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COURIER OF A GRAND CAUSE

Visit of Venerable Archdeacon Madden, of England, to Maple City.

Resume of His Eloquent Appeal to the People of Chatham—The Great Work of Evangelization.

The Thanksgiving service at Holy Trinity Church yesterday morning was well attended, notwithstanding the inclement weather. The Rev. Rev. T. Beverley Smith, was assisted by Rev. Venerable Archdeacon Madden, of Liverpool, England, who preached an earnest and eloquent discourse from Deut. viii, 2. He spoke of the giving of thanks under the heads of praise, sacrifice and service.

Venerable Archdeacon Madden visited the Maple City as one of the delegates sent to Canada by the British Foreign Bible Society. The object of his visit was to invite the churches of Canada to join with the Old Country and with other English-speaking people throughout the world in celebrating the hundredth anniversary of this venerable society. The purpose of the society is to give the Bible to the vernacular to all people and nations under heaven. In pursuance of this purpose the society has issued in the last hundred years 180,000,000 copies of God's Word, either in whole or in part, in 375 different languages and dialects. All Protestant missionary societies in Christendom receive Bibles from this society to equip their missionaries for their work among the heathen.

Wherever a language is spoken and not written the missionaries, after great labor, commit the language to writing and then translate the Word into it and send it to the British and Foreign Bible Society to be printed. Of course this refers chiefly to the barbaric languages. They have also translated the Bible into the ancient languages of India, China, Japan, Tibet, Mongolia, etc.

The Archdeacon addressed two meetings in this city on Wednesday—one in connection with Holy Trinity Church, and a union meeting in Victoria Ave. Methodist Sunday school. In the course of his addresses he made a special appeal for generous support to the centenary fund. The enthusiasm that has sent forth so many missionaries to evangelize the heathen has much enlarged and increased the demands upon this missionary arsenal. The soldiers of the Cross must be equipped with the sword of the Spirit in the fight of Truth against heathen darkness. The twentieth century is to be the great missionary century and the Bible Society, which is behind all missionary societies, must have full and adequate support to enable the advance of the armies of God to take place.

Owing to an engagement Rev. Mr. McCosh, the president of the local society, was hindered from being present at the meeting of the committee addressed by the Archdeacon early in the day, but that committee promised to take up the special centenary fund with business-like earnestness. Chatham should be second to none of the cities in Ontario as regards its contribution.

The Archdeacon also addressed a meeting of the ladies of St. Andrew's Church in their Lecture Hall.

He returns to England via S. S. Canada on Oct. 30th, after six weeks' sojourn in this country. Ten years ago he previously visited Canada and saw in his own wonderful evidence of development and prosperity. While in the city the Venerable Archdeacon was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. T. Beverley Smith.

SCARCITY OF MEN

Archie Skirving took a gang of men from Chatham to Warton to work for the Lake Erie in the bush. He offered \$30 a month and board to all of the men he could get, but he had difficulty in getting the men.

"The men want too much," said Archie, "and they do not think much of my offers. They would rather get out and earn good wages. It is most impossible to get men at all."

James Dillon came along and chimed in. "You would have sprung a thunderbolt if you offered such wages thirty years ago. I remember then that I worked all winter in a bush near Petrolia, for John Dobbins, for \$2 a month and board. Of course have changed now, but I think \$30 a month and board big wages for a man in a bush."

Bank Official's Disappearance.

Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—(Special)—L. McDonald, ledger-keeper of the Union Bank at Calgary, disappeared on Saturday, after tendering his resignation. His accounts are in perfect order, and it is feared he has committed suicide.

CANADA AND BRITAIN.

HON. MR. SIFTON'S ADDRESS—AT PILGRIM BANQUET.

Mr. Aylesworth on the Loyalty of Canada to the Empire—Some Happy Speeches.

London, Oct. 16.—The Pilgrims' Club banquet last night to the Alaska boundary tribunal was an historic occasion. The Canadians present included Lord Strathcona, Sir Louis Jette, Hon. Mr. Sifton, Messrs. Robson, Duff, King, Griffiths, Aylesworth, Wade, John Howard and Hon. J. H. Turner. Lord Alverstone humorously said he would disclose the secrets of the Alaska boundary tribunal. Sir Louis Jette would go down in history as the champion interrupter. He had interrupted the proceedings ten times more than any of the others. Sir Louis and Mr. Aylesworth were the most charming colleagues he ever had to do with.

Hon. Mr. Sifton, who was heartily applauded, returned thanks for the courtesies shown to the Canadian commissioners, himself, and the Canadians connected with the case. He regarded the tribunal as a unique attempt to settle differences between three great English-speaking nations. It marked an epoch in international proceedings. Canada was proud to be an integral part of the empire, but the existence of Canada was not the least cause of friction between Britain and the United States. To cause trouble between them would be considered a crime unparalleled in the annals of history. In the nature of things, there would be causes of friction from time to time, but he hoped that these would be settled in a judicial way on the principles of fairness and forbearance, and the desire on the part of the public men on both sides to do full justice to each other.

Mr. Aylesworth, who was warmly cheered, said he was a pilgrim, a Canadian, and, best of all, a Britisher. He had heard the adjective American used on all sides during the evening, and had wondered what position Canada held. The flag of Britain flew over the larger, and Canadians thought, the better, part of the American continent. In the Dominion were hundreds of thousands of most loyal British subjects, represented this evening by Sir Louis Jette, and represented in the land, Sir Wilfrid Laurier. There breathed no such universal affection and loyalty to the United States as existed in Canada, but the Canadians wanted, too, the friendship of their neighbors to the south. "We do not like their form of government," he said, "but we hope that in a day to come they will annex themselves to us, and the flag of the United States over Canada will float from the North Pole to Mexico. Americans dread a Caesar. A royal Caesar, such as we have they never knew, nor a more beneficent sway. Elihu Root said the delightful association existing between Canada and Britain was the stern war of independence."

TWO EARLS APPOINTED.

More of the Minor British Government Offices Now Filled.

London, Oct. 16.—The Earl of Hardwicke has been appointed Under-Secretary of State for India, and the Earl of Donoughmore has received the appointment of Under-Secretary of State for War.

A STATE OF SIEGE.

The Situation at Armentieres, France, Has Become Most Serious.

Armentieres, Department du Nord, France, Oct. 15.—The Prefect has declared Armentieres to be in a state of siege, as a result of the rioting on the part of the striking linen weavers. All houses must be closed from 11 o'clock at night until 8 in the morning.

CANADIAN CATTLE.

Lord Onslow Says Restrictions Will Not be Removed.

London, Oct. 16.—Lord Onslow, President of the Board of Agriculture, received a large and influential deputation of local authorities, representatives of the harbor trust, and agriculturists, at Edinburgh. The deputation impressed upon him the necessity of removing the restrictions on the importation of Canadian cattle. Lord Onslow, replying, said that after the vote in the House of Commons it was an impracticable suggestion to ask the members of the Government to bring in a bill to repeal the restrictions. It did not appear that there was any scarcity of cattle, nor that the price of store cattle had seriously increased. He thought the Government was correct in adhering to the policy of retaining the restriction.

Praise For Col. Lee.

London, Oct. 15.—Colonel Lee, now Financial Secretary to the War Office, who taught military history at the Royal Military College, Kingston, in his maiden speech on the army estimates was so successful that Lord Roberts declared, "This young man's gipsy face has a future before him."

WAS THE WORK OF UNSEEN HAND

Comment of the Colonel on Recent Libel Action at Bugle Band Banquet.

Addresses by Col. Rankin and Major Schofield—Visit to the Hospital—Aim First to be Gentlemen.

The annual dinner and "time" of the Bugle Band of the 24th Kent Regiment was held on Wednesday evening. It was a most enjoyable affair. Besides the Bugle Band a number of the officers of the Regiment were present, including Lieut.-Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., Major G. P. Schofield, Acting Adjutant J. S. Turner, Captain Fred Stone, Geo. Massey, J. S. Black, Lieut.-Surgeon Dr. W. H. Tye, Lieut. O. L. Lewis, Sergt.-Major Geo. E. Embrey, Staff Sergeant Samuel A. Mercer.

Before the banquet, which was held in Northwood's Parlors, the band marched down to St. Joseph's Hospital, where they visited their comrades, Arthur Corkran, who met with a serious accident some time ago, but is now recovering. The visit proved a very cheering one to the patient, the boys all being very kindly allowed to see him.

After the good things provided and been duly and practically honored by the half-hundred present, a few capital addresses were heard.

Col. J. B. Rankin was the first speaker. He was accorded a rousing reception. He said he was very much pleased to be present on the occasion of the first social gathering of the Bugle Band as a band. He didn't see why the banquet couldn't be made an annual affair for the band and its friends. He advised the organization of a society in the band for social and other purposes, with president, vice-president, etc., and strongly took up the subject of fitting up rooms in a convenient place for social purposes. The band room could be used for practices. The officers were prepared to assist in the project.

At the present time the Regiment was under quite an expense in the formation of a new brass band, but still had enough to assist the Bugle Band. He complimented the band on its growth and prosperity, but asked how it could be otherwise with so capable a leader.—Cheers. The Bugle Band was the best training school in the city. It developed gentleness and control was the purpose, to a large extent, he earnestly hoped, of the entire regiment.

In speaking of the formation of the brass band the Colonel said he thought the best bandmaster in the province had been secured. There were 32 men enlisted so far. It was the intention to have the best and if they could not be got at home, other places would supply them. They were prepared to give men good pay and what they wanted—and what they intended to have—was a band of gentlemen and musicians—an organization which would make all other bands in the west take a beating.

Continuing the speaker said, "As you all know there was a lawsuit yesterday. You also know how it came out. I was very sorry, in the first place, that it started, and if it were not for the fact that it was a lawsuit, I would have been very glad to see it. I am sure that it will be a great help to the band."

Major Schofield also made a capital address. He said he appreciated his invitation to the banquet very much. He was pleased to be present on such an occasion. He complimented the band on its excellent progress with so little aid from the Regiment. He said next to the Queen's Own of Toronto, he thought Chatham had the best Bugle Band in the province.—Applause.

In conclusion the Colonel expressed his pleasure at the visit of the Band to their comrades at the hospital and was glad to hear he was recovering.

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An evening most pleasant, was brought to an end by the singing of the National Anthem and the giving of three hearty cheers for the Colonel, for Bugle Major and the officers.

GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGED

The Sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of a cheque, through Mayor McKeough for \$11.15, half the proceeds of the Bungalow Concert Fund. The Sisters are extremely grateful to the Mayor and to the ladies and gentlemen who gave such practical testimony of kindheartedness and nonprejudice.

FOUR MINERS KILLED.

A BLOW OF GAS IN MORRISSEY COAL MINE NO. 1.

Twenty Miners at Work, but the Others Escaped—One Man Killed by a Cave-in at Coal Creek Mine.

Winnipeg, Oct. 16.—A blow of gas occurred in No. 1 mine at Morrissey coal mines last night, resulting in the death of four miners by asphyxiation. Their names are Alfred Harbison, Tony Marcor, John Rogers and a Slavonian. Only twenty men were in the mine at the time, and as rushes of gas have occurred before, they took warning by the crackling roar of the oncoming gas, and sixteen escaped.

A cave-in occurred at Coal Creek mine, near Fernie, last night. An Englishman named Fred J. Scott was covered by the coal and smothered. Deceased was one of a large party of miners who came from Durham, England, to work in the Crow's Nest mines.

AGAINST CANADA.

The Morning Advertiser's Tip on the Alaska Case.

London, Oct. 16.—The Morning Advertiser announces that it regrets to learn from a source which it regards as beyond question that the decision of the Alaskan boundary tribunal virtually concedes the American case.

The Morning Advertiser, which appears to be thoroughly satisfied with the reliability of its statement, says the news will be received in Canada with consternation. It gives a map and a detailed explanation, showing how the decision will affect Canada, and adds that those who have followed the arguments have been thoroughly satisfied with Hon. Clifford Sifton's preparation and presentation of the case.

THE LIBERAL POSITION.

Campbell-Bannerman Attacks the Government.

London, Oct. 16.—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, addressing a meeting at Bolton, said that Mr. Chamberlain's case was completely vitiated by his figures. The issue before the country was protection. Mr. Balfour had ousted the free traders from his Cabinet, but, failing to go before the country on protection, had adopted retaliation as a makeshift issue, which appealed to the self-interests of individuals and the fighting instinct of the nation. A policy of retaliation, continued the Liberal leader, could only mean the ultimate ending of the country in protection. Nothing could be more shortsighted than to sacrifice the known benefits of the most-favored-nation treatment for the problematic benefits of retaliatory tariffs. Retaliation had never broken down, and never would break down, any tariff walls. It was pleaded that retaliation would be kept in reserve. In brief, Great Britain was to play a game of bluff with the world. Mr. Chamberlain had tried to bluff the late President Kruger, and the game had cost Great Britain thousands of valuable lives and £25,000,000 in money. The Government, concluded Sir Henry, ought to have had enough of the game of bluff. The Liberals would oppose protection, root and branch. He believed that economy in land and systems would do more for the prosperity of the country.

CRISIS IN MOROCCO.

Imperial Forces Again Defeated, and Situation is Becoming Desperate.

Paris, Oct. 15.—The situation of the Sultan of Morocco is gradually becoming desperate. According to official despatches received here, the Minister of War's forces have been defeated and dispersed, causing a general demoralization of the imperial forces.

ITALY'S RULERS.

Cordially Greeted by People of Versailles—A Pleasant Visit.

Paris, Oct. 15.—King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy, accompanied by President and Madame Loubet and suite, spent the day at Versailles. The city and palace were decorated, and a large military force was on duty. Crowds at Versailles acclaimed their Majesties, who in the afternoon returned to Paris.

During their stay at Versailles the apartments formerly occupied by Louis XV. were reserved for the King and Queen, those of Mme. De Maintenon for the President and those of Marie Antoinette for Mrs. Loubet. In French official circles, while there is no thought at this moment of an alliance with Italy, there is no doubt that the visit of King Victor Emmanuel to Paris will bring about a better understanding, especially on North African questions.

BRITISH POLITICIANS.

The St. James' Gazette Sharply Criticizes Some of Them.

London, Oct. 15.—Commenting upon a Toronto correspondent's message which asked, "Do British statesmen prefer the United States to Canada, and is it more advantageous to be outside the empire than within?" The St. James' Gazette says: "Some of our politicians are doing their best to make the colonies think so."

SHOT HIS SON DEAD.

SAD ACCIDENT ON ST. LAWRENCE, NEAR BROCKVILLE.

Mr. Sandford Darling of Lyn was Loading His Gun to Shoot Ducks, When the Weapon Discharged.

Brockville, Oct. 16.—A dreadful accident happened on the St. Lawrence River about eight miles above here yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Lewis Darling, the 13-year-old son of Sandford Darling, residing about three miles north of Lyn, was with his father duck hunting. They were in a boat, and the father, attracted by the appearance of a couple of ducks, went to put a new cartridge in his gun. As he was putting it in the gun went off. The boy got the full charge in the left side below the ribs. He died almost immediately. The affair was purely accidental, and Coroner Jackson of this town, after taking the father's deposition of the case, decided an inquest was unnecessary. The family are well known and much respected throughout the country.

WHAT HE WILL TAX.

Mr. Chamberlain Says Inquiry Will be Made.

London, Oct. 16.—Mr. Chamberlain, replying to a question as to whether it is his intention to tax yarns spun into thread, and leather, said that an expert committee would collect evidence from the manufacturers before fixing the tariff in order to fully consider the special circumstances of each trade.

To a question as to whether oats, beans, rice and other farinaceous foods would be included under corn, as under the late corn tax, Mr. Chamberlain replied that all were included in the recent corn tax, maize being the only exception.

TO SAVE THE LOGS.

Soo Workmen Being Sent to the Woods.

Sault Ste. Marie, Oct. 15.—It is understood that the Ontario Government has taken steps to save the royalties payable to them upon the logs already cut in the woods for the pulp mills here, and which, it appeared, were likely to remain all winter in the woods, and in all probability, be wasted. The officers of the company have been advised by the Government to send men into the woods to bring out these logs and deliver them here.

When this is done the Government will hold the cost of bringing the logs out as a first charge upon them whenever they are again used by the mills or sold by the Government.

MAIL CLERK ARRESTED.

D. B. Kelly Charged With Theft of Registered Letters.

Toronto, Oct. 16.—After twenty-three years of faithful service in the postoffice department, David B. Kelly of 211 Bleeker street was last night arrested by Detectives Cuddy and Davis. Kelly is nearly fifty years of age, and is married. He is a railway mail clerk on the Midland division of the Grand Trunk Railway, and was taken off his train last night by the detectives, who were there by arrangement with Postoffice Inspector Henderson.

It would seem that Kelly was caught by means of a decoy letter and marked money, which passed through his hands yesterday. One letter, it is claimed, disappeared altogether, while the second reached its destination minus the three dollars placed inside by Inspector Henderson. The decoy letters, with three dollars in each, were mailed after repeated complaints had been received from persons who had sent money by registered mail to points on the Midland division.

ART CULTURE CLUB

The fourth meeting of the above club will meet at Mr. O. L. Lewis' residence, Wellington street, to-night at eight p. m. to study the lives and works of Corelli, the musician; Browning, the poet, and Raphael, the painter.

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PUT THEM OUT OF THEIR MISERY.

After some hesitation the Globe has come out with an article giving reasons why the Ontario Government should be supported in Muskoka and Sault Ste. Marie-North Renfrew, for some reason, is not mentioned. The title is "Strengthen Premier Ross," and that is probably the best line, or rather the only line that is left to the friends of the administration. If the article is a signal of distress rather than a war-cry, that is the fault of circumstances. The Government is beyond medical aid, and it would be a more humane act to put it out of its misery than to pump oxygen into its lungs. About a year ago it threw out hints in the direction of a coalition. As these came to nothing, it made last winter the same appeal that it is making to-day—that it should be strengthened in the by-elections then pending, so that the ministers would have time and energy to attend to their public duties, without being worried by the fear of a defeat in the Legislature. We must have some strong Government, said the Globe; the parties will not have a coalition Government; Mr. Whitney cannot give us a strong Government; the only resource is to "strengthen Premier Ross." This had a reasonable appearance; the province certainly had to be governed in some way; and shortly afterwards the Government was able to announce that it had now "the three Norths," and had also obtained the allegiance of Mr. Gamay. Mr. Gamay had originally been elected as a wicked Tory, but had seen the light, and his heart had been melted by the spectacle of Mr. Ross and his colleagues "building up Ontario."

By electing Government members in the "three Norths" the people did their best to "strengthen the Government," yet the Government showed no indications of renewed vigor. There was a lot of curious dickerings in North York, not at all indicative of strength. North Renfrew was kept vacant, as it is to-day. (The Globe says that "a vote to strengthen the hands of the Premier will be a patriotic vote, and he who casts it will in future years recall his action with pride.") But for some reason the Government will not allow North Renfrew to take part in the patriotic work of strengthening the Government.

Then Gamay, to put it mildly, proved to be a source of anxiety and discomfort rather than of strength. We will not go over the incidents of a famous political trial, but hurry on to the report of Chancellor Boyd and Chief Justice Falconbridge, which was loudly proclaimed as something that would "strengthen Premier Ross." Still, the government did not seem confident of its strength. The by-elections were delayed for several months, and even to-day the electors of North Renfrew are not allowed to take part in strengthening the government.

In the meantime the newspapers favoring the government have been sounding anything but a confident note. The Globe has told us that the canker of corruption has eaten into the body politic; The Kingston Whig has demanded a reform of the civil service; The Huron Signal protested against the trickery practised in Centre Bruce; The Huron Expressor said that the course of the government illustrated the saying that "whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad."

We doubt whether this last attempt to "strengthen Premier Ross" will be any more successful than the earlier ones. North Renfrew is abandoned, so that even the winning of Muskoka and Sault Ste. Marie would leave the government no better off than before. The province is thoroughly tired of the present government, and wants a change. It may want a Whitney government; it may want a non-party government; in any case the right case to pursue is to "assist nature," as the physicians say, to allow public opinion to work its way, whatever may become of the politicians. There is no use in prolonging the agony of a dying government. The elements of a strong government must be in existence, and the sooner the people grapple with the question of forming such a government, the better for all concerned. — Toronto World.

BALFOUR'S LONG FELT WANT.

Toronto Telegram.
What the Balfour Government really lacks is a great statesman like Hon. James Sutherland, who could get up and tell the Duke of Devonshire and other retiring cabinet ministers that they are "kickers" and "soreheads," and never amount to anything anyway.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Oct. 14.—The parsonage Guild of Christ Church will give an at home to-morrow evening from 8 to 10, at the residence of Mrs. E. Miller.

Miss Grace Huff has accepted a position as book-keeper with the firm of Wells & Wells.

Geo. Barker is back from his trip to the old country.

L. V. Peters' fast paper, "Master Roy," won another race last week, at Richmond, O. He goes this week in the 2.15 pace at Lancaster, O.

James McVean was in Chatham yesterday and Monday serving as a jurymen.

Bert McKim and family, of Chatham, are in town.

Thos. Donnelly has rented the Elgie property, on the road to the station, and moved in yesterday.

Miss Mabel Leonard, who has been spending the summer with friends in Detroit and Windsor, is back in Dresden. She and her mother will spend the winter here.

I was Cured of terrible lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

REV. WM. BROWN.

I was Cured of a bad case of carache by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

MRS. S. KAULBACK.

I was Cured of sensitive lungs by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

MRS. S. MASTERS.

RUTHERFORD.

The Methodist people of this place have beautified their church by papering and painting inside, and on Sept. 27th and 28th they held their anniversary and tea. Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of Tupperville, was present, as well as a large number of clergymen and practical preachers. Our esteemed pastor, Rev. Mr. Osterhout, secured two of Chatham's popular young ladies, the Misses Baxter, who did their part towards pleasantly entertaining us. Proceeds—nearly \$900.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cragg and daughter, Croton, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hanks and Stanley, Langbank, attended our tea meeting.

Mr. John Badger, Camden, purchased 25 young hogs here recently, also Mr. Alex. Hooper, of Camden.

Tom Erwin, Thamesville, was in this vicinity purchasing cattle.

A number from here took in Florence Fair Saturday.

The Presbyterians held their tea Monday evening last.

Mr. T. Prescott, councillor, and Mr. John Spearman were at Florence last Saturday.

The North Dawn Methodists held a very successful tea on the 4th and 6th.

Farmers are busy sowing wheat yet.

There will be a hot time in the old town in our municipal contest here this year coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McBrayne attended Dresden Fair.

Political matters are quiet. Some say we will have an election this fall.

Rev. and Mrs. Osterhout were at North Dawn Sunday.

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THE ORATOR.

Senator Hoar's Views Upon His Exalted Position—Translation of Latin or Greek and Practice in Debating Society.

In my opinion, the two most important things that a young man can do to make himself a good public speaker are:

First. Constant and careful written translations from Latin or Greek into English.

Second. Practice in a good debating society.

It has been said that all the great Parliamentary orators of England are either men whom Lord North saw, or men who saw Lord North—that is, men who were conspicuous as public speakers in Lord North's youth, his contemporaries, and the men who saw him as an old man when they were young themselves. This would include Bolingbroke and would come down only to the year of Lord John Russell's birth. So we should have to add a few names, especially Gladstone, Disraeli, John Bright and Palmerston. There is no great Parliamentary orator in England since Gladstone died. I once, a good many years ago, looked at the biographies of the men who belonged to that period, and was famous as great orators in the Parliament or in court, to find, if I could, the secret of their power. With the exception of Lord Brougham and of John Bright, I believe every one of them trained himself by careful and constant translation from Latin or Greek, and frequented a good debating society in his youth.

Brougham trained himself for extemporaneous speaking in the Speculative Society, the great theatre of debate for the University of Edinburgh. He also improved his English style by translations from Greek, among which is his well-known version of the Oration on the Crown.

Canning's attention, while at Eton, was strongly turned to extemporaneous speaking. They had a debating society, in which the Marquis of Wellesley and Charles Earl Grey had been trained before him, in which they had all the forms of the House of Commons, and on Sept. 27th and 28th they held their anniversary and tea. Rev. Mr. Armstrong, of Tupperville, was present, as well as a large number of clergymen and practical preachers. Our esteemed pastor, Rev. Mr. Osterhout, secured two of Chatham's popular young ladies, the Misses Baxter, who did their part towards pleasantly entertaining us. Proceeds—nearly \$900.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cragg and daughter, Croton, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hanks and Stanley, Langbank, attended our tea meeting.

Mr. John Badger, Camden, purchased 25 young hogs here recently, also Mr. Alex. Hooper, of Camden.

Tom Erwin, Thamesville, was in this vicinity purchasing cattle.

A number from here took in Florence Fair Saturday.

The Presbyterians held their tea Monday evening last.

Mr. T. Prescott, councillor, and Mr. John Spearman were at Florence last Saturday.

The North Dawn Methodists held a very successful tea on the 4th and 6th.

Farmers are busy sowing wheat yet.

There will be a hot time in the old town in our municipal contest here this year coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McBrayne attended Dresden Fair.

Political matters are quiet. Some say we will have an election this fall.

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"My dear, let us have a little music," said Mr. Hyde, turning to Marjorie, and she went to the piano, and played his favorite airs from Handel and Mendelssohn.

He praised her efforts, but scarcely seemed to enjoy them so much as usual. He leaned back in his easy chair with his hand to his head, as though not quite well.

"Have you a headache, uncle?" asked Charles, with kindly interest. "Yes, my boy, I have. One of those wretched headaches which make me feel ill altogether. I think, if you'll excuse me, I'll go to bed."

He rose as he spoke, and prepared to say good-night.

"Isn't there anything we can do for you?" asked Marjorie, gently, as she took his hand. "No, my dear, nothing. A night's rest will do me good; but nothing else can. God bless you! Good-night."



Then he took leave of his daughter and nephews. Never had Marjorie seen him more genially benevolent and kind. His fine countenance was not quite so bright and joyful as usual; but tenderness beamed over his every feature.

Long, long was it before Marjorie forgot how he looked and spoke that night.

The young people did not sit up long after he had retired. Charles was the first to go, then Marjorie; thus Edgar and Madeline were left alone together.

When Marjorie reached her chamber she remembered something she had left in the drawing-room, and went down stairs to fetch it.

What was her amazement, on opening the drawing-room door, which stood slightly ajar, to find Madeline kneeling at the feet of Edgar Hyde, imploring, her beautiful face expressive of a perfect agony of supplication!

Neither of them noticed that the door had been opened. It had made no sound, and their eyes were fixed upon each other.

Marjorie stood on the threshold, almost dumb with surprise, and yet, for the moment, feeling in her agitation, almost powerless to retire.

"Edgar, Edgar! think of yourself, think of me, think of—"

Her voice broke into a convulsive sob, and Marjorie could not catch the word.

The man's brow was black as night. He scowled fiercely on the beautiful woman who was now clinging frantically to his knees, uttering an imprecation, and shook her off so violently that she fell forward on the hearth-rug with a deep, tearless sob, as if her heart was broken.

Marjorie stole away, still unseen. She shut herself up in her chamber and racked her brain vainly in efforts to discover what these things could mean.

CHAPTER X.

What Marjorie saw. It was long before Marjorie could find sleep that night, and even when she did, she was disturbed by uneasy dreams.

Again and again in her dreams her father's murder was enacted before her eyes.

She saw the murderer steal away from his victim as he had done on that Valentine's morning nine years ago.

He stole away, but she was in pursuit of him—always—always in pursuit.

She sought him across deep waters and through dark woods, and always at the critical moment, just when she seemed able to hand him over to justice, an intangible obstacle intervened, and the weary pursuit had to be begun again.

From one of these oppressive dreams she awoke with a start, to find herself lying in an uncomfortable posture, and a pale moon, newly risen behind a bank of clouds, stealing its rays into her room.

The wan light looked curiously at her, in her nervous and overwrought condition. She got out of bed, with the intention of drawing down the blind.

But as she stood at the window, with the cord in her hand, she saw something which made her start violently, and strain her eyes to see more.

Her bedroom was at the back of the house. It overlooked the wood; and, creep-

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ing down the slight eminence, under cover of the shadow of the trees, she saw two men coming towards Denelands.

The stealthiness of their movements suggested guilt.

Across Marjorie's mind there flashed a recollection of the attempted burglary at Sir Edward Mortimer's house.

Were these two men the thieves, and were they coming to Denelands?

"I had better alarm the house, at any rate," was her swift thought.

But before she put it into execution she took another look at the two men, now scarcely a dozen yards away, and in the full rays of the moon.

A shriek rose to her lips—a shriek which she repressed only by the most desperate effort, for in the men who approached, with the gait of midnight thieves, and carrying small bundles in their hands, she recognized her benefactor, Mr. Hyde, and his eldest nephew.

In one horrible moment the truth flashed upon the anguished girl.

These people were the thieves—this seemingly estimable family with whom she had found a home were a gang of desperate criminals, who assumed this disguise the better to carry out their schemes.

While she still stood beside the window, a third form came stealing down the hill from the wood.

It was a man, and as he drew nearer, the moonlight shone upon him, too.

Marjorie gave a little moan as she recognized her lover.

His crippled foot had been all a pretence—made with what motive she could not guess, but doubtless for the furtherance of some nefarious scheme.

He was walking very quickly, running almost, as though in desperate haste to reach the shelter of the house.

Marjorie left the window, and sank into the easy chair beside the bed.

A deadly faintness was stealing over her. She was ashy pale, and trembling from head to foot.

A new and more horrible suspicion had come into her mind, and she felt sick and dizzy beneath the overwhelming shock of it.

If these were indeed a gang of thieves, might it not be one of them who had murdered her father?

They were in possession of the lock-up. What more likely than that Madeline's account of how she had obtained it was false, and that one of the men beneath that roof was guilty of her father's blood?

The question was—which? She asked it of herself with shuddering dread.

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LORD ALVERSTONE'S DENIAL.

NO COMMUNICATION IN THE ALASKA CASE.

Sir Wm. Mulock Says Settlement is Too Sparse for Rural Mail Delivery—Mr. Borden's Amendment in Favor of Provincial Autonomy For the Northwest Defeated.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—The House spent a busy day on a miscellaneous assortment of business, but made little progress with the order paper. Yesterday Sir Wilfrid Laurier read a cable from Lord Alverstone, in which he denied having said the Americans had put up a stronger case before the Alaska tribunal. Sir Wm. Mulock, in reply to a question, stated distinctly that rural mail-delivery was at present impossible in Canada, with its sparsely settled districts. The civil service bill was put through committee, and in committee on the bill to amend the Northwest Territories act Mr. Walter Scott moved an amendment enlarging the powers of the Territorial Government with respect to courts. Mr. R. L. Borden moved an amendment to the motion to go into supply, favoring Provincial autonomy for the Northwest Territories. The amendment was, after a lengthy debate, rejected by a majority of 34.

The House adopted the report of the Privileges and Elections Committee asking for leave to sit during the session of the House.

The Premier's resolution that the House adjourn over Thanksgiving Day was adopted without debate.

That all that appeared in the newspapers was not true, Sir Wilfrid added, was shown by the following telegram he had received from Lord Alverstone:

"There is not the slightest foundation for statement attributed to me in Reuter's telegram from Ottawa, dated 12th October, as to the question in the House of Commons of that date."

He made no communication of any kind to any diplomatic or consular official, or to any person, respecting the case. The report is an absolutely false fabrication." (Applause.)

Replying to Mr. Borden, Sir Wilfrid said he had not received any message from Mr. Aylesworth.

The amendments by the Senate to the general railway bill were then taken into consideration. Upon motion of Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick the second, third and fourth amendments were not concurred in.

They provide that the right of way for electric, street railway or tramway company, working under a Provincial charter, where it crosses or connects with a Dominion railway, shall be by virtue of that connection become a work for the general advantage of Canada in respect only to such connection or crossing, and also in respect through traffic over the such railway with the consent of the Provincial Government. Mr. Fitzpatrick contended that the proposal of the Senate was impracticable, and was supported in his view by Mr. R. L. Borden.

Another amendment which was not agreed to was that providing the commissioners, in granting crossings for farm purposes, should have regard as to whether the right to one or more crossings or to take away or withhold the right of crossing, formed part of the consideration originally paid by the company. The Minister of Justice pointed out that the amendment suggested would prevent the commissioners taking into consideration changing circumstances, and was inconsistent with the public interest.

The amendments by the Senate to the clauses relating to payment of damages for animals killed on the track were not concurred in, for the reason that they did not provide any remedy for the evils existing under the present law. A like fate befell the amendment removing the right of appeal from the court of competent jurisdiction where the judgment does not exceed \$200, a provision which was held to be ultra vires.

The Peculiar Ganges Water. There is a scientific basis for the universal faith—usually called superstition—among Hindus in the cleansing qualities of the Ganges as well as in its peculiar sanctity. Careful experiments have shown that the river possesses extraordinary and inexplicable antiseptic properties. A government analyst took water from the main sewer of Benares which contained millions of cholera germs. When emptied into a receptacle of Ganges water in six hours they were all dead. He took undeniably pure water and threw a few of these cholera germs in. They propagated and swarmed. These tests were tried repeatedly.

"Live Bait" For Alligators. The negroes of Jamaica, in the British West Indies, use "live bait" to catch alligators. They tie a puppy to a tree near the alligator's haunt and wait developments with a gun. The puppy's yelp is exactly like the bark of the baby alligator. Naturally Mrs. Alligator comes out of her mudhole in the lagoon, thinking somebody is troubling her offspring. Then the negro gets to work with his gun, and Mrs. Alligator falls a victim to her maternal affection.

A Serbian Idiom. "Greenlee says that when he was abroad he courted a Serbian girl." "Custom any different from ours?" "I guess not. Greenlee says when he called on her they usually sat vis-a-vis."

"I don't believe a word that Greenlee says."

"Why not?"

"There's no such expression as vis-a-vis in the Serbian language. It's vitch-a-vitch!"

THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

THE GREAT PAULINE AT THE GRAND.

There was not a dull moment from the rise to the fall of the curtain during the entertainment at the Grand last night—everyone pronounced it positively the most pleasing, scientific and amusing performance ever given in Chatham, when everyone received merriest to their heart's content.

To the minds of most people the art of hypnotism is a fraud perpetrated upon the public through the assistance of the subjects upon which the operator may work. If there is any person possessed of the power to hypnotize, Pauline is the one. He secures complete passiveness over his subjects, and after that has been obtained he can control them at his will. The above facts have been clearly demonstrated to the large audience who have been attending his performances during his engagements here.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand: Pauline & Co.—Oct. 12-19. Lyceum Course—Oct. 26. Sadie Martinot—Oct. 27. Firemen's Benefit—Oct. 29. Over Niagara Falls—Oct. 30. (Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

The first number of the C. C. I. Star and People's Popular Course opens at the Grand Opera House on Monday, Oct. 26th. The attraction is the "Whitney Brothers' Company. This course consists of eight high class attractions put on at the Grand Opera House during the coming season, under the direction of D. S. Paterson and Fred Brisco. Books of coupon tickets for the entire course are being sold for one dollar. There are now about eight hundred subscribers and only two hundred more books will be sold. Anyone wanting books can get them at Brisco's. Reserve seat sale opens Tuesday, Oct. 20.

No stage heroine of recent years has excited so much attention as "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," which Sadie Martinot will soon present here. It is probably the most difficult character to play ever created. There are now about eight hundred subscribers and only two hundred more books will be sold. Anyone wanting books can get them at Brisco's. Reserve seat sale opens Tuesday, Oct. 20.

How He Won His Bet.

In a certain office building in the downtown district there is a club on an upper floor, with an express elevator service for members. The other day two of the latter emerged from the dining room, where they had eaten luncheon, and eyed the elevator floor indicator. The arrow moved in two shafts, one of them the club elevator express route.

"It's wonderful how much time a man can save by these expresses," remarked one of the pair.

"Nonsense," said his companion, "I can get to the bottom on a local and beat you while I am doing it."

"Ten dollars that you can't," was the reply.

The cages in both shafts opened with a click, and without further parley the two men separated, entering the different elevators. The local got away a fraction of a moment ahead of the express. When the man in the latter stepped out his acquaintance was waiting for him.

"How did you do it?" gasped the express passenger, digging down for the forfeited bank note.

"That was easy," said his companion. "I gave my elevator man half of the bet in advance—and he didn't make any stops."

Worked a Living Chain.

Dr. P. L. Hurt's pointer dog was the cause of a good deal of amusement and excitement in Boonville one day. The doctor stopped at a trough to water his horse. A sewer pipe about a hundred feet long passed under a crossing at this place, and the dog, being warm from running, crawled into the pipe to get cool. When the time came to leave he could not turn around, and as the pipe was crooked he could not see the opposite end of it, so there he stuck. After various suggestions had been made for getting him out a small negro boy was sent in after him. The boy got him by the leg, but then found that he himself could not back out. Here was a pretty howdy do. Finally a second negro boy was sent in. His legs remained within reach from the outside, and when he had caught the first boy by the legs and the first boy had got a secure hold on the dog's legs some strong men took the second boy by his legs, and thus they were all pulled out.—Exchange.

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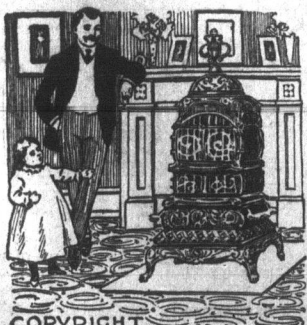
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TO-NIGHT.

Football practice, Tecumseh Park, at 5.
The Great Pauline, at the Grand, 8 o'clock.
Tent No. 8, K. O. T. M., Maccabees' Hall, at 8.
St. Andrew's Church Y. P. Society, lecture hall, at 8.
The Victoria Ave. Epworth League will meet in this S. Hall at 8.
Young People's Society, lecture hall William St. Baptist Church, at 8.
Art Culture Club will meet at the residence of O. L. Lewis, Wellington St., at 8.
Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their rooms, opposite the Rankin House, at 8.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

BUY BEFORE SIX.

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. If Frank Payne spent Thanksgiving Day in Detroit.
Mrs. J. B. Rankin spent Thanksgiving Day in Detroit.
Wood for sale. Office Fifth street, Prompt delivery. Phone 374. R. W. Baxter.
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Carscadden, of Dresden, were visitors in the city on Wednesday.

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John M. Northwood is having a furnace in his residence on William St., by Westman Bros.

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Lost, on Tuesday afternoon, a gold stick pin with topaz setting. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office.

Fred Morley, auditor for F. H. Macpherson, who has been working on the city books all summer, has gone to Windsor.

Mrs. Jas. Dowley, William street, has instructed Andrew Thomson, Jr., auctioneer, to sell all her household effects on Saturday, October 17th, at 2:30 p. m. Everything nearly new.

An emergent meeting of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, A. F. & A. M. G. R. C., will be held next Monday evening, for the purpose of conferring the Third Degree.

David Hogan, of the C. P. R. construction gang at Jeannette's Creek, was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis on Wednesday and removed to St. Joseph's Hospital. His home is in Toronto.

Written in Time "The D. & L." Emulsion will surely cure the most serious affections of the lungs. That "run down" condition, the after-effects of a heavy cold, is quickly counteracted.

Men wanted on Queen street pavement. The Warren Bituminous Paving Co.

Bert Cousins, of British Columbia, is home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cousins. Bert was at one time an operator on the Grand Trunk. He likes his work in British Columbia.

"Denny" Broderick, an engineer in the Detroit Fire Department, spent Wednesday and Thursday in the city. Mr. Broderick is an old Chatham boy, but has not been in Chatham for the last forty years.

Harvest home services in Christ Church Sunday next. Rev. Canon Brown, M. A., will preach. Splendid music by a strong choir, assisted by many of the best singers in Chatham. The church will be tastefully decorated. All are invited.

John Mulholland, of Blenheim, the grand juror who failed to answer to his name on Monday, appeared Tuesday afternoon. He produced an affidavit that he was over 61 years of age and therefore exempt from serving on the grand jury.

The Ladies Aid of St. Joseph's church will give a pedro party in St. Joseph's Hall, on Monday, Oct. 19th, at eight p. m. Refreshments served. Prizes will be given. Admission 15 cents. Everyone cordially invited.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

TILBURY

Oct. 16.—Miss Flora Burgess, of Rosedale, left yesterday to visit friends in Detroit.

Miss Mabel Stinson, of Croton, spent Thanksgiving with her sister here, Miss N. Stinson.

W. Hutchinson, of Scarff's Bank, is visiting his parents in St. Thomas. Mrs. W. A. Shaw returned on Wednesday from a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. T. Harbor, in St. Cloud, Minn.

Miss Minnie Campbell is spending a few days with her mother in Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Battle Creek, Mich., were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. MacLean, at the International a few days this week.

Mrs. H. Benoit is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scriven spent Thanksgiving at their former home near Tilsonburg.

Miss Mabel McKibbin spent Thanksgiving in Detroit.

Miss Minnie Richardson is on the sick list.

J. I. Hill has been engaged to take charge of the Methodist choir for three months, at a salary of \$100 per year.

Mrs. Samuel Saliberte, Mrs. Joseph Marchand and Mrs. Louis Sauve, all of Rhode Island, returned home on Tuesday after spending five weeks with relatives here.

The local Oddfellows have engaged Frank R. Conklin, the popular entertainer, who delighted a local audience here recently, for Anderson Hall on Tuesday evening, Oct. 27.

Noah Monney and family leave today for the Eastern States, accompanied by Mrs. Jos. Goudreau, who has been visiting relatives here.

A. Daigneault and family, of Tilbury West, moved into town this week, and will reside on Yonge street, in the house which he purchased from T. Reame.

W. T. Poile has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Jas. Foster will be at home to her friends on and after Thursday, Oct. 22nd, at her home on Fort street.

The Schwikart dredge which has been working on the Government drain in Tilbury East, was shipped from here on Tuesday on the M. C. R. for Detroit, the work being completed. It is just four years since the dredge was brought here.

DRESDEN

Oct. 16.—Osgood McVean and his son Johnnie are spending a few days shooting at Mitchell's Bay.

Andrew Hooper, one of the oldest residents of Camden Township, died on Tuesday last. The funeral services were held at the family residence at one o'clock yesterday afternoon. Interment took place in Blackburn's cemetery.

F. A. McKim returned last night from a business trip to London. A number from Dresden attended the funeral of the late Mr. McKim.

The first loads of sugar beets were hauled this week. In another week the factory will commence the season's campaign.

Miss Bessie Daniels, of Chatham, was the guest of Miss Edna Carscadden yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Penfound visited relatives in town yesterday. Miss Barber, who has been visiting them in Chatham, returned home on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Chas. Peate and daughter Miss Carrie Peate, of Sarnia, are visiting relatives in town.

Allan Ripley was a Dresden visitor yesterday.

Miss Kathleen McVean, of Toronto, is spending a few days at her home here.

Miss Alma Smith, of Chatham, was the guest of Miss Beatrice Rudd yesterday.

Mrs. Alf. Peate and daughter Miss May Peate, of Chatham, accompanied by Miss Annie Peate, of Detroit, are spending a few days with relatives in town.

Mrs. Harmer, of Thamesville, was the guest of Miss Grace Laird on Thanksgiving Day.

The following from Dresden were Chatham visitors yesterday—Harold Hughes, Will Daniels, Russell Dynes, Art Smith, Sandy Burns, Jas. Francis and Milton Baxter.

Miss Clemmie Vanallen, of Alma College, and the Misses Helen and Jessie McVean, of the C. C. I., spent yesterday at their homes in town.

Will Caister is visiting friends in Woodstock.

Mr. and Miss Newcombe, of Alvinston, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gage.

J. McE. Murray spent Thanksgiving

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The union Thanksgiving service in the Methodist church yesterday morning was well attended. Rev. A. E. Hayden, of his own of his spiritual and inspiring sermons, and Revs. Bond and Lindsay assisted in the service.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Thornton and children spent yesterday in Chatham.

Mrs. Laird, Sr., and Mrs. W. Laird, of Chatham, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laird.

Mrs. Captain John McDonald is visiting friends in Detroit.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, the "coffee" given last night by the Farmington Guild of Christ Church, was most successful in every respect. A good crowd assembled at the home of Mrs. E. Miller, where a very pleasant evening was spent by all.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Carscadden are back from a visit with friends in Napanee.

BLLENHEIM

Oct. 15.—Thos. Stegman, of Chatham, was a visitor here yesterday.

Mr. Russell, of Wheatley, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Bertha Morris is visiting her friend Miss Aylesworth, of St. Thomas.

Miss Charlotte Hoig is spending Thanksgiving with Miss Evelyn VonGunter.

Miss Lena Crookshank is suffering from pleurisy.

Bert Pasmore, of Chatham, visited his parents here this week.

Miss Maud Colborn is spending Thanksgiving at her home in Brigidon.

Miss Bertie Deer, of Detroit, is visiting Miss Flora Byram.

Steve Drury left yesterday for Cairo, Mich., where he will remain for some time.

Mr. G. Thompson, the minister's warden of Trinity church, entertained the members of the choir on Tuesday evening at his home.

Mr. John Gray left Tuesday for Stratford.

Duncan Fairman is visiting at Freeman Warner's farm, Raglan, this week.

Richard Bounsell, of Chatham, spent Thanksgiving in Blenheim.

Sherman Wagner, Theo. Pickering and Thos. Taylor spent Thanksgiving duck shooting at the Bay.

Miss Bounsell left yesterday on an extended trip to Petrolia, Hamilton and Toronto.

Roy and Clarence Austin spent Thanksgiving with their parents here.

Miss Daisy Colville, of Chatham, was the guest of Miss Mabel Austin on Thanksgiving Day.

A large number from here attended Moraviantown Fair today.

J. W. Gibson's plate glass window was broken yesterday. Two men quarrelled in front of Mr. Gibson's jewelry store and one pushed the other's head through the window.

Rev. D. W. Collins will preach at Wardsville Sunday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Jamieson is visiting at Bridge End.

WALLACEBURG

Oct. 16.—An interesting autumnal wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Colwell, East Wallaceburg, on Wednesday evening last, when their daughter, Miss E. Annie, was united in marriage to B. M. Burgess, Rev. Mr. Garbutt officiating.

The bride and her father, by whom she was given away, entered the wedding room through an aisle of ribbon and smilax, which was held by Misses Mamie and Yulu Burgess, cousins of the groom, Miss Alice Colwell, sister of the bride, and Miss Greta Hay.

Wagner's Bridal Chorus was rendered by Frank Presswall. The bride was becomingly gowned in grey chene de chene and carried cream roses. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Burgess are two of Wallaceburg's popular young people.

They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts.

W. W. Turner, of Chatham, spent Thanksgiving Day with friends here.

Roy McRae, of Upper Canada College, was home for the holiday.

A. E. Archer, of Glencoe, was a visitor here yesterday.

On the afternoon of Wednesday, Oct. 14th, at the home of Capt. Shep. Summers, Miss Ella Summers and James Duchene were united in marriage by Rev. J. M. Nicol, before immediate friends and relatives. The couple are well-known and popular young people.

By the Rev. Mr. Garbutt, on Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride, Miss M. French was united in marriage to Robert Southgate. The connecting parties are well-known here.

The laying of the corner stone of the new Baptist Church took place yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large number. The band was in attendance. After a few remarks

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Woolen Sox, 15c, 18c, 20c and.....	25
Home made, 30c to.....	37
Winter weight in cashmere sox, darning wool and needle with every pair.....	25

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Women's heavy ribbed vests, leaders, 18c, 20c and.....	\$ 25
Drawers to match, opened or closed.....	25
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Fall Millinery.

Many new and striking favorites this season, in French models. There are hats trimmed with white and white with color, chinilla and grey velvet trimmed. Then the Georgette sailor hats, the torpedo shaped turbans and numerous new and captivating styles are shown.

WILLIAM GORDON

by Rev. Mr. Gunton, the pastor, W. McDonald gave the declaration of the stone. A prayer was then offered by the pastor. Supper was served by the ladies of the church and a concert was given in the evening.

Miss I. Husband, of Chatham, spent Thanksgiving at her home here.

ALLEGED POACHING

The Big Point Club have been doing some detective work with regard to the four alleged poachers who blew

into their marsh a week or so ago. They were reported to be from Wyandotte, Mich., but turn out to be from Sandwich, and their names are W. P. Smith, Paul Romer, Chas. Varrier and Calixte Lebeuff. They say they got a tow as far as the flats on Sunday and sailed from there in the afternoon for Mitchell's Bay, but landed at nine o'clock, at night on the Big Point shore. When they got up at daylight and found themselves in the midst of ducks they began shooting, but were soon interrupted by John Loxon, the keeper. It is probable they will have to pay a visit to Wm. Grant, J. P., of Dover,

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If Love is not so blind as he is credited with being, he is at least very short-sighted at times, and little disposed to take any thought for the morrow, so long as to-day's happiness is ensured.

This was undoubtedly Southey's frame of mind when one day in November, 1795, he led Coleridge's sister-in-law, the fair Miss Edith Frick, to the altar. It was only by dint of resolute saving—even to the extent of dispensing with many a day's dinner—that he was able to pay his wedding expenses, and so empty was his purse when he had done this that he was compelled to part from his bride at the church door after the ceremony, as he did not know where his next meal was to come from.

Coleridge was almost equally improvident, for after a few weeks of an ideal honeymoon in a rustic cottage in the heart of the country, he loved so well he "saw poverty staring at him through the lattice-panes." His small stock of money was quite exhausted, and many years of struggle and privation followed on the heels of his brief dream of happiness.

The story of Leigh Hunt's domestic straits is better known, perhaps. He was the most impractical of men, and his wife was almost as unworldly as he himself, and their domestic condition is generally considered to have been one of chronic financial difficulties. Happily he had many good friends, one of whom was Carlyle, his neighbor, who, whenever he expected a visit from Hunt, would leave a sovereign or two lying exposed on the mantelpiece, so as to make the inevitable borrowing as easy as possible.

Many pathetic stories are told of the privations of Mozart and his young wife during their early married years. Mozart willfully wedded a penniless girl against the advice of his friends, saying proudly, "I have that within me which will enable me to support the woman I love." But poverty was long an unwelcome guest in their house before fame discovered their address; and not only was the family-cupboard often bare, but more than once they were caught dancing together to keep themselves warm, when there were no coals in the house.

Wagner was just as confident of his powers to support a wife as Mozart, when at the age of twenty-four he married a beautiful, but penniless, girl; and yet within a few weeks of his honeymoon, when he was declaring that the two things he coveted most on earth were a warm overcoat and some firewood. For twenty years it was a desperate fight for bare existence, and many a time if it had not been for the kindness of Liszt and a few other friends.

Samuel Phelps, the great actor, never did a more daring or a wiser thing than when he faced the altar "with a smiling face and an income, all told, of 38s a week." So poor was he that when he secured an engagement at Leeds he would tramp to York every Saturday night to spend a few hours with his wife, starting on his return journey as the clock struck twelve on Saturday night. In later years, when he had drunk deeply of the cup of fame, and when his wife was no longer with him to share it, he exclaimed, "Ah! was much happier then on eighteen shillings a week with her to share it than I am now with 'half the house' for myself every night."

Edmund Kean's purse was so empty on the eve of his wedding that he had to borrow half a sovereign from a friend to pay for the ring, and it was only through the generosity of the landlady of the Dog Tavern that he was able to offer his bride a breakfast.

Charles Matthews, the "King of Comedians," had such infinite faith in himself, and, perhaps even more, such an insatiable love of Miss Strong, that he undertook the responsibilities of married life on 12 shillings a week, and smiled when his friends predicted a honeymoon in the workhouse. And yet during the four short years of their wedded life no couple in England were more perfectly happy.

When John Scott, known to fame in later years as Lord Eldon, ran away with Miss Surtees, the banker's beautiful, if wayward, daughter, his purse was so slender that he had reached the bottom of it on the third day of his honeymoon, and was on the predicament of "having no home to go to, and of not knowing whether our friends would ever speak to us again."

Shelley had a similar experience when, as a boy of nineteen, he eloped with his sister's school-friend, Miss Westbrook. Before the runaway couple had got as far as York on their way to Edinburgh they found themselves parting with their last shilling; and the too ardent lover had to appeal to Hogg to send him £10 to relieve "a slight pecuniary distress."

There was surely never a bride and bridegroom more impetuous than Flaxman and his brave young wife. Even his best friends declared that he was a ruined man from the moment he stood before the altar, and it is true that for some time starvation was never far from his door. But Mrs. Flaxman determined that if her husband was to be ruined it should not be through her, and she practised her economies so skillfully that within five years she had saved sufficient money to enable him to study the works of his great predecessors in Rome.



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An Old Time Explosion.

An old chronicler tells a curious story of an explosion which occurred in London Jan. 4, 1649. A ship chandler, it seems, "about 7 of the clock at night, being busy in his shop about barrels of gunpowder, it took fire and in the twinkling of an eye blew up not only that, but all the houses there about to the number of fifty or sixty. The number of persons destroyed by this blow could never be known, for the next house but one was the Rose tavern, a house never (at that time of night) but full of company. And in three or four days, after digging, they continually found heads, arms, legs, etc." The most interesting part of the account comes further on:

"In the digging they found the mistress of the house of the Rose tavern sitting in her bar and one of the drawers standing by the bar's side, with a pot in his hand, only stifled by dust and smoke, their bodies being preserved whole by means of great timbers falling across one upon another. There was also found upon the upper leads of Barking church a young child lying in a cradle as newly laid in bed, neither child nor cradle having the least sign of fire or other hurt. It was never known whose child it was, so that one of the parish kept it for a memorial, for in the year 1666 I saw the child, grown to be then a proper maiden."

The Troubles of the Coyote.

The coyote has small chance for life. It is hunted upon all occasions and by various and sundry methods. The plain cowboy carries along the plains the pop at it with his six shooter. The wise ranchman has a shotgun or rifle hanging in a convenient place awaiting the appearance of a coyote near the ranch house. The hunter of more choice game never misses a shot at a coyote, while there are professionals who do little else but pursue it from one year's end to another. Besides, there are organized hunts inaugurated in settled communities for both pleasure and profit, when a large scope of the country is swept clean and the coyotes falling into the meshes of the hunt are dispatched and their skins tanned for rugs and doormats. Then animals are baited with poisoned meat. This method of destruction is not only used by ranchmen, but by persons who make a business of killing coyotes for a living.

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THE LITTLE COACHMAN

By Elliot Walker

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There was more than a suspicion of snow in the dampness of the late twilight, now darkening rapidly as the dismal clouds above closed pall-like over the city streets.

The well clad business man, the sturdy laborer with no overcoat, swinging his dinner pail by rough red fingers; the factory girl hugging herself within a faded shawl, the smart clerk, the trim saleslady—all pressing on, leaving their workday behind.

Among them glided a small, wiry man, stepping fast where open spaces gave him expeditious advantage. His head was bent, his eyes pulled over his eyes and the collar of his heavy box coat turned well up to hide all view of the face and head save a glimpse of grizzled, close cropped hair, a jutting nose and quick eyes.

Presently he slipped down a side street, keeping close to the smooth walls of the high brick buildings, then with a lessened speed, moved cautiously into a dark alley. A few moments later found him in a poorly lighted saloon, knocking softly upon the closed door of a room to the left of the unattractive bar.

"Come in," sounded a low call, and the man entered.

At a round table sat two men, both of good appearance and in apparently poor keeping with their dingy surroundings.

A gas jet flickered dimly from the tarnished fixture on the cheap papered wall, glimmering on the empty glasses and the bottle ornamenting the table between them.

"Turn up that light and sit down, Penock. I got your note. What's the news?" remarked the older of the occupants to the newcomer.

"It looks like a chance tomorrow night, Mr. Grady," began Penock in a deliberate whisper.

"Sh!" said the other warningly. "We'll drop names, I guess, and his companions nodded. "Have a drink!" he added.

"No, I must skip back. The old man's particular, you know. He won't keep a coachman a minute if he smells of liquor."

"How about the first time you met us?" grinned the third man.

"That was a night off," replied the coachman soberly. "I know better now. Gentlemen, if I turn the boy over to you what do I get?"

"Twenty years if you're caught," said Grady facetiously. "That's what we will all get. If we work things right it means a fortune for you."

Penock's gray eyes were expressionless in their stare. His thin, close shaven lips set anxiously. "But I've got to get away," he objected. "I'm the one they'll look for, of course. I'll

need money. It's run and hide for weeks perhaps, and I've but a few dollars. You gentled me into this; not but what I was willing, but it looks foolish now. Give me a thousand down when I place the lad with you—a thousand, see! If not, I swear I won't take the risk. I know the inside of a jail, and I don't like it."

His companions, leaning on their elbows, covered their hard mouths with compressed palms and gazed thoughtfully in each other's eyes.

"You two are as safe as fleas," went on the coachman. "I'm to provide the team and get rid of it. You're landed at the place you've picked out with what you've been after these two months. Where am I? Escaped for my life or just as bad. A thousand ain't a penny too much; no, nor five thousand with what you'll get."

"Hush!" hissed Grady through his fingers. "Tomorrow night, you say. Deliver the goods and it's yours. Then get out and keep hidden until you hear from us. Where shall we meet?"

"Carter street, corner Hammond avenue, between 9 and 10 o'clock. I'm drivin' him home from a kid's party and he'll be alone. That's it."

The little coachman put on his cap, buttoned his coat, nodded significantly with a finger on his lips and the door closed softly behind him. Then he passed quickly through the outer room and out again to the dark alley now whitening fast with swirling snowflakes.

"I'm 'bout the last one to leave, Penock," said little Philip Vaughn, as the

coachman tucked him in. "It's mom 10, ain't it? I had a lovely time. Ridden home alone in the big sleigh is fun too. Have some candy? I've got two bags."

"No, Flip (every one called him Flip). I don't go much on candy."

His stern countenance was dimly lit as he mounted the box.

Three blocks and he slowed up and stopped, to jump down with the reins in one hand, bending over to open the heavy door.

"Two gentlemen, friends of your father, Flip," he whispered. "I'm going to give them a lift."

"All right," murmured the six-year-old sleepily. "L' 'em pile in."

A few cautious words, the handing of a small package to the driver, and a whisper of advice from that worthy. "He's almost asleep. No need to dope him."

The millionaire's sleigh slid rapidly on through the lighted streets. Inside it was very dark and still. The child snuggled against the warmth of the villain beside him and his little head fell lower and lower.

Now they were going faster and turned a corner sharply to stop with a jerk.

On each side the curtained doors were violently wrenched outward. The conspirators within, too startled for resistance, found themselves in the relentless clutch of uniformed men who yanked them viciously to the icy pavement with fierce commanding words.

The abductors glared wildly at their captives, then at the entrance toward the rear of the sleigh. Over it, in black, forbidding letters, plainly to be read in the gleam from a nearby are light they saw "Police Station."

"Tuck that boy in! Tell him it's all right, and we're going straight home," rapped a sharp voice from the box as a shrill wail issued from the interior of the equipage. "Lock those fellows up in separate cells."

A big officer touched his cap. "We'll take care of 'em, sir," he called respectfully, and the little coachman drove on.

"Oh, that's Ellerton, the detective," he added to a curious bystander. "Smartest man in the west for this sort of thing. Old Vaughn sent for him three months ago. Seems he got an inkling that his boy was being watched. Neat, wasn't it—his landing 'em right here at the door?"

But the next morning little Flip wondered what had become of his friend and if he should like the new coachman half as well.

The Thin Man's Adventure.

They were talking of strange adventures. The big man from the north-west told of one which astonished his hearers.

"Some years ago," he said, "I was sleighing in the country, and my way lay across a frozen river. I knew the ice was thin, but I was determined to cross. The team scurried over the river under whip, and we were midway between the shores when the ice suddenly gave way, and the sleigh, horses and myself sank within a second to the bottom. However, the speed of the horses was so great that we were carried by the momentum safe upon the other shore, a little wet, to be sure, but not much the worse for that."

The thin, silent man had listened with great interest to the story.

"It is strange," he said, "but the same sort of an accident happened to me. The issue, however, was more tragic."

The big man squinted at the speaker. "And what was the issue?" he asked suspiciously.

"Well, I was drowned," said the thin man seriously.

A Joke That Led to Butchery.

What citizens of old were cruelly punished for joking about their emperor?

This fate befell the citizens of Alexandria. Caracalla, a monster of atrocious cruelty, left Rome about a year after the murder of his brother Geta, who had shared the throne with him, and spent the remaining five years of his reign in the provinces of his empire until his death, A. D. 217.

While peace prevailed he visited Alexandria, a chief center then of wit and learning, and there some one hung up in the theater a joke made at the emperor's expense. This so enraged Caracalla that he caused the citizens to be assembled outside the city on the plain and told them that they should shortly see that his wit was practical.

Then from a secure post in the temple of Serapis he directed the slaughter of many thousands innocent citizens and strangers and coolly informed the senate that all had been alike guilty of unpardonable insolence.—London Answers.

Evil Days For Actors.

At a time when, as Ben Jonson says, "nothing but filth of the mire" was uttered on the stage, laws were made in England against stage playing. In 1584 common players were debarred from 1508 strolling players were punishable, as rogues and vagabonds, with whipping and imprisonment unless they belonged to a nobleman and had his license, and even this exception was abolished by another act passed in 1604.

It was further enacted in 1625 that players acting on a Sunday should be fined 5 shillings or placed in the stocks. The powers of the cities of London and Westminster with their environs were augmented by an ordinance of 1647 by which all players were brought within the scope of the acts of 1585 and 1604.

By an ordinance passed in 1648 galleries were to be removed, the actors whipped during market hours in some market town, the spectators fined 5 shillings each and all money paid for admission forfeited and disbursed in relief of the poor.



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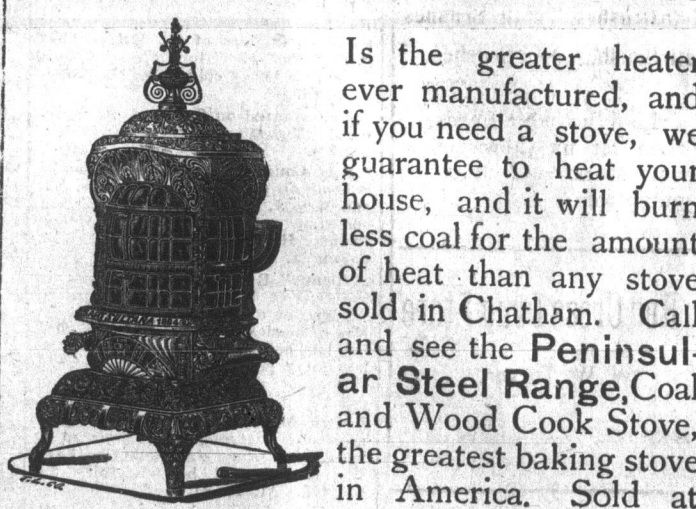
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JURORS FLIPPED COINS.

Reached a Verdict With the Aid of a Few Nickels.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—A despatch from Lawrenceville, Ill., says:—In the Lawrenceville Circuit Court here a jury trying the case of the State against George Ryan, charged with assault to commit murder, could not reach a verdict after being out thirty-six hours. One of them suggested flipping nickels—heads to convict, tails to acquit. The idea was adopted, and the second flip showed four heads and eight tails, resulting in acquittal. The court accepted the verdict, but did not know how it was reached until to-day. The State will get a new trial and the jurors may be indicted.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

William Sherring of Hamilton won the road race around the bay.

The Zionist host, under Dr. Dowie, left Niagara Falls for New York City.

The Alaska boundary commissioners were banquipped by the Pilgrims' Club.

The installation of Principal Gordon of Queen's University took place yesterday.

A state of siege has been declared at Amsterdams, France, owing to continued rioting.

Francis Dilling was accidentally shot by a companion while hunting near Bowmanville, and is dead.

The labor convention at Berlin decided to postpone the nomination of a candidate for the Commons.

The opening meeting of the Soc campaign was held last night, and was a very successful Liberal meeting.

L. McDonald, ledgerkeeper of the Union Bank at Calgary, has disappeared, and it is feared, has committed suicide.

James W. Hunter, a carpenter, of Winnipeg, has fallen heir to over a million dollars by the death of an uncle at Liverpool.

It is reported that the situation of the Sultan of Morocco is becoming desperate, the Imperial forces having been again defeated.

Mr. Sandford Darling of Lyn accidentally shot and killed his twelve-year-old son while duck-shooting on the St. Lawrence River.

MAY BE A DEADLOCK.

Two Houses Differ on the Railway Act.

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—The House of Commons and the Senate are face to face with a deadlock over some of the amendments made by the latter to the consolidated railway act. If the deadlock occurs there will have to be a conference between both Houses in order to find a solution of the difficulty. The Senate made some seventy amendments to the railway act, and all but thirteen of them have been accepted by the lower House. Those which the popular chamber has refused to accept deal with Federal jurisdiction over Provincial railways, the responsibility for cattle killed on railways, compensation to railway employees killed or injured, and other points. The question of Provincial rights arises in connection with provision by the House of Commons bringing Provincial railways that connect with Federal lines under Dominion control and within the jurisdiction of the new railway commission. This is argued by some Senators, as an encroachment upon Provincial rights. For example, it is pointed out that the Ontario Government are building with Provincial funds a railway into the Lake Temiskaming district, and the supporters of Provincial rights say that it would be a monstrous thing for the Dominion to take over that line simply because it connected with the Grand Trunk or the C.P.R. at North Bay.

A DRAMATIC SCENE.

Young Man Accuses His Father of Two Murders.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Mr. Frank Pavlik created a dramatic scene in Judge Clifford's court. Pointing at accusing finger at his father, charged with killing his wife, he declared that the latter was guilty not only of wife murder, but also of matricide. The murder of his mother is not the first one committed by his father, said the accuser. "In Bohemia where I was born, he killed his own mother. He became enraged at my grandmother and struck her a vicious blow. For three weeks she suffered and finally died. My father was never punished for that crime." Attorneys for the defendant told the jury they would make no denials of the charge that the defendant killed his wife, but would seek to prove him insane.

NINE-YEAR-OLD BOY SHOT.

Two Youngsters Hunting Muskrats at Killarney, Man.

Winnipeg, Oct. 16.—At Killarney yesterday Walter Williams, the nine-year-old son of John Williams, was fatally shot by a boy companion named Curtis Martin, while the boys were shooting muskrats at a bay near the farm residence. The charge entered young Williams' neck and death resulted in an hour's time.

TILLMAN ACQUITTED.

End of the Famous South Carolina Murder Trial.

Lexington, S.C., Oct. 16.—The jury in the case of former Lieut.-Colonel J. H. Tillman has found him not guilty. A demonstration followed the announcement, friends of the defendant giving vent to their feelings in a shout. The court previous to the reading of the verdict had admonished the spectators to refrain from any demonstration. Counsel for defence moved the defendant's discharge from the Sheriff's custody. No objections being made by the State, the court made the order. The jury was out about twenty hours before returning a verdict. The defendant shook hands with the judge and members of the jury and left the court room accompanied by his friends and counsel.

James H. Tillman, in a statement to the Associated Press, said:—"I feel very grateful at the result of the verdict, but at no time did I apprehend any serious consequences. I, of course, deeply regret the death of Mr. Gonzales, but I was forced to do what I did. I have never apprehended a conviction, for I felt that I did no more than any man would have done under the same circumstances, and what I was compelled to do. I did ask for a change of venue because I was convinced, on account of the prejudice in Richland county, that I could not get a fair and impartial trial in that county. I felt sure that as soon as my case could be presented to an impartial jury I could be vindicated."

HONORABLES DEPART.

Boston Bids Farewell to the Famous London Artillery Company.

Boston, Oct. 15.—The Honorable Artillery Company of Boston departed to-day under the command of Major Budworth, the adjutant of the corps. Earl and Lady Derby started on a trip to Mexico later in the day. "Auld Lang Syne" was sung, as the steamer started down the bay. A loss of \$200 in cash, a letter of credit for £200 on a Boston bank and his return steamship ticket to London was reported to-day by Gerard S. Phillips, a member of the company.

Feast Day at Assumption.

Windsor, Oct. 15.—Over fifty priests from Essex county and Michigan visited Assumption College yesterday to attend the celebration of the President's feast day. Father McGrady, the President, held a reception during the morning.

Returning to Canada.

London, Oct. 15.—Lord Strathcona bade good-bye to Sir Charles Tupper at Euston Street Station to-day. Sir Charles will sail with the Japanese Government and Evans, Mr. Berkeley Powell, M.P., and Deputy Minister of Finance Courtney, on the Bavarian. Sir Charles Tupper will spend the winter at Winnipeg.

TOOK A STRAW VOTE.

Interesting Experiment in a Restaurant.

An advertising agent, representing a prominent New York magazine, while on a recent western trip, was dining one evening in a Pittsburgh restaurant. While waiting for his order he glanced over his newspaper and noticed the advertisement of a well-known dyspepsia preparation, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; as he himself was a regular user of the tablets he began speculating as to how many of the other travelling men in the dining room were also friends of the popular remedy for indigestion.

He says: I counted twenty-three men at the table and in the hotel office I took the trouble to interview them and was surprised to learn that nine out of the twenty-three made a practice of taking one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. One of them told me he had suffered so much from stomach trouble that at one time he had been obliged to quit the road, but since using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets he had been entirely free from indigestion, but he continued their use, especially while travelling, on account of irregularity in meals and because like all travelling men he was often obliged to eat what he could get and not always what he wanted.

Another who looked the picture of health, said he never ate a meal without taking a Stuart Tablet afterward because he could eat what he pleased and when he pleased without fear of a sleepless night or any other trouble. Still another used them because he was subject to gas on the stomach, causing pressure, heart and lungs, shortness of breath and distress in chest, which he no longer experienced since using the tablets regularly.

Another claimed that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets was the only safe remedy he had ever found for sour stomach and acidity. He had formerly used common soda to relieve the trouble, but the tablets were much better and safer to use. After smoking, drinking or other excesses which weaken the digestive organs, nothing restores the stomach to a healthy, wholesome condition so effectually as Stuart's Tablets.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain the natural digestive juices, pepsin, diastase, which ever weak stomach lacks, as well as nux, hydrastin and yellow parilla, and can be safely relied on as a radical cure for every form of poor digestion. Sold by druggists everywhere.

A PECULIAR FATALITY.

Knocked Out of His Canoe by a Stroke of Lightning.

Coldwater, Oct. 16.—A drowning accident occurred in the river here about 6 o'clock yesterday. Walter Rainbird was out duck-shooting, and when returning home a storm came on, and he was supposed to have been struck by lightning. The charge entered his chest, and he was a short distance behind him in another canoe, and felt the shock of the lightning. He was thrown out of his canoe, and a party went in search, and soon found the body near where the canoe was found.

THE CANADIAN ROCKIES.

Contain Some of Grandest Scenery Known to Human Eye.

London, Oct. 15.—Longmans have published a fascinating book, entitled "Climbs and Explorations in the Canadian Rockies." The authors, two Alpinists, Messrs. Stutfield and Collier, declare that the view from Athabasca Peak is the grandest known to the human eye, and declare that the Rockies will soon come within the scope of Cook's excursions.

ONTARIO SOCIALISTS.

Three Candidates to Run in the Province.

Toronto, Oct. 16.—At the conference of Socialists held yesterday in the Orange County Hall, it was decided that socialist candidates should be nominated for Manitoulin, West Elgin and North Waterloo at the next Provincial elections. They also decided that they would not support labor candidates or the candidates of any other political party, and that no Socialist should be allowed to appear on the platform of any party. It was announced that the Ontario Socialists elected to the next Provincial Legislature would refuse to accept any office offered them, including the Speakership, or make any alliance with either party. A message congratulating the British Columbia Socialists on their success was ordered to be forwarded by the President.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENTS.

Forty Completed at Montreal to Lady Minto's Order.

Montreal, Oct. 16.—Mr. Jos. Brunet, Cote des Neiges has just completed an order from Lady Minto for forty monuments as a result of the collections made by the association formed to decorate the graves of Canadians who died in South Africa during the Boer war. Of these memorial stones, nine go to Pretoria, five to Kimberley, ten to Johannesburg, four to Bloemfontein and two to Cape Town. They are of the same material and pattern as the ones made by McIntosh & Son, Toronto. The entire lot will leave on the steamship Wyandotte, for Cape Town.

Czar Sends a Warlike Message.

London, Oct. 16.—The Berlin correspondent of The Times says the Czar is said to have sent the following telegram to Admiral Alexieff at Port Arthur:—"I give you full power to maintain, if necessary, Russia's prestige by force of arms." It is understood, however, that neither Russia nor Japan considers that its military preparations are complete. The correspondent also says attempts are being made to make it appear that the attitude of the Japanese Government and British public opinion is dictated by wholesome appreciation of Russia's military and naval strength in the far east.

WORLD OF SPORT

SHALL GAMES BE ALLOWED

Protest Which May Throw Out Both the Darrell and Kent Bridge Matches.

Mainly Letter from the Captain of the Chatham Club—Will Abide by the Decision as True Sports.

To the Sporting Editor of The Planet:

Before the Game yesterday afternoon, Mr. Roy Abraham, of Darrell, President of the Peninsular League, came to me and informed me that Kent Bridge intended to protest the game in case they lost, on the ground that we were not properly members of the league, not having paid our registration fee of five dollars. I was surprised to learn this was the case, and still more surprised that it was from Mr. Abraham, who evidently regarded the protest as I did, and not from the captain of the Kent Bridge team, that I received the information.

Toward the end of the second half, when the score stood, I think, four to nothing, the protest, which reads as follows, was placed in my hands:

"We, the Kent Bridge F. C., protest against the Chatham F. C. on the grounds that they are not members of the Peninsular League for the fall season of 1903."

J. H. CUMMING, Captain.

In justice to our many supporters, I feel that I should make the following explanation:—

A deposit of five dollars is required by the league. Our representatives at the league meeting last spring were instrumental in having this adopted, since they had suffered considerable inconvenience from Wallaceburg's default during the previous autumn. To provide against default is, I believe, the sole purpose of the deposit.

Our manager, Mr. Messrs, had received a letter from Secretary Butler about the time of the Darrell game, requesting that the deposit be immediately forwarded. His accident put the communication out of his mind for two or three days. At that time, when I was calling on him in the hospital, he handed me the letter, saying that he had forgotten it, and asking me to attend to it. I spoke to the assistant manager next day, asking him to attend to it. He interviewed the treasurer, who said he thought that the money must have been sent by Mr. Messrs, and there the matter lay.

Although we are quite willing to pay the deposit, and should have paid it long since, had it not been for an oversight, we have now this protest from Kent Bridge laid against our game. We are properly, I suppose, not members of the league; if we were not members yesterday, we were not members ten days ago when we played Darrell; and the two games are in one and the same category.

These, I think, are before the Dispute and Protest committee, if the Kent Bridge Club pushes the protest.

1. To drop us from the league, cancelling our games, and to declare that Darrell and Kent Bridge are the only teams on the Eastern Series.

2. To declare that both games shall be replayed, we paying the expenses of the visiting team.

3. To accept our deposit now, considering our delay culpable, perhaps, but not unpardonable.

We do not much care which of the three courses they adopt. We shall continue to play, for we are in the game for sport, and not particularly with the object of beating on the field—much less off the field—Kent Bridge or Darrell, or any other team.

CHARLES B. Sissons, Captain.

FOOTBALL

AN EASY VICTORY.

Five goals to nil was the big score rolled up by the Maple City Football Club in the Peninsular League match with Kent Bridge yesterday. But the game was by no means as one-sided as the score would indicate. Kent Bridge played a good, clean, hard game, and the Langford boys and Cummings, Hales and Pellypooe worked hard to avert defeat.

For Chatham the players worked hard and consistently. Parrott was, perhaps, the star and did splendid work throughout. Sissons, on the forward line put lots of life in the attack, and Flowers, Courtney and Baker put up a splendid defence. Chatham scored five times, as follows:—Ellison 2, Sissons 2, and Angus 1.

H. French, of Darrell, made a splendid referee.

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The Editor of The Planet,

City:

Dear Sir.—We are pleased to say that Mr. Barfoot has acceded to the wishes of the business men of Chatham, and starting to-day instead of having the post office open for two or three hours on a holiday, the lobby will be open from 7.30 to 12 at noon, and from 1 to 6 p.m., so that business men and others having boxes can get their mail practically any time during a holiday.

I think it is only right that we

should give Mr. Barfoot credit for this, as it certainly is a very great accommodation to the business men and to those in the country who come in here on a holiday for their mail.

Yours truly,
THE SUTHERLAND-INNES CO., Limited,
J. Innes, Managing Director.

If there were only a side door to Heaven maybe more men would get in.

A GOOD THING

A Metal Weather Strip is now being introduced in the city, that is attached to window frames, to shut off the wind and cold.

When a window is equipped with this weather strip, it absolutely shuts off all wind dust and dirt, and prevents wind from rattling. In short, it is a substitute for storm windows, at 60 per cent off the cost, and much more convenient. Double windows are considered very inconvenient. A house equipped with this strip can be heated with 25 per cent less fuel. Parties intending to put on store windows should investigate. A window equipped with this strip is on exhibition at the office of King St.

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