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## A COMPLETE CASE OF PETTY POLITICAL INTRIGUE

**Mr. Fisher First Denies then Admits Lord Dundonald's Charge—Admission Forced From Him by the General's Damaging Arraignment—The Earl Takes Nothing Back.**

Ottawa, June 10. — Discussion of Lord Dundonald's charge of political interference in the organization of the 13th Scottish Light Horse, which has been the talk of the Dominion for nearly a week, was discussed for five hours in the House to-day to the exclusion of all other business. The galleries were thronged to hear the debate of the Government's statement of defence was looked forward to with general interest, prominent in the speaker's gallery being Major Maude and a party from Government House. Mr. Fisher's statement, left the House rather under the impression that Lord Dundonald had been the victim of a misunderstanding, and had made his charges hastily and under a misapprehension of the facts. But when the general's memorandum was read by Colonel Hughes, the tables were quite turned upon Mr. Fisher, and the case against him was made complete when, in contradiction of his formal denial, he admitted, in the heat of debate that he had objected to certain of the officers named by the responsible military authorities because they were Conservatives in politics.

### CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE G. O. C.

Mr. Fisher, in entering upon a defence of his conduct, read the letter sent by the Minister of Militia to Lord Dundonald, enclosing a newspaper clipping from the Morning Citizen, in which the general's alleged statements were recorded, and asking if the clipping recorded, and asking if the clipping correctly reported his Lordship's utterance and the attendant circumstances. Replying to this communication, Lord Dundonald said that though he made some notes for his speech at Montreal, he did not refer in these notes to the 13th Light Dragoons or to Mr. Sydney Fisher, and had, therefore, nothing to refer to with regard to the portion of his speech beyond memory. He quoted that portion of the newspaper clipping which represented him as saying that a most flagrant instance of political interference had come before him in connection with the appointment of officers to the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons, and explaining how, because of his political color, Dr. Pickell had been struck off the list of officers recommended by the commanding officer of the corps by order of H. N. Sydney Fisher. "The above," General Dundonald's letter continued, "is substantially what I said, except that I also stated that Mr. Fisher interfered with the organization of the corps and with the names of other proposed officers as well as Dr. Pickell."

With regard to the first portion of the extract you send me, I did not say that all appointments are made in the militia through political intrigue. The substance of what I said, if my memory serves me right, was that "in time of peace the hands of the general were liable to be embarrassed by political intrigue, and consequently, the interests of the country, suffered."

### MR. FISHER'S POSITION.

Having read the foregoing letter from the general, Mr. Fisher proceeded to define his position in regard to Dr. Pickell, whose appointment as major was recommended by the commanding officer of the corps. It was noted on the recommendation, he said, that Dr. Pickell would be required to pass the qualifying examination. Mr. Fisher said he knew Dr. Pickell personally, and, being aware that the doctor had never been connected with the militia, and had never shown any interest in military matters, he (Mr. Fisher), suggested that the appointment be not made. "Further investigation," said Mr. Fisher, "confirmed me in this, and also proved to the commanding officer, who recommended his appointment, that I was right. Dr. Pickell himself so appreciated this fact that he was reluctant to accept the position." Mr. Fisher then stated that the House had been pressed by Col. Smart to pass the general order, authorizing the appointment. Col. Pinault, the deputy minister of militia, also argued that the order be passed without delay. At the same time Mr. Fisher said he received a letter from Col. Smart, colonel of the 13th Scottish Light Infantry Dragoons, to the effect that he had discussed matters with Lt. Col. Whitley, of the Eastern Townships Cavalry Brigade, and he had received a communication from Dr. Pickell, in which that gentleman gave up all connection with the squadron. "In accordance, therefore, with Dr. Pickell's request," Col. Clark's letter continues, "I can now, as commanding officer of the regiment, request you to kindly make the change in the Gazette by leaving Dr. Pickell's name out." To this letter a note was added by Col. Whitley, recommending that Col. Clark's suggestion be followed. Mr. Fisher then signed and sent the recommendation to the clerk of the

privy council, calling attention to the admission of Dr. Pickell's name from the list of officers.

### SAYS HE HAS PROOF.

As to Lord Dundonald's general statement that he interfered with the organization of the corps and with the names of other proposed officers as well as Dr. Pickell, Mr. Fisher declared that the only grounds upon which he made any suggestions was the immense importance of the appointment of officers with the military qualifications who knew the country and the people of the Eastern Townships. He asserted that he knew he took no exception to anybody's appointment on political grounds alone, as evidenced by his recommendation and endorsement of many well-known Conservatives. No one, he said, believed more thoroughly than he that the first necessity in the recommendation of officers on the establishment of a new regiment was military qualification and general personal suitability, and that no political considerations should be allowed to interfere with this. Should the recommendation of officers on the establishment of a new regiment be allowed to interfere with this, he said, "This," concluded Mr. Fisher, "is a simple statement of the facts of the case, which, without referring in any way to the propriety of the general officer commanding discussing in public official recommendations, without referring to the broad question of the propriety of an official of the Government of Canada criticising the official action of that Government, absolutely disapproves the charges that for political reasons I had undertaken to strike out a name which has been submitted to the Minister of Militia for appointment in the service."

### THE MINISTER OF MILITIA.

Sir Frederick Borden followed. "I confess," he said, "literally and entirely the statement just made by my colleague, the Minister of Agriculture. He then went on to tell how Mr. Fisher had for several years advocated the organization of a cavalry regiment in the Eastern Townships, when the time came to bring the matter up, the Minister of Agriculture was looked to for advice and assistance. "And," said Sir Frederick, "let me say at once that I recognize the fact that the man upon whom alone the entire responsibility rests to this Parliament and to the Canadian people for the proper administration of the militia."

### THE G. O. C.'S STATEMENT.

Lord Dundonald's statement as made in the memo communicated to Col. S. Hughes and communicated by that hon. member to the House was as follows:—"In accordance with general orders, approved by council, I gave orders in the customary manner in the month of February last to organize the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons as a cavalry regiment, with headquarters in the Eastern Townships of Quebec, Lt. Col. G. A. Smart, was gazetted as commanding officer on the 19th of February, and other officers were also appointed to the same regiment. Shortly after the promulgation of the order authorizing the organization of the regiment I received an order from Sir Frederick Borden, through Col. Pinault, the Deputy Minister of Militia, desiring him to

### STOP THE ORGANIZATION.

No explanation or reason for this step was vouchsafed, but indirectly I learned that the Minister of Agriculture was responsible for the delay which had occurred. I greatly desired to have the organization proceeded with, as the time for holding the annual camps was approaching. I accordingly twice communicated with Mr. Fisher by telephone on two dates some distance apart and made appointment with him in order that his reason for obstruction might be explained. Mr. Fisher did not keep either of these appointments. On the second occasion, when I called on him, he was speaking to Mr. Fisher on the telephone. I explained the urgency of completing the organization of the militia without delay; otherwise it would be impossible for it to go into camp. I also enquired what Mr. Fisher had to do with the organization of militia, and to this Mr. Fisher responded by enquiring whether I thought he had no right, as a cabinet minister, to interfere. My answer was that in my opinion Mr. Fisher had

### NO RIGHT TO INTERFERE

with Col. Smart's selection of officers, as I understood he had been doing. I said perhaps unnecessary to say to him that Col. Smart's duty was to select officers for commissions and submit the names to the General Officer Commanding, through the proper channel, in order that he might make recommendations to the Minister of Militia. I became convinced of Mr. S. Fisher's continued interference with the duty of Col. Smart in the selection of officers. Subsequently I sent in a list of officers for the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons, to be approved of by the Minister of Militia and gazetted.

Included in that list was the name of Dr. Pickell, Mayor of Sweetsburg, to command a squadron—a local man of prominence, whose appointment would, I believe, have advanced the interests of the militia. Dr. Pickell was not qualified professionally as an officer; indeed only two out of the sixteen of the proposed officers of the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons were militarily qualified. It was impossible, as well as he understood, to procure only qualified officers, as the cavalry regiment in the Eastern Townships had been increased since May, 1903, from four squadrons, numbering 800 men and 28 officers, to 28 squadrons numbering 1,600 men and hundred and twenty officers on peace establishment and with a war establishment of 2,700 men. All the gentlemen submitted in the test undertook to qualify professionally after appointment in the usual manner. This course is customary, and

### HAS BEEN FORCED UPON US.

by the lack of qualified officers. It is a course which has always met with the approval of the Minister of Militia. This list of officers for the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons was submitted to the minister, and included in the proposed general order, which included other regiments of the militia. This list of officers of the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons was struck out of the general order by Sir Frederick Borden, and I was informed of this circumstance by Col. Pinault, the deputy minister, in a letter of which the following is a copy—

### PINAULT TO DUNDONALD.

"Ottawa, Ont., May 19.—Dr. Lord Dundonald.—Late evening I placed before the minister, the Gazette dated 18th inst., the proposed general order of the militia, and the list of officers of the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons, which the minister held over for further consideration. It was approved, and as the minister intended to leave the city this morning for a week or two rather than delay the submission of the remainder of the Gazette, he cancelled and nullified the appointment to the 13th instead of returning the draft to you for that purpose. Very faithfully yours, L. E. Pinault."

"A day or two after the first list was cancelled, a further list was submitted to me by the Adjutant-General which I was informed would be acceptable and the organization of the corps would be permitted to proceed. This later list of officers to be gazetted, was sent to council, and when returned the name of Dr. Pickell had been erased, and the excuse was given by the Minister of Agriculture, who was acting for Sir Frederick Borden when in Montreal. On the 3rd June fuller details of the interference of the Minister of Agriculture were communicated to me in a conversation as well as by a letter from Col. Smart, which I received on the morning of June 4th, the day on which I spoke at the officers' banquet. Col. Smart's letter read as follows—

### COL. SMART'S LETTER.

"Montreal, June 4.—My Lord.—As requested by you last evening I have the honor to submit the following facts in connection with the recommendations for appointments submitted by me, and to which the Hon. Mr. Fisher took exception. I submitted the name of Dr. F. H. Pickell, who is Mayor of Sweetsburg and Warden of the County of Missisquoi, to be major in command 'E' squadron. Dr. Pickell is a man of means, can ride fairly well, and was quite willing to take the necessary time to qualify himself for the position of major. Mr. Fisher objected to him for no other reason than that he was a strong political opponent of his, and was quite determined to block the whole organization unless Dr. Pickell's name was withdrawn. This I refused to do, as I had wanted Dr. Pickell to be in the regiment and told Mr. Fisher that some one else would have to be responsible for the withdrawal of Dr. Pickell's name. After my last visit to Ottawa I consulted with Col. Whitley, and we came to the conclusion that unless we induced Dr. Pickell to voluntarily withdraw the organization would be hung up indefinitely. I therefore communicated with Dr. Pickell, and explained to him that owing to a new regulation, objection was made to the appointment of unqualified officers to field officer's rank, and asked him if he would be good enough to allow me to withdraw his name temporarily, to which he consented. I then communicated with Mr. Fisher saying that I would agree to the withdrawal of Dr. Pickell's name in the meantime, and on the strength of this, I believe, the appointment passed through council. Your Lordship will observe that I have

### NOT WITHDRAWN DR. PICKELL'S NAME

absolutely, and have kept the position of major in 'E' squadron vacant in case that I may yet have Dr. Pickell appointed. Hon. Mr. Fisher took exception to the name of Mr. T. R. Pickell, who is also very enthusiastic, and would make a capital cavalry officer. I had submitted Mr. Pickell's name, recommending that he be appointed captain in 'E' squadron, but Mr. Fisher insisted that I substitute the name of Lt. R. Steacie, making him captain and Mr. Pickell first lieutenant. I pointed out to Mr. Fisher that Mr. Pickell, being a resident of the townships and entitled to a senior rank in preference to Mr. Steacie, who lives in Montreal, and, moreover, as Mr. Steacie is a relative of mine, it would place me in a false position, and appear as though I was unduly advancing him at the expense of others. Hon. Mr. Fisher evidently had his mind made up on the matter, and insisted on the change, to which I reluctantly agreed. I regret to say that this has caused some dissatisfaction, and I would at the first opportunity

transfer Mr. Steacie to another squadron and recommend Mr. Pickell for his captaincy. With regard to the adjutantcy, Captain Converse, whom I selected for this position, has served in the militia for about 15 years, and for a long time served as sergeant-major in the Duke of York's Hussars, Mr. Fisher

### ASKED ME TO DROP THIS MAN

and substitute Mr. Adams, of the 6th Hussars, a man who is very deaf, and whom I consider physically unfit for the position. I absolutely declined to consider this at all, and Mr. Fisher waived his objections. He then asked me to recommend Mr. Adams for major to command 'E' squadron, and this I also flatly declined to do. Out of five men whom Mr. Fisher recommended for commissions three have absolutely declined to come into the organization, so that after all the trouble and worry inflicted on the regiment, Mr. Fisher has only been able to find two officers, both of whom are unqualified, and not in any way to compare with Dr. Pickell, whom he rejected. The above are the main facts in connection with this unfortunate matter, but if there is any further information desired I would be pleased to submit it. I am your Lordship's humble servant (signed, Chas. A. Smart, Lt.-Col., June 4th, 1904).

"I may here state that I have just communicated with Col. Smart, and it is by his permission and desire that I included this letter."

### TAKES BACK NOTHING.

Lord Dundonald's memo concludes with the statement that the extract from the Montreal Gazette of June 9th, except for a few slight omissions and inaccuracies gives a very fair report of what he said at Montreal on the subject in question. The word "education" should read "education," and the word "champion" should read "warden." The reference to lack of officers at Ottawa, His Lordship concludes, "had no application except to official matters connected with my duty."

This memorandum, which was commented upon by Col. Hughes as he read it, took the House generally by surprise, putting, as it did, an entirely different face upon the matter from what it bore at the conclusion of Mr. Fisher's statement.

### THE TRUTH OUT.

Mr. Fisher replied at some length. He was evidently in bad humor, and declared he had no objection to Dr. Pickell and others because they were Tories, and relatives of Senator Baker, and that their appointment would make the new regiment a Tory organization.

### MR. BORDEN CONTRASTED THIS.

Mr. Borden contrasted this with Mr. Fisher's first statement, in which he denied having taken any action whatever for political motives.

### LAURIER CALLS DUNDONALD.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said the result of Dundonald's speech would be discussed at another time with prudence and deliberation. He said the trouble with Lord Dundonald, who was a foreigner, or rather a stranger, was that he considered his recommendation like the laws of the Medes and Persians, unalterable. But we were not accustomed to being dragged in this country. Lord Dundonald would have to learn that there was responsible Government in Canada.

The discussion was continued until 11 o'clock when the House adjourned.

### SIXTH WELL SHOT

Leamington, June 9.—The Leamington Oil Company has shot its sixth well at a depth of 1,047 feet. The well is flowing and promises to be a good one. The company now has four flowing wells and two pumping. The seventh well is down about six hundred feet, and the eighth is to be started at once.

### ALL WANT 'EM

George J. Mitchell writes The Planet to-day from Toronto:—

"Sorry indeed was unable to participate in the rare old fun of last week. Trust every person enjoyed it, in fact from my many pleasant remembrances of the Old Days, feel assured the Old Boys went the limit. Would you kindly forward to my address copy of the handsome Planet Souvenir edition, for which I remit. Everyone is admiring it and all want copies."

### ENTRANCE CLASS STUDY

The last of the Friday afternoon series of lectures for the Central School Graduation class took place yesterday. Dr. Thornton gave a most interesting and instructive talk on the teeth, which was accompanied by blackboard illustrations by Kate L. Taylor, one of the pupils. H. W. Anderson also gave a talk on the character of "Shylock," from Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice." Both speakers received votes of appreciation. Piano solos by Misses Galmage and Shillington, and choruses by the school, lent variety. Miss Ida Hillman, the entrance teacher, presided, and it is to her that the idea of securing extra educational means for the pupils and its successful culmination are due. The manner in which pupils moved and seconded resolutions showed that the method of correctly conducting public meetings is receiving proper attention.

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## CHURCH - CHIMES

### HOURS OF SERVICE

Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.  
First Presbyterian—11 and 7.  
Holy Trinity—11 and 7.  
St. Andrew's—11 and 7.  
St. Joseph's B. C.—7.30, 10.30, 7.50.  
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7.  
William St. Baptist—11 and 7.  
Park St. Methodist—11 and 7.  
Seventh Day Adventist—9 and 7.  
Latter Day Saints—11 and 7.  
Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.  
First Baptist—11 and 7.30.  
St. John's A. U. M. E.—11 and 7.  
British Methodist—11 and 7.30.  
Union A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p.m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

International Bible Lesson for Tomorrow—Christ Crucified—Mark 15: 22-29; Luke 23, 26-46; John 19, 16-30.

Golden Text—"Christ died for our sins, according to the Scriptures."

Seven hundred years before this, Isaiah wrote, "For He was cut off out of the land of the living; for the transgression of my people was He stricken, yet it pleased the Lord to bruise Him."—Isaiah 53, 8-10.

The death of Jesus Christ as the substitute for sinful man, the sacrifice of God's own Son as a sin offering for the whole world, is the pivot on which all God's dealings with mankind turn; the central point of the world's history is this grace of our Lord Jesus Christ here fulfilling the will of God and the purpose of His life, which was to give Himself a ransom for many.

Let every one who reads look on Him with faith. In the words of the dying Christ, we have an index to His thoughts and emotions. Nailed to the cross, His eyes rest on the executioners and the scoffing multitude; His heart overflows with mercy and His prayers, "Father, forgive them, they know not what they do." His agonized utterance assures the penitent dying thief that his prayer was accepted, and that on that very day he should be with His Lord in Paradise. The third time His voice was heard, committing His broken-hearted mother to His beloved disciple's care. As He sinks in deepest suffering and drinks the dregs of the bitter cup of God's wrath against our sin, He cries loudly, "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?" Remembering David wrote concerning Him—Ps. 69, 21—"They gave me vinegar to drink." Jesus said, "I thirst," when some friendly hand pushed a sponge dipped in vinegar on a bunch of hyssop to His parched lips, they opened and His sixth utterance was, "It is finished." For the seventh time, in the darkness, the earth trembling, the tombs opening, again with a loud voice He says, "Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit, and He gave up the ghost. "Look and Live!"

"There is life for a look at the crucified one."  
There is life at this moment for thee;  
Then look, sinner, look unto Him and be saved;  
Unto Him who was nailed to the tree!"

### CHURCH NOTES

First Presbyterian.  
Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, the pastor, will occupy the pulpit on both occasions to-morrow.

The 24th Regiment will parade to church to-morrow morning.  
Bible Class and Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
Regular weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Young People's Society on Friday evening at 8.

Christ Church.  
Sunday school is held every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Bible class for young ladies at 3 o'clock; Bible class for young men at the same hour.

St. Andrew's.  
Rev. Dr. Jamieson, of Blenheim, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 to-morrow afternoon.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Holy Trinity.  
The rector, Rev. T. Beverley Smith, will conduct the services and preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 to-morrow afternoon.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

St. Andrew's.  
The pastor, Rev. F. E. Malott, will conduct the services. Theme of the morning service, "Temptation"; evening, "A Threesfold Endowment for Life."

Classes meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, and 12 noon.  
Sunday school to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

The Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Park St. Methodist.  
Meetings for Christian fellowship at 10 a.m. in Hall.

Bible School at 3 p.m. S. School in S. S. Hall, Bible Class in the Church, Young Men's Club in the Vestry.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8.

Young Men's Club in the Vestry.

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Rev. J. W. Hoyt, M. A., pastor, will preach at both services. Evening subject, "Some Things I Saw at the Old Boys' Re-union."

Prayer meeting to-morrow morning at 10.

Sunday School and Bible Class to-morrow afternoon at 3.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

The B. Y. F. U. meets in the lecture room every Friday evening at 8.

Rev. J. W. Hoyt, the new pastor of the church, has taken up his residence on Murray St.

Latter Day Saints.

District Conference services will be held in the Oddfellows' Auditorium, King St., Saturday at 8 p.m., when Elder Russell, of Arthur, Ont.

Sunday services as follows:—

Prayer service at 8.30 a.m., the speaker being Elder Fred Gregory, of St. Mary's; and at 2.30 p.m., by Elder C. C. Evans, President Canada Mission, and also at 7 p.m., by Elder Arthur Leverton, of Bothwell, District.

The public are cordially invited to any or all of these services.

Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Prayer service at 3 p.m.

Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

Religious Society meets Friday evening at 8.

Campbell A. M. E.

Campbell A. M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Henderson, B. A., pastor, will take as his subject to-morrow morning—Children's Day—"The Proper Training of the Young."

The Campbell A. M. E. S. S. will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3.

Converts' prayer meeting at 6.30 to-morrow evening.

A. U. M. E.

Usual services will be held in St. John's A. U. M. E. Church to-morrow as follows:—At 11 a.m., Scripture lesson and preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey, S. S. at 3 p.m.

At 6.30 prayer meeting and song service by the Spencer Lodge, and service by the pastor.

Class meeting in connection with the A. U. M. E. Church is held every Tuesday evening.

Union A. M. E.

Sunday services as usual in the Union A. M. E. Church, Forest St., North Chatham; Rev. B. L. Holden, pastor.

Salvation Army.

Salvation Army, Union Depot—Knee drill at 7 a.m., meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a.m., Christian Fellowship meeting at 3 p.m., soul winning service at 7.30 p.m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

First Baptist.

Rev. F. Jesse Henderson, the pastor, will preach on both occasions to-morrow.

Sabbath School at 12.30.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

British Methodist.

Services will be held as usual in the British Methodist Church to-morrow.

Prayer meeting will be held in the British Methodist Church at Wednesday evening at 7.30.

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No Good Homestead Land Left Within 30 Miles of the Canadian Pacific Railway in the Calgary District—This Shows the Rapid Development of the Canadian Northwest—Alberta Raises the Finest Quality of No. 1 Hard Wheat.

There are four great central land districts toward which the tide of emigration flows in Western Canada. They are Regina, Calgary, Red Deer and Edmonton. Lethbridge, on the south, and Battleford and Prince Albert, on the north, are the other three points where general land offices are maintained. The first four are receiving the bulk of the new settlers this year. In the past Regina has led all other land offices in point of numbers. Three thousand made in the territories. Three thousand a year was the high water mark, and a month that did not witness 300 applications at Regina was considered dull. That has been the story for the past three or four years. The territory tributary to the Regina land office is equal to that of Lethbridge, Calgary, Red Deer and Edmonton. It extends from the fourth meridian on the west to the state line on the east, and from the state line on the south to within fifty miles of the town of Battleford, on the north. This vast district consists almost wholly of surveyed lands, subject to homesteading.

The Calgary district is being flooded so rapidly by ranchers and farmers that the surveyed lands are down to a close margin. In other words, the homesteaders are keeping up with the Government surveyors. J. R. Sutherland, the Calgary land agent, said to me that the Government surveyors worked overtime last year, and will have to do even better this year if the land in demand is to be ready for the newcomers. Large numbers of squatters have overrun the big stretch of unsurveyed land north of the Calgary district, extending into Red River, Edmonton and Battleford. Squatter rights are not recognized, and only the man on the ground when the Government surveyors arrive can be recognized. This makes squatters a very uncertain quantity.

Calgary Leads This Year.

This year the Calgary land office leads all others in the territories. The agents cast a balance as at June 1 for the previous year. At Battleford, for example, ending June 1, 1903, the record showed 1,916 entries. Regina was two thousand in advance, while the four other big districts, with Prince Albert added, were less than Calgary, but combined they exceeded the entries at Regina by two thousand.

Ten months of the fiscal year have passed. Calgary shows to-day, according to Mr. Sutherland's latest compilation, 2,416 homestead entries. He estimated that the next two months—very favorable months—would swell the total for the fiscal year to 3,000. At the same time Regina is falling behind these figures, though Red Deer and Edmonton are approaching closer.

While there is plenty of desirable farming and grazing land to be had on the homestead plan all over the territories, nothing worthy of the name may be secured closer than thirty miles from the railroad. Refusing to an inquiry as to how much longer this rush of settlers could be handled, with a guarantee of free homes for all who come, Mr. Sutherland said that it was uncertain, but that Canada would have twenty to thirty millions of inhabitants before the supply would be exhausted.

From \$10 to \$50 Per Acre.

The casual observer is impressed, however, with the rapid settlement of the territories and the certainty that within a short time—as time goes in the life of a nation—the immense public domain that is so generously distributed among all who seek the west will be a thing of the past. Driving a mile from Calgary with President Talbot of the Pure Bred Cattle Breeders' Association of the Territories, I was entertained with interesting stories of rapid development. With a sweep of his hand over a considerable area, showing farm-houses on every quarter section and cattle grazing on every hill, Mr. Talbot alluded to the fact that but a few years ago the best could be pre-empted for a ten-dollar Government fee. Now it is held at from thirty to forty dollars an acre.

But from a more practical point of view, the conditions prevailing in the territories, John R. Sutherland, brother of Hugh Sutherland, is the land agent at Calgary. He came west from Ingersoll, Ont., in 1875. For many years he was located in Manitoba. With papers piled up to his ears around his desk, each representing the hopes and the wealth of some homesteader, Mr. Sutherland discussed the situation of the territories to the point where they must work night and day to keep anywhere near the head of the line, with no hope of catching up until an increase of help is secured.

Alberta Grows Wheat.

"Alberta has become well known as a grazing country. The truth is that we raise as fine quality of number 1 hard north and south of Calgary as the farmers of Manitoba. This is the evolution of the farm. For years it was not supposed that the territories were of value agriculturally. I recall in 1875 that when I first went to Manitoba the agent of the Hudson Bay Company was insisting that wheat could not be grown there. Apparently he was right. The first put in around Portage la Prairie was caught by the frost. It would not ripen. Before it could mature the frost ruined it for commercial purposes. But to-day the plains of Portage la Prairie produce the finest No. 1 hard that goes into the Liverpool elevators. Why? The farmers have learned to farm. The increased area

of cultivated soil reduced the probabilities of frost. They learned that after all frost goes in streaks. While it might make its appearance in one field or section, it did no damage in adjacent farms. In other words, they learned that frost acts as erratically as hail.

They talked for years of Alberta being a fine ranching country, but impossible for wheat raising, yet to-day they are raising in some sections of Alberta 52 bushels of No. 1 hard to the acre. I still advocate mixed farming as the most productive in this section, but the point is that farmers learn to overcome what appears to be insurmountable natural barriers to the cultivation of the soil of Alberta. To-day in Southern Alberta they are producing immense quantities of what we call fall wheat.

In the States they call it winter wheat. It grades No. 1 hard, and is of superior quality. This variety is better adapted to Alberta than the spring article, because it matures several weeks earlier and the chances of its destruction by frost are materially less. Yet fall wheat was an unknown quantity with the pioneer farmers of Alberta. They could produce nothing but spring wheat.

Ontario and Alberta Compared.

"Farming in Ontario and here are entirely different propositions. Here wheat grows twice as high as in Ontario. I have seen wheat as high as a man's head and well developed grains, grading No. 1 hard. When I first came to Calgary I remember that farmers who had gone in around Regina abandoned their farms, as well as wheat raising. They went into Manitoba and some came here, yet to-day that same section of Regina is included in the great wheat belt. This illustrates the idea. Men who cultivate the soil successfully in Ontario and the States will be successful in this region, but it is not reasonable to suppose they will farm as profitably the first year as the second. The practical phases recognize this as—G. C. Porter in the Toronto World."

Important Change of Time

TAKES PLACE ON THE GRAND TRUNK, COMMENCING JUNE 13TH.

The morning train for London and Toronto now leaves at 8.35 a.m., and the afternoon train for the same points will leave at 2.17 instead of 2.27 p.m., and dining cars will be attached to the train at London.

Westbound, the morning train for Detroit will leave at 8.23 a.m. instead of 8.15 a.m. at present. Train now leaving at 4.23 will leave at 4.18 and the International Limited at 4.18 will leave earlier, viz., 9.08.

The Muskoka Express train between Buffalo, Toronto, Muskoka and Huntsville will run at same time as last year, the Buffalo-Muskoka Express starting on Saturday, June 11.

The Grand Trunk will also run between Toronto, London and St. Thomas a new fast train in each direction, also new train between Woodstock and Toronto, and are running their night train from Montreal through to Chicago, carrying through Pullman and coach to Chicago without change.

Further information will be given by Mr. W. E. Rispin, Grand Trunk City Ticket Agent.

NO ICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids or separate tenders (marked tender) will be received at the Municipality of Raleigh, Chatham, Ont., until Wednesday, June 16th, for the masonry work, carpentry, work, iron and steel work, painting, glazing, heating, plumbing, etc., required in the erection and completion of a stone and brick foundation and Bank Building, on the corner of King and Fifth Streets, in the City of Chatham. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned Architect. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Very fine quality, made with fine all over insertion, front in beautiful medallion effects, lace pin tucks, on front, back, sleeves and cuffs, fine embroidery, tab collar, very special at \$2.50

LADIES' WHITE WAIST SALE—

6 dozen fine lawn waists, with fine Swiss insertion, and tucked front, tucks on back, perfect fitting, special each \$1.00

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Finest quality, beautifully made and trimmed with lace tucks, embroidery, insertions, etc., matchless values at each \$2.90, \$3.50, \$3.90 and \$4.50

WHITE LAWN WAISTS—

Fine quality, made with all-over tucks and insertion front, insertion and tucks down back, tucked cuffs, fancy tab collar, special each \$1.25

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Fine India lawn, two handsome styles, with all-over embroidery front, also fine insertion and tucked fronts, fancy tab collars, insertion cuffs, special each \$1.50

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34 only boys' 2-pc suits, in range of natty tweeds and serges, sizes 22 to 29 in, regular \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$3.75, clearing at \$2.38

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BOYS' 3-PC. SUITS—

In fancy tweeds and serges, good range of styles, regular up to \$5.50 each, clearing at \$3.48

BOYS' KNICKER PANTS—

In strong Canadian tweeds, good range of patterns, made with double knees and double seals, lined through out, regular 60c to 75c, all at clearing at 48c

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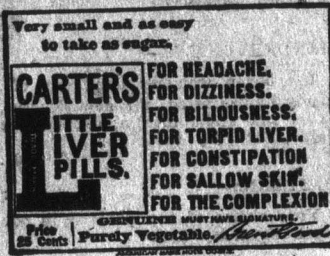
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### WABASH.

Miss Louis and Miss Truesdale were the guests of Miss Clara Bedford on Sunday.

A number from here attended the Free Methodist meeting on Sunday at Thornhill.

The C. O. F. ice cream social on Friday evening was a grand success. The proceeds amounted to \$33.50.

Miss Ethel Brooks is visiting in our neighborhood.

Melvin Kelley sold his 2-year-old colt for the sum of \$95.

### WILLIAMS.

Mrs. Joseph Thomas is very ill but we hope for her speedy recovery.

Miss Anne Bruce has returned home from Chatham again.

Mrs. E. Thornton is all smiles. It's a boy.

The corn planters are all the rage now, and be heard everywhere.

Mr. Hunt, of Chicago, is visiting his friend, W. H. Williams.

Mrs. S. Drago has returned to Toronto, after visiting friends at Prairie Siding.

### NORTHWOOD.

A number from here attended the Old Boys' Re-union in Chatham, last week. They all report having a jolly good time.

There will be a lawn social on the lawn of D. H. Curtis, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, on the 23rd of June.

There will be a service every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Baptist church, the Rev. Mr. Orten will be the preacher.

The cylinder head blew out of the engine in Peter Campbell's mill last week, causing considerable damage.

Mr. Ben Lenoyer is building a new addition to his residence.

There will be no preaching in the Methodist Church next Sunday on account of the anniversary services at Bethel.

### A BROAD STATEMENT.

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### GUILDS.

Mr. and Mrs. David Flaherty, of Tilbury, visited friends here over Sunday.

Scarlet fever is in our midst.

Sam Bentley, of Detroit, called on his relatives here last week.

Miss Mabel Jenner, of Charing Cross, is in the neighborhood.

The excessive rain of last week caused great delay for the farmers.

Miss Woods, of Ridgeway, spent Sunday of Wm. Burrell's.

E. S. Stephenson preached on Sunday in the absence of Rev. C. W. Bristol, who is attending conference.

Norman Cumming has purchased a new driveway.

Mr. Lampan leaves this week for his home in Detroit.

Miss Allie Gosnell and Miss Gordon, of Highgate, visited friends here over Sunday.

### KENT BRIDGE.

Charles Levitreau, of Chicago, is renewing old acquaintances around the village and vicinity.

Quite a number from here attended the Old Boys' Re-union in Chatham last week. They report a big time and lots of it.

Now is the time for corn planting, while the weather is fine.

The expected football match between Chatham and our juniors, failed to come off here last Thursday, owing to our city friends not putting in an appearance. Perhaps there was too much going on in their own town to take themselves. The match is to be fixed for Thursday of this week.

An ice cream social is to be held in the Methodist Church of this place on Wednesday evening of this week. Good program of local talent is to be presented.

### JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

There was no service in the Methodist Church on Sunday last. Sunday school met at ten o'clock, as usual. The following are the officers and teachers for this year:—

Mr. Gibb, Superintendent.  
Mrs. Ed. Clark, Bible Class Teacher.  
Mrs. Smith, Teacher.  
Miss Reynolds, Teacher.  
Miss Margaret Garbutt, Treasurer.  
Miss Hamilton, Secretary.  
Miss Creech, Organist.  
W. Brusse and family have moved to Tilbury, their farm being covered with water.  
Many of the farmers will have corn and potatoes to plant a second time as the seed has rotted.  
Miss Edith Peck has returned from the Ursuline Academy.  
Misses Florence and Georgia Kontze spent Saturday in Detroit, going via Str. City of Chatham.  
Mrs. Kontze entertained a few friends on Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Naugle.  
James Mason and Israel Reaume were in Chatham on Monday.  
C. Chittim has rented Mrs. Field's house.  
J. I. Scott is boring for oil on his farm in the Dauphine scheme.

### BEAR LINE.

The rainy weather is very bad for the grain. Some of the farmers are beginning to think they will have to

## IS STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH

When Sandow poses and the muscles ridge his back and knot his arms, we think we have before us the very crest of strength in those magnificent muscles. But we haven't. Starve Sandow, or what is practically the same thing, let him be dyspeptic, and his muscle would soon fall. Strength is made from food properly digested and assimilated, and no man is stronger than his stomach, because when the stomach is diseased digestion and assimilation are imperfect.

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plant their corn over again.

Miss Eva Dege, of Chatham, was a Bear Line visitor a few days last week.

Hurrah for the Forester's picnic on June 8th, in Sher. Hunt's bush.

The Ladies' Aid of Hind Church are talking of having a picnic on July 1st.

We are sorry that Rev. Mr. Clark is about to leave us.

Miss Mary Mason has returned home again and all are glad to have her among us for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foy attended the Old Boys' Re-union in Chatham.

Miss Mary Ann Had is the guest of Mrs. Kruger, of Hind Bridge.

**CON. 6, CHATHAM.**

On May 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robert, Chatham Twp., a daughter.

Napoleon Robert held a fine basket assembly in his brother's new barn.

The funeral of Mr. Dugan, last Monday, was largely attended.

Mr. Weaver had quite a plowing bee this week preparing for his corn.

Miss Annie Gallagher has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Martin McGregor, of Dover Twp.

**THE BEST LINIMENT.**

"I have derived great benefit from the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and lumbago," says Mrs. Anna Hagelgans, of Tuscarora, N. Y. "My husband used it for a sprained back and was also quickly relieved. In fact it is the best family liniment I have ever used. I would not think of being without it. I have recommended it to many and they always speak very highly of it and declare its merits are wonderful." For sale by all druggists.

**BLOOMFIELD SCHOOL, NO. 3, RALEIGH.**

Monthly report.  
Class V.—E. Chrysler.  
Class IV.—F. Lee, O. Budd, H. Chrysler, P. Drury, M. Dolson, G. Hitchcock.

Class III.—N. Wardell, R. Maine, G. Lee, R. Wardell, N. Mardig.  
Class II.—J. Legge, R. Edwards, E. Banning, H. Wardell, Daisy Lee, M. Leggett, H. Mardig.

Part II.—H. Bellamy, L. Brown, R. Maine, R. Edwards, C. Banning, R. Mardig.

Part I.—H. Legge, E. Edwards, L. Legge, G. Taylor, F. Budd, M. Wallace.

Part I.—G. Wilcox, H. Street, H. Backus, J. Maine, A. Nelson, C. Backus, P. Backus, E. Bellamy.

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A local telephone service is being installed at Dutton.

Mrs. C. G. Oster visited friends in Chatham for a few days last week.—Dresden Standard.

R. V. R. A. Kuder, B. A., of Oil Springs, will succeed Rev. A. K. Giffin as pastor of Christ Church.—Dresden Standard.

Rev. Father Foster, of the parish of Bothwell, Thamesville, and Wardsville, has been transferred to Mt. Carmel, and his successor is the Rev. Fr. O'Neil, of St. Thomas.

On Monday evening, June 20th, at eight o'clock, in the Methodist church, Mr. S. B. Sissons, B. A., of Chatham Collegiate Institute, will deliver a lecture on Tennyson, the man and the poet.—Dresden Standard.

Morley J. Pool, son of Mr. John Pool, of the 11th con., Chatham township, died on Monday. Deceased was 14 years, 6 months and 22 days old. The funeral took place to Dresden cemetery.—Dresden Standard.

The orangemen of Kent will likely gather at Ridgeway, on July 15th, the closing of Bienenbach hotel having that day without accommodations for such a large crowd.—Dresden Standard.

Mr. Milton Brown, son of Mr. Albert Brown, Dresden, has received an appointment as the Dominion Postal Service. He will probably be placed on one of the fast trains between Ottawa and Winnipeg.

Donald McPherson, a pioneer of Aldborough, died on May 20th, at Dutton, in his 85th year. Mr. McPherson was born the same day as the late Queen Victoria, May 24th, 1819. He leaves a widow and large family.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, May 25th, at the residence of George Kennedy, con. 13, Dover, when his second daughter, Miss Sarah, and Mr. Albert Trotter, of Harriman, Tenn., U. S. A., were united in marriage.

**S. S. NO. 15, RALEIGH.**

Class V.—W. Larabee.  
Class IV.—M. Guy, E. Haskell, W. Guy, C. Sykes, G. Marriott, T. Bursae, (M. Fleming) absent.

Class III.—Sr.—R. Pepper, O. Ryan, (F. Graham) absent.

Class II.—Jr.—W. Cunningham, G. Sykes, B. Ryan, G. Haskell, V. Fleming, N. Marshall, E. Wright, J. Marshall (E. Fleming) absent.

Class I.—E. Hope, H. Graham, V. Jenner, W. Guy, W. Sykes, M. Wright, J. Coughman, C. Marshall.

Part II.—Sr.—B. Crounham, E. Crounham, H. Haskell.

Part II.—Jr.—A. Fleming, C. Ryan, Part I.—Sr.—N. Wright, O. Graham, A. Ryan, L. Marshall.

Part I.—Jr.—C. Cunningham, L. Larabee, E. Larabee, J. Middleton.

**C. M. HILL,**  
Teacher.

**CHATHAM TOWNSHIP.**

Following is the report of the standing of the pupils of S. S. No. 6, (South) Chatham Township, for May:

Class V.—M. Henry, J. Stark, Robt. Brown, J. Green.

Sr. IV.—R. Nichols, J. Colman, Tom He, B. Colman.

Jr. IV.—C. Dawson, E. Stark, Fred Bowers, C. Colman, M. Moore, M. See, M. Colman, D. Henry.

Class III.—Jr.—E. Oliver, E. Moore, L. Nichols, H. Colman, Nita Moore, H. See, M. David.

Sr. II.—B. Edwards, F. Wicks, Ed. Bowers.

Jr. II.—W. See, O. Yott, J. Yott, D. Moir, B. Moore, H. Colman, J. Yott, K. Milten.

Part II.—Sr.—G. Breston.

Sr. I.—A. Edwards, W. Nichols, H. Nichols, H. Garel, C. Edwards, Nelson Yott, Ethel Moore.

Jr. I.—D. McNeillage, J. Bowers, M. Henry, P. Briggs, A. Edwards, M. Breston, V. Baynard, R. Nichols.

Average—19.  
**C. M. ROWE,**  
Teacher.

**CON. 8, RALEIGH.**

The funeral of Will Ritchie, who died on the 27th at the early age of 28 years, took place last Sunday afternoon and was very largely attended. The service, which was held at Wesley church, was conducted by Mr. Thompson, after which the remains were interred in Maple Leaf cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grice, of London, visited friends here last week.

Mr. Youngblood, of Goderich, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Flook.

Mr. John Cameron has bought a house and lot on Park avenue west.

Miss Mable Kelly was married to Mr. Frank Callahan, of Chatham, last Wednesday.

The Kipp Oil Co. has again made a rich strike, this time on the Howard farm. The gas pressure was very high and barrels of oil flowed out over the ground before the well was got under control.

Born on Sunday, May 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson, of Ridgeway, a son.

Miss Olive Harwood has returned home after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Taylor, of St. Thomas.

**UNION S. S. NO. 22, D. C. O. S.**

The following is the report of the standing obtained by the pupils in May, based upon results of examinations, oral and written, and regular attendance:

Class IV.—L. Babcock, B. Green, A. Scaman, E. Dunlop.  
Class III.—Sr.—D. Bird.  
Class II.—Jr.—H. Meredith, R.

**Congressman Lantry from North Carolina.**  
Writes: "My secretary had as bad a case of catarrh as I ever saw, and since he has taken one bottle of Peruna he seems like a different man."—Romulus Z. Lantry, Taylorsville, N. C.

**Congressman Ogden from Louisiana.**  
Writes: "I can conscientiously recommend your Peruna."—H. W. Ogden, Benton, La.

**Congressman Smith from Illinois.**  
Writes from Murphysboro, Ill.: "I have taken one bottle of Peruna for my catarrh and I feel very much benefited."—Geo. W. Smith.

**Congressman Mackison from Ohio.**  
Says: "I have used several bottles of Peruna and feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head."—David Mackison, Napoleon, O.

**Congressman Dunsell from Minnesota.**  
Writes from Owatonna, Minn.: "Your Peruna has been used by myself and friends not only as a cure for catarrh but also as an admirable tonic for physical recuperation."

**Congressman Thompson from Kentucky.**  
Writes: "Besides being one of the very best tonics Peruna is a good, substantial catarrh remedy."—Phil. B. Thompson.

**Senator Thurston from Nebraska.**  
Writes from Omaha, Neb.: "Peruna entirely relieved me of a very irritating cough."—J. M. Thurston.

**Congressman Worthington from Nevada.**  
Writes: "I have used one bottle of Peruna and it has benefited me immensely."—H. G. Worthington.

**Congressman Bankhead from Alabama.**  
Writes: "Your Peruna is one of the best medicines I ever tried."—J. H. Bankhead, Fayetteville, Ala.

**Congressman Powers from Vermont.**  
Writes from Morrisville Vt.: "I can recommend Peruna as an excellent family remedy."—H. Henry Powers.

**Senator Sullivan from Mississippi.**  
Writes from Oxford, Miss.: "I take pleasure in recommending your great national catarrh cure, Peruna, as the best I have ever tried."—W. V. Sullivan.

**Congressman Sawyer of Michigan.**  
Writes from Port Austin, Mich.: "I have found Peruna a very efficient and speedy remedy for a persistent and annoying cough."—H. G. Sawyer.

**Senator McHenry of Louisiana.**  
Writes: "Peruna is an excellent tonic. I have used it sufficiently to say that I believe it to be all that you claim for it."—S. D. McHenry, New Orleans, La.

**Congressman Brownlow of Tennessee.**  
Writes: "I have taken three bottles of Peruna and feel satisfied that I am now almost, if not perfectly, cured of catarrh of the stomach."—W. P. Brownlow, Jonesboro, Tenn.

**Senator Mallory of Florida.**  
Writes from Pensacola, Fla.: "I have used your excellent remedy, Peruna, and have recommended it both as a tonic and a safe catarrh remedy."—Stephen R. Mallory.

**Shaw, A. Mallett, E. Babcock.**  
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Class II.—Pt. Sr.—V. Mallett, H. Dunlop, H. Eves, M. McKerracher, C. Babcock, A. Mallett, I. Walker, C. Johnston, R. Vincent.

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Average attendance, 40.  
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**TOO GREAT A RISK.**

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of cholera or cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all druggists.

**MORPETH.**



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There is a Circus  
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Corner Sixth and King Street  
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Phone 317.

## PROBABILITIES.

Special per G. N. W.  
Toronto, June 11.—11 a. m.—Light  
to fine variable winds, fine. Sunday,  
light winds, fine and warm.

Detroit, June 11.—Forecast—Lower  
Michigan—Fair Saturday, warmer in  
east portion; Sunday partly cloudy,  
probably showers in north and west  
portion; fresh east to south winds.  
Upper Michigan—Fair Saturday,  
warmer in northwest portion; Sunday,  
showers and cooler; fresh east  
to south winds Saturday.

The following figures were registered  
to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's  
weather bureau:

**THERMOMETER.**  
Highest yesterday, 71.  
Lowest during night, 47.  
This morning, 55.  
Barometer, 29.62.  
Direction of wind, east.

## Local Briefs

Briscoe's Bicycle repairs and livery!  
Mrs. Whitney, of Dresden, is a guest  
in the city to-day.

Stanley Hanks, of Florence, is a  
Chatham visitor to-day.

Lloyd Scott is in Cheyboygan load-  
ing lumber for the firm.

Geo. Eastlake, of Highgate, was a  
Maple City visitor yesterday.

Miss Carman, of the Sanatorium, is  
spending the day in Chatham.

Miss Nettie Leach, of Dresden, is  
visiting her parents, Amelia street.

Miss Mabel Austin, of Blenheim, is  
the guest of Miss Daisy Colville.

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King St. 2 Doors East of Collart & Wilson

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and have nice roses or good berries  
good currants, good sq. ash, cucum-  
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It costs only 15c a pound and  
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No matter what the price you  
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you will find the very best in its  
class is here.

We pay as much attention to  
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as we do to the best lines we  
handle.

Inspect our footwear before  
buying and you will never regret  
it.

## PEACE'S

is the place for Solid Footwear

## JUVENILE STRATEGY

Chicago Tribune.

"What have you got in that pack-  
age?" said the attendant at the great  
public museum.  
"Panama," answered the boy.  
"Doubt of 'em. Want one?"  
"No, and you can't bring them in  
here."

"Why not?"  
"It's against the rules. But you  
can check the package at that window  
and get it when you come out."

"Cost anything to check it?"  
"Five cents."

The boy said he wouldn't pay it,  
and went away.

Ten minutes later he re-appeared,  
without the package.

"I guess I can go in now, all right,"  
he said.

"Hold on. Have you got those Pa-  
namas concealed about you?"  
"Yes, sir; all but the skins. I  
threw them away."

And there was a grin of triumph  
on his face as he went through the  
turnstile.

## CHICAGO MARKETS

Reported by F. B. Proctor, Broker North  
West Block, Chatham, June 11, 1904

Wheat	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July (new)	85 1/2	86 1/4	85 3/4	86 1/2
Sept. ....	80 1/2	81 1/4	80 3/4	81 1/2
Dec. ....	80	80 1/4	79 3/4	80 1/2

Corn

July	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	48 1/2	49 1/4	48 3/4	49 1/2
Sept.	47 1/2	48 1/4	47 3/4	48 1/2
Dec.	43 1/2	44 1/4	43 3/4	44 1/2

Oats

July	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	30 1/2	31 1/4	30 3/4	31 1/2
Sept.	31 1/2	32 1/4	31 3/4	32 1/2
Dec.	31 1/2	32 1/4	31 3/4	32 1/2

Pork

July	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	1245	1257	1242	1255
Sept.	1265	1280	1262	1277

Lard

July	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	675	682	672	677
Sept.	680	687	680	685

Ribs

July	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July	712	720	712	720
Sept.	732	737	730	737

Some people seem to think they fall  
into luck when they fall into debt.

It's a good thing to swallow your  
pride provided you can digest it.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**HORSE WANTED.**—To drive for the  
summer. Good care will be taken  
of it. For further particulars ap-  
ply to box 137, Chatham, Ont.

**FOR SALE.**—1903 Oldsmobile Run-  
about, in first class condition — a  
bargain. Address box 649, Windsor  
Mrs. F. Stephens.

**OW ASTRAY.**—Strayed from lot 6,  
Con. 7, Raleigh, about two weeks  
ago, a red cow with a white breast.  
A reward will be given for her re-  
turn or for such information as will  
lead to her recovery: John Lucier,  
Fletcher P. O.

## To Go to the Seaside

Is no doubt delightful and health  
giving. Those of us who  
cannot go, however, may  
as well make the best of  
what we have. All the ne-  
cessities and luxuries of the  
bath may be obtained at  
home.

**BATH BRUSHES,  
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## The Chrystal Pharmacy.

J. H. DENNIS,

PROP.

Successor to Ed. T. Jones.

## Millinery. G. AUSIM & CO. Dressmaking

## Some Saturday Specials

We place on our counters for Saturday shoppers a few  
Special Bargains that are sure to interest every woman.

## SILK HOSE—

Five dozen women's silk finished  
hose, Hermsdorf dyes, full fashioned,  
sizes 8 1-2 and 9, regular 35c hose,  
Saturday  
25c.

## CORSETS—

Five dozen women's batiste corsets,  
straight front, long hip, steel filled,  
lace trimmed, regular 75c value, Sat-  
urday  
49c.

## RIBBONS—

Ribbon ends, of all colors and  
lengths, from one yard to two yards,  
regular 15c and 20c ribbons, Sat-  
urday, 10c an end.

## TAN STOCKINGS—

Children's tan stockings, in ribb and  
plain, fast colors, odd sizes, regular  
20c and 25c hose, Saturday  
15c.

## CHATELAIN PURSES—

Women's chatelaine purses, in  
blacks, greys, tans, regular prices 50c  
to \$1.00, Saturday  
35c.

## HANDKERCHIEFS—

Ten dozen women's handkerchiefs,  
nicely embroidered, all new designs,  
extra fine India muslin, regular 25c  
value, Saturday three for  
50c.

## PATTERNS—

Your choice of any pattern in our  
stock Saturday each  
5c.

## WOMEN'S VESTS—

Women's fine cotton vests,  
richelieu ribb, lace trimmed, short  
sleeves or sleeveless, low neck, very  
special Saturday  
15c.

## 2 SPECIALS IN DRESS TWEEDS

About twenty patterns of Desirable Tweeds in fancy flake  
effect of the kinds most in demand at the present moment,  
compose this offering.

## NO 1 SPECIAL

56 inch all wool flake Tweeds in grey, blue, green, brown and fawn with white  
flake. Regular Price \$2.00, special at 75c per yard.

## NO 2 SPECIAL

56 inch all wool flake and stripe Tweeds in light and dark grey, navy blue, green,  
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## Baby Carriages and Go-Carts



The little one should have one of these sty-  
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Go-Carts. Selection is not confined to a hand-  
ful but here's a great big stock—full red bod-  
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## Duels of Note Fought in Europe

The Bloody and Protracted Encounter in which Constant Bezarier Was Victorious Over Lagarde Valois.

of the most memorable as well as of the most desperate duels in the history of the French army, during the reign of Henry IV. Constant Bezarier (a gambler and swashbuckler) and Constant Lagarde Valois (a gambler and swashbuckler) met at a restaurant, where they were engaged in a game of cards. The former had stabbed the latter in the chest with a dagger, and the latter, who was wounded, was taken to a room just as Valois was about to leave. Valois, who was a surgeon, took the dagger out of the wound, and then, with a rich complexion, and attaching a slip of paper to it, with the words, "I am not a doctor," he went to his own room. Valois, who was a surgeon, took the dagger out of the wound, and then, with a rich complexion, and attaching a slip of paper to it, with the words, "I am not a doctor," he went to his own room.

### TEARS INSTEAD OF BLOOD.

A general officer of the British army, who had been forty odd years in the service—and an Irishman at that—and who used to boast that he never sent or accepted of a single challenge, used to relate the manner in which he was wont to meet and satisfy demands of this sort. "I once provoked the resentment of a brother officer, who was much respected and beloved by all the corps. His behavior upon some occasions I esteemed in a slight degree reprehensible in the expression of which I used a term of more opprobrious import than I apprehended. Fired at the supposed affront, he retorted first the injurious words, then quit the company and sent me a challenge. I returned him word that I hoped upon explanation he would not compel me to fight, yet would meet him immediately, according to appointment. I went, attended by all the witnesses of my unguarded expression; and before these I readily took the shame to myself and apologized for utterances that ought not to have been made. But as I began to assume an air of expostulation in my turn, he reddened, hesitated a moment, then drew his sword, advanced and obliged me to defend myself, which I did, against a desperate thrust, with mine in the scabbard. He no sooner perceived that circumstances than he surprised us all by throwing his sword away, bursting into a flood of tears and throwing himself on his knees, in speechless agitation. I at once raised him and embraced him, which affectionate act he returned cordially, and forever afterward we were perfect friends."

### THE FAMOUS DE PILES BROTHERS.

It is said of the renowned French swordsmen, Ludovico de Piles and his brother, that one day while journeying toward Paris they stopped over at an inn at Valence, and seeing a spit turning, ordered supper. "I can only give you crackers and cheese," said the landlord. "Only crackers and cheese!" cried Ludovico, in anger and surprise; "pray, sir, whose meat is that on the spit?" "It belongs to four French officers," "Tell them that two French gentlemen will join them." The landlord carried out his instructions, but soon returned with a reply that "the officers decline." "They do? Ah! bring us some crackers and cheese, and have an apartment prepared for us for the night." The brothers arose early the next morning and were soon on their way toward Paris. All of a sudden Ludovico stopped and said to his brother: "I have left my purse at Valence. I will return for it, while you go your way slowly, and I'll overtake you before evening." He then hurried to Valence, challenged the four officers and killed them all, one after the other. He rejoined his brother just before dinner time, but did not mention the episode we have described. Indeed, it was a year before the latter heard of it, and then it was from Cardinal Mazarin. These brothers de Piles fought many duels, but were never hurt.

### POETIC DECLINATION.

In 1826, at Andover, Eng., Messrs. Fleet and Mann, attorneys, fell out at a meeting under a commission of bankruptcy and on July 24 the former (a bachelor) sent the latter (a married man) a challenge, which was poetically declined as follows:—  
I am honored this day, sir, with challenges two.  
The first from friend Laundon, the second from you;  
As the one is to fight, and the other to dine,  
I accept his "engagement," and yours must decline.  
Now, in giving this preference, I trust you'll admit  
I have acted with prudence, and done what was fit.  
Since encountering him, and my weapon a knife,  
There is some little chance of preserving my life;  
Whilst a bullet from you, sir, might take it away,  
And the maxim, you know, is to live while you may.  
If, however, you still should suppose I'll treat you  
By sternly rejecting this challenge to meet you,  
Bear with me a moment, and I will adduce  
Three powerful reasons by way of excuse:  
In the first place, unless I am grossly deceived,  
I myself am in conscience the party aggrieved;  
And therefore, good sir, if a challenge must be,  
Pray wait till that challenge be tendered by me.  
Again, sir, I think it by far the more sinful  
To stand and be shot than to sit for a skunkful;  
From whence you'll conclude (as I'd have you indeed)  
That fighting composes not part of my creed—  
And my courage (which, tho it was never disputed,

Is not, I imagine, too, too deeply rooted.)  
Would prefer that it's fruit, sir, whatever it may yield,  
Should appear at "the table," and not in "the field."  
And lastly, my life, be it never forgot,  
Possesses a value which yours, sir, does not;  
So I mean to preserve it as long as I can.  
Being justly entitled "a family man."  
With three or four children (I scarce know how many),  
Whilst you, sir, have not, or ought to have, any.  
Besides, that the contest would be too unequal,  
I doubt not will plainly appear by the sequel;  
For even you must acknowledge it would not be meet  
That one small "Mann of war" should engage a whole fleet.

### HIS SEVENTY-THIRD MAN.

The Chevalier d'Andrieux, who flourished during the reign of Louis XIII., at the age of 30 had killed 72 men. Upon meeting his 73rd adversary, the latter said: "Chevalier, you will be my 73rd." "And you will be my 73rd," answered d'Andrieux; which proved to be true, for his antagonist was laid on the grass dead in a minute. A notorious fellow named Gautier, after disarming his men and then offering them their lives if they would renounce their hopes of salvation, often cut their throats, for the purpose, as he claimed, of killing them body and soul. Baron d'Aspremont once fought and killed three men in one day. Once in a duel of three against three, Baron de Ripon killed his man and

was married the following day. This is the only duel or tournament of the kind on record.

### DUEL WITH BILLIARD BALLS.

On September 4, 1843, in the commune of Maisenfort, France, two young men named Lefant and Melfant, quarrelled while playing at billiards and agreed at last to settle their disturbance by a duel with billiard balls, after which they drew lots to see which one should get the red ball and throw first. Melfant won the red ball and the first throw, and the two at once took their positions in a garden at measured distance of 12 paces from each other. Melfant, when the signal was given to throw, made several motions, saying to his adversary: "I am going to kill you at the first throw." And he hurled the ivory sphere with deadly aim and effect, for it struck Lefant in the middle of the forehead, and he dropped dead without uttering a word. The survivor was arrested and tried for wilful murder, and convicted of manslaughter.

### DUEL IN THE DARK.

Rossi was playing Hamlet one night Ossia, when a party of young Italians of both sexes, who had dined too copiously, spoke so loud that the actor was obliged to stop. "I'll keep quiet until you do," said the tragedian, quietly folding his arms. The public applauded and demanded the expulsion of the disturbers, but after the performance Signor Rossi found a card left with the stage doorkeeper. The owner of it insisted upon satisfaction for the insult. Signor Rossi pulled a long face. He did not mind a duel, but he was expected next night at Milan, and was bound to start at 8 o'clock in the morning.

## Whitsuntide in Germany

Entertaining Letter from a Maple City Young Lady Now Visiting in the Fatherland.

At Whitsuntide all schools in Germany are closed for five or six days. Ten days ago we celebrated Himmelfahrt or Ascension Day. I supposed it would be kept as a church festival, and was very much surprised when the whole school, instead of going to church, took a long walk in the woods, and ate lunch in a farm house.

I decided to spend part of my Whitsuntide vacation together with a German friend in Potsdam, the "City of Palaces," bristling with reminiscences of Frederick the Great, other Prussian Kings and Emperor William I., the first, or "the old Emperor," as the people always call him. It is an utter impossibility for me to give you an adequate idea or description of Sans Souci Park. It was a bright, warm May morning; the sun shone through the trees on the many beautiful statues, which reflected back its rays; the lilac bushes and chestnut trees were in full bloom, and everywhere was a wealth of rhododendrons, peonies, lilies-of-the-valley, pansies and forget-me-nots. Little fear of ever forgetting Sans Souci after seeing it under such conditions.

The natural beauty of the place perhaps doesn't give it so much charm as its historical interest. Soon after entering the park we see an equestrian statue of Frederick the Great, which reminds us that he was the first sovereign to build a palace here. In fact, he spent the most of his time in Sans Souci, and died, sitting in a chair near a window looking out on the park. His rooms are still preserved almost unaltered. I have always hated Frederick William I., the father of Frederick the Great, who treated his son with as great severity as he did his subjects, but it was probably this very discipline that made him what he was. He could not understand Frederick's taste for music and art, and his one fear was that his son would never become a great general. The latter, in despair, attempted to escape to England, but the plan was discovered, and he was imprisoned, tied and condemned to death. The King was finally induced to spare the life of the Crown Prince. It was this same burly sovereign who used to wield his cane with great vigor when things didn't please him. It is said that the people used to run off the street when they knew he was coming, and he would cry out, "You are a German of course, instead of English words. Still it is to Frederick William I. that Prussia owes so much, for he prepared the way for his illustrious son, and he, too, before his death, appreciated "Fritz's" ability. His last words were, "Thank God, I die content, since I can leave so worthy a son and successor behind me."

With such stories in my mind I walked on the broad flight of steps, 66 feet in height, which leads to the Palace of Sans Souci, erected by Frederick the Great in 1745. Just behind it stands the historic windmill which the miller refused to sell because it had been in his family so long. We were shown through the palace by a guard, who pointed out the different things of interest. The first rooms we saw were those occupied by Voltaire, the French poet and friend of the monarch. In another room is the clock of Frederick the Great, which is said to have stopped the very minute of the King's death, 220 in the morning. This same clock was carried off by Napoleon to Paris, and it was with great pride that Blucher brought it back to its proper place. When here I can hate Napoleon almost like a Prussian. To think of all the humiliations he thrust upon the people he conquered, the thought is almost unbearable. The beautiful Queen Louise when she entreated him to spare her country. Even her goodness, charm and beauty had no effect on him; but Prussia had her day of revenge—as my German friend said—the day of the battle of Sedan, 1871, when Napoleon III. stood opposite the old Emperor William and "Our grand Bismarck." Queen Louise was not alive, but her son rode as victor into Paris, and was proclaimed Emperor of Germany. Would that she could have welcomed him back to Berlin!

This is going ahead too quickly. We saw the room where Frederick used to play the flute—his really greatest enjoyment. In the room where he died is a marble statue representing him in the chair by the window with his two faithful greyhounds beside him. His death was lonely, as his home life had been, as for many years he had lived separated from his wife, and he had no children; but he had the love of his people, and the respect and admiration of the world. We passed on into the library, containing eighteen hundred books, all French. Yes, that's the only thing we have against him. His admiration and love for the French literature and art were so great he couldn't appreciate his own, said a German, who was in the party. In fact, it is said he couldn't write a good German letter and, of

course, French was the court language. His request was to be buried in the park near the palace ("Quand je serai la, je serai sans souci"), but for some reason this request was not followed, and his remains rest beside his father in the Garrison church of Potsdam.

The New Palace, erected by Fred. the Great, after the seven years' war, is the favorite home of the present royal family. As the Emperor was at Potsdam for Whitsuntide we were not able to see the interior. Here Emperor Frederick III. died in 1888, after reigning ninety-nine days. He is buried in a mausoleum near one of the churches and beside him rest the remains of the unhappy Empress Frederick, our Princess Victoria of England. Her life has been perhaps one of the saddest in modern history, for she was hated and mistrusted by the people, and even her own son, the present Emperor, disappointed her. Her husband's death left her stranded and alone; she retired and lived quietly, and later a reconciliation took place between her and her son. I am sure death came as a relief to her.

Babelsberg was the favorite home of the "old emperor." It was erected in 1856, and stands in a beautiful park looking down on the Havel. From almost every window you can catch glimpses of the water through the trees, and see the yachts plying back and forth. The palace itself is touching in its quiet simplicity—no show, no display, only simple comfort. The study and bedroom of Emperor William I. are shown; also the work-room and sitting-room of the Empress Augusta, his wife. There are some good pictures and interesting souvenirs of the campaigns of 1864, 1870-71 to be seen. It is not at all like a palace—simply a tasteful home.

On Sunday morning we were told that the Emperor would in all probability go to church. We walked through the park hoping to see him and were not disappointed. The church bells began to ring, and soon came four of the princess in two different carriages, and then the Emperor, Empress and the little Princess sitting on the seat between them. They were attended only by a coachman and footman. The guard told us that in all probability they would walk home from church, and then we could see them well. We wandered about for awhile, visited the Japanese tea house of Fred. the Great, and then returned to the main avenue leading through the park to the palace. Quite a crowd had gathered, and I thought it was scarcely possible that the Emperor and Empress would walk through it, but soon there was a murmur, "they are coming," and the crowd divided of its own free will, and down the middle walked seven of the royal family. The Emperor wore a royal grey mantle and a helmet with a plume in it. The two eldest sons also had on officers' uniforms; the Empress was simply dressed in a pretty blue gown and over this was a dust mantle of pounce silk. They walked along slowly talking to each other, and bowed most graciously to the people. There was no noise in the crowd, no cheering; the men removed their hats and the women made deep courtesies.

It seemed such a mark of consideration to the people for them to show themselves in this manner, for the walk was dusty and lasted at least twenty minutes or longer. I saw no policemen and no attendants; if there were any they were dressed in civilian costume and not in uniform. The friendliness and democracy of it all pleased me greatly. I left Potsdam with regret. On the next day there was to be a great soldiers' festival, and the Kaisers was to address the troops. The Whitsuntide celebration lasts three days, and it is a favorite time of the year for excursions, etc.

I really haven't time to write more now, although there are many things I should like to tell you about. It has been impossible for me to keep up my correspondence, but it will not be long before I am home again. If I carry out my present plans I shall leave Germany in July, go directly to Belgium, where I shall meet my Evanston friend, and then we shall go together up the Rhine, spend a month in Switzerland, some time in Paris, and then back to London and Liverpool. I hope to get back home to the "Land of the Maple" some time in October. The home-coming will be far from the least enjoyable part of my trip.

Very sincerely yours,  
EDITH M. NORTHWOOD.  
Ebenwalde, bei Berlin, May 23, '04.

### FADETTE'S FANCIES.

Just because old time is still a-flying we are not obliged to grow older.  
Just because the years are passing we need not leave youth behind.  
Just because our birthdays are accumulating we are not duty bound to accumulate gray-headed hearts.—  
Fadette in Chicago Tribune.

The egotist seldom has weak eyes.



Above is a scarlet hat of crepe de chine with an underbrim of cockatoo pink silk. The fall of crepe over the brim has a beautifully embroidered edge. Scarlet plumes decorate the upper and under brim. This hat is essentially designed for early spring wear.

then went to the assistance of the others on his side.

The great d'Israeli once made himself the laughing stock of England by challenging Morgan O'Connell, son of Daniel O'Connell, for words uttered by the latter in the House of Commons as follows: "I cannot divest my mind of the belief that, if this fellow's genealogy were traced, it would be found that he is the lineal descendant and the heir-at-law of the impudent thief who atoned for his crimes upon the cross." Still, the name of Benjamin d'Israeli is today one of the most brilliant and prominent in history.

After John Byrne was wounded in Ireland, by Lord Mountgarret, some friends asked him how he felt when the bullet struck him, and he replied: "I felt just as if I had been punched by the mainmast of a man-of-war."

### A LOVE AFFAIR.

Two gentlemen—one a Spaniard and the other a German—who had been recommended by their birth and services to the Emperor Maximilian II., both fell in love with and paid court to the fair Helen, the emperor's daughter, Scharlequin, whom each sought in marriage. After a long delay Maximilian one day informed the two lovers that, esteeming them equally a preference, he should leave it to the force and address of the claimants to decide the question. He did not mean, however, to risk the loss of the one or the other, or perhaps of both, and could not, therefore, permit them to encounter with offensive weapons; but had ordered a large bag to be produced, and had decreed that whichever succeeded in putting his rival into the bag should obtain the hand of his daughter. The two gentlemen expressed their willingness to engage in even so ridiculous a contest for so superior a prize, and fought in the presence of the whole court, the contest lasting more than an hour, the Spaniard finally yielding, having been put fairly into the bag by the German. Baron Eberhard then took it and its Castilian contents upon his back and very gallantly laid them at the feet of the young lady, to whom he

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## THE READING HABIT

Only an occasional advertiser in this day considers it necessary to trick the public into reading his announcements. Most business men have learned that it is the habit of nearly all potential buyers to read advertisements in the newspapers. "The Canadian people read advertisements," says a prominent agent, "because they read other things and have an interest in what is offered for sale." In this day of first-class newspapers for a penny, comparatively few Canadians fail to read a newspaper. The people are intelligent enough to be influenced by plain and simple arguments.

## RUSSIA GOVETS SCANDINAVIA

A feature of Russia's westward movement has been the recent attacks on Bjornsen, the Norwegian poet and playwright. Bjornsen has been for several years convinced that Russia's intention has been to get an open port on the Atlantic at the expense of Sweden and Norway, and he regards the denationalization of Finland merely a step in the march to the west. He believes that the time is not far distant when Norway and Sweden will have to fight for their existence. Of late Pro-Russia papers in Finland accuse him of having insulted the holy person of the czar, and with devoting his share of the Nobel prize to increasing the agitation against Russia in the Scandinavian peninsula. They go so far as to demand of the Russian government to call Sweden to an account for allowing a prominent subject to conspire against a friendly power. The attacks are regarded in Sweden as a plan to rob that country of some of her territory and eventually to get all of it.

## LORD DUNDONALD'S PROTEST

Senator Dandurand has hastened to take advantage of the Fisher incident to declare that Lord Dundonald must be removed from the command of the Canadian militia. In view of the political importance of Mr. Dandurand in Quebec the threat cannot be lightly regarded. It is an open declaration of war against the best officer commanding Canada has yet had; a man whose distinguished service for the Empire and zeal for the Canadian militia entitle him to the gratitude of all loyal Canadians. It is well that the country should clearly understand the reasons of his attack and the conclusions to which it points.

Lord Dundonald's offence consists in his desire to keep politics out of the administration of the militia. He has protested against the action of Mr. Fisher in overriding his recommendation for purely political reasons. Mr. Fisher is not the Minister of Militia. His department has to do with agriculture, which is a larger subject than he has yet been able to grasp. But Mr. Fisher is a narrow partisan, who would, if he could, drive every political opponent off the earth. This statesman detected the name of a Conservative among the officers recommended for a new regiment of dragoons to be raised in Mississquoi. Such a thing was intolerable to a mind of the Fisher type, so the Minister of Agriculture had the name peremptorily struck off, and that of a political friend substituted. Apart from the blunt discourtesy of the proceeding, there is a question of principle involved which the officer responsible for the efficiency of the militia could not ignore. The militia ought to be open to Canadians, irrespective of politics. This country is, to say the very least, as dear to Conservatives as it is to Liberals. From the standpoint of the citizen it is absolutely intolerable that a political test should be set up for those who are to wear the King's uniform. Moreover, to the militia itself, as Lord Dundonald must have plainly seen, such a doctrine would be fatal. It would bar out of the force fully half of the population of the country, and reduce our Canadian army, upon which we must rely in times of crisis, to the state of a mere side-show of a political party. For generations we have, for this reason, religiously excluded politics from the affairs of the militia. But of late a change has been noticed. Not long ago the Ottawa Government set up a claim to award commissions in the British army to its favorites; a claim which was promptly resisted by the Home authorities. To-day the wire-puller stands behind the Minister of Militia, who, it is true, sometimes makes good appointments, but who too often succumbs to political influences. The evil has

grown to such dimensions that an important and emphatic protest has become necessary. Who shall utter this protest if not the man who is charged with the responsibility of sustaining and increasing the threatened efficiency of the service?

And is the reward of this faithful service to be insult and dismissal? Such an outcome would be a dishonor to the fair name of Canada. We have invited a distinguished and brave officer to command our militia forces. While he is doing his duty, and doing it well, a miserable partisan plots to thwart his efforts by making politics, not efficiency, the stepping-stone to the service. This is a wrong which ought to be denounced. The country is bound to accept with gratitude the services of Lord Dundonald in this connection, for his disinterestedness is unquestionable. If the Government is well advised, and has the interest of the militia at heart, it will set about mending its ways. If it lends itself to the efforts to drive Lord Dundonald out of this country, and to set up in the open day the spoils system in the Militia Department it will elicit such a response from the people, and particularly from the militia, as it will long have cause to regret.—Mail and Empire.

## SIR RICHARD ON THE BUDGET

In the Dominion House yesterday, Sir Richard Cartwright appeared as the apologist for Laurierite extravagance.

This man, who used to denounce Conservative outlays as scandalous, and the securing of so much money in taxes, as robbery, now, defends a nearly double expenditure, as perfectly right and proper and smiles complacently as he sees more and more millions taken each year from the people.

And after all how are the public going to know from Sir Richard's speeches, what Sir Richard really believes.

We have fit on the authority of so important a witness as Sir Wilfrid Laurier that this self same Sir Richard argued Mackenzie prior to 1878 to increase the duties and that when Mackenzie declined, Cartwright on the stump and in the House denounced as heinous and criminal the very advance which he had privately urged. In like manner Sir Richard in Opposition used to vehemently decry the appointment of the relatives of Ministers to public offices and yet as pointed out by Mr. Pope he has looked after his own to this extent:—

"F. L. Cartwright, \$1,000; Col. L. Cartwright, \$2,000; Secretary of the Railway Commission Cartwright, \$4,000; A. Cartwright, at Kingston penitentiary, on outside service he supposed (laughter) \$1,200; Henry George Cartwright, \$550; a secretary to Sir Richard, his nephew, \$2,200, and lastly the gallant knight himself, making the cost to the country \$20,250 for the privilege of having the Cartwright family in its service."

The truth of the matter is that the gallant knight is one of the biggest humbugs in Canadian public life.

## A FEW HINTS FOR YOUNG MEN

In a recent address President Eliot of Harvard laid stress on the necessity of sticking to one's work in order to attain success. It is good advice to young men, and much needed.

The occupations that open to a young man nowadays are so diversified that it is not easy to choose a line of work, but the youth is unfortunate who fails to make a decisive choice, or who lacks a parent or other relative who will hold him in one position until he acquires that business discipline without which no success can be achieved in any line. A boy will feel sure that he is working for a more exacting manager than any young fellow of his acquaintance; he hears that a school-mate has gone to Winnipeg and is doing well, or to Chicago and has secured a fine position. Or old hands in the factory or office where he is employed tell him that he is very foolish to begin life in an occupation which they regret having had anything to do with. As a rule, these are dissatisfied men, who have not succeeded in their work, and who would probably have failed in anything they set their hands to. Persons of dissatisfied mind are not usually successful, for nobody enjoys

association with them. The men who succeed in the complex business life of to-day are generally men of a likeable character, although some of them, when they achieve a measure of success, affect a crusty manner to repel strangers, and because they think it is in keeping with their positions. It is an error into which men fall who have a weak streak in them. The tendency of a young man is to suppose that the occupation he is engaged in has less attractions than any other. He envies Jones his short hours, Smith his large pay, and Brown his elegant desk and the authority he exerts. But probably none of these three is a bit better satisfied than himself, or if better off and more content, perhaps they have worked harder to get where they are, and are working with more enthusiasm and singleness of purpose to advance still further.

The man who changes from one occupation to another, or who discontentedly shifts from one firm to another, will move a great many times before his dream is fulfilled and somebody says to him—"Although you have never really done anything worth mentioning, nor proven that you possess capacity, yet I can see by your fine eye and noble brow that you are a genius; be my partner, marry my daughter, and I'll catch cold, pass off the scene, and leave you my millions." No youth should set out in search for this kind of man. They are not produced in this severe climate to any great extent.

The changeable person not only loses time by trying first this and then that in the vain hope of making a big hit and gaining prosperity without earning or deserving it, but he fails to get the discipline which continuous work of any kind, gives a man, and without which he is not equipped for success; without it he is incapable of making full use of success should it come to him. A man who is always looking out of the window for something to turn up must neglect the work that is right in the room with him, and badly needs doing.

Young men need to learn, as their fathers were compelled to do, that there is no royal road to success, and that the best way is to get down to business and make it a pleasure.—Toronto Star.

"It is for the people to decide. Let them determine whether Canada shall have a Government owned railway or a railway owned Government." Mr. R. L. Borden, announcing the Conservative policy of Government railway ownership.

## EASY TO DRAW.

Detroit Tribune.

A woman need not be much of an artist to draw an inference with the corkscrew she finds in her husband's valise.

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natural tenderness for such a gentleman of honor, and would show it. So he only shot off Brisco's whisker and part of his ear. On one occasion he ordered a supper in a coffee-room, and while waiting for it he read the newspaper. After waiting some time the waiter laid two covered dishes on the table, and when Power examined their contents he found they were two dishes of smoking potatoes. He asked the waiter to whom he was indebted for such fare. The waiter pointed to two gentlemen in the opposite box. Power desired his servant to attend him, and directing him in Irish what to do, quietly snipped off the potatoes, to the great amusement of the Englishmen. Presently his servant appeared with two more covered dishes, one of which he laid down before his master and the other before the persons in the opposite box. When the covers were removed there was found in each a loaded pistol. Power took up his and cocked it, telling one of the others to take up the second, assuring him they were at a very pleasant distance for a close shot, and if one fell he was ready to give satisfaction to the other. The parties rushed out without waiting for a second invitation, and with them several persons from an adjacent box.

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## GOWN NEEDED.

Sporting Times.

A young Scotch minister with an exalted opinion of his forensic powers said one morning to his man in the kirk: "I don't think, John, I need put the gown on; it's only an incumbrance, though some folk seem to think it makes a preacher more impressive."

Verger John—Aye, aye, sir, that's just it; it makes ye mair impressive, an' ye need it, sir, ye need it.

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Interesting Events of Ye Olden Times Gathered from The Planet's Issues of Half a Century Ago.

From Planet files, Nov. 3, 1859, to Nov. 19, 1859.

Corn is selling in Kansas at 15 cents a bushel.

Tinsman and Baxter advertise their new stock of fall goods.

Prince Alfred accepts the invitation of the Sultan to visit Constantinople.

BIRTH.—At Morpeth, on Monday, Nov. 7, the wife of Mr. James Reynolds, of a son.

In the council proceedings, James Hunsboro gets \$5.00 for whitewashing the third street bridge.

A gunsmith in Texas murdered his wife by putting her head in a vice and crushing it to pieces.

Three hundred horses are killed annually in Hanover by the eaters of horse flesh—a very numerous class in Germany.

Arnold Evans, Alexander Urugubart and John Porter advertise for a school teacher for Section No. 11, Dover East.

The municipal contest for 1860 is already started in November, 1859. For Mayor the names of Dr. Thomas Cross and Mr. John L. Dolson were mentioned.

Married.—At St. Paul's Church, this 8th day of November, by the Rev. F. W. Sandys, Henry F. Duck, Esq., to Winifred, only daughter of Thomas McCrae, Esq., all of this town.

At the residence of the bride's brother, in this town, on Tuesday, the 8th inst., by the Rev. E. Clement, Mr. John Cleber, of California, to Miss Mary Backus, of this town.

A donation party was held in the old town hall on Nov. 9th, the proceeds of which were appropriated towards the purchase of a sister of Jason Grant, who was in slavery in Kentucky. The ladies who had charge of the party were Mrs. Hurton, Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. Joiner, Mrs. Nettles, Mrs. Christopher and Mrs. Smith.

New Firm.—Messrs. J. and A. Smith have lately bought out Messrs. Boushey and Wilson, merchants, and are now receiving and opening out at the new stand on King Street, nearly opposite Mr. Beatty's store, a splendid assortment of dry goods, ready-made clothing, etc., suitable for the market. We wish the new firm every success.

Married.—On the 1st inst., at the residence of Dr. Anderson, by Rev. John McVean, curate of St. Paul's cathedral, London, C. W., and afterwards by the Rev. Edmund Bayard, of St. Peter's Church, F. G. Norris, Esq., solicitor, to Amelia, eldest daughter of H. C. Rutherford, Esq., M. D., late of Bedford Green, Selkirkshire, Scotland.

## CHALLENGE.

Baseball.—We, the undersigned, hereby challenge any dozen young men in the town of Chatham to play a friendly game of baseball on Thursday, the 10th day of November next, on the cricket ground in Chatham North. Ball to be chosen by parties given the challenge and game to be decided by the greatest number of runs in three innings.

Persons wishing to accept the above will please communicate with Henry Smith, Henry Smith, T. S. Arnold, A. Northwood, Samson Fraser, Wm. Northwood and E. Bedford.

The ladies of the United Presbyterian Church, Wellington Street, gave a source. Six hundred guests were present. Rev. Mr. Walker, pastor and Mr. Cleve, choirmaster, were both presented with purses. The speakers at the meeting held after the supper were Dr. Rolfs, of Chatham; Rev. A. McColl, Mr. Rufus Stephenson, Mr. John McDowell, Rev. Wm. Ormiston, of Hamilton; Rev. Dr. Jennings, of Toronto; Rev. Mr. Waddell, of Ridgeway; and Rev. Mr. Bannie, of Chatham. The source was held for the purpose of making these presentations.

## COUNTY PLOWING MATCH.

On Tuesday last the annual plowing match came off on the farm of Mr. Thomas Mason, Indian Creek, Harwich. The turn out was very good although not so great as in former years. Altogether eighteen plows started. The land was in very good condition but somewhat rough. The plowing was very good and the number of spectators pretty fair. We noticed our old friend and plowman, Mr. Holton, hard at work with a new plow of his own manufacture, with which he did—considering his great age (about 80) first rate work. Judging it by the rule of 7 to 9, it stood high in the estimation of good plowmen. Richard Mosek was the secretary. The following was the prize list:

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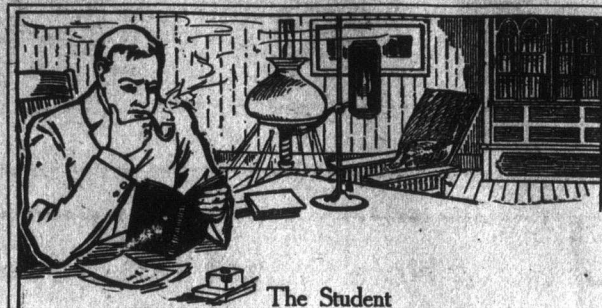
James Pattison 1st, Geo. Campbell second, and William Campbell third.

## 2nd Class.

David Hodgkins first, Amos Harrison second, and Edward McKerrall third.

## 3rd Class.

William Sandison first, Malcolm Campbell second, and William Bennett third.



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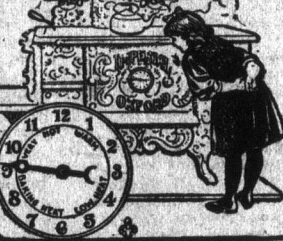
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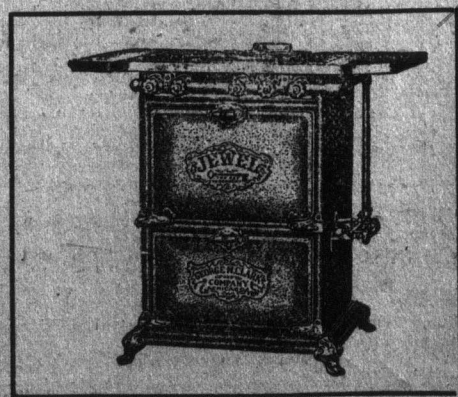
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## THE EVILS OF DIVORCE

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### PAUL TAUGHT FOR THE HOME

Although a Bachelor He Advised Parents to Love Their Children and Children to Care For Their Parents. That Wives Should Honor Their Husbands and Husbands Should Love Their Wives—Love the Home's Sheet Anchor.

Entered according to Act of Parliament of Canada, in the year 1904, by William Bailey, of Toronto, at the Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 5.—In these days of widespread separation and divorce, and when the integrity of the home is assailed from without and within, the advice of the preacher who takes love for his theme may help to dispel the clouds that now overhang many a household. The text is Eph. v., 25, "Husbands, love your wives."

Two, startling facts about Paul's personality have always vividly impressed me. The one is the estimate of his physical personality formed by his enemies in the Corinthian Church who had sat under his ministry and therefore knew him well. Paul himself tells us that they said, "his bodily presence is weak and his speech contemptible." Chrysostom, according to Albert Barnes, declared that "Paul's stature was low, his back crooked and his head bald." According to Nicophorus, Paul was a little man with curvature of the spine and a pale countenance, long and wrinkled, and with a head like Julius Caesar, noted for its scarcity of hair. Whether these descriptions are true, we know not; but it is little likely that the Corinthians would have spoken of him as they did, and that writers so near his own time as Chrysostom and Nicophorus would have so described him, if this intellectual and spiritual giant had possessed an imposing personality. And yet, all through the Pauline writings, figures of speech bristle with the symbols of the athlete's arena. The runner, the fighter, the gladiator, the struggle with the beasts of Ephesus, all have their inspirations and gospel teachings.

The second fact, which stands side by side with the first, about the personality of Paul is this: Paul was a bachelor. It has been contended that he was a member of the sanhedrin and, if so, must have been married, but the expression in Acts xxvi., 10, on which the theory of his membership is based, is vague and may have amounted to no more than the testimony of a witness. On the other hand, his arguments in I. Corinthians ix., 5, clearly implies that both he and Barnabas were unmarried. This condition, however, by no means indicates that he was deficient in the affectionate side of his nature. His letters show that he lavished on his children in the faith the love that other men give to their offspring and that he was an exceedingly affectionate, warm-hearted man. He taught their children and children that they should care for their parents, husbands and husbands that they should love their wives. It is in reference to this last commandment that I would speak to-day.

There is special reason at this time for showing the need of a husband being truly devoted and loving to his wife, because there seems to be a popular theory abroad that the old-fashioned idea of a family home is gone and gone forever. But instead of believing that the old-fashioned idea of love should be done away with, I believe that, like the garden beds which used to be planted in our ancestors' front yards, they should be cultivated more and more. Marital affection may be old-fashioned, but I believe it is one of the noblest, finest, most beautiful things in life. The Holy Book declares, "whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing." It is no part of my purpose to tell young men how they should proceed in trying to win the affections of the girl they desire to marry. My design rather is to urge married men to show their wives the same deference, the same love and devotion, that characterized them before the twin stood at the marriage altar, hearing

and saying the solemn words which made them one flesh.

Why is the true wife's value above the price of rubies, as King Solomon declared? She is her husband's business partner; her husband's equal in brain as well as in heart power. She fights with him, in a financial way, the great battle of life; therefore, like her husband, she has a right to expect the same rewards for her labors that he has for his. It has been the habit of some cynics to represent a wife as a mere parasite, a hanger-on, a clinging vine, a barnacle or a human leech sucking out the life's blood of her masculine partner. The true wife is a consumer as man is a producer, but she is also a financial producer as man is a producer. Like man, she produces far more than she consumes. As the book of Proverbs pictures: "She is like the merchant ships; she bringeth her food from afar. She considereth a field and buyeth it; with the fruit of her hands she planteth a vineyard. She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple." Mark well these words: A true wife "perceiveth that her merchandise is good;" not a slattern, not a female doll, not a painted millinery establishment. I am speaking of such a wife as the book of Proverbs describes. It is a faithful portrait, the fidelity of which many a man in this church could attest by his own experience.

"Oh, no," says the masculine egotist, "woman is not the breadwinner of the family. It is the husband, who, as a lawyer, wins fees in the court-room; as a physician, gains money from patients; as a soldier, fights his country's battles; as a legislator, enacts laws, which the male executive enforces; he is the merchantman, who sells the goods; he is the foundryman, who manufactures the steel rails. Man, man, everywhere is man the breadwinner. We find that man tills the fields, and man rules the money markets, and man sits upon the judicial bench and the professional chairs." Is that a fact, my brother? This true man is the visible breadwinner. But when you are looking for the driving force which produces results in society do not make the mistake of supposing that there is no power but what you see.

The power behind the throne is sometimes greater than the throne itself. If this be not true, how can you account for the wonderful results which come into many men's lives at the marriage altar and end with the deaths of or the separations from their female silent partners. Who was Napoleon Bonaparte? The greatest military strategist of the ages? Yes. But after all you can find his wonderful success flanked by two incidents in his life. They start with his marriage to Josephine. They ended with his divorce. Had Josephine's partnership nothing to do with Napoleon's success? What was William E. Gladstone? That statesman whose energy and commanding genius were the wonder of his countrymen, acknowledged that the reverence and trust of his devoted wife had been a source of inspiration and stimulus to him all through his long career, and that to have her sitting by him on the political rug, turning or looking down at him from the gallery of the House of Commons quickened all his powers. Who was John Bright, the great commoner? He also was the husband of a woman his equal in personality. On the day of their marriage she turned and said to him, "John, attend to thy business and thy public affairs, and I will provide for the home and relieve thee from all cares at home." And so great is the value of a true wife in relation to her husband's success that nearly all great men are ready to testify to this fact and declare that they can never repay the obligations which their wives have placed upon them.

I was taught the obligation which a true husband owes to a true wife some years ago by an eastern minister whom I consider one of the greatest pulpit geniuses of his age. I was about to be married, and was talking with him, when he gave to me this characteristic advice: "Always love your wife. But more than that, always learn to respect and follow her judgment, because she can be your best adviser. When I was a young man I started out with some success. I knew I could speak, and I could also write. And often when I would write something I thought very fine I would take it down to my wife and read it. Sometimes she would look up from her sewing and

say, 'John, don't say that.' With that I would throw down my manuscript and stalk up and down the room in disgust. 'Why do you say that?' I would ask. 'Do you know how to preach?' Are you a better judge of preaching than myself? Haven't I spent four years in college and three years in the seminary? What business have you to tell me what to do? You are nothing but a woman anyway.' But after a long experience I found that my wife's judgment was always better than my own. When I followed her judgment I always came out right, and when I followed my own against hers I always came out wrong. And, though I am now an old man and one of much experience, yet whenever I am in doubt about anything I have ever written I always go to her. And when she says, 'John, don't say that,' I take my pen and scratch out the whole page. My success is due in a great measure to my wife's judgment and not to my own."

Men, husbands, friends, how are we going to repay our wives for all the sacrifices they have made for us? "Oh," some husband says, "I do my full duty to my wife. I provide for her a good home. I give her all the money she needs." You do? Oh, that is very kind. As far as I can make out you give your wife nothing but her own property. She earns her support, just as you do, and she has a right to at least one-half of your income. If from a mere cold-blooded standpoint you had to hire a housekeeper to do the work she does, you would have to pay far more for her wages than your wife ever spends for clothes and entertainment. "Then if that be the case, and it is the case," some man says, "how am I to pay my wife unless I pay her in money?" Why, give her the same rewards the apostle has commanded in the words of my text. Did Paul ever speak of money in reference to the husband's duty to his wife? No, he takes that for granted. He says, "Husbands, love your wives."

But that is not all. He gives his commandment in the superlative sense. "Husbands, love your wives even as Christ also loved the church and gave himself for it." Ah, could there be any sweeter or more devoted or more intense measure for a husband's affections than that? It is love the true wife longs for, as it is love the true husband in the home should long for. Not money so much as love, sense, devoted, loyal, self-sacrificing love. Husbands pay your wives for their sacrifices of life in the golden coin of mingled love.

But there is a promissory note connected with every marriage certificate which should compel a husband to give his love to his wife as well as his gratitude for what she does. It was on account of this loving promise which he made to her that she, a young girl, was persuaded to leave her father's home and turn her back upon her school friends and like Ruth, who followed Naomi, go with her husband where he went and lodge with him where he lived and make his people her people and his God her God. Therefore it is a man who has won his bride upon the promissory note of love does not fulfill his contract he is a swindler as well as an ingrate; a deceiver, a falsifier, a perjurer, as well as one whose ideas of gratitude are as monstrous and distorted as that of the wayward son, who would trample

upon a mother's bleeding heart and turn upon his father's love. You believe a merchant is dishonest who through the bankruptcy court would repudiate a debt he could pay. Why will you not say a husband is dishonest and contemptible who would repudiate the obligation of a lifetime love, which he accepted when he pledged himself to the young girl by his side on his wedding day, when they stood amid embowered orange blossoms?

This swindle in reference to promissory affections which a husband sometimes practices up to the very moment the wife is absolutely helpless after the perpetration of the fraud. Say what you will, argue as you may, talk glowingly and poetically and grandiloquently about woman's opportunities, a wife's opportunities have always been and nearly always will be circumscribed by the four walls of her home. The husband has his outside business relations, friends as well as his store friends. He meets men on the street, in the cars, in the office, behind the counter. He can get away and does get away from the home. But for the most part the wife is anchored to the kitchen, the bedroom and the nursery of home by the children. Therefore if he fails her and defrauds her of his promised love she is absolutely helpless and must suffer more than he can realize. She has practically no redress, for she has given up her all for him. If, however, on account of her husband's neglect, a wife turns her back upon him and goes forth to meet the world as an independent woman, then the world itself will turn its back upon her.

In the death knell of a husband's love I also hear the sobs of the broken heart of a mother as well as of a wife. The great dramatist wrote: "Oh, sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child!" Many a mother has learned this by bitter experience, through her husband's conduct. The love that the child naturally feels for the mother withers and dies under the poison that comes from witnessing the father's contempt for the mother. Little likely is a child to reverence the mother after hearing the blame and vituperation hurled at her by her husband. If a brutal father systematically continues to find fault with his wife, if he neglects her and ridicules her and sneers at her, he sets an example which his children are only too prone to follow. His estimate of their mother, often coarsely and bluntly expressed, is likely to become theirs, and their natural affection for her turns to indifference and ingratitude. Oh, my friends, who are husbands and fathers, you know how sanctifying and purifying is the influence that has come to you from the mother's

er's graves. Your love and reverence for your mother has kept you in many an hour of temptation. Let your children have the same beneficent influence. Never by look or thought or word weaken the influence your wife may have over your children. When you are untrue to your wives, you are untrue to your children.

But there is still another and a more far reaching reason why men should love their wives, "even as Christ also loved the church and gave himself for it." Not only is the home, but the community and the nation, built upon the cornerstone of the love which a husband should bear to his wife. I am not stating this fact too emphatically. I will go further and say the salvation of the world itself is dependent upon that purified love. What does the Bible say, "God setteth the solitary in families." The unit of society is not the man who casts as a vote the white slip of paper into the ballot box. It is the man and the woman joined together at the marriage altar as one.

Why was the first settlement at Jamestown, Va., a failure and the first settlement at Plymouth Rock a success? Were the old pilgrim fathers any braver men than the Virginia planters? Was not John Smith of as heroic mold as Miles Standish? The reason for the failure of the Jamestown colony was due to the fact that those southern colonizers did not bring their wives along with them, while the Plymouth fathers stuck to Plymouth Rock because they were anchored there by the Plymouth mothers. Why do men herding together as a class degenerate morally, mentally and physically? Because they lack the moral and spiritual leaven which comes from a noble wife's love. Therefore, brethren, if as men you would be true to your country, true to your city, true to your children, true to yourself and true to your Christ you will be true to your wives. Husbands, hear ye not the far-reaching commandment, "Love your wives?"

How shall we love our wives? By giving them a few silly compliments? Oh, no! Not that. A wife is quick to detect insincerity in such inanities. But you can show her your respect and deference. You can prove to her by your pleasure in her society, by the little attentions that when you were a lover came naturally to you and by your preference for her over younger women that your heart is still in her keeping. The little presents, the consideration of her tastes and the desire to give her pleasure which used to characterize your treatment of her would delight her better now than ever before and would bring to her weary face the glad smile of tender affection. Husbands, love your wives. We should love them in making them one with us in all our thoughts and hopes and joys. We should love them so that the brightest hope of our love would be to lighten their burdens and to always have them by our sides. We should love and continue to love them even as Christ loves the church, when, in the canticles, we read his beautiful blessing upon it: "As the lily among the thorns, so is my love among the daughters. As the apple tree among the trees of the woods, so is my beloved." O husband, do you love your wife as Christ loves his church bride.

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