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BROCKVILLE'S GREATEST STORE

OUR T. R. SALE

T.R. stands for Trade Revival—also stands for Tremendous Reductions, and it made good in both cases. If you were here on Monday or to-day you saw the biggest trade revival yet. Just like Christmas Crowds, wasn't it? But it took the tremendous reductions to do it. We're bound to keep it up all week. Watch the ads. Did you read the big page ad. in last week's daily papers? Here are a few reminders of its offerings:—

HALF PRICE DRESS GOODS
10 pieces good lustrous, tweeds and serges, 42 to 48 inch wide, regular price 50c yard, sale price..... **25c**
5 pieces heavy tweed suitings, 44 to 50 inch wide, good dark colors, regular price \$1.25, \$1.00 and 75c, sale price..... **39c**

CORSET SNAP 39c
New line of choice white cotille Corsets, all steel filled, lace trimmed, medium length, all sizes from 18 to 26, ten dozen to sell, regular price 50c pair, sale price..... **39c**

HORSE BLANKETS HALF PRICE
We want to clear our entire stock of horse blankets and will sell all at half price. Note these lines, \$3.50 for \$1.75, \$2.75 for \$1.38, \$2.35 for \$1.17, \$1.89 for 95c, \$1.65 for 83c, \$1.45 for 73c, \$1.25 for..... **63c**
(Lap Rugs at 1/2 off)

COMFORT SOAP 5 BARS 19c
A great soap selling for one week (save the wrappers), no better laundry soap made, regular price 5c bar, sale price 5 bars for..... **19c**

12 1/2c WRAPPERETTES FOR 8c.
500 yards, medium and dark colors, choice patterns, all new, regular prices 12 1/2c and 10c yard, your choice per yard..... **8c**

75c APPLIQUE COVERS FOR 50c.
50 only, choice applique embroidered pillow shams, stand covers and dresser tops, handsome designs, regular price 75c each, sale price..... **50c**

CORSET COVER EMBROIDERY
16 inches deep, many choice patterns to select from, regular price 25c yard, sale price..... **19c**

WHITE DOTTED MUSLINS
In a big variety of dots, ten pieces, 29 inch wide, regular price 12 1/2c yard, sale price..... **10c**

BLEACHED SHEETING
2 yards wide, good quality, regular price 27c yard, for sale price..... **21c**

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ATHENS PUBLIC SCHOOL

Report for January and February—Relative Standing
The attendance in all the rooms has been good and the progress of the pupils satisfactory.

FORM 4

Sr. 4.—Mina Donnelly, Kathleen Massey, Keith McLaughlin, Blanche McLean, Evalena Gifford, Bessie Johnston, Everta Latimer, Ambrose McGhie, Roy Paterson, Lulu McLean, Lillie Gibson, May Danby, Irene McLean, Bertina Green, Marjorie Moore, Birdie Gainford, Clarence Knowlton, Richard Layng, Clella Bullis.

Jr. 4.—Bessie Cowan, Carrie Robinson, John Kelley, Bertha Stinson, Gertrude Bresse, Lloyd Earl, Fern Cross, Gladys Gainford, Roy Mullen, Jessie Percival, Winona Massey, Winford Gifford, James Scott, Edmund Ronen.

Aggregate attendance for the two months, 1280.
Average attendance, 32.
Percentage, 97.
Jas. E. Burchell, Principal.

FORM 3

Sr. 3.—Eric Dobbs, Nellie Kelly, Grant Darling, Jennie Murdoch, Charlie Broad, Norma Massey, Archie Kincaid, Walter Hawkins, (Lyons McMachen, Marion Covey and Hattie Rockwood) equal, Opal Purcell, Rose Stinson, Frances Clow, Mercy McGhie, Vera Conlin, Clare Lillie, Marian Cornell, Mills Johnston, Eric Hull, Hazel Holmes, Harold Rowsome.

Jr. 3.—Ernie Trickey, Arza Wittse, Charlie McConnell, George Cowan, Birdie Derbyshire, Israel Denby, Myrtle Conlin, Clifford Rockwood, Frances Moore, Merrill Smith, Irene Earl, Saunie Scott.

Aggregate attendance,	686	686
Average "	34	31
Percentage	93	92

M. B. Morris, Teacher.

FORM 2

Sr. 2.—George Stevens, Alice Patterson, Clarence Gifford, Hazel Latimer, Charlie Stocks, Edna Lyang, Kenneth Watson.

Jr. 2.—Basil Connerty, Elsie Thompson, Gwendolyn White, John Donnelly, George Purcell, Douglas Johnston, Lillian Burchell, Blanche Niblock.

Aggregate attendance,	491	422
Average "	24.55	21.1
Percentage	87.68	81.15

M. E. Stinson, Teacher.

FORM 1

Sr. Pt. 2.—Clarence Laforty, Alma Lee, Marguerite Hull, Stanley Gifford, Wilhelmine Wilson, Hollace Cross, Harold Percival, Irene Morris.

Jr. Pt. 2.—Elsie Fitzpatrick, Jennet Conlin, Mariah Wilson, Aurelia Connerty, Ivan Pierce, Gladys Churchill, Clarence Mulvena, Jackson Kilborne.

Sr. 1.—Eva Stephens, Alton Shaw, Leslie Cowan, Myrtle Cross, Ruby Wilson, Eliza Hawkins, Lena Garrett.

Aggregate attendance,	848,
Average attendance,	21,
Percentage,	92.

Eibel F. West.

KINDERGARTEN

Sr. Inter.—Fred Stevens, Isaac Rockwood and Leonel Kelly (equal), Mabel Darling, Manford Gifford.

Jr. Inter.—Gerald Danby, George Stinson, Violet Trickey, Rhena Kendrick.

Jr. I.—Eva Bigelow, Eddie Hawkins, Mildred Bigelow, Eibel Lawson, Johnnie Claxton.

Mollie G. Robinson, Teacher.

PROHIBITION IN POLITICS

That which has been by many feared and by many fervently hoped for has at length occurred. The Temperance question has got into Politics.

Dreadful thing, isn't it?

For a long time, at frequent periods it has been suspected and sometimes strongly asserted that Politics had got into Temperance, but now the question is unquestionably reversed.

Dr. Carman and other members of the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance have deliberately united the two, and our political parties have divided squarely on the issue of the retention or abolition of the three-fifths clause.

The Liberals, led by Mr. McKay, have declared in favor of majority rule in local option votes, and while Mr. Whitney, when interviewed, declined to commit himself before consulting his cabinet, it is a foregone conclusion that he will stand by the three-fifths clause.

The general elections will probably take place within a year and this question will be one of the chief determining factors. There are other important questions, of course, but this matter of local option comes nearer home to every ratepayer than any other. It is a question easily understood by all and, with a secret ballot, an honest expression of opinion may be expected.

In past campaigns the Temperance question has always been treated lightly, as a kind of side-issue, and when the opinion of a candidate respecting it was sought it could, as a rule, be obtained only by direct question. But in the coming elections it will be discussed from every hustings, and the whole subject, in all its bearings, will be placed before the public and the line between the two parties be closely drawn.

Whether this mixture of Politics and Prohibition will prove a benefit to the Temperance people remains to be seen. It will certainly give them a chance to vote as they pray.

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Electrifying BARGAIN S
Unparalleled values in
Men's and Boys' Clothing
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Enterprise Wanted

There is now a good opening in Athens for the investment of capital in the erection of a business block of three or four stores. They could probably be rented before the work was under taken, thus eliminating all risk, and a good return for the investment could thus be ensured. As a rule, there is no form of real estate that pays better than business houses and no form that more quickly profits from the unearned increment produced by local improvements or the growth and general prosperity of a place. The site of the burned buildings is now for sale at a reasonable figure, and either separately or in a block, we hope to see them replaced this spring with good business houses.

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Why not favor us with your order for a dress suit, business suit or overcoat?

We have a few fur lined garments for ladies and gentlemen to be sold at cost.

M. J. KEHOE - Brockville

EARNING HIS SALARY

Mr. A. E. Donovan, M.P.P., spent Saturday and Sunday at his home here. He finds the sessional work anything but sinecure; indeed, he says, a member could work twenty hours a day and still not accomplish all he desired.

Mr. Donovan's oratorical ability was quickly recognized in the Queen City and the Mail and Empire of the 26th ult reports him as attending a banquet and delivering speeches at two other meetings in one evening, which is "going some" for a country chap in the city.

DEATH OF AN AGED FRIEND

Many here learned with sincere sorrow of the death of "Aunt" Priscilla Stevens, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Spicer of Newboro, on the 19th ult. A daughter of the late Joseph Derbyshire, she was born near Charleston in 1820 and has always resided in this part of the county. She was a member of the Society of Friends and as an attendant at services in the old meeting house here was ever welcome. She was an embodiment of that charity which seeketh not its own, and her pure, sweet life and sound counsel and admonition have often proved an inspiration and guide to her fellow travelers in the journey of life. The impassable character of the roads prevented many friends here from attending the funeral service, which was held at Delta.

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The True and The False

"Mr. Hunter."
At the sound of her loved voice his eyelids quivered and unrolled.

"The convention have nominated their candidate."
His eyes were fixed upon her fondly.

"It is doubtful whether he heard, or understood, or cared; but his eyes were fixed most fondly upon her—his lips moved. She knelt down by him and bowed her head to his. His eyes lingered over her lovingly; idly he toyed with her silken ringlets. And she bent and kissed his asured brow again and again—many times, repressing the flood of tears ready to burst forth.

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Then the illustrious statesman had never been able to keep an hour of his time, an event of his life, scarcely a thought of his brain, or an affection of his heart, apart from the intrusion, the espionage, the criticism or the sympathy of the multitude.

Now they invaded his chamber—they crowded around his dying bed to the exclusion of his own beloved ones.

True, Augusta kept her station near the head of his bed, but she might not speak to, or hear from him one warm heart word, for there was always a clergyman, or two bending over his pillow, a half-dozen brother Senators and Representatives and others near, and worse than all, two reporters, hovering in the passage near the chamber door, and peeping in and stipping down their hieroglyphic every time it was opened.

As Daniel Hunter had lived in public, so he must die in public. And he was going fast—hourly his senses waned—he felt gradually into the stupor preceding death.

He lay in this state for several hours, during which all attempts to attract his attention proved utterly futile, except when his wife would bend over him, take his hand and look into his eyes—then the fast stiffened fingers would try to close around hers—and the failing eyes would soften with affection or lighten with intelligence. Long after he was entirely insensible to all other external impressions he recognized her touch and her glance. He knew her to the last. The heart's last throbs, the first to live, the last to expire! He knew her to the last.

And, therefore, she never left him again.

After having spent days and nights by his bedside, against the expostulations of friends and physicians, Dr. Henry, their old family practitioner, took her hand and felt her pulse.

"Mrs. Hunter," he said, "most positively you must leave this room; go and take some refreshment and lie down and sleep. You yourself, are sinking fast."

"And I assure you, doctor, I should sink faster any where else but here."

He looked at her, her hollow eyes, and cheeks, and temples, her ashen hue, and dropped her wrist, and turned away with a deep sigh. The lady said:

"Be easy about me, dear friend. I am well enough. They say the heart knoweth its own bitterness. I say it knoweth its own blessedness as well!"

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As he crossed the barrier, entered the hollow, and approached the house, every thing revealed the passage of some momentous event. Four or five carriages, mud spattered and with wearied horses, stood neglected before the door. The footpaths were unswamp, and the stairs leading up to the portico unwashed for many days.

The front door was ajar; the knocker was muffled. No servant was in attendance. He entered the hall; that, too, was dusty, empty and neglected. He rapped gently with the end of his riding whip. Then a man servant came out from a side room. Falconer knew him, addressed him by name, and asked after his master. Henry shook his head, and answered that there had been no change since yesterday morning. He then led the way into a parlor, placed a chair for his visitor, and took his card to carry up.

Falconer looked around him; even in this sumptuous room everything wore the same dreary air of neglect. The rich velvet-covered chairs were coated with dust; dust had gathered in the folds of the satiny damask curtains; a superb Chinese screen of stained glass that stretched across the room was dim with fly specks; the vases on the stands were filled with dead flowers, emitting a faint and sickening odor, and two tall silver candelsticks, with their guttered wax candle ends, stood upon the centre table, left there from the night before.

He had scarcely made these mournful observations before the door swung slowly open, and his beloved Maud entered the room.

And oh! how thin, and pale, and sorrowful, and self-neglected she, too, looked! Her air was that of one who had watched and wept for many days and nights. She wore a white wrapper, very carelessly; and her bright hair, if not disheveled, was certainly disordered. She looked not near so pretty as when he had seen her last—but to him—oh! how

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"A and greeting I have given you, dearest Falconer—a sorrowful, sorrowful greeting. But you are welcome. I am very glad to see you. Yet—to meet in such an hour as this. My father! oh! my dear father!" she cried, dropping her head and weeping afresh.

"How is he, Maud?" inquired the young man, in the most gentle, tender, sympathizing tone and manner. "How is he, dearest Maud!"

"Alas, Falconer!"

"No better, Maud?"

"No; no better. Oh! Falconer, that has been the despairing answer to all inquiries; how many dreadful days! No better, for, Falconer, since his first attack he has grown daily worse and worse! I don't believe the doctors know what is the matter with him. They said his first attack was apoplexy; now they differ as to the nature of his illness. They agree only upon this, Falconer—that he must die. Again she wept convulsively. Presently she said: "I have not seen him for two days, Falconer."

"Not seen him for two days?"

"Oh, no!"

"Why is that, dear Maud?"

"The life—the love that lived with us, and blessed us so, a little while ago!"

"To heaven, mamma; surely to heaven. Ah! dearest mamma—you that were my guiding spirit—what has so dimmed your faith?"

The lady did not answer. She had raised her eyes and fixed them afar off. Sorrow, by prostrating her nervous system, palsying her heart and brain, had dimmed her vision of faith. Let no Pharisee, full of self-righteousness and spiritual pride, blame her too severely. Let such an one remember that there was an hour when the blessed Saviour cried:

"Why hast Thou forsaken Me?"

"Mrs. Lovel entered with a servant, bearing wine and crackers. "Dr. Henry says you must take something."

Maud took a glass of wine and put it in her mother's hand.

Augusta raised it to her lips, but immediately replaced it on the waiter, saying: "I cannot swallow."

Mrs. Lovel looked at her, and, noticing for the first time the awful pallor of her face, she became frightened, exclaiming:

"Augustal! My sister! My dear sister! Oh! do not do so—do not, Augusta!"

"Now what would you have? I am very quiet."

"Yes, yes—too quiet—that's what I object to."

"I might well weep and lament. He deserved all my tears—but I cannot do so."

"Augusta, you must rouse yourself, and take something—if you do not, indeed you will sink. You have much yet left to live for. Think of your child."

"Now what is it you would have me do? Oh! I am so weary!"

"Think of his child, Augusta—think of his orphan child, her kneeling by your feet."

"I do! I do! God bless her! God forever bless her—so He surely will, she is such a good child."

"Oh! then, Augusta, for her sake, and her father's sake, do try to bear up."

She rapidly descended the stairs, and was hurrying through the hall, when Falconer stepped out and accosted him.

"Sir, will you inform me—has anything happened?"

"Mr. Hunter has just expired, sir," answered the gentleman, hurrying on.

Falconer stepped back into the room. Maud was at the door, pale as death with dread. She caught his arm, and gazed into his face in the speechless, breathless agony of anxiety.

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"Oh! I have no self-control! none at all, I think. When I see him I cannot refrain from weeping. I am not like my dear mother; she has not shed a tear since his illness. I sometimes wish she would; for oh! Falconer, she looks so strangely. It seems as if the shadows of death were falling upon her, too!"

Tenderly and reverently caressing her, he led her to a sofa and sought to soothe her grief.

While yet they conversed, there was a sudden opening of doors, and a hurrying of steps. Impressed with a prophetic feeling, Falconer arose, and stepped to the door and opened it. A gentleman rapidly descended the stairs, and was hurrying through the hall, when Falconer stepped out and accosted him.

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The front door was ajar; the knocker was muffled. No servant was in attendance. He entered the hall; that, too, was dusty, empty and neglected. He rapped gently with the end of his riding whip. Then a man servant came out from a side room. Falconer knew him, addressed him by name, and asked after his master. Henry shook his head, and answered that there had been no change since yesterday morning. He then led the way into a parlor, placed a chair for his visitor, and took his card to carry up.

He had scarcely made these mournful observations before the door swung slowly open, and his beloved Maud entered the room.

And oh! how thin, and pale, and sorrowful, and self-neglected she, too, looked! Her air was that of one who had watched and wept for many days and nights. She wore a white wrapper, very carelessly; and her bright hair, if not disheveled, was certainly disordered. She looked not near so pretty as when he had seen her last—but to him—oh! how

much more beautiful. He sprang to meet her, as she advanced slowly, holding out her fair hands. And "Falconer!" and "Dearest, dearest Maud!" were their simultaneous greetings, as he folded her to his bosom. They spoke, no more for a little while; for as soon as her head fell upon his shoulder, she burst into tears, and wept abundantly. Presently she lifted her head, and wiped her eyes, and said:

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Women are called the "weaker sex," and yet nature calls upon them to bear far more than men. With too many women it is one long martyrdom from the time they are budding into womanhood, until age begins to set its mark upon them. They are no sooner over one period of pain and distress than another looms up only a few days ahead of them. No wonder so many women become worn out and old looking before their time.

In these times of trial Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth their weight in gold to women. They actually make new, rich blood, and on the richness and regularity of the blood the health of every girl and every woman depends.

Mrs. Urbane C. Webber, Welland, Ont., is one of the many women who owe present health and strength to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. Webber says: "About three years ago, while living in Hamilton, my health began to decline. The first symptoms were headaches and general weakness. After a time the trouble increased so rapidly that I was unable to attend to my household duties. I lost flesh, looked bloodless and had frequent fainting fits. I was constantly doctoring, but without any benefit, and I began to feel that my condition was hopeless. One day a friend asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and mentioned several cases in which she knew of the great benefit that had followed their use. After some urging I decided to try the pills. I purchased a box and used a few weeks when I began to feel benefited, and from that time on the improvement was steady, and by the time I had used about a dozen boxes of the pills I was again enjoying the blessing of good health. I cannot too strongly urge other discouraged sufferers to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure all troubles due to poor, watery blood, such as anemia, general weakness, indigestion, neuralgia, skin troubles, rheumatism, and after effects of la grippe, and such nervous troubles as St. Vitus dance and partial paralysis. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail, in a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

USES OF THE CHAFING DISH.

Mrs. Rorer Again Tells About Cooking.

Resuming her course of lectures on scientific cooking for the patrons of the Gimbel store, Mrs. Rorer talked yesterday morning and afternoon to large audiences of women who watch with interest the deft work of the famous exponent of culinary art. Her morning demonstration was on "the every-day possibilities of a chafing dish," and she pointed out the necessity in these times of financial stringency, for every housekeeper to save wise economy, which to her mind means the saving of good materials. Her morning demonstrations were on the following dishes:

Oysters a la Richmond—Drain 25 oysters. Put a tablespoonful of butter in a chafing dish, a tablespoonful of chopped oyster; stir for a minute; then add the oysters, a level teaspoonful of salt, a dash of black pepper, a dash of paprika, and a little paprika. Cover the dish, and when the oysters begin to boil, add, if you have it, four tablespoonfuls of cream or milk. Stir gently.

Quick Goulash—Put into a chafing dish a tablespoonful of butter, add a tablespoonful of chopped onion; stir until the butter is melted and the onion a little soft; add a tablespoonful of paprika, a half-pint of stock; stir gently, then add two sweet peppers cut into strips, and a pint of cold cooked meat cut into cubes of an inch. Bring to a boil and serve.

Divilled Scallops—Mash the yolks of three-boiled eggs through a sieve. Put a tablespoonful of butter and one of flour in a chafing dish; mix; add a half-pint of milk; stir until boiling; add gradually the yolks of the eggs, a dash of red pepper; a salt-spoon of white pepper and a teaspoonful of salt. With and seal the scallops—this may be done in the morning. Add them to the sauce, and when thoroughly hot serve on crisp crackers or squares of toast.

In the afternoon Mrs. Rorer took for her subject, "The After-Theatre Supper at Home," and showed her audience how to prepare the following dainties:

Dry Panned Oysters—Drain and wash the oysters; throw them at once into a hot chafing dish; add salt and paprika, a little black pepper and a teaspoonful of Worcestershire, and when hot add a tablespoonful of butter.

Oysters Hongroise—Put into a chafing dish a tablespoonful of butter and a level teaspoonful of paprika, mix and when hot add a level tablespoonful of flour; add 25 oysters; add one sweet pepper cut into strips and a half-cup of tomato. When hot add a level teaspoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of chopped parsley.

Chicken au Supreme—Put one tablespoonful of butter and one of flour into the chafing dish; mix; add two-thirds cup of milk, one-half teaspoon-

ful of salt, a dash of pepper, and, if you wish, four tablespoonfuls of sherry; add the chicken; when hot stir in the yolks of two eggs that have been beaten with two tablespoonfuls of milk. Serve on toast.

Welsh Rabbit—Put into the chafing dish a pound of cheese, a half-teaspoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire, a dash of red pepper, and, if you wish, four tablespoonfuls of milk. Serve on toast.

Philadelphia Record.

CANADA'S FORESTS.

The Dominion Must Husband Her Timber Resources.

Canada's forest area has been variously estimated at from eight hundred million to three hundred million acres. The latter is the latest estimate, and was given by Dr. B. E. Fernow, the recently appointed dean of the faculty of forestry at the University of Toronto. He is one of the best authorities on forest subjects on the continent, and for years was head of the United States Bureau of Forestry. His estimate, he thinks, "will cover the commercially valuable timber land area, actual and potential." At this estimate the forest area of Canada is "not much more than one-half of the commercial forest area of the United States."

Mr. R. H. Campbell, Superintendent of Forestry for the Dominion Government, gives a rather larger estimate. He has calculated the forest area of the Dominion at about 535 million acres, divided as follows:

Area.	Million Acres.
British Columbia	182
Man., Sask., Alta. and un-organized territories	180
Ontario	40
Quebec	120
New Brunswick	7 1/2
Nova Scotia	5

"Inexhaustible" used to be a favorite word to describe Canada's forests. But the drop from the old figure of 800 million acres to the more recent one given above shows clearly that the more Canada's forest wealth is investigated, the less are people inclined to use that word. Great as this wealth may be, it is for Canada to husband her resources, and make her forests a permanent asset. In order to do this, she must carefully protect her forests and see to their being reproduced, that a future supply of timber may be ensured from them. This would mean the careful management of these lands on scientific and business principles, and these it is that the forestry movement is seeking to introduce throughout the Dominion.

NEW YORK'S CONGESTION.

Nearly 500,000 of New York city's population of 4,800,000 are crowded into the abnormally small area of 864 acres. As the total acreage of the city is 209,218, it can be seen at once how extraordinarily teeming the congestion in some parts of the city is. Unless something is done, and done before many years, this increasing congestion will reach a point defying human efforts to remedy it, short of the most radical changes in the system itself. It is computed that within ten years the city will have a population of fully 7,000,000.

The most recent census taken was that of 1905. The congestion revealed by that census was shockingly bad enough, but in the last two years it has grown much worse. The immense number of immigrants which every year augments the city's resident population, and the results of industrial depression all have had the effect of still further massing more and more humanity into the already swarming sections. Although the figures of 1905 are the most recent authentic ones, they do not, however, tell the full tale. Present conditions are far worse than was the situation three years ago.

Contrary to the general opinion, the most thickly inhabited block in the city is not on the east side, but is on the upper west side, in the region inhabited by negroes, and dubbed "San Juan Hill." It is the block bounded by Amsterdam avenue and West End avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets. Here, on a little more than five acres, no fewer than 6,173 people are stuffed.

With Suitable Apologies.

Once there was a Foxey Ruler who wanted Two New Battleships.

So he, asked the Wise Guys who handled the Purse Strings and kept Tab on the Expenditure of the Country's Coin to Loosen Up a Little and Authorize him to build Four New Battleships.

The Wise Guys referred his Request to the Proper Committee.

"Boeh!" exclaimed the Committee. "And likewise Piffel! He can't Work Us for all those High Priced Toys. But we'll let him have Two."

Moral: There is more than One Way to Remove the Integument from the Anatomical Framework of a Feline Quadruped.

Man and His Sweet Tooth.

"If you want to have that tradition upset about women only having a sweet tooth," remarked the stenographer who works downtown, "just go into a quick-lunch room occasionally and watch the men who drink coffee or chocolate with their midday meals. I give you my word I have seen not one, but many men put six lumps of sugar into their one cup of coffee or chocolate and then eat apple pie that is fairly covered with powdered sugar."—New York press.

Wolves Entice Away Hunters' Dogs.

John Berry has returned from a hunting trip to Fish Creek, and reports loss of wolves and few rabbits.

It is believed that the presence of so many wolves has had something to do with the scarcity of game in that section. The big gray animals were constantly tagging the hunters, trying to entice away their dogs, and the dogs had to be tied at night to keep them safe.

A wolf will often approach close to camp and then sneak away as though he is scared to death of the dogs. A green canine is apt to take the bait and give chase. The wolf turns and if he succeeds in overtaking the unwise dog the latter never returns.—Fairbanks correspondence Nome Press.



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District News

FRANKVILLE

Mr Cannon has moved from near Portland to the farm he bought east of Lehigh's Corners, and is very welcome.

Friday evening, under auspices of the Epworth League, Rev C. J. Curtis of Addison lectured in the Methodist church on "Tramp Life in England," in a most entertaining manner. Miss Nina Cole of Brockville gave two solos, showing a finely cultivated voice and true personality. The quartet of Toledo church—Mr and Mrs Claud Marshall, Mr Sadler, Miss Clara Stratton—rendered three numbers in a way creditable to any town. Miss Pratt and Miss Lockwood presided at the organ. Rev. Mr Henderson filled the chair.

GLOSSVILLE

Miss Gertrude Sturgeon of Carleton Place was the guest of Mr and Mrs Willows Sturgeon last week.

Mr Samuel Good and sister Gertrude spent Saturday and Sunday at Maidland with their brother and his wife, Mr and Mrs Will Good.

Mr Charlie Goff's sister of Smith's Falls was a guest at his home last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Jim Brown spent Sunday the guest of Mr and Mrs Alpheus Scott of Athens.

The funeral of the late Nelson Church, who died at Cranbrooke, B. C., was held at Addison on Thursday at one o'clock, from the residence of his father, Mr Levi Church. The Church was filled by the friends of the deceased, who had known him a life time. The remains were placed in the Athens vault. There are left to mourn his loss his father, four sisters and four brothers, namely: Messrs Alfred, William, Levi and Mills. Mrs William Johnston of Frankville, Mrs Samuel Brown of Addison, Miss Lucy Church, of Brockville, Mrs Osborne Tweedy of Toronto.

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Everywhere Acknowledge the Superiority of Vinol

If one person more than another should know the value of a medicine it is the retail pharmacist.

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Mr Chas. E. Rogers, Druggist, of Elkton, Ky., writes: "I consider Vinol one of the best remedies in my store, and sell more of it than any one medicine. I have also used Vinol in my family with excellent results."

Mr J. F. Bradley of New Brunswick, N.J., writes: "It is a pleasure to recommend the cod liver preparation, Vinol, as it gives such splendid satisfaction. As I have used it in my family, I can recommend it from experience."

The reason Vinol is so far superior to old fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions is because it contains all the medicinal, body building elements of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cod's livers with all the useless oil eliminated and peptonated of iron added.

As a body builder and strength creator for old people, weak women, delicate children, after sickness and for all pulmonary troubles, Vinol is recommended by over 5000 of the leading druggists of the United States. Your money back if it fails. J. P. Lamb & Son, Druggists, Athens, Ont.

CHARLESTON

March was certainly ushered in like a lion.

Mr John Foster and Mr and Mrs T. Foster went to Toledo on Friday to visit Mr and Mrs John Foster and family before they leave for their home in the far West.

Mr and Mrs R. Foster treated a number of their friends to a grand party on Friday evening. Games, music and dancing were indulged in until the wee sma' hours.

Miss Eva Johnston was home for a few days last week on account of illness.

On Saturday afternoon about two hundred people witnessed the hockey match between Charleston Miners and Oak Leaf Wanderers, which resulted in 4 goals to 0 in favor of the Midgets. The players and their positions were:

Midgets	Wanderers
W. Johnston	Goal
A. White	H. Webster
H. Jeffrey	Point
L. Greene	S. Howard
A. Johnston	C. Point
R. Greene	C. Howard
	C. Yates
	L. Wing
	S. Haskins
	D. Morris

"The People's Column" for small ad's affords the public a cheap and effective means of buying, selling, renting or changing. If you have any unsatisfied want or if you want to satisfy the want of some wantor, make the fact known through this column. It will do you good.

MAKE IT YOURSELF

There is so much Rheumatism here in our neighborhood now that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses a ter each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

Our home druggists say they will either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription ready to take if our readers ask them.

COMMENT OF ANOTHER IFFER

To the author of, "If Only I Were Crawl."

If only you were Crawl, my friend, You'd "jag" the world from end to end; And make the very walking ring With shouts you'd shout and songs you'd sing.

Invoke the muse and make things rhyme With boys and noise and sugar time; And do the world a heap of good—I'm sure you would; indeed you would.

If you had his poetic fire You'd bring the heavens a little nigher; And teach mankind to feel the glow Of songs of days of long ago, Recall the past, and sing in praise Of dear old friends of other days, And do the world a heap of good—I'm really would; I'm sure you would. —James A. Case.

Bellamys Honor Roll

Class 4.—James Harold Grube, Minnie G. Galbraith, Clarence W. Taackberry.

Class 3.—Malcolm Galbraith.

Class 2.—William Bertie Smith, William Wallace Gray Grube.

Aggregate attendance, 181.

Average daily attendance, 6.89.

Ernest C. McLean, Teacher.

No. 5 Bastard and Burgess

HONOR ROLL

Sr. 3.—Maggie Moran and Annie Moran (equal).

Jr. 2.—Floy Whalen, Josie Bullard, Charlie Gardiner, Alfred Whalen.

Jr. 1.—Raymond Moran, Louisa Gardiner.

Jr. Pt. 1.—Thomas McFadden, Mildred Whalen.

Aggregate attendance, 258.

Average attendance, 13.56.

James E. McLean, Teacher.

Sheldon's Honor Roll

Sr. 4 (entrance)—Anna Whitmore and Bella Knapp (equal), Lucy Palmer, Douglas Hayes.

Jr. 3.—Morley Whitmore, Kenneth Sherman.

Jr. 2.—Hiley Newsome, Fraser Darling, Stuart Charlton.

Pt. 2.—Pearle Whitmore, Wright Penoy, Harold Marshall.

Sr. 1.—Ruby Whitmore, Raymond H. Bin, Richard Marshall, Talbert Dorman, Wilson Dorman.

Jr. 1.—Beryl Newsome.

M. E. Slack, Teacher.

Hard Island Honor Roll

*Those marked with an asterisk were present every day during the month.

III.—*Maude Hollingsworth, *Florence Foley, Alice Foley.

II.—*Edna Whaley, *Pearle Cowie.

Pt. II.—John Foley.

Sr. I.—Arthur Shook, Harold Hollingsworth, *Charlie Cowie.

Jr. I.—*Hazel Yates, Oscar Shook.

CHRISTAL RAPELL, Teacher.

Plum Hollow Honor Roll

Sr. 4.—Roy Kilborn, Ernest Bogert, Watson Stewart.

Jr. 4.—Blake Stewart.

Sr. 3.—Mortie Barber, Claude Gifford.

Sr. 2.—Arthur Johnson, Omar Kilborn.

Jr. 1.—Charlie Wiltsie.

Grace E. Wing, Teacher.

Humors

Come to the surface in the spring as in no other season. It's a pity they don't run themselves all off that way; but in spite of pimples and other eruptions, they mostly remain in the system. That's bad. Hood's Sarsaparilla removes them and cures all the painful and disfiguring troubles they cause. Nothing else cleanses the system and clears the complexion like Hood's.

In Memory, Travelling Back

In renewing his subscription to the Reporter, Mr James A. Case of Alpens, Mich., says: "I could not well dispense with its weekly visits. You would think, after fifty five years of absence, there would be nothing in your local columns to interest me; yet there are many things that do." And in a footnote, Mr Chase adds: "Can you, and will you give the height of Blue Mountain above Charlston Lake? A description of the surrounding country as seen from its top would make an interesting bit of reading." In reply to this question we state that the Mountain towers 160 feet above the Lake; but as for the description we must leave that to some one of our many readers who has made the ascent.

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Sen. III.—Gerald Scovil, John Ross.

Sen. II.—Edith Mackie, Hilda Kilborn, Mackie Henderson, Bernice Kilborn, Hilbert Holmes, Wesley Henderson.

Sen. Pt. II.—Gussie Parcell.

Jun. Pt. II.—Thelma Craig.

Sen. Pt. I.—Edna Henderson.

Jun. Pt. I.—Howard Henderson, Hazel Darling.

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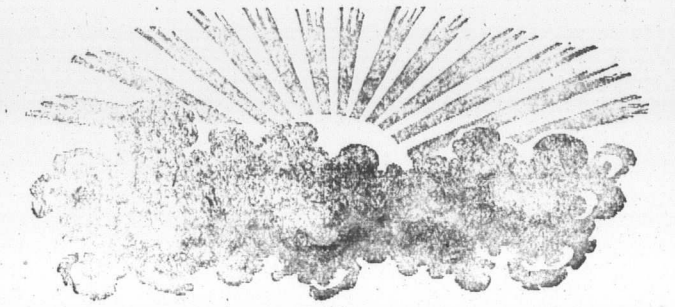
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Their Wealth, Growth and Affluence in Canada and the States.

(Montreal Witness.)

The rapid increase of the Jewish population of the United States has recently received some comment. In 1855 twenty-seven Portuguese Jews obtained reluctant leave from the Dutch governor, Peter Stuyvesant, to settle near New York; in 1881 there were about 50,000 Jews in that city; since that time each convulsion in Russia has resulted in a new exodus, until to-day there are between 800,000 and 900,000 Jews in Greater New York. One man in every five in the whole city is a Jew, and in Manhattan Island one man in every four. The "greener," as he is called, when he lands on this side, is nearly always desperately poor. For two days he is the guest of his people, and is allowed to eat and sleep as their charges. Then he goes to work. And how he does work! He believes in the eight-hour day, says Herbert Carson, eight hours before noon and eight hours after. Practically all the clothing trades are in the hands of Hebrews. They are minutely divided and subdivided into contractors and sub-contractors, and the man going into the ranks of the most poorly-paid workmen sees in himself the prospective employer of labor and doggedly pushes his way upward till he attains his end. There is still a supply of new immigrants coming, from which the lower ranks can be recruited. The clothing trades are, however, not the only career into which the Jew has entered. He has come into every field of effort, and in every field of effort he is meeting with almost startling success. The poverty which the Jew has in cities on this side is no index to the true state of the people. These are largely inhabited by recent arrivals, the former residents having moved into pleasure and more sanitary districts. But even the poor peddler, with his pack or push cart, or the poor sitcher in the factory is not always as poor as he appears. Alongside of the Hebrew's ambition to be an employer of labor is another—to be a landlord. This he also attains by degree. He rents and sublets, buys on mortgage and finally buys land and building outright. So, in twenty-five years Russian-Jewish immigrants have acquired property in New York running into hundreds of millions of value. In Montreal and other cities the same movements are perceptible. The Jew of to-day believes in the old Hebrew proverb which tells him that to get understanding brings long life, riches and honor. In 1904, in twenty-eight schools in New York, where the attendance was 64,005, there were 61,103 Hebrew children. In thirty-nine Philadelphia schools, having an attendance of 21,485, there were 11,683 Jews, and in nine schools in Chicago, with a roll of 11,430, the Jewish children numbered 7,928. We know in Montreal how rapidly the schools in some districts are becoming entirely Jewish. In the higher educational institutions—Columbia University, New York City College and Normal School, and in our own universities, young Jewish men and women carry off high honors, often from competitors who apparently possessed greater advantages. Mr. Burton Hendrick says: "In spite of all drawbacks, the Russian Jew has advanced in practically every direction. His economic improvement is paralleled by that of no other immigrant race. In accumulating wealth, in liberating himself from ignorance and poverty, the Irishman, the Italian, the German, even the German Jew, cuts a poor figure beside him."

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Exceptional Instance. Gollifer—I've got to move my dwelling house a quarter of a mile or more. Have you any idea what it will cost me? Goch—It depends entirely on the mode of transportation and the difficulties in the way. I knew a man in Jackson county, over in Missouri, who once had his house moved 300 miles by the simple process of building it a little too close to the banks of the Missouri River, and he didn't have to pay a cent for it.

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FARMER BUYS A CAR. Although yesterday was a society day at the motor car show, with an admission price of \$1, the number of farmers attending was increased. But the dealers could pick them out, and took especial pains to do so. For, as one dealer said, "When a farmer asks about machines he means business. One of the most picturesque of the farmers was Isaac Page, of Dickinson county, Kansas. He spent a few minutes in earnest conversation with W. S. Hathaway and then announced that he had traded his Maxwell runabout for a touring car. He spoke as if he had purchased nothing more valuable than an incubator.

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MILES OF STRAIGHT ROAD.

A Condition Which Makes Motoring a Delight in France.

There are many sections of the chief roads in France which run for miles in an absolutely straight line. The country is invariably rolling and it is nothing unusual to come to the summit of some hill and see the road stretching away in front as straight as a die as far as the eye can reach. Another feature of the French roads is the entire absence of fences, says the Outlook Magazine. Fields come to the very edge of the grass bordering the rows of trees that line the roads and in Normandy and Brittany, especially, every foot of the acreage seems to be tilled in many places both cutters of the road on hills are carefully paved with stones so that the water may be carried off without cutting ruts in the macadam at the edges.

Motoring is ideal when it can be enjoyed under mile after mile of arched foliage, past fertile fields, and picturesque cottages.

Made by a Convict. In the gardens attached to the Houses of Parliament, Melbourne, there is an elaborately sculptured fountain, embellished with human figures, birds, flowers, and various other ornamental work in stone. This fountain has a remarkable history. It was constructed entirely by a convict named William Stanford, with-in the walls of the Melbourne jail. When a young man of twenty-one, Stanford, in a weak moment, joined a band of bushrangers desperadoes, was captured and sentenced to terms of imprisonment amounting in the aggregate to twenty-one years. One day Colonel Champ, the governor of Melbourne jail, was astonished to find a beautiful anglo figure which Stanford had carved out of a meat bone. He showed it to the leading sculptor of Melbourne, who declared that the young man was a natural genius. The sculptor visited the jail and gave Stanford the bank cashier did not know Signor Arditi, he told him he must get himself identified before he could receive any money. "But I do not know anyone here," protested the musical conductor. "I'm very sorry," said the cashier. Signor Arditi thought for a few moments, and presently said: "Do you ever attend the opera, young man?" "Frequently," said the cashier. "I am very fond of music."

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Bill stolidly shifted the quid of tobacco in his mouth, and turned to leave the court room with the marshal. Once outside the only thing he said was this: "Well, I suah am glad he wa'n't mad at me!"

An Obliging Patient. The day the doctor called to treat little Kitty for a slight ailment it was only by the most persistent persuasion that he succeeded in getting the child to show him her tongue. "A few days subsequent to this the child said to her mother: 'Ma, the doctor don't have to tease me to obey him any more.' "Why not?" "Cause everytime I see him going by the house now, I stick my tongue out at him!"—Lippincott's.

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The Fish's Punishment. Deacon (meeting a boy on Sunday morning carrying a string of fish)—Johnny, Johnny, do these belong to you? Johnny—Ye-es, sir. You see, that's what they've got for chasing worms on Sunday!—Pick-Me-Up.

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Opening Darkest Africa. The Congo Free State contains about 800,000 square miles of territory, and a population variously estimated at from twenty to thirty millions. In favor of government it may be said that, along commercial lines, the state is being greatly developed, an important step in this direction being the suppression of the Arab slave trade. The capital of the state is Boma, a city of several thousand people, situated forty-five miles from the mouth of the Congo River. Just below the first great rapids, an impassable barrier to ocean vessels, is located Matadi, a city of about 3,000 people, and the point from which is shipped most of the rubber and ivory brought down from the interior. From this city a railroad extends 240 miles to Leopoldville, from which point the river is navigable for 900 miles to Stanley Lake. From Stanley Falls to Lake Tanganyika, a distance of over 700 miles, a railroad is being constructed which will connect ultimately with the Cape to Cairo railroad, thus opening up a vast district, and furnishing much needed additional transportation facilities for the enormous lumber and mining interests of the state.—C. F. Stoddard in Leslie's Weekly.

Where a Man Can Kick. Away from home I am compelled to smile. Though in my heart is bitterness and gall. Be nice to people I don't like at all! And speak quite softly, though I rage the while. At home I freely manifest my bile, If things don't suit me you hear something fall. Yes, there they all come running when I call, And meekly listen if I should revile. I'm boss—supreme. Who shall dispute my sway, Or talk back when upon some fault I pick? When I demand, who dares to say me nay? I'd settle a rebellion mighty quick, Ah, home, sweet home; I love it, I must say. It's just one place where a man can kick. —Chicago News.

THE DIFFERENCE. He was a dog But he stayed at home He guarded the family night and day. He was a dog That didn't roam He lay on the porch and chased the stray—The tramp, the burglar, the hen away; For a dog's true heart for the house hold best. At morning and evening, in cold and heat. He was a dog. He was a man And didn't stay To mind his wife and children fair. He was a man And every day His heart grew calmer, its love beats rare. He thought of himself at the close of day And clasp in his fingers, hurried away To the club, the lodge, the store, the show. But he had a right to go, you know, He was a man. —New York Globe.

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To-day a remarkable execution has taken place in this city, the like of which I think has never happened even in the annals of Chinese executions. The man who was executed was found guilty of highway robbery and sentenced to be beheaded. He is the seventh of the family to suffer the extreme penalty in this city. The parents gave birth to eight boys, and from whatever cause it is impossible for me to say, the whole family have just given themselves up body and soul to evil. The poor old mother escorted this, her seventh, son to the execution ground walling her dreadful fate the whole way. On arrival the magistrate, fearing she might cause trouble, had her forcibly removed outside the crowd until all was over, when she ran back to the bleeding, headless body of her poor boy and again took up her wailing.—Sui-fu correspondence Shanghai Mercury.

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King Frederick and the Gentry. Frederick the Great of Prussia often told a laughable story of an experience of his own. During one of his campaigns in Silesia he made it his habit to stroll through his camp in disguise at night to come in touch with his soldiers. One night he was stopped by a sentry, but giving the proper password was permitted to proceed. Instead of doing so, however, he endeavored to tempt the sentry into accepting a cigar, saying that a smoke would relax his long watch. "It is against the rules," said the soldier. "But you have my permission," said the King. "Your permission! Who are you?" "I am the King!" "The King be hanged!" said the incorruptible sentry. "What would my captain say?"

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New Bridge at Cairo. The Island of Rodah, in the Nile, where tradition says Moses was found in the bulrushes, has just been connected with Cairo by the largest bridge ever built over the Nile in that section. The Spanish bridge, which took three years to build, is 1,740 feet long and 65 feet broad. There are fourteen spans, but sides a turning span of 208 feet, which is swung by an electric motor, and which when opened gives a clear 70 feet on either side for the passage of vessels. At a recent official test every square yard of the bridge was subjected to a weight of 400 pounds. In order to give this weight the footpaths were piled with sand, while twenty-four water carts filled with sand and eight traction engines were kept on the bridge a whole day. The deflection of each span was noted, and after that the whole of the huge traffic was driven at full speed across the bridge.—From Zion's Herald.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. Vacuum From Blow Out Shot. Experiments made in Austria, says the Engineering and Mining Journal, show that a vacuum resulting from a blowout shot may amount to as much as 1-2 inch of mercury, which is equivalent to 8 lbs. to 9 lbs. to the square foot. This reduction of pressure creates an increase in the flow of fire-damp in the ratio of 235 to 100. Under the conditions stated blow-out shots may furnish a considerable amount of gas that would not be driven from the coal under ordinary conditions.

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A Menace on the Northern Frontier for Centuries.

London, March 2.—Lord Kitchener's little frontier war in the Bazar Valley against the Zakkakhet tribesmen is making rapid and successful progress. The purpose of the expedition is to punish the tribesmen for numerous raids into Indian territory, and in a remarkably short campaign they have been scattered and broken, their forts have been destroyed, and many of the tribesmen have been killed.

The expedition is thought here to reflect credit upon the reorganization of the Indian army as carried out by Lord Kitchener. Tommy Atkins is profiting by the lessons learned from the Russo-Japanese war. The British troops advanced on the enemy in open order with wide intervals between them. The men took advantage of all available cover. This method of procedure, surprised and disheartened the natives, who were accustomed to their sniping tactics to the targets made by the more or less compact column formation employed by previous expeditions.

The Zakkakhet have from time immemorial been the most troublesome of neighbors to the people of northern India. They have for centuries been in the habit of swooping down from their fastnesses, situated in a land that has been described as "a country on end," and "an upside down country," and robbing and murdering whomever the fancy took them. It was they who hatched the plot whereby the British posts in the Kharbar were captured in 1897. It was they who formed the kernel of the resistance to British arms during the campaign in Tirah, and remained to the end unconquered and untamed. Since that campaign there has been almost no crime which the Zakkakhet have not committed. Neither the persons nor the properties of dwellers in the lowlands have been safe from these highland catenans.

G. W. Stevens in his book "In India," gives vivid impression of the customs of these turbulent tribes. "They have a custom, when they plough," he says, "of meeting in jirgah, and there each man lays down a stone before him; while the ploughing lasts the stones are thrown and no blood feuds sleep. The other day, the war with the Sirdar being over, and a feeling abroad that the rifles had been silent too long, they came to the General Sahib for permission to lift the stones and open the country for shooting season. The first village that begins will be destroyed," said he, "and they went away sorrowful, but obedient."

The force sent against the Zakkakhet consisted of 7,000 men under Major-General Sir James Willcocks. So far as British troops were concerned, only three battalions were engaged, but these worthily represented England, Scotland and Ireland. They were the Warwickshires, the Seaforth Highlanders and the Munster Fusiliers. In addition there were detachments from various Sikh, Gurkha and Punjabi regiments, squadrons of the 37th Lancers, mountain batteries and sappers.

REFUSED HIM.

ITALIAN SUITOR SHOT FRENCH SWEETHEART.

He Also Shot Her Father and Brother—But None Fatally—He Was Arrested—Nearly a Lynching Followed.

Montreal, March 2.—Following the carnival of Italian crime in the city, word has been received of an outbreak at Baie du Veve, which nearly resulted in a lynching. As it was, three French-Canadians were injured. The people of the neighborhood were greatly excited. An Italian foreman of some construction work going on at that place, not far from Serle, wanted to marry a girl named Lemire, but was rejected. In the course of his argument he shot at the girl three times, fracturing her arm with one shot, and also shot her father, who rushed to the rescue, and wounded the girl's brother with a stiletto. He was finally disarmed and taken to jail at Serle.

STABS HIS STEP-MOTHER. Toronto Italian Woman. 1 Woman With Ex.

Toronto despatch: In a family row at 202 Chestnut street last night Amido Cannone, aged 19, stabbed his stepmother, Bridget Cannone, in a debate as to whether he should or should not share in the contents of a keg of beer which had been bought by Michele Cannone, Amido's father. Before Amido went home to Chestnut street last night about 8 o'clock he had evidently been drinking. Michele Cannone, his father, and the ten or so lodgers in the house had pooled their money and had bought a keg of beer; all had contributed to Amido. So when Amido came in his father refused to allow him to share what others had bought, and he went upstairs very indignant.

man of seventy, and Domenico Patrino, one of the lodgers, pulled him away, they found a short but very thick-bladed knife clenched in his fist, and the others noticed that the old woman was bleeding profusely from wounds in the left arm and the back. Fortunately the blade of the knife was so short that it did not inflict very deep wounds.

KILLED ROBBER.

NEW YORK SALOON KEEPER HID THE BODY AND HE WAS AFRAID.

Was Arrested Later On and Admitted the Shooting—Robber's Companions Under Arrest—Dead Man Said to Have Been Leader of the Forty Thieves.

New York, March 2.—In a desperate battle with four men, who attempted to rob him as he was about to close his saloon in East 24th street early to-day, Thomas Craven shot one of the robbers dead and put the others to flight. Then, fearing the killing might mean a long term of imprisonment for him, Craven concealed the body of the dead robber in a hallway outside the saloon and hurried to his home without notifying the police. When the officers took him into custody less than an hour later he at first denied all knowledge of the killing, but finally made his full statement. The three men who escaped from the saloon after their companion had been killed are also under arrest. The man who was killed was known only as "Scar" Reilly. Those who were arrested gave their names as John Kenny, Frank Reilly and Albert Dobson. Reilly is said to have been the leader of a gang known to the police as "the forty thieves," the members of which are believed to have been responsible for much crime on the east side.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

TWO MEN MEET DEATH IN RAILWAY WRECK.

Firebox of Runaway Engine Sets Fire to Caboose of Freight It Had Collided With—Engineer Thrown Through Window.

Bradford despatch: Brakeman Charles Fox and Thomas E. Powell, both of Bradford, were killed and their bodies burned to a crisp in a wreck on the Erie Railroad near Brockwayville, Pa., this morning.

Engineer Charles Ray, also of Bradford, had one leg broken and was badly bruised. The accident was caused by a runaway engine, No. 303, colliding with the rear end of an Erie freight which was standing in front of the junction tower while Engineer Holleran was after orders to allow his train to take the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh tracks to come toward Bradford. Engineer Ray was in charge of the runaway locomotive. He was making arrangements to attach the engine to a stub train to run through to Bradford when the engine got beyond his control.

For a mile the locomotive made great speed. Engineer Ray stuck to his post and when the crash came he was thrown through the window of his cab and his leg was broken. The shock of the collision was terrific and both Fox and Powell were instantly killed. The fire box of the locomotive set fire to the splintered caboose and the two bodies were cremated and rendered unrecognizable. Beside the caboose two cars were consumed by the flames. Snow was used to stop the progress of the fire. The dead were brought to this city on a special train this afternoon.

Powell was 27 years of age and had lived in Bradford for 18 years. He was formerly identified with the Bradford fire department. He leaves a widow and one son, his mother, three brothers and two sisters.

Charles Fox was about 40 years of age and leaves a widow.

WILL NOT TAKE OUT BULLET. Mrs. J. J. Feehley, Shot by Her Husband, Has Left Hospital.

Toronto despatch: Mrs. J. J. Feehley, who was shot by her husband at her home at 82 Euclid avenue, who afterwards shot and killed himself, will leave St. Michael's Hospital to-day and go to friends at Niagara Falls. "We have put the X-rays on her back and have located the bullet above her right shoulder-blade," said Dr. Silverthorne this morning. "The bullet entered the left shoulder and went right across her back, lodging above the shoulder blade on the right side. We are not going to take out the bullet, as it is doing no harm to her body."

"Had the revolver been pointed but a shade more in the direction of her body it would have either cut her spinal cord or entered her chest. In either case she would have died. We cut a hole about four inches long in her shoulder and got out all the material carried in by the bullet."

NOT A THIRSY CROWD. Few of British Marines on Way Home to England Drank Stimulants.

Ottawa, March 2.—Sixty-five marines passed through Ottawa yesterday on their way back from Esquimaut to England. During their long rail journey the men were well treated by the British Government. They had a colonist car to themselves, and were given three meals a day in the dining car. The Government allowed every one his choice of spirits, beer or mineral water with his meals; but through the long trip, which is sometimes regarded as an excuse for copious libations, only twenty-three needed alcoholic stimulants.

The rest made inroads upon the stock of mineral water, which necessitated frequent replenishments, much to the surprise of the commissariat department. The men had laid in a heavy stock of different thirst quenchers in anticipation of the traditional British seafaring man's thirst.

ATTEMPT TO KILL SHAH OF PERSIA

His Majesty Escaped Bomb But Three of the Outer Guards Lose Their Lives.



Teheran, Persia, March 2.—An attempt was made in this city this afternoon to assassinate the Shah of Persia by a bomb. His Majesty was not hurt. Three of the outer guards who were accompanying him at the time were killed.

The Shah owes his escape to the precautions taken to protect him from just such an attempt as was made this morning. He was on his way to a nearby town where he intended to pass a few days. The procession had left the palace and was traversing a narrow street when two bombs were hurled at it from the roof of a house. One exploded in the air but the other struck the ground near the Shah's automobile. This missile killed the three outriders, wounding the chauffeur and a score of bystanders and shattered the vehicle. The Shah, however, was not in his automobile having taken the precaution to send the motor car on ahead and ride himself in a carriage further in the rear of the procession. The motor car was a closed one and it was thought that the sovereign was inside.

As soon as the Shah heard the explosion he alighted hurriedly from his carriage and entered a neighboring house. Here he remained quietly while his attendants sent word for a detachment of troops. The soldiers were hurried to the scene and formed in front of the house where the Shah was. He then came out and surrounded by a big body guard returned to the palace. The house from which the bombs were thrown and the buildings near by were searched by the police, but no arrests were made.

THE LICENSING BILL.

MR. ASQUITH INTRODUCES HIS MEASURE IN THE COMMONS.

Will Wipe Out a Third of the Country's Saloons in Twenty Years, and Place License System Under Unfettered Control of the State. London, March 2.—Mr. H. H. Asquith, Chancellor of the Exchequer, introduced the Licensing Bill in the House of Commons this afternoon. This is the principal Government measure for the present session of Parliament. The capital invested in licensed property in this country is about \$1,200,000,000, while over 2,000,000 people are employed in the traffic. Briefly, the bill provides for the compulsory reduction within a specified period, and on a uniform scale, of the number of saloons licensed throughout the country. In cities it is proposed to allow one saloon for every 750 persons, and in the country districts one saloon for every 400 persons. This regulation, it is estimated, will wipe out in the neighborhood of 30,000 licenses, about one-third of the present total.

The bill proposes that this reduction be effected within twenty years. Local option is to govern the issuance of new licenses, and a majority of the parochial electors is sufficient to prohibit the granting of a license. Mr. Asquith expressed the opinion that England was not yet ripe for compulsory Sunday closing, but he said that outside the metropolis no saloon would be allowed to keep open on Sunday for more than one hour at mid-day or more than two hours in the evening. In conclusion, the Chancellor declared that if this bill was adopted, the State in twenty years would obtain unfettered control of the license system.

The system of compensating those entirely deprived of their licenses is to lapse after a period of fourteen years from the commencement of the act, and an end thus will be put to the vested interests in all licenses.

WILLED MAN RINGS. FOR PROMISE OF BURIAL IN FOREST LAWN CEMETERY.

Strange Case Before the Court in Buffalo—Left \$2,000 Worth of Diamonds—Woman Had Property in Brantford, Ont.

Buffalo, March 2.—The agreement by which the body of Josephine Preston, who for years lived at 100 Oak street, now rests in Forest Lawn Cemetery was ratified yesterday when Surrogate Louis B. Hart admitted the Preston woman's will to probate. Frank X. Bernhardt, saloonkeeper at 138 Exchange street, and the executor of the woman's will, was bequeathed \$2,000 worth of diamonds. He buried the woman in his lot in Forest Lawn.

Maud Cortright, who now occupies the Oak street house, was a witness before Surrogate Hart yesterday morning. She testified to the fact that the Preston woman made the proposition to Bernhardt, who had married her sister in 1889. She told him that she would give him her valuable rings if he would grant her desire to be buried in Forest Lawn. Bernhardt consented, sent for a lawyer and the compact was carried out.

Bernhardt is a leading Republican politician. Two years ago he was the nominee of the Republican party to represent the thirty-fifth district in Congress. He was defeated by William H. Ryan.

Besides bequeathing the diamonds to Bernhardt, she provided for the care of the aged mother of the Preston woman, and for this purpose Maude Cortright will administer her real estate at Brantford, Ont. Brothers and sisters unprovided for

in the Preston woman's will sought by alleging undue influence by Bernhardt to procure for themselves a share of the estate. They alleged that Bernhardt's lawyer had drawn the will to give him more of the jewelry than the Preston woman had intended. Ernest W. McAvoy represented Bernhardt in the proceedings.

THE RACE TRACK.

THOSE WHO FOLLOW THE RACES SUBJECT TO DISSIPATION.

San Francisco, March 2.—In an address before a mass meeting under the auspices of the recently organized California Anti-Track League in the First Congregational Church of Berkeley last night, Prof. David Starr Jordan, of Stanford University, discussed "Dissipation and the Struggles Against It." He condemned gambling, smoking and drinking habits, and overturned the generally accepted theory of heredity. "You are beginning a fight against the race track and its attendant evils," he said. "It is the right of the people to suppress these evils, just as much as it is their right to make laws governing sanitary conditions. One of the main evils attendant upon life of the race track is dissipation of various kinds, due to the fact that the gambler leads not a life full of activity, but one full of nervous excitement, resulting in nerve waste. His outlook upon life is sad. The doctors, not the ministers, should be the greatest enemies of intemperance, for they know the harm it works on the system. This is on the basis of economics and not of morals."

In dealing with heredity in connection with vice, he said: "Every child comes into the world free born. By this I mean that he is all his father and mother should be. Therefore, brought up in right conditions, he has a good chance of becoming a worthy citizen, not subject to vice."

AFTER SUFFRAGISTS

WITH WASTE BASKETS AND TICKER TAPE.

Broad Street, New York, Visited by Women Who Demand Equality at the Polls—Demonstration Broken Up Almost Before It Began.

New York, March 2.—Three gallantes from the firing line of the Fresh Air Suffragettes and Mr. George Black, of Harlem, went down this afternoon to show the financial district a great light. Broad street for a block on either side of the Exchange building saw the light, but not in the same manner that the three valiantes would have it, and after a bombardment of waste paper baskets, water bags and ticker tape from every window within reach for fifteen stories above the street, the three brave women and Mr. Black went away from that place just as a full-bodied young riot was in the making.

An open carriage containing Mrs. Wells and her fellow crusaders tried to drive down Broad street at 3 o'clock and drew up in front of the Broad Exchange. As Miss Murphy unfurled a yellow "Votes for Women" banner Mrs. Wells stood up to speak.

The effect of her words was electric. Every window on both sides of the street from the bankers' offices on the ground floor to the cubbyholes under the eaves, was thrown up and clerks, blonde typewriters and office boys struggled in the sills for vantage ground. Somebody realizing that a joke was in progress began to unfurl ticker tape from a window away up in the building across the street and within five minutes miles of the white ribbons were whipping and twisting from a dozen windows of the Exchange building.

Somehow away up near the roof of the Broad Exchange dropped a paper bag filled with water. It burst on the carriage top near the speaker and splattered Mr. Black. Mr. Black opened his mouth to speak. Two water bags came down with a rush from somewhere up near the sky line. Then bananas and great mushy chocolate drops such as constitute a messenger boy's lunch began flying thickly about the heads of the suffragettes.

About the time that one of the policemen went up to the Wall street corner to turn in a call for reserves, Mrs. Borran Wells accepted the inevitable and ordered the coachman to drive away.

ORDERED TO REMOVE GOWN. Dramatic Moment in Lawson Mining Action.

Toronto despatch: Contrary to general expectation the High Court action to force the carrying out of an agreement settling the dispute over the Lawson mine was not concluded yesterday, although the arguments of counsel for Mr. Thomas Crawford had been delivered. Mr. S. R. Clarke, who is appearing on the defence for himself, announced at 1 o'clock, when an adjournment was ordered, that it would probably take him about two hours to finish his argument. The frequent crossing of swords between Chief Justice Meredith, who is trying the case, and Mr. Clarke again kept the proceedings decidedly interesting. The objection which his Lordship has had since the trial opened to Mr. Clarke appearing in his own defence came to a head when the lawyer was ordered to remove his gown while giving argument.

THEY ALLOWED OPIUM. Percy Brown Sentenced at Montreal to Five Years.

Montreal, March 2.—Percy Brown, a dangerous thief and pickpocket, was sentenced to five years in penitentiary to-day by Judge Choquet. Brown asked Dr. Picot, police physician, for opium, saying that he had been used to taking between fifteen and twenty grains every day, and that he might die if the supply were altogether cut off. Dr. Picot allowed him one-quarter of a grain every three or four hours.

WANTED TO DIE.

Murderer Pleads For Electric Chair Instead of Jail.

New York, March 2.—Giovanni Pisano pleaded with justice Dowling in the Court of General Sessions to-day to send him to death in the electric chair. A plea of guilty to murder in the second degree had been offered by Pisano's counsel. Assistant District Attorney Ely had agreed to accept the plea, and sentence—which would have been not less than 20 years and not more than the natural term of life—was about to be pronounced, when the prisoner remonstrated. "I don't want to go to prison for the rest of my life," he said, through an interpreter. "I would rather die. I want to go to the electric chair."

"Tell the Judge I have been abandoned by all my family," he continued, to the interpreter. "Tell him I am alone, and that I want him to sentence me to die."

After a conference between court and counsel the original plea was allowed to stand and the prisoner was sent back to the Tombs, to await sentence. Pisano shot and killed Luigi Mapolitano at Hester and Mulberry streets last October, when Mapolitano was getting the better of Pisano's brother in a street fight.

CONGO TROUBLE.

Belgian Political Circles Impressed With Debate.

Brussels, March 2.—The recent debate in the British House of Commons and the speech of Sir Edward Grey relative to the Congo situation, has caused a deep impression in political circles here. The differences between King Leopold and the Belgian Parliament still continue over the question of the annexation of the Congo Independent State. It is reported that King Leopold now demands a civil list of \$600,000 from the Congo, and the various parties are showing signs of impatience. It is even considered probable that the Belgian Parliament will abandon the Congo-Free State altogether unless a prompt decision is reached.

PAARDEBERG DINNER. South African Veterans Are Guests of Earl Grey.

Ottawa despatch: The Paardeberg dinner took place at Government House to-night, his Excellency the Governor-General presiding. He read two cablegrams in the following terms: "Calcutta, Feb. 26.—Hearty good wishes to you all on Paardeberg day. (Signed) Minto." "Ascot, Feb. 27.—Warmest greeting to Paardeberg Canadians, who are ever held in grateful remembrance by me. (Signed) Roberts."

The reading of these despatches evoked great cheering. His Excellency's speech was one of the happiest to which the Paardeberg veterans have ever listened. His reference to the celebration of Quebec's tercentenary showed how much his Excellency has at heart the preservation of the most sacred historic spot on the American continent. Sir Frederick Borden had many interesting things to say that were strictly on family.

The reference to the Quebec tercentenary evoked the Celtic fervor of Rev. Father O'Leary. At noon to-day the South Africa veterans decorated the monument at the City Hall, erected in memory of the South African veterans.

MINER HEROES DECORATED. King Personally Awards Edward Medal for Saving Lives.

London, March 2.—The Edward Medal, the decoration instituted by the King as a reward for gallantry in saving or attempting to save lives in mines, quarries, was to-day personally presented by King Edward to two gallant miners, Francis Chandler and William Everson.

Chandler was the first man to be recommended for the medal since the institution of the decoration last July, and the deed which won him the decoration was an exceptionally brave one. Several men employed in the Hoyland Silkstone Colliery were imprisoned in the boiler house by an earth dump, and Chandler, though badly scalded himself, rescued a number of his companions by almost superhuman feats of pluck and endurance.

The third winner of the medal was G. H. Lamb, who lost his life in an attempt to save the lives of comrades in the Stratheona mine, at Stratheona, British Columbia. The King granted the decoration to the dead man's sister, Miss Margaret Jane Lamb, who resides at Newcastle-on-Tyne. She expressed the wish that she should wear it. The medal was accordingly to-day presented to Miss Lamb by the Lord Mayor of Newcastle.

ALL SEND THE BEST. London Emigration Organizations Deny Sending Undesirables.

London, March 2.—Canada's new order against the importation of undesirable immigrants is exercising the charitable emigration organizations. The chairman of the Central Unemployed body declares it sends out the most acceptable men of any agency in East London. The emigration fund organization, which also assisted 6,000 emigrants to Canada in 1907, is equally certain it is not aimed at, while Col. Lamb says the order will not hamper the Salvation Army in the slightest.

AUSTRALIA'S MILITARY SCHEME. A System for Defence Purely, Says Premier Deakin.

Melbourne, March 2.—Premier Deakin alluding to the Hague Tribunal, declared that no people in the world would give any agency in East London more arbitration than the Australians. The Government's military scheme provided for defence, not for offence. Whenever the necessity arose, as it did in South Africa, it must be met by volunteers again.

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Local and General

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In Hastings county a pedlar has to pay \$100 for a license.

A temperance wave is sweeping over the Province of Manitoba.

Now the bachelors know how the girls feel when they have to sit and wait for a proposal.

Epworth League, Monday evening. Topic—The wise use of time. Leader, Mr B. S. Cornell.

It is proposed to build an electric railway along the banks of the St. Lawrence from Brockville to Prescott.

Mr and Mrs T. H. Weatherhead of North Augusta spent Sunday with their sons here and Mrs Weatherhead is remaining this week.

John Henry Chapman of Harlem and Miss Laura Louise Adrian, Fort- far, were married in Elgin Thursday by Rev. E. W. Crane.

The old saying that the abbreviation for February—Feb—means "freezes every body" seems to have come true this year.

Mr Ab. Kavanagh of Temperance Lake has leased the big Thomas Ronen farm, including everything but the house furniture. Mr Ronen will reside at Athens.

At the last session of the Elizabeth town township council permission was given to the Addison, Greenbush and Rockspring rural telephone company permission to erect poles on the highways and exempt them from taxation.

The remains of the late Nelson Church, who died at Cranbrooke, B.C., were brought to the home of his father, Levi Church of Addison, and the funeral service was conducted in the Methodist church on Thursday.

The services held by Major Williams in the town hall this week were largely attended, the auditorium and gallery of the town hall being completely filled last night. Resident ministers assisted in the services and a union choir led in the singing.

It is a sign of the times that the Pullman company will abolish the sale of intoxicating liquors on trains after the 1st of March. Everywhere the temperance sentiment is spreading if only the great question is handled right at this time there is no saying what the end may be.

Mr N. K. Benedict seriously injured one of his hips by a fall on Sunday evening. He had been in poor health all winter, but latterly was able to move about the house. He received prompt medical attention, but it is thought the injury will confine him to bed for a long time. He is very nervous and suffers considerably.

Mr J. M. Davis of Markdale is visiting old friends in this section. He is still lame from the injury he received in the railway smash-up last fall, but is otherwise in excellent health and spirits. His graphic portrayal of incidents following the wreck is interesting, and that out of a train load of excursionists so few were killed or seriously injured is a matter for thankfulness.

Dr H. Cumberland Wilson of Brockville will be in this town on Monday, March 9, with the object of organizing a musical club, etc. Miss Jessie E. Taplin has kindly asked those who are desirous of meeting the Dr. to be at her residence on Monday evening (9th) at 8.30. It is most important that all lovers of music should endeavor to be present at that hour, as this meeting will decide whether such a club can be started here or not. Come one, come all. The Dr. will also be glad to meet any who are anxious to take private lessons, vocal or instrumental.

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Dr J. Dunn of Elgin was a visitor in Athens on Monday.

Read the special offering in Kendrick's adv't this week.

Miss Byers has returned to her dressmaking rooms over Earl's tinshop.

Mrs D. Chant spent a few days last week at the home of Mr and Mrs Eli Chant, Chantry.

Mr Jet Hawkins has moved into the residence of Mr Horace Booth on Henry street.

A grand debate is to be held at the regular meeting of the Epworth League on the 16th.

Mr and Mrs Morley Holmes have moved to the Charles Yates farm, Simcoe.

Last year the number of liquor licenses dropped out of existence in Ontario was 198.

Rev. S. Sellery of Brockville has been called to the pastorate of Queen Street Church, Kingston.

Public services in the Presbyterian church will be held on Sunday morning next at 10.30 o'clock.

Rev I N. Beekstead is in Brockville for a few days attending the regular meeting of Brockville Presbytery.

Mr James Bach of Ottawa, father of Mr Theo. Bach, Brockville, dropped dead in his office in the immigration building.

Gananogue Journal: Mr Robt. Taber, of Athens, and Mr George Taber, of Hull, Que., spent Friday with relatives in town.

Miss Edna Steacy is this week in Toronto attending the millinery openings and will open out business in Athens this season.

The Rideau Dramatic Club of Newboro will present the comedy drama, "Diamonds and Hearts" in the town hall, Athens, on Tuesday, March 10.

Mr Melvin Trickey will have charge of the cheese factory at Seely's recently purchased by Mr R. Henderson and will shortly remove his family to that place.

Very lion like was the coming in of March. On Monday the heaviest snow fall of the season occurred, about a foot of the feathery flakes coming down in a few hours.

North Augusta Citizen: Mrs W. E. Frye is packing up her household effects preparatory to moving to Chapeau to join her husband who has a lucrative position.

Last week Mr A. R. Brown, purchased from Mr B. Loverin his Main street building now occupied by Mr Tribute, grocer, and Mr Kavanagh, barber, and will fit it up for his harness business.

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In his evening sermon in Brockville on Sunday last, Rev. S. D. Chown, D.D., secretary of temperance and moral reforms in the Methodist church, said that while the Scott Act was in force in Leeds and Grenville more members were added to the church than during any similar period.

Graben, the Prescott man, who is charged with making a false affidavit in respect to the age of the 16 year old girl he married, has been admitted to bail. His wife had been dead less than three months when he contracted this marriage. He has three little children.

"Old Inevitable" the village fire engine is now in better shape for business than it has ever been since its arrival in Athens. A few inexpensive additions to the interior of the fire hall should now be made, including rings in the wall for fastening the hose up to dry, pegs for holding the books and ladders, and a bracket lamp to be used when the gas is not turned on the hall.

An exchange says that we are to have a good flow of sap this spring because "the frost has penetrated the ground to a great depth and will be a long time in leaving it." Well, as a matter of fact, there is very little frost in the ground, but all signs fall following such a winter as we have experienced, so we are anticipating a very profitable sugar season with the usual concomitants—new laid eggs and boiled ham.

The Farmers Bank building is now respondent with gold lettering.

Mrs Jas E. Burchell and children visited friends in Cardinal last week.

The Royal Scots this evening. A number of good seats at 25c are still to be had.

The death is announced of Edward Horton of New Dublin. Funeral Thursday at 11 a.m.

Miss Alice Mowgrove of Ottawa is spending a few days in Athens, the guest of Mrs (Dr) Peat.

—Boy Wanted—about 15 years, with fair education—as apprentice to the printing business.—THE REPORTER.

Mr James Smith of Watertown, N.Y., has been spending a few days with friends here and at Charleston Lake.

Morrisburg dairymen are likely to invest \$15,000 in a whey-butter factory which they will establish in Prince Edward County.

Mr Mel Hamblin is moving to Athens and will occupy the residence of his mother, who is now with her daughter, Mrs W. Stafford of Delta.

The Rev S. J. Hughes will hold service at Temperance Lake next Sunday afternoon at 2.30. There will also be service at Lake Elvida at the same hour.

—After 12th of March, I will be prepared to fill orders promptly for painting, decorating, paper hanging, graining etc.—Francis Pringle, Gamble House, Athens.

Si ney Lawson of Chantry was put in Brockville jail last week, charged with threatening to kill his wife and burn their home. He is supposed to be of unsound mind.

—Notice—All having accounts with G. A. McClary are requested to call and make settlement as soon as possible. A prompt response to this notice is desired.

Evangelists Crossley and Hunter have just closed successful services at Port Hope. Over 700 came out publicly on the side of Christ and His service.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Wing have returned from a visit of several months in Boston and are now the guests of Mr and Mrs Alex Taylor. They will shortly occupy their new home on Elma street.

Wilfred P. Hughes, who is teaching at Twin Elm, has decided to follow in his father's footsteps and enter the ministry of the Methodist Church. He will begin his theological training next year.

Mr C. H. Willson has become owner of the building in which he has for many years had his butcher shop. Mr T. R. Beale, barrister, will occupy the office in the second flat, formerly the quarters of Mr I. C. Alguire, Division Court Clerk.

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HOCKEY AT CHARLESTON

On Saturday last the Moonfish of Charleston and the Pine Cones of Oak Leaf had a friendly contest for hockey supremacy at Charleston. The Coners hadn't seen a puck since away last fall; indeed it is related of their goalkeeper that he had to be introduced to the disc before the game in order that he might know just what he was expected to stop. The result of the game was a foregone conclusion, and though the Coners put up a determined fight the Moonfish had it very much their own way, as the score 3 to 0 in their favor testifies. Offsides were frequent, but it was otherwise a clean game.

Goal umpires—Matt Johnston and Glenn Earl.

Time Keeper—K. McClary. Referee—L. D. Willson.

Following the game, the Moonfish, with characteristic hospitality, entertained the Pine Coners to a swell Barnacide banquet, to which both victors and vanquished did ample justice.

—After 12th of March, I will be prepared to fill orders promptly for painting, decorating, paper hanging, graining etc.—Francis Pringle, Gamble House, Athens.

Si ney Lawson of Chantry was put in Brockville jail last week, charged with threatening to kill his wife and burn their home. He is supposed to be of unsound mind.

—Notice—All having accounts with G. A. McClary are requested to call and make settlement as soon as possible. A prompt response to this notice is desired.

Evangelists Crossley and Hunter have just closed successful services at Port Hope. Over 700 came out publicly on the side of Christ and His service.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Wing have returned from a visit of several months in Boston and are now the guests of Mr and Mrs Alex Taylor. They will shortly occupy their new home on Elma street.

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