trade, has given his warm approval to the proposal for a Channel ferry between Calais and Dover. The idea, which has been before the public for some time, is, briefly, to run the trains at both ports on to huge floating structures somewhat similar in general design to those used for the same purpose in America.

MAY BE NO STRIKE. EFFORTS TO SETTLE BRITISH RAILWAY TROUBLE.

Lloyd-George in Conference With Directors—The Union Begins to Count Its Ballots—Companies Preparing for the Worst.

London, Oct. 27.—Little has transpired regarding the conference between Mr. Lloyd-George, President of the Board of Trade and the railway directors, at which the difficulties between the railroads and their employees were under discussion.

The fact, however, that other meetings are to be held is considered to indicate that common ground was found by the conferees for their discussion.

It is not possible to prophesy what the outcome will be, but the prevailing opinion in London is that there will be no strike between now and Christmas.

WOULD SHOOT THE KING. Man Suspected of Designs on His Majesty's Life.

Newmarket, England, Oct. 26.—The police here today arrested a man suspected of designs on the life of King Edward or the Prince of Wales. The prisoner, who was a member of the Bechuanaland (South Africa) Police, named J. H. Pearce, was found wandering in Chippendale Park, where the King had been shooting this week.

After a preliminary examination in the police court he was remanded for further inquiries regarding his past life. It appears that he participated in the Jameson raid in the Transvaal, and is laboring under the impression that he has a grievance against King Edward, who left Newmarket yesterday and returned to London.

BALES OF GREENBACKS. Were Scattered on the Ground at Ferry in New York.

New York, Oct. 27.—The breaking down of a big automobile loaded with \$1,000,000 drew such a crowd around the entrance to the Grand street ferry today that police reserves had to be called out to keep back the mob and protect the money.

In the automobile were Mr. Rooth, manager of the State Bank of Brooklyn, and a chauffeur. Over the top of the doors of the machine the edges of bales of greenbacks could be seen, and when the front part of the car hit up the packages of money were scattered all over the rear seat, a few falling to the ground.

The sight of the greenbacks started a rush of hundreds to the spot, and when Mr. Rooth announced that the machine carried \$1,000,000 the four policemen on duty at the ferry rushed in to protect the treasure.

A fire boat was moored nearby and the firemen aided in the protection until the chauffeur repaired the machine sufficiently to move on.

DARING SAFE-BLOWING. Montreal Fruit Auction Company's Premises Robbed.

Montreal, Oct. 27.—One of the most daring safe-blowings ever perpetrated in this city was accomplished in the early hours of Saturday morning, in the Montreal Fruit Auction Company's premises at 32 Mountain street. The police say that as a piece of finished work it is one of the finest they have ever seen.

Apparently there were three attempts before the men secured entrance to the building, but one inside they cleaned up things in an effective way. They secured cash and cheques amounting to \$500.

Narrowly Escaped Wreck. Niagara Falls, Oct. 27.—The Grand Trunk narrowly escaped another bridge wreck this afternoon.

When a Lehigh Valley coal train of thirty-three cars was being pulled across the bridge by a New York Central engine the tenth car from the head end left the rails on a switch on the Canadian end of the bridge. Fortunately the car stayed in line till it was off the bridge and when the train broke no great damage was done.

Come and See. Our fall goods. Fur-lined coats, fur-lined caps, military flannel shirts, heavy underwear, mitts, gloves, etc.

Killed by Winnipeg Car. Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—Leslie Tait was killed on the street railway tracks last evening.

Valuable Prescription and How to Prepare it at Home.

This is a message that will bring happiness again into many families and sunshine into the lives of hundreds of disheartened and discouraged men and women here. It requires just a little inconvenience, for it can't be bought already prepared. It is a simple home recipe now being made known in all the larger cities through the newspapers.

The druggists here have been notified to supply themselves with the ingredients, and the sufferer will have no trouble to obtain them. The prescription is as follows: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; and Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle. The dose is one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

Recent experiments, even in severe hospital cases, prove this simple mixture the remedy for Rheumatism, because of its positive action upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys. It compels these most vital organs to filter from the blood and system the waste impurities and uric acid which are the cause of rheumatism. It cleanses the kidneys, strengthens them and removes quickly such symptoms as headache, blood disorders, bladder weakness, frequent urination, painful, scalding and discolored urine. It acts as a powerful stimulant to the entire kidney and bladder structure, puts new life into them and invigorates the entire tract. It makes the kidneys clean and healthy. The Dandelion will take care of liver trouble and constipation, and is fine for the stomach.

All the ingredients, states a well-known local druggist, are of vegetable extraction, making it a safe and harmless prescription at any time. Those who suffer and are accustomed to taking a bottle of patent medicine should not let a little inconvenience interfere with making up this prescription. Wherever this becomes generally known, states a large Eastern publication, it ruins the sale of the patent medicines and so-called rheumatism and kidney cures, which is its best endorsement of virtue.

CHINESE IMMIGRATION. Five Hundred Dollar Poll Tax is Still Effective.

Ottawa, Oct. 27.—For the first nine months of this year, ending with September, 782 Chinese have entered Canada, and have contributed, by way of the poll tax of \$500 each, no less than \$391,000 to the Dominion treasury. They are still being admitted in fairly large numbers, as compared with the preceding two years, and by the end of the year it is probable that the total of the Chinese capitation tax will run close to half a million dollars. It is understood that many of them are being recruited over by contract, the necessary \$500 being advanced by several rich Chinese in this country for whom they agree to work. Their thirty habitable and industry in this country soon enable them to pay off the indebtedness.

The increased poll tax of \$500 has now been enforced for three years. During the first fiscal year it was \$100, in 1905, only eight Chinese entered the country. In 1905-06 the number was 22. In 1903-04 there was a large influx, in order to escape the coming increase of the tax from \$100 to \$500, the number for that year being 4,719. For 1902-03 the number of Chinese immigrants was 5,243, for 1901-02 it was 4,291, for 1900-01 it was 2,518, for 1899-1900 it was 4,291, and for 1898-99 it was 4,385. The total immigration since 1898 has been 25,441.

STEEL STOOD THE TEST. Demonstration at Phoenixville in the Quebec Disaster Inquiry.

Philadelphia, Oct. 26.—In the presence of Henry Holgate, J. G. G. Kenny and Professor John Galbraith, members of the Canadian Government's Quebec Bridge Commission, a steel eye bar thirty feet long, fourteen inches wide and two inches thick was subjected to a strain of 882 tons in the testing department of the Phoenix Iron Company at Phoenixville yesterday. The bar was similar to those used in the structure of the bridge. With 28 inches of surface, the strain was 63,000 pounds to the square inch.

The commissioners were gratified by the test, and the officers of the Iron Company made no secret of their elation. The test, but is one of an order which the company is filling for a bridge to span the Missouri River at St. Louis.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST FOREIGNERS. China Winning Back Something From Concessions Given Away.

Pekin, Oct. 26.—The Peking Syndicate, a British corporation, holding the largest concessions China has ever given, proposes to sell back to the Chinese Government all its holdings in the Province of Shansi, where its claim to have sole rights over the immense mineral fields so incensed the inhabitants that it nearly precipitated a rebellion last year.

The campaign of the Chinese Government against foreign concessionaires has been successful in recovering some concessions given to foreigners since 1898.

PRAIRIE FIRES. Mrs. Farrell, of Campbell Lake District, Burned to Death.

Vermillion, Alta., Oct. 27.—Mrs. Ed. Farrell, of Campbell Lake District, was burned to death in a prairie fire on Friday night.

Swift Current, Oct. 27.—A prairie fire which raged northwest here on Friday did a great deal of damage to the cattle ranges. Several homesteaders lost their winter's supply of hay.

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The Daily Fashion Hint.



Afternoon gown of old rose broadcloth, worn with separate vest of old-fashioned brocade. Hat of old rose corded silk, faced with black and trimmed with shaded pink plumes.

George Westinghouse, the Inventor, Hero of a Romance in Real Life.

Amid the troubles that have come suddenly upon the Westinghouse company the figure of the genius that built the concern looms up more prominently than ever. He is the hero of a romance in real life, and those who have followed the romance from the beginning to see him emerge from the darkness of the past into the wonderful tale of "The Happy Days" after this hero's death.

For financial difficulties are not new to George Westinghouse. They are merely one class of the legion of obstacles that will, his untiring energy, and enormous capacity for hard work.

CRASH AVERTED IN 1890. Once in 1890 the Westinghouse company stood in arrears in the courts and the money markets, with his great rival, the General Electric company, in a similar position. It was a desperate situation, but Westinghouse, by his own management, secured the necessary funds to pay off the debt.

GENIUS OF WESTINGHOUSE. Many are the great geniuses who have conquered empires and built up nations by their own efforts. But Westinghouse is one of the few who conquer the wilderness and transform it into civilization.

BORN AN INVENTOR. Westinghouse was born with a genius for invention, his father before him having had no small talent in that direction. Before he was 16 years old young Westinghouse had built an engine. After a generation and a half he is still working at that engine.

It is related of him that recently at a Fifth avenue dinner table he suddenly broke off a conversation, became preoccupied, and finally produced a note pad, on which he began to sketch. To the inquiry of a friend he explained that he was recording an idea that had come to him in connection with the rotary engine—perhaps the secret for which he had been searching forty-five years.

It is an example of the curious irony of fate that Schenck, N. Y., where the young inventor grew up, is now known to the world chiefly for the location there of his militant rival, the General Electric company. The works of this company, which has developed the patents of that other wizard of the mechanical world, Thomas Edison, are situated across the street from the old factory of the Westinghouse family, in which George and his only living brother, Herman, received their training.

lighthearted, though personally simple and democratic, has been called dominating to a degree. The criticism has been made that the stockholders of the companies never are consulted, and the directors never meet. But the usual answer to this has been the argument that the stockholders receive dividends that are substantial and regular, while the directors repose implicit faith in their great general.

THE NAUTCH GIRL. Question of Her Position in Social System Troubling India.

The position of the nautch girl is no longer what it was in the Indian social system. The European ladies who were among the natives feel that in view of the gradual raising of the tone of society the nautch girls should be encouraged to cease to enjoy the toleration accorded to them in the past.

Meeting a Queen's Man. (Kingston Whig.) It was Mr. Alkin, a Queen's man, "rather good looking, and for a name on the 'Goose'." The usual answer to this has been the argument that the stockholders receive dividends that are substantial and regular, while the directors repose implicit faith in their great general.

Two Kinds of Public Enemies. President Darwin P. Kingsley, of the New York Life Insurance Company. A dishonest trustee should be treated as a criminal. A deliberate looter of a railroad ought to be treated as a felon.

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N. Brick; song, "No Wedding Bells for Me," Little Marie; song and dance, "Top of the Mornin' Bridget McCue," Misses A. and L. Vogt and Messrs. Jack Foley, Gray Odium; buck dance, Ida Melody and Allan Brass; song and dance, Misses A. Cahill and R. Connelly; song, "Sea Girls," Mr. G. Odium; piano solo, "Tarrantelle," Miss Ethel Nelligan; hop jig, Misses N. Brick and M. Le Marie; song, "O'Reilly," Little Marie (Campbell); violin solo, "Sunset," Mr. F. Filigiano; song and dance, "Joys of an Irish Dance," Jack Foley and Misses A. Cahill, R. Wall, M. LeTane, N. Brick; song and dance, "Idaho," Mr. G. Odium, Misses A. Cahill, R. Connelly, N. Brick, M. LeHane; dance from the Mid Summer Night's Dream, Misses R. Connelly, A. Cahill; song, "Sentinel," Mr. G. Odium.

CATHOLICS CAN'T HAVE TURKEY

BECAUSE THANKSGIVING DAY FALLS ON ALL SAINTS' EVE. Use of Meat Will Be Allowed on Friday, Which is a Feast Day—Announcement Made in Catholic Churches Yesterday.

Catholics will be obliged to exclude the time-honored turkey from their Thanksgiving day dinner this year. Thursday next, the date fixed by the Government for the holiday, is the eve of All Saint's day on the Catholic church calendar, and therefore a day of solemn fast.

MURDER OF BUFFALO GIRL

NORTHWEST FARMER SUSPECTED OF DOING THE DEED.

Gossip Says Daisy Stauch Rejected Man's Offer to be His Lifetime in Far-away Land—Declared She Would Not Abandon Aged Parent.

Buffalo, Oct. 28.—With the entire detective force working more than twenty-four hours on every possible clue, Supt. Regan keeping in constant touch with developments day and night, and Chief of Detectives John Taylor actively gathering together and sifting down the scraps of evidence laboriously obtained, the police at an early hour this morning announced that they had not yet fastened the murder of Daisy Stauch on any of the dozen or more suspects they have "sweated."

Though the Stauch woman was comely and of a vivacious disposition, and had many callers at her aged mother's impoverished and squalid apartments in the block at No. 434 Seneca street, the police have been unable to learn that there was any serious rivalry among her admirers. She had had no quarrels with any of them, so far as can be learned.

From bits of gossip, picked up in the resorts she was known to frequent, it is possible the woman was murdered because of her refusal to abandon her poor mother and marry a man who is said to have wanted to take her to the far northwestern Canadian territories and stake out an agricultural claim.

Habitues of places where the Stauch woman spent her time when out of employment say they occasionally heard her tell of this offer of marriage, if she would go to the distant grain Eldorado, but she declared she would never leave her mother behind in the presence of all other theories for a motive, it is now considered possible that this man who wanted her to aid him in developing a homestead may be the one who took her to the Ellicott street house, Friday night, going into a stupor, the two might have discussed again the proposition, the woman maintaining her disinclination to leave the mother, causing the man already inflamed with the liquor he had fallen into a stupor, and after she had fallen into a stupor through the intoxicants he had piled her with, he bound and smothered her.

William Wright, the shipyard employee taken to police headquarters Saturday night, is still held, Herman Miller, of Pennsylvania street, temporarily detained, has been completely cleared of all suspicion. He was released yesterday.

All efforts to identify Wright as the man who murdered the Stauch woman have thus far been unsuccessful. The dead woman's mother says Wright did not call for Daisy on the night of the murder.

"Daisy left her between 9 and 10 o'clock on Friday night," she said. "That was the last I saw of her. She was accompanied by no one when she left the house."

Mrs. Ellen Murray, who is custodian of the block where the murdered girl lived, No. 434 Seneca street, believes that she knows the man who committed the crime. She told the police yesterday that a tall, dark complexioned man, wearing ordinary working clothes called at the rooms of the Stauchs Friday. She says the man was not admitted at first, but when he returned a few minutes later he was permitted to enter and remained there for some time. The mother of the girl did not see him.

TOOTHACHE CAUSES SUICIDE. Sixteen-Year-Old Boy Hangs Himself to Door of His Room.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 28.—Toothache, continuing a week is believed to have led William H. Kurz, a sixteen-year-old boy, of this city, to commit suicide by hanging in his room last night.

SLEEP WALKER IS KILLED. Awakened by His Wife, He Falls Down Stairs to His Death.

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 28.—Awakened from sleep in which he had dozed about a house and down one flight of stairs, Timothy Donohue, twenty-nine years old, a time-server, leaped to his death down a flight of stairs in his home, at No. 3421 the cellar stairs, at 7 o'clock this morning, when his wife called to him to be careful of his step.

Welcome Visitor to the Sanctum. Last Saturday Willis Chandler handed out a smile extractor, with the American eagle on one side and Miss Liberty on the other, and as a consequence his subscription has been raised a notch.—Seneca, Mo., Leader.

Playright—Is her acting natural? Manager (enthusiastically)—Natural! Why, when she appeared as the diving mother last night, an insurance agent who had her life insured for \$25,000, and who was in the audience, actually fainted.

THE RIGHT HOUSE

Beautiful plain silks at reduced prices. SO largely and so exceptionally well did we place our contracts for plain weaves in high-class qualities of Silks, that for this Thanksgiving sale we are able to make an extraordinary offering of a nice large quantity of fashionable silks in plain weaves at splendidly reduced prices—prices that are lowered for this sale event only.

- Our 75c silks at 59c yard. Rich Black Peau de Soies, 27 inch, White Habutais, all colors in plain Louisiana and all colors in Moirettes. These are all good fine 75c qualities. Thanksgiving Sale price 59c. Our 50c silks at 39c. 27-inch Jap Silk Taffeta in heavy washing quality; white, ivory, cream and black. Also 21-inch English Tamoline Silks, with rich satin finish; black, white and colors. Regular values at 50c. Thanksgiving sale price 39c.

Every skirt in stock worth to \$8 each at \$5.00 this week



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New tablecloths and napkins. Dozens and dozens of new pure all-linen Cloths and Napkins in all sizes and many handsome patterns. These have slight imperfections—a dropped stitch here or there, or a heavy thread, perhaps. In either case it's hardly noticeable. An immense assortment to select from. Prices are away below regular values.

BEAUTIFUL SNOWY WHITE CLOTHS—Sale price, \$1.10, \$1.68, \$2.35, \$3.19, \$4.88. Real value, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$6.00. NAPKINS IN LUNCH AND DINNER SIZES—Sale price, \$1.88, \$2.29, \$3.00, \$4.38. Real value \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.50.

Women's \$15 coats at \$10 each. A great bargain snap for to-morrow. THESE splendid Coats go on sale for the first time to-morrow. They are real \$15 values. Our special price is \$20 each. We secured them at a special concession from a leading manufacturing tailor.

Smart \$10 tweed coats at \$7.95. Dark Tweeds tailored in 3/4 and 7/8 length styles. Lined to waist; velvet collar and velvet button trimmed, also self-strapped. These are a warm, comfortable and practical Coat for any kind of wear. Real value \$10 each. Thanksgiving sale price \$7.95 each.

\$15 suits at only \$10.88 each. Smartly tailored from plain and striped Broadcloths in rich Burgundy, navy, brown and black. Lined semi-fitting Jackets. Some are self-strapped and button trimmed. Others are braided trim. Plaited skirts with fold trimming at bottom. Regular value \$15, Thanksgiving sale price only \$10.88.

Handkerchiefs. A bargain for men. PURE Irish linen hemstitched and laundered Handkerchiefs; these are slightly imperfect, but it is hardly noticeable. Various width hems. They are splendid value at 25c each. Thanksgiving sale price 18c each, or 3 for 50c.

Women's handkerchiefs. Swiss Muslin Handkerchiefs in a large variety of pretty embroidered patterns with hemstitched or scalloped edges, nice fine quality and remarkable bargains. 14c, worth 20c each. 19c, worth 25c and 30c. 23c, worth 32c and 35c.

THOMAS C. WATKINS. A great value store. Corner King East and Hudson St. Hamilton Ontario. Right qualities Right prices.



MISS RUSSELL, Of the team of Bruno & Russell, at Bennett's this week.

"Of the few noted singers touring America this year," says an enthusiastic admirer, "Miss Yaw probably would be selected pre-eminent. She is beautiful of face, magnetic in personality, and gifted with a voice such as is heard but once or twice in a decade."

She is assisted by Eugene Nowland, the celebrated violinist, who is also making his first tour since his triumphs abroad, and Miss Giorgiella Lay, the pianist.

Coming to the Grand. The interesting melodrama, "The Shadow Behind the Throne" will be the attraction at the Grand on Wednesday afternoon and evening. The play was here last year and will be remembered as one of the best presented plays of the kind of the season. The same excellent cast and scenic equipment will be seen. Seats are now on sale.

That delightful play of New England life, "Way Down East," will be the attraction at the Grand on Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, and those who have witnessed its presentation here in seasons past will no doubt go and see it again. The sale of seats opens to-morrow.

"The Wizard of Oz" will be here next Friday and Saturday and this famous extravaganza will again take on a new lease of life. New songs, new scenic illusions and a battalion of new chorus beauties will enliven the production, which will in point of magnificence and spectacular splendor excel all past presentations of "The Wizard of Oz." The inimitable characterizations of the Tin Woodman and the Scarecrow still head the army of merry-makers enlisted in the production. This year "The Wizard of Oz" presents a new football satire which is declared to be convulsively funny. Seats will be on sale on Wednesday.

St. Patrick's Club's Concert. A pleasing entertainment was given in the Conservatory of Music on Saturday evening, under the auspices of the St. Patrick's Club. The programme was given under the direction of Mr. John Hackett, and was as follows:

Japanese song and dance, Misses A. Cahill, R. Connelly; song, "Keep on Doing it Sandy," Jimmie Ryan; violin solo, Lillian Rose; Sumner, Mr. F. Filigiano, Irish jig, Misses R. Wall, M. LeHane, and Zeno will present their sensational dancing act, in which they use a lot of apparatus. Donat Bodina, the famous European acrobat, and his wonderfully trained dogs, will give an exhibition which will not only add variety to the bill, but which will prove one of the most engrossing acts seen here in many a day. Bruno and Russell, the famous vaudeville artists, will present their entirely remodeled singing and dancing act, while the Clarence Sisters, reputed to be among the best in the business, will appear with a number of the latest songs and dances.

Good Moving Pictures. The American Vitagraph Co. opened the season here on Saturday at Association Hall, presenting a fine lot of new motion pictures. A large crowd was present at both performances, which were greatly enjoyed. The company will show new pictures on Thanksgiving Day and on Friday and Saturday.

A Record Crowd. The thrilling melodrama, "Shadowed By Three," which was presented at the Grand on Saturday afternoon and evening, was enjoyed by large audiences. It was a good detective story, well told. The company made a new record for the house, there being about 2000 present at night, and fully 500 were turned away. The house record, held by "A Desperate Chance," a story of Middle brothers, was broken by over 100.

Interpretative Readings. For the series of interpretative readings to be given by Mrs. Sidney Dunn in the Conservatory of Music, the patronesses are Mrs. Walter Bruce, Mrs. P. D. Greer, Mrs. J. M. Gibson, Mrs. S. O. Greening, Mrs. J. R. Moodie and Mrs. (Dr.) Lyle. The series is sure to be unusually interesting and elevating. Mrs. Dunn will be assisted by Mr. Arthur Ostler, Miss Elizabeth Herald and Miss Anna Laidlaw. The first evening's readings will be on Tuesday, Nov. 5. Tuesday of next week—when selections from the works of Edgar Allan Poe, Paul Lawrence Dunbar, Robert Browning, Tennyson, Shelley O'Neil, Henry Drummond and Marie will be interpreted.

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MINISTER TO SUE MAGAZINE.

SIR F. BORDEN IS AFTER THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.

Claims Damages for Libel—Paragraph From Western Paper of Unsavory Reputation Printed in Article on Politics.

Ottawa, Oct. 27.—Preliminary steps have been taken in the institution of what promises to prove one of the most sensational libel suits of the times. An English periodical is being brought to book, and the plaintiff is no less a personage than a Canadian Cabinet Minister.

In the October number of the Nineteenth Century appears an article on "Pure Canadian Politics," signed by a well known magazine contributor, H. Hamilton Fyfe. The article scathingly criticizes political methods in this country, more than hints at crooked methods, and refers to the alleged prevalence of graft. But in none of these respects does the matter go much beyond generalities. The gravamen of the article is in its closing paragraphs, wherein citation is made from a western weekly publication that has achieved some notoriety by its method of dealing with the alleged private affairs of public men. In fact, its peculiar style and the tone of its articles have placed the Calgary Eye-Opener under the ban of the postal authorities, and for some time its transportation through the mails has been prohibited. It is from this paper that the writer in the Nineteenth Century quotes, and it is this extract, reproduced with comment, which is pronounced by Sir Frederick Borden to be maliciously false and libelous.

It is the story of an alleged bacchanalian orgy at a military dinner in Toronto and subsequent hilarious proceedings, all of which the Minister of Militia declares is easily capable of disproof. In the end the author of the Nineteenth Century article himself does not rank the Eye-Opener as the most reliable publication on earth, but he goes the length of stating that if the story were untrue the publisher would long ago have been sued for libel.

This, however, is the very antithesis of the position taken by the Minister of Militia. He points out that to talk of any man bringing the Eye-Opener into court is to assume him to be lacking in ordinary common sense. Nothing, he says, could possibly be accomplished by it, except, perhaps, to give the publication a prominence that would be most undesirable.

A report that the Minister of Militia would take action against the magazine was heard on Friday last, and on Saturday Sir Frederick was asked if such was his intention. His reply was:

"Yes, indeed, and more than that, I have already begun to bring the matter into court as speedily as possible. I called instructions yesterday to a leading law firm in London to bring action against the Nineteenth Century for libel, and I have their reply that they are doing so. I should have preferred saying nothing about the case until it had actually been started in London, but, since you have heard about it, I suppose there is no reason why the facts should not be stated as they exist."

Although Sir Frederick did not state the amount for which he is suing, he admitted that it would be a considerable sum. It is not improbable, therefore, that damages to the amount of fifty thousand pounds sterling will be asked. The Minister's name is not printed in the magazine article, but the writer of it says that the name is given in full in the Eye-Opener paragraph which he accuses of having actually been started in London, but, since you have heard about it, I suppose there is no reason why the facts should not be stated as they exist."

TRAIN STRUCK WOMAN.

Two Boys Disappeared Mysteriously After the Smash.

Welland, Oct. 26.—The express at Air Line last night at 9:30 crashed into a team of horses and a wagon. The engineer plainly saw two boys on the wagon, and when the train was stopped the lads could nowhere be found. Both the horses were killed outright and the front part of the wagon was broken to pieces.

The train crew and passengers made an extended search in the vicinity, but could not find the boys. Though thrown 40 feet, they escaped injury, and as soon as they realized what had been done they made off, fearing responsibility for the accident. The boys are Wilford House and A. Morningstar and were probably 12 and 13 years. They were returning from taking a load of lumber to Bridgeburg. Each wrapped himself in a blanket and both fell asleep.

MURDERED AT BUFFALO.

Woman Found With Rope About Her Neck.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The body of a woman supposed to be Mrs. Miller was found in a rooming house here this afternoon, dead in bed, with a small rope twisted about her neck. The woman, accompanied by a man, applied for a room last night and registered as Mr. and Mrs. Miller. When they did not appear at noon the door was forced open. The man had disappeared.

A BURGLAR KILLED.

Run Down by Train on Lackawanna Railroad.

Elmira, N. Y., Oct. 26.—After burglarizing the Lackawanna station at Big Flats and two houses in the vicinity during the night a man supposed to be one Hassard, a Pennsylvania lumberman, broke into a tool house, stole a railroad tricycle and started toward Elmira. This morning his mangled remains were found north of the city beside the Lackawanna tracks. The wreck of the tricycle was also found. The remains were brought to the morgue in this city and later identified. It is not known what train struck him. He secured nothing of value from the places entered.

DO CORNS LEAD TO CANCER?

As yet this has not been proved, but interested parties will find nothing better for corns than Putnam's Corn Extract. Acts painlessly—cures in 24 hours—use only Putnam's.

John A. Ferguson, a fitter in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway, at Toronto, made three attempts to commit suicide on Saturday.

The Odd-fellows of Niagara Falls, Ont., have purchased one of the best corner lots at the north end of the city and will erect a \$25,000 temple.

Handwritten manuscript titled 'The Legs of Sister Ursula' with a drawing of a leg. The text is a story about a man who has a long leg and a woman who has a short leg, and how they meet and fall in love. The drawing shows a leg with a shoe and a stocking.

Part of First page of Story, in Kipling's handwriting.

ETERNAL WRANGLE.

BISHOP CRITICIZES BITTERNESS IN ENGLISH CHURCH.

Contrasts It With the Generosity, Love and Trust Which He Noted in America—He Heard the Raters Shake With Praise.

London, Oct. 27.—The Bishop of London pointed his sermon at the Church of the Holy Trinity to-day with references to what he saw in America. "There is far greater generosity, love and trust between the different bodies of Christians and between the schools of thought in the same Church in America than here in England," said Dr. Ingram. "It was like going into another atmosphere to look upon the wrangles of Great Britain into an atmosphere where they are unknown."

"I found that the bitterness which disgraces our Church at home is unknown in America, although there are conscientious differences there. It was quite a shock, amid the love and harmony there, to take up the English newspapers and read the reports of the Church Congress here and find that the eternal wrangle was going on to-day which had been going on for fifty years. 'And then,' added the Bishop, 'what services we had out there! Why, I heard the raters shake with praise.'"

HOME-MADE DIAMONDS.

New Process of Crystallizing Carbon Discovered in France.

Paris, Oct. 27.—Aristide Charette, a lily-smooth chemist, attained sudden fame this week when a report was read before the Academy of Science telling how he had crystallized carbon by an entirely new process, and had thus manufactured diamonds.

A test tube with tiny diamonds attached to the sides was shown to the assembly, and later submitted to analysis. Mr. Charette's method is as follows: A feeble electric current is made to pass during several days through sulphuric acid in the presence of iron. The operation is carried out in a vacuum and thus electro-chemically treated, and the freed carbon, being unable to combine with the oxygen in the air, is deposited in the form of crystals. Although very small, the light and brilliancy of these artificial diamonds equal that of the finest natural gems.

EVANGELIST IN PRISON.

Northrop Sentenced at St. Catharines and His Personality.

St. Catharines, Oct. 27.—Walter Northrop, who was sentenced to six months' imprisonment for forgery by Judge Carman, is a unique personality. He drew a cheque on the Bank at Hamilton, at Orangeville, in favor of the proprietor of the Village Inn at Grimsby, after basking in the smiles of a tall, fair and refined looking lady from Toronto, when he represented to the hotel manager as his wife, for a period of ten days.

The prisoner is a "local preacher" of considerable power and eloquence, and has frequently occupied the pulpit "with great acceptance" at Brantford and other points. While in jail, awaiting trial, his mother and mother-in-law died, and his wife was quite ill.

Northrop insisted on entering the box on his own behalf and swore that the woman from Toronto was "the white flower of a blameless life." The judge in passing sentence subjected the prisoner to a terrible arraignment, evidently regarding him as a moral degenerate. The prisoner claimed to have done a lot of evangelistic work amongst the inmates of the jail, during his incarceration. The circumstance that during the short interval between the trial and passing sentence the Bank of Commerce here was successfully worked, perhaps contributed to the length of the sentence (six months) imposed.

A \$300,000 TROUSSEAU Will Be Purchased for Princess Marie Bonaparte.

Paris, Oct. 27.—The trousseau ordered by Prince Roland Bonaparte for the marriage of his daughter, Princess Marie, with Prince George of Greece will rival in magnificence those prepared in the Rue de la Paix for wealthy American brides. The cost of the trousseau will exceed \$300,000.

The Princess has always had a strong predilection for the empire style. This will be the predominant note in the trousseau, and fashion leaders of Paris are already predicting that the appearance of the royal bride's new frocks will bring the empire style again into immediate fashion.

The steel plant at Sault Ste. Marie was obliged to close on account of a shortage of pig iron.

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THE FIVE SENSES.

How They May be Trained For Service.

The secret of success in the senses. They are the gateways of our knowledge of the outer world, and whether we have five, or the added sixth, or the promised seventh, these it is that lead us to our knowledge.

If our senses are defective all our knowledge, all our work is defective. And if they are cultivated we not only are wiser and more skillful, but we also are better.

Rousseau, the celebrated French philosopher and educator, asked eloquently whether we have "thought and arms and legs? Have we not also eyes and ears? And are not these things organs necessary to the use of the former? Exercise not to the muscles only but the senses that control them?"

But after all, our senses are in great neglect. A. Peres, another fine Frenchman, has found that when we measure acuteness of vision we find that it is becoming weaker; that hardness of hearing is on the increase; and that, as for taste and smell, they are used up.

We have given care to the physical strength and vigor so that the general term "physical education" finally has assumed the restricted meaning of muscular education.

Ready for an Emergency. The length and exactness of the sight, the skill and sureness of the hand, the delicacy of the hearing, Mrs. Pope-Carpenter said, are of value alike to artist and artisan by the rapidly increasing position of such things in the world.

Nothing untrains a man so trained; he is ready for anything. His cultivated senses have become tools for universal use. The more perfect his sensations the more justness and clearness do his ideas acquire. The education of the senses is the primary form of intellectual education.

The influence of training on the senses easily is seen. The adroit marksman never misses his aim; the savage perceives and recognizes the slightest rustling; certain blind persons know colors by touch; the precision of jugglers is surprising; the gourmet recognizes the quality of a wine among a thousand others; odor is with chemists one of the most sensitive reactions.

The senses operate in two ways, passively when the organ is acted upon by exterior bodies solely from the fact that it is situated on the surface of the body, and independently of the will. They operate actively when the organ is directed and excited by the will, and goes in advance of the body to receive the impressions.

Mind Leads the Perceptions. The impressions made by exterior objects on the senses, the nerves and the brain, are followed by certain mental operations. These two things often are confounded. We are in the habit of saying that our senses often deceive us; it would be more just to say that we do not always interpret correctly the data that they furnish us. The act of interpretation may be learned. And this is the cultivation of the senses.

The senses may be cultivated in early life, because it is in this period that the organs, adapt themselves and lend themselves best to the functions for which they are made, and because in children the senses have a considerable preponderance in their activities. The child is curious, touches everything, observes, listens, and handles with ardor and eagerness, so that exercises for educating the senses are for him as easy and pleasant as amusements.

The development and regularity of any one sense plays its part in the harmony of the other. There is a sort of mutual aid society among the senses, as Dr. Willington Miller called it.

Miss Camilla E. Telsen, of the Pennsylvania Institute for Feeble-minded Children, thinks sight the most important sense to develop, and that most easily developed. She feels assured of development in other directions as soon as the mind of color dawns upon the child's mind. According to her experience, the development of one sense is accompanied by improvement of the other senses. She has found it impossible to reach the moral sense without a fair development of the physical senses.

Improvement of the physical senses usually has been shown to improve the habits and manners. A child who distinguishes sound and appreciates music will not be so likely to howl and scream as others, and a child who feels the influence of color is far less inclined to tear his clothes than another.

The training of the defective is suggestive of what could be done with people possessed of all their five senses. The eyes of the deaf are made to do the work of two senses, and in time attain the most extraordinary power and even subtlety of vision. It has been suggested that their highly developed eyes would be used in the most delicate astronomical and physical experiments, where instruments of precision are commonly employed.

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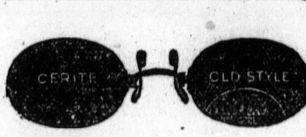
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