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DISTRICT MEETING

The annual district meeting of Brockville District of the Methodist Church was held here on Wednesday. All the ministers of the district, nineteen in number, and about fifteen laymen were present. Three superannuated ministers were also in attendance, viz.: Rev. L. A. Betts, Rev. F. Chisholm, and Rev. Wm. Rillance. Rev. John Ferguson of Belleville was superannuated from this district, and a letter from him was read to the meeting.

One of the chief items of business was the passing under review of the statistical reports from the various circuits, and these were found quite satisfactory. In the matter of missionary givings, an increase of \$450 was noted, and in membership an increase of 15 received "on trial" over the figures of last year.

An interesting discussion took place, arising out of a report issued by officers of the Dominion Alliance to the effect that the consumption of alcoholic liquors showed a large increase. In the opinion of some, this increase was due to the larger use of alcohol in patent medicines and for mechanical arts, and finally a resolution was passed recommending that Conference appoint a committee to enquire into the matter and also to urge that greater prominence, in a practical way, be given the subject of temperance in Sunday schools.

Westport and Newboro asked to be transferred from Perth to Brockville district. A resolution was passed approving of this proposal.

Rev. T. J. Mansell, chairman, is shortly to be transferred to Hamilton Conference, and the meeting passed a resolution expressing appreciation of his valuable services and the Christian courtesy he has always manifested in administering the affairs of the district. To this Mr. Mansell made a feeling reply.

By a practically unanimous vote of ministers and laymen Rev. S. J. Hughes was elected to succeed Rev. T. J. Mansell in the important office of Chairman of Brockville District.

On motion of R. v. H. W. Burnett of Addison, a resolution was passed strongly condemning the presence of fairs, gamblers, and the selling of intoxicants at fall fairs.

Rev. W. E. Reynolds was appointed the district's representative on the stationing committee of Conference.

The following were appointed circuit representatives to Conference:—

Wall St.—James Bissell, William Coates.

George St.—C. A. McLean, W. P. Carswell.

Prescott—J. E. Coates, Jno Trenneman.

Kemptville—S. A. Wright.

Lyn—Wm. Robbins.

Mallorytown—Jno. Haffie.

Escott—J. W. Hutchison.

Lansdowne—Wm. McConnell, W. N. Brown.

Athens—W. H. Wiltse.

Addison—Omer Arnold.

Algonquin—Jno. Edwards.

North Augusta—Hy. Berry.

Augusta—Jno. Carson.

Bishop Mills—S. J. McRae, Wm. Rinder.

Oxford Mills—J. L. Johnson.

Spencerville—R. Cornell, J. Godkin.

Frankville and Toledo—Enos Soper.

Delta—H. C. Brown.

Elgin—Fletcher Warren.

Tragedy in Russell County

John Leizert a farmer residing near Hainesville, Dundas county, went to the house of James Farrell, a neighbor on Saturday evening 13th carrying a big jug of whisky. Mr. Farrell's three children aged respectively six, ten and twelve years were alone in the house at the time and Leizert gave each of them a quantity of the liquor to drink, and then left the house going in the direction of South Mountain. On the road he met Mrs. Farrell and returned with her to her house where they found two of the children very ill. Neighbors were called in and a physician was at once sent for, but the youngest child died soon after his arrival and the eldest was sinking very rapidly. The doctor worked over the other boy all night but it was not until the following day that he began to show signs of recovery. The oldest boy for some reason was not affected at all by his dose of whisky. The tragedy created great excitement in the locality. An inquest was held at Brinston's Corners and as a result Leizert will stand trial on a charge of manslaughter.

A. M. S. Entertainment

As usual, a large audience attended the annual oratorical medal contest of the A.M.S., held on Wednesday evening last, and the excellent programme presented was thoroughly enjoyed. Mr. Joseph Thompson presided. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Lulu E. Eastman of Toronto, Mr. Jas. Thompson of Brockville, Miss Bertha Pierce and Miss Maude Wiltse. All won high favor with the audience, and the visiting singers were obliged to respond to enthusiastic encores. Orchestral music was furnished by Messrs. M. Kavanagh and J. Cobey. Miss Jessie Taplin was the accompanist of the evening.

The orations were of a strictly high-class character, and the speakers with their subjects were as follows:—

Campbell Ross—Self Control.

Gordon Hamilton—Education.

Carlyle Avery—The Worth of Man.

The judges were Rev. H. W. Burnett, Rev. I. N. Beckstedt, and Mr. G. W. Beach, and they awarded the medals to the contestants in the order their names appear above. The medals—two gold and one silver—were offered by Messrs. Joseph Thompson and A. E. Donovan, and the formal presentation was made by Rev. R. B. Patterson, Rev. I. N. Beckstedt, and Rev. S. J. Hughes.

MESSAGE TO DAIRYMEN

The day has come and now is, when not only the milk producer but the cheesemaker as well, has learned that a fancy cheese cannot be made from milk improperly handled, no easier than fancy bread can be made from poor flour by the baker, or gold from brass by the alchemist.

I would like to say to the makers with whom I have the honor of working this season: "Boys, under all and every condition, every month in the year, get a good shotty-feeling curd before removing the whey, but more especially in what is termed fast-workers." Moreover, let us all try, from the washing of the windows and the removal of the spider webs to the loading of the cheese on the car, to make old Brockville East the Star Division of Ontario. Let us try by good hard clean plugging to compel those people across the ocean to say: "Give us the cheese made in Brockville East; those are the kind of cheese we want."

And now a word to the milk producers of the following factories: Algonquin, Miller's No 2, Greenbush, Maple Grange, Oak Leaf, Star, Aberdeen, Union Valley, Elbe, Barlow, Stanley, Addison, Athens, Leeds County, Seeley's, Leeds Union, Willow Glen Buell, Farmers' Choice, Union, Mount Zion, North Augusta.

To the patron of the above factories, who by the last day of August of the present year, will build in a clean, sweet place, the best covered milk stand, I will give \$10. To the second best I will give \$5, same to be paid by September 1st, 1905, from the office of R. G. Murphy, Brockville, where I will leave the money on deposit. Moreover, to the patrons of the above mentioned factories I promise that I will try to visit as many of you as I can, and in so doing do not think for one moment I have come to dog your footsteps, either in the capacity of a Pinkerton man or sleuth bound, for I wish to say right here that we are sent out on a far different mission. We are sent out to do our best in a kindly genial, gentlemanly manner, in the way of helping every man who is interested in this, the greatest of industries, the dairy business, to bring it as near perfection as possible. Believe me, gentlemen, I am, yours very respectfully,

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Down in Dundas the hotelkeepers have formed a union and decided that free stabling after June 15th shall be abolished, and the price of wine and whiskey will be increased to ten cents a glass. Beer will remain at 5 cents a glass.

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THE TWO RUSSIAN FLEETS EFFECTED A JUNCTION.

Outside of Territorial Waters and Sailed in an Easterly Direction on May 14.

Should Rojstevsky Win Fight Birleff Will Have Supreme Command.

Tokio Thinks Rojstevsky in a Position to Assume the Offensive.

A Hue, Upper Cochinchina, China, cable: Five days have passed without official information of Rojstevsky's movements, and naval strategists are puzzled by the silence respecting him. It was rumored this morning that the Russian admiral had bent his course for the Philippines, with the intention of skirting those islands in a dash for the ocean, and, by a wide detour, making Vladivostok before Togo could head him off. Other reports, however, had him still heading for Formosa, apparently determined to risk passage through Formosa Straits to the Eastern Sea. The report of heavy firing in the direction of the Eastern Sea brought in yesterday, though, was accepted as news of the Vladivostok squadron rather than of the Baltic fleet, if it meant Russian ships were in action.

That Rojstevsky shortly may hazard all on a sea fight still is the general belief of naval officers here. It could not be hoped to return to the west, it is pointed out, even if the Russian policy contemplated averting the sacrifice of his ships.

Vice-Admiral Togo's desire also is an important factor in the probability of a battle. It is conceded the Japanese commander has no motive for avoiding an engagement with Kamimura's squadron which may be incapable of protracted action with Rojstevsky, but when Togo moves his battleships against the Russian, the Japs are likely to have a decided advantage. Experts cannot see how Rojstevsky could withstand an assault from Togo and Kamimura in force.

Kamimura's swift cruisers would harass and decimate the Russian fleet, and Togo's battleships soon or late would pound Rojstevsky's biggest ships to pieces. That a battle even now may be in progress is more than probable in the past few days, and if Togo has destroyed the Vladivostok squadron in the Eastern Sea it is not probable the first news thereof will issue from the Japanese government.

IF ROJSTEVSKY WINS, Admiral Birleff Will Assume Supreme Command in the East.

A St. Petersburg cable The fears expressed here yesterday that owing to the reported nervous breakdown of Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky, the Russian fleet in the far east would lose its present commander in chief, turn out to be unfounded. Capt. Zilotti, the aide-de-camp of Minister of Marine Avellan, today authorized the statement that Rojstevsky has not been relieved of his duty. However, the condition of the Russian admiral's health continues to be a source of anxiety. It is confirmed that the report that he had applied to be relieved may have arisen from the virtual decision in view of the condition of Rojstevsky's health, to send Vice-Admiral Birleff to Vladivostok, where in the event of Rojstevsky's success in the coming battle Birleff would assume the supreme command of the Russian naval force in the far east and occupy a position similar to that of the late Vice-Admiral Makaroff at Port Arthur, and of Vice-Admiral Skrydloff at Vladivostok. Emperor Nicholas today summoned Vice-Admiral Birleff to Tsarsko-Selo.

WHAT HE MAY DO. Rojstevsky May Assume the Offensive or Make a Demonstration.

A Tokio cable says: The reported departure of Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky from Hon Koe Bay northward renews the popular expectation of a naval action in the near future. It is believed that Admiral Rojstevsky, having filled his coal bunkers and re-supplied his fleet, is now in a condition to assume the offensive if he so desires. It is the opinion of some that Rojstevsky may make a demonstration at the vicinity of the Islands of Formosa and the Pescadores and then enter the Pacific en route for Vladivostok. This, however, purely speculative. Everything depends upon Admiral Rojstevsky's plans, which are yet undisclosed, may include an extended stay in southern waters. It is reported that the contractors who had supplied the coal and provisions to Admiral Rojstevsky in Indo-China waters, approached the French colonial officials prior to the arrival of the Russian fleet, and arranged a rendezvous at Kamranj and Hon Koe Bays. Confirmation of this report is, however, not obtainable.

FREEDING POLAND. Restrictive Laws in Poland and Baltic Provinces Swept Away.

A St. Petersburg cable despatch says: There is little room for skepticism in the confidence of the board policy of Imperial reform after the remarkable steps sanctioned by Emperor Nicholas in the Imperial rescript issued yesterday, modifying the restrictive decrees in nine of the western governments of Russia for giving the Poles greater freedom for acquiring farming lands and purchasing landed properties and industrial premises, and giving permission to introduce the Polish and Lithuanian languages in the primary and secondary schools, whose majority of the inhabitants are non-Russian. Almost at one sweep the whole burden of the vexatious restrictive laws in Poland and the Baltic provinces have been removed, and all the hitherto administrative measures introduced since the time of the policy of reaction and Russification are abolished, unless later, for purposes of

state, after the recommendation of the Council of State, they receive imperial sanction. As a natural sequence of freedom of religion the oppressive prohibition of the purchase of land by Catholic peasants is abolished. In effect the measure sanctioned amount to an entire reversal of the Russian policy in ancient and Baltic provinces. It is pointed out that in order to avoid delay in the matter of the introduction of the Polish and Lithuanian languages, the Emperor specifically directed the formulation of local self government through the Zemstvo system. The committee of Ministers has gone no further with the Jewish question than to grant freedom of the residence to the artisan class. The question in its entirety is of such great importance that it has been decided to refer to the coming general assembly. The Emperor's action has produced a splendid impression among the reform elements which are expressing the highest satisfaction. As the announcement was not published in the official Gazette until this morning, however, the newspapers contain no comment.

BOARDED RUSSIAN VESSEL. Correspondent Says That Nebogatoff's Ships Are Weather Beaten.

A Saigon cable: A correspondent of a Hanoi newspaper who was said to have been lost off Port Dayet (40 miles north of Kamranj Bay), was rescued by a junk and brought here. When on the junk the correspondent saw thirty Russian warships anchored in the bay. The junk later was stopped and boarded by the Russian repair ship Kamstachka. The boarding officer blindfolded the correspondent and took him aboard Rear-Admiral Nebogatoff's flagship, the Nicolaï, where he was closely interrogated. The explanations of the correspondent were found to be satisfactory, and he was well treated. The Russian officers said they had not been ashore since February. They expected an engagement to take place soon. The united Russian fleet was then about to start for Vladivostok, at the head of the vessels of Nebogatoff's division, the correspondent asserted, appeared to be foul, and the ships were weather-beaten. The entire Russian fleet comprised 60 vessels, with a number of auxiliaries.

ROJSTEVSKY ILL. Rumor That He Has Asked to Be Relieved of Command.

A St. Petersburg cable: Very disquieting reports are in circulation this evening about Vice-Admiral Rojstevsky's health. It is said that he has telegraphed to the Emperor that it is impossible for him to proceed. An evening paper prints a report that the Admiral has suffered a nervous breakdown. No official confirmation of the report that Rojstevsky has requested to be relieved from duty is obtainable at the Admiralty. The Admiral's health, however, has been the cause of considerable anxiety here. It is well known that he suffered from kidney trouble before leaving Constantinople, and throughout the long voyage to the Far East he suffered at times to such an extent that he had to be carried about on a stretcher. But the Russian commander struck to his post bravely. If he is now compelled on the eve of battle to give up the command, the Admiralty would regard it as little short of a national misfortune. Rojstevsky has proved a genius as an organizer, and confidence is felt that he will show equal ability as a fighter. Should Rojstevsky be relieved, it is believed the command will devolve on Rear-Admiral Volkenski, who is now with Rojstevsky.

NOT ON COAST OF ANNAM. Japanese Government Notified That Baltic Fleet Has Departed.

A Tokio cable: In reply to the representations of the Japanese Government, the French Government has notified the Japanese that Admiral de Jonquieres, the French naval commander at Saigon, recently reported that he had cruised along the coast of Annam May 13 and 14 for the purpose of ordering the Russian ships to leave the coast should he find any in French waters. The Admiral, however, did not find any Russian vessels between Cape St. James (near Saigon) and Turan. Even so far north as Jowannely, the most available northern anchorage on the Annam coast, not one Russian ship was observed.

SEEDING IS FINISHED. Canadian Northern Railway Crop Report on Conditions in the West.

Winnipeg, May 22.—The Canadian Northern crop report for the past week, issued today, shows that seedling is practically finished in all districts traversed by the line from the eastern section of Manitoba to Battleground on the North Saskatchewan River. Late rains have been most beneficial, and the general tenor of reports sent in by the company's agents indicate that prevailing conditions are favorable. Vegetation is well advanced in some localities, but the weather has not been sufficiently warm to promote rapid growth. But with the advent of higher temperature, with so much moisture in the ground, vegetation will be rapid and vigorous.

RULE THAT DOES NOT BIND. Rev. W. H. Hincks' View of Methodist Discipline.

A Toronto report: When Rev. W. H. Hincks, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, arose to speak on the question of amusements and church membership last evening he had an audience largely in excess of that present at the ordinary weekly prayer meeting. Mr. Hincks explained that his reason for bringing forward the question was that cases had been coming before him, where parents actually discouraged their children from joining the church because such a step would interfere with the social pleasures they had mapped out for their boys and girls. The ground taken by Mr. Hincks was that it was incumbent upon Methodist parents to bring up their children until they were 21 years of age, free from the influence of cards, dancing or the theatre. After that time they might choose for themselves.

In the discussion that followed Rev. Dr. Griffin said he was not sure there was any rule in the Discipline that forbade dancing, card-playing or theatre-going, a remark that brought many expressions of assent. Dr. Griffin explained that the clause in the Discipline which explicitly referred to those amusements was an interpretative clause not found in Wesley's rules, but added by the General Conference of Canada, contrary to the wish of many Methodists.

The clause referred to by Dr. Griffin reads: "The general rules are to be understood as forbidding neglect of duties of any kind, imprudent conduct, indulging in sinful tempers or words, the buying, selling or using intoxicating liquors as a beverage, dancing, playing at games of chance, encouraging lotteries, attending theatres, horse races, circuses, dancing parties, patronizing dancing schools, taking such other amusements as are obviously of a misleading or questionable moral tendency, and all acts of disobedience to the order and discipline of the Church."

Asked if he thought a member should resign his place in the Church before breaking the rules to attend a theatre, Mr. Hincks replied that while he had never modified the rules for anyone, nevertheless he believed that if a man distinctly stated when coming into the Church that he reserved the right to do as he pleased in any way, no fault could be found with him. The new clause did not have the force of law.

"Then why all this fuss?" asked Dr. Griffin. Discussing the influence and standing of theatres, Mr. Hincks said that as he had not always been a Methodist he could speak with some knowledge of the theatre. After twenty-five years of study Mr. Hincks said he was assured the tendency of the drama had been steadily downward and away from classical merits and lofty ideals. The drama of today was not the vehicle of the world's best thought, are of morals, and did not in any way interpret present-day realities. There was danger the world over that the theatre would become a museum of moral monstrosities.

THAT ASTRAL BODY. Gilbert Parker's Hallucination Corroborated in British House of Commons.

London, May 22.—Sir Gilbert Parker, who claims to have seen the astral body of Sir Carme Rasch in the House of Commons while the latter was ill at his home, is receiving corroboration of his extraordinary hallucination. Sir Arthur Hayer writes as follows: "I beg to say that I not only saw Sir Carme Rasch myself sitting below the gangway, but I called him to the attention of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, with whom I was talking on the front Opposition benches, saying I would show him all the papers had inserted notices of Sir Carme's illness while he was sitting opposite apparently quite well. Sir Henry replied that he hoped his illness was not catching."

It seems that this is not the first instance of the sort that has occurred in the House. In 1897, Mr. O'Connor, an Irish member, went to Ireland to be present at the death of one of his parents. Swift McNeill was on the third Opposition bench. It was also seen from the press gallery. Thirty years ago a member who was abroad suffering from an acute malady, received an urgent five-line whip. He replied that he would attend the House at whatever cost to his health.

The House divided on the matter at issue, and the division lobby letters saw the member and counted his vote. The next day it was found that the number of votes recorded by the division clerks, and on the list of the former this particular name did not appear. At the time the division was taken the member was dead.

KALIEFF TO THE GALLOWS. Grand Duke Sergius' Assassin Executed at Moscow.

London, May 22.—A despatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says that Ivan Kalieff, who assassinated Grand Duke Sergius on Feb. 17 at Moscow, was executed today.

Ivan Kalieff belonged to the noted "fighting group" of the socialist revolutionary party which had passed sentence of death upon the Grand Duke long before the tragedy. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon of Feb. 17 Grand Duke Sergius was proceeding to the Governor-General's palace in Moscow in his carriage. Kalieff, attired as a workman, stepped forward from the sidewalk as Sergius was passing the Courts of Justice and threw under his carriage a bomb, which he had concealed beneath his coat. Loaded with nails and fragments of iron, this deadly missile tore the duke's body into galling fragments. The assassin, stunned by the explosion, on being captured, did not deny his crime, but gloried in its success. He expressed satisfaction that the duke's wife had not shared her husband's fate. Grand Duke Sergius had been the recipient of repeated warnings, and the utmost precautions had been taken to insure his safety.

DEATH REVEALS SCANDAL. Florida Man Dies of Morphine Poisoning in New York Hotel.

New York, May 22.—Herbert Leon Kepler, a bookkeeper, whose home was in Deland, Fla., died in a hotel at 46th street and Sixth avenue today, from morphine poisoning. With him at the time was a woman, who told the police that she had fled from Deland with Kepler two weeks ago. Mrs. Miller said: Kepler was the son of a Deland physician, and that he left Florida suddenly because of some trouble which he got into there. He left a wife and several children behind him, when he fled, she said, and she left her husband to come with him. She has been detained by the police pending a further investigation of the case. Kepler was about 37 years old.

In the room in which Kepler and the woman occupied the police found two small bottles. One was filled with morphine and the other, nearly empty, contained a trace of the drug. Mrs. Miller told the police that Kepler had been dependent for several days, and told her that unless his father did something at once to fix up the trouble at Deland he feared something dreadful would happen. When Mrs. Miller was arraigned in police court she was remanded to the custody of the coroner, without examination. The coroner said that Mrs. Miller would be held pending determination of the cause and nature of Kepler's death.

Chatham Incubators Hatch Spring Eggs into Fall Dollars.

May and June are the best months to start in. June hatched chicks grow like weeds during the early summer and many of the risks of the business are avoided if you start now.

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THE INDIAN EARTHQUAKE.

Clippings Referring to the Catastrophe From an Indian Newspaper.

(Allahabad (India) Pioneer.) The commissioner of Jalandhar telegraphed from Dharmasala on the 9th instant to the Punjab Government: "Thanks to the splendid work of Gurkhas and others, all bodies have been exhumed in the two bazars and in the Kotwali. Only one small quarter, containing approximately 25 bodies, remains, and this should be finished to-morrow. On the way up through the ruined villages I found the dead had been removed. Temporary shops had been erected in some places, and the same is reported to be the case generally. News from Pathankote is still conflicting. Dr. McKechnie has full instructions to visit all tea estates and render every kind of assistance. The party despatched yesterday will co-operate with him. A line drawn from Shahpur through Kangra to Jowalla Mukhi and from the case to Sujampur, and north to Baijnath, includes the whole area seriously damaged according to present information, but what has occurred east of that area is unknown, except that a police report from the Kotwali shows that the government buildings are considerably damaged, and that some lives have been lost. No news of Europeans has been received yet, but the Tahsildar, Naib Tahsildar and assistant surgeons, Hamipur and Dehra talsils are reported all safe. The officials of Palampur and headquarters ministerial staff have perished. My best thanks are due to Gen. Kitchener, who is remaining in Shahpur, for the invaluable help and advice he is giving."

Another Report. Rawalpindi, April 10. A gentleman who has just returned from Dharmasala describes his experience as follows: The signs of the force of the earthquake begin beyond Shahpur, the road being shaken and, and in some places obliterated. One large bridge is down on the cart road, and there are a good many slips. A temporary diversion can be made by pioneers at the broken bridge and otherwise the road can be made fit for tongas in a few days. The reports of the condition of this road already published are exaggerated. Near Charra a bridge path takes off from the cart road on the left side, and this has hardly suffered at all, two portions only being obliterated. Over this we were able to see the first conveyance pass with loads without great difficulty (this was on the 7th instant). Great credit is due to Lieut. Ross, of the 10th Punjab, for the admirable and orderly way he has pushed the conveyance of tents and supplies. Though leaving Pathankote on the 6th, he was within reach of Dharmasala on the afternoon of the 7th, and probably arrived that night. On arrival at Dharmasala I visited every part of the station. All barracks and buildings had fallen instantly to the ground, causing great destruction and loss of life.

The casualties amongst the Europeans have already been reported. Of the Gurkhas the following is a correct list: 1-1st Gurkhas (depot)—Killed: Men 9, women and children 6; wounded, 21 men. 2-1st Gurkhas—Killed: 39 men, 23 women, and children; wounded, 45 women and children. 7th Gurkhas—Killed: 112 men; wounded, 110 men. The married families of the latter Battalion were all camped below at Charan and took no harm. The force of the earthquake was felt throughout the Cantonment, the whole hill being severely shaken and cracked, but no sign of impending slips were seen and apparently the sites of the barracks and the houses are available except perhaps that of the Mess House. Hardly a house was left standing, that occupied by Major Clay, 7th Gurkhas, being the only one partly habitable. "It is very noticeable," says the gentleman referred to above, "both in the Cantonment and in the surrounding villages that whereas the light structures such as wooden houses, verandahs and sheds are fairly proof, the common method of building in the district—roughly squared stone, set in mud—is fraught with danger, and is together with the system of roofing with thick slates throughout the district responsible for the appalling loss of life. By the time I arrived aid had been given to all the wounded and the dead were, to a great extent, exhumed and the work was still proceeding. Major Hehir, I. M. S., had never ceased in his endeavors to meet the need of the wounded and the timely arrival of the medical officers and nurses from Mian Mir had ensured that the best possible arrangements were made for their comfort.

"The wounded and un wounded alike were housed in tents and shelters and sufficient food for ten days was already in the station. Everything still required things as had not already been foreseen by General Kitchener were telegraphed for at once. These included charpays, splints, surgical dressings, soda water and a baker. Many extraordinary escapes are recorded and, as may be seen from the list of casualties, terrible distress has occurred. A great guard, however, was avoided by the prompt action of the survivors in recovering the wounded from the ruins, and in digging out the dead. In this the conduct of the officers was beyond all praise, especially that of Lieutenant B. Duff, 1-2nd Gurkhas, who though bruised in the head, had worked and was still working unremittingly. The ladies one and all showed an excellent spirit and the wife of Captain S. Clay, immediately she knew that her husband had been killed, devoted herself to the assistance of the wounded and was leading the work from the first. The removal of the dead was apparent in that while the whole country side is filled with a terrible odor from decomposing bodies the Dharmasala Cantonment is wonderfully pure.

"The Civil Station on the next ridge to the east is entirely destroyed and the civil officers and officials killed. Hundreds of dead lie beneath the bazars, in which not a house is standing. General Kitchener had already telegraphed for Pioneers to be sent up for work on the roads, but the Commissioner desired that

their services should be given to the exhumation of the dead, but it is feared that it may be almost too late to attempt this, since the stench of the dead is already very great. However, if it can be done, the Dharmasala Civil Station and bazars and the villages adjoining the road require the first care. General Kitchener, with Major East, D. A. A. G., has returned to Shahpur, where he is remaining to make all arrangements, the Deputy Commissioner having already arranged with him for all that was required for the civil needs of Palampur and Kangra, which are in a terrible condition."

More Particulars. A native correspondent writes: "Those who have escaped from Dharmasala with their lives give harrowing accounts of the recent disaster there. The native town has been literally levelled to the ground, not one stone having been left upon another. The vast majority of residents were abed at the time of the catastrophe, and got crushed under falling roofs and walls. The house lurched forward with great violence, and came down as if they were made of cards. As the force of the shock spent itself those left un injured set about to dig out of the debris those who could be saved, but their number was too small to admit of their saving everyone who could be rescued, while many of them were too terrified or injured to be of much assistance. Great credit is due to Tika Rajindar Pal, of Kutleha, the only Magistrate left alive, for his efforts to save life. Although severely wounded in the head, he went about doing all he could to minimize the evil consequences of the disaster. According to the present estimate the total number of those who have escaped the wreck does not exceed ten per cent., between 200 and 300 persons alone having been saved out of a population of about 3,000 souls. On several cases whole families have perished, and there is scarcely one which does not mourn the loss of any member. Not a few men fled from the place empty-handed, leaving behind in many cases considerable movable property, and very near relations buried under fallen houses. Their only thought seemed to be to put as many miles between them and Dharmasala. By noon several dead bodies had been dug out and were buried or cremated near the house which they had inhabited, beams, etc., being used to make funeral pyres. A few cases were taken to the open air and received fabulous wages even for rendering very trivial services. At night the scene was weird in the extreme. Wretched and grief-stricken survivors huddled themselves together in the open near the demolished dak bungalow, made piles of timber extracted from the debris and set fire to them to keep away the cold, while at some distance from them the dead lay burning on funeral pyres. Sleep had fled from every eye and every heart was heavy with grief. Every second or third hour there was a shock, although not very severe, and a roar like the boom of a cannon, which struck a chill into the hearts of men and women. They had no hope of escaping with their lives, being convinced that the earth would yawn and engulf them presently. Some of them are still in a pitious state of nervousness. They become alarmed at the slightest noise and seem loath to trust themselves under a roof. Many of them have since shaken the dust of Dharmasala off their feet, and the rest are expected to follow suit shortly. Many corpses still lie buried under the debris, and it will be some time before they are dug out."

NOT YET TO OAKVILLE. Delay in the Extension of the Mimico Railway.

It is not likely that the Mimico Electric Railway will be extended this season to Oakville. Almost all the right of way secured during the past two years has lapsed to the original owners. The necessary lands for the extension to Orr's Corners, a point beyond Torrie Park, has been secured and options taken on the land. These options have nearly all expired, and the company will have to begin all over again if it wants to secure new options or give the necessary notices of expropriation.

REGULATION OF AUTO. A Special Committee Suggests Amendments to Act.

A Toronto report: The sub-committee of the Municipal Committee of the Legislature, to which was delegated the various bills respecting the speed of motor vehicles, met yesterday and decided to make the following recommendations: That the act be amended to provide that the numbers of motor vehicles be increased from three to six inches in height, and displayed so as to be plainly discernible day and night, the license fee to be increased from \$2 to \$5, and \$10 for machines over ten horsepower; responsibility for violations of the act to rest with owners, rather than operators; the burden of proof in case of negligence to rest with the operator; to recommend to some extent posters advertising the regulations, and to supply copies to constables. The clause in Mr. Sutherland's bill to compel motorists to stop their vehicles within 100 yards of vehicles drawn by horses and not proceed until the drivers of the latter give the signal, was discussed at length, but the committee could not agree in regard to it. Some favored a regulation compelling the slackening of speed at such times. This question will be again discussed to-day.

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CANADA'S BLUE BOOKS.

Members' Regard Goes Through Three Stages—Reverence, Irrerence and Finally Devoat Relief.

The Auditor-General's report, itself the quintessence and cream of Parliamentary knowledge, shows that every member of Parliament is in receipt, during the session, of forty-five blue books, not counting the monthly statements of the Customs and Trades and Commerce Departments, which would bring the total up to sixty-six.
The attitude of the individual member toward this mass of official literature is various. Broadly speaking, it passes through three stages of opinion—the reverent, which means that he hasn't looked at the contents of his blue book; the irreverent, which means that he has looked at them just enough to make him contemptuous; the devout, which means that he has made a study of them and has learned to love them.

The Irreverent Stage.
The new member, no matter on what side of politics, is inclined to respect blue books. Their color is pretentious without being gay; their bulk is impressive; their number is prodigious; and the amount of information they affect to convey appears to be monumental. He hears a great deal from the old hands about the benefits of a diligent attendance on supply, whereby the affairs of the nation may be mastered down to the most trifling details. But he has young blood in his veins, and lacks that relish for close analysis which comes with age and experience. He hasn't it in him to sit still like his grandfathers carved in alabaster and discuss figures. He is repelled by the formal tone of all these reports. The style of the blue book is never buoyant. The serried columns of statistics are nothing short of alarming. They look, indeed, about as cheerful as the differential calculus. The new member is willing enough to enjoy the reputation of being a serious-minded person, but he doesn't fancy having to work for it. He is, in short, content to take the blue book on trust, as most people are content to take their metaphysics and their religion and their views on other things they cannot understand. Let no one chide him for his derelict neglect of what might improve his mind and give him a headache. He but follows the way of a large part of the world, which is ready to vow that Paradise is a great poem without taking the trouble to wade through it. Most of us have also met the man who lends his voice to Shakespeare and the Bible as a liberal education, without finding it necessary to become familiar with the objects of his admiration. The new member realizes that if ignorance is ever bliss, ignorance of forty-five blue books ought to come under that head. He ends his first session by dumping the whole lot of them on the floor, but not without a pang. He may feel sure that so much valuable material should have to be left behind.

The Devout Stage.
As times goes on our member of Parliament reaches the second or sceptical stage. If he is in Opposition he arrives there more quickly. Indeed, many members of the Opposition never get beyond this stage of arrested development. They stick on the way to perfection like the Chinese language or the anthropoid ape. Acting on the principle that no good can come out of Nazareth, they refuse to believe that even the Government blue books can tell the truth. They are not bitter toward them. Their style of criticism suggests that they would get out the same kind of blue books themselves if they had the chance, and that the rules of the game permit a certain amount of mystification and demand a certain amount of credulity on the part of those who are playing it. For instance, the theatre could not live a minute unless those who attend are favorably disposed toward the illusion. This is the attitude of the Opposition members toward a blue book. He does not impugn it, but he winks the other eye. He does not say it is a sham, but he would have everyone know that he is not taken in. He would not break up the game, but he is pleased to affect a mellow cynicism toward all statements emanating from Government sources. He does not protest that the truth is not being told, but he begs leave to doubt that the whole truth is being revealed.

Devoat Relief.
In due course comes the third stage of opinion, that of devout belief in the blue books, or, at least, belief strong enough to build arguments on and to wax controversial. By this time the member has learned how to read his blue book, as Carlyle says history should be read—that is to say, actively. Put yourself in the other man's place, and say what you would have done under the same circumstances. In this frame of mind the blue book reader gets behind each item and imagines why such and such a thing should be thus and so. This is much better than the actual truth, because one shapes it to suit himself, and it need not be inconvenient. Under these conditions the most baffling blue book renders up its secrets; the Auditor-General's report becomes as positive as the Encyclopedia Britannica, and even the estimates have the intimate charm of a romance in which one knows the characters, and is tickled to see them in print. In this state of ecstatic sympathy one can visualize the heaps of red gold in the Dominion Treasury and see the surplus even under the budget speech. The Indians, fearful in war paint and feathers, rush tumultuously through Mr. Sifton's matter-of-fact pages, and one can almost sniff the salt sea and sense the storms and shipwrecks and the behests of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. Few members, however, attain to this ecstasy of faith in blue books.

RACING AT FAIRS

The old question of the benefit of horse racing at fairs is again being discussed, and the following paragraphs from the Whig are both fair and practical:
Too often the horses entered in these races are cast-off trotters or runners, semi-worn out plugs, with just sufficient speed to defeat prime, every-day animals, owned by lovers of good horses. These plugs encircle the track a sufficient number of times to win the prize money and the owner carries it home. In what manner are the spectators—made up mainly of farmers—benefited educationally? In nearly every instance horse races are run off while ludging of stock, etc. is in progress, and the crowd gathers around the race track, leaving the judges entirely alone, so that the points on which prizes are awarded are lost to those whom they are intended to benefit. The winner of a horse race may be some old, half-blind stag, run solely to bring a little monetary gain to its owner, but the spectators care nothing for this and cheer it as lustily as the Romans of old did a gladiatorial champion. There is nothing educational gained.

As already stated, horse races are arranged to help swell the gate receipts. But do they accomplish that object? How often does it occur that the weather turns out unfavorable and the expected crowd does not assemble at the exhibition grounds. The races are advertised, the horses are properly entered, and the small attendance demands the fulfilment of the programme; the races are run off, the prizes paid, and a depleted treasury is the result. It is safe to say this is the case more often than where a surplus results, and is responsible for the impoverished condition of many township and county societies. Frequently, also legitimate prize winners on stock, farm products, etc. are taxed a percentage on their winnings in order to pay for fifth class horse races.
In a manner, horse races are beneficial, and if conducted from the educative point of view would be of great benefit to farmers. But where do worn-out plugs or professional trotters, etc., should be barred, and horses which have won premiums in the judging ring only be allowed to enter in competition for prizes on the race track.

DILLABOUGH—PARISH

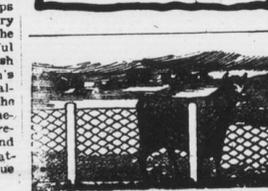
A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. D. Parish, Elbe Mills, when her third daughter, Miss Jessie was united in marriage to Mr. J. S. Dillabough, of Moosejaw, Assa. Promptly at high noon, as Mrs. O. Wilste, of Brockville, played the wedding march, the bride and groom took their places under a large floral bell. The bride was attended by Miss Clara Robinson, and the groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Chas. Dillabough, of Winchester. Rev. A. H. Visser performed the ceremony. The bride was dressed in white silk, and carried a bouquet of cut flowers. The bride-maid was gowned in white organdie, with lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of cut flowers. The bride's going away gown was of pearl grey whip cord, with silk waist and hat to match. After the ceremony, the guests repaired to the dining-room, which was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and evergreens, and after luncheon the bride and groom took the B. W. & N. train for Brockville and other eastern points. On Monday evening next a reception will be tendered Mr. and Mrs. Dillabough at the home of the groom's parents, at Winchester, after which they will leave for Moosejaw, where the groom has a home neatly furnished.
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A Change in County Councils

Hon. Mr. Monteith has introduced a bill in the Ontario Legislature to amend the municipal act by abolishing the clauses relating to the composition of county councils, which now consist of commissioners representative of various districts, and going back to the old system of having the reeves and deputy reeves compose the councils.
In this frame of mind the blue book reader gets behind each item and imagines why such and such a thing should be thus and so. This is much better than the actual truth, because one shapes it to suit himself, and it need not be inconvenient. Under these conditions the most baffling blue book renders up its secrets; the Auditor-General's report becomes as positive as the Encyclopedia Britannica, and even the estimates have the intimate charm of a romance in which one knows the characters, and is tickled to see them in print. In this state of ecstatic sympathy one can visualize the heaps of red gold in the Dominion Treasury and see the surplus even under the budget speech. The Indians, fearful in war paint and feathers, rush tumultuously through Mr. Sifton's matter-of-fact pages, and one can almost sniff the salt sea and sense the storms and shipwrecks and the behests of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. Few members, however, attain to this ecstasy of faith in blue books.

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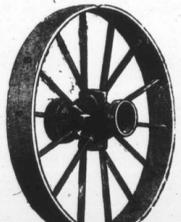
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Seelleys	*10.20	4.02
Fortthorn	*10.33	4.12
Elbe	*10.39	4.17
Athens	10.58	4.24
Soperton	*11.13	4.41
Lyndhurst	*11.20	4.48
Delta	11.28	4.54
Elgin	11.47	5.07
Forfar	*11.55	5.13
Crosby	*12.03 p.m.	5.18
Newboro	12.12	5.28
Westport (arrive)	12.30	5.40

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	No. 2	No. 4
Westport (leave)	7.30 a.m.	2.40 p.m.
Newboro	7.42	2.55
Crosby	*7.52	3.06
Forfar	*7.58	3.12
Elgin	8.08	3.22
Delta	8.16	3.41
Lyndhurst	*8.22	3.48
Soperton	*8.29	3.56
Athens	8.46	4.24
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DISTRICT NEWS

NEW DUBLIN

Miss Earl of Athens is the guest of Mrs. T. Horton.
Misses Alice and Jane Boulton left on Tuesday last for Carleton Place, where they intend making their home.
Mr. John Barry intends building a wing to his house this summer.
Mr. Ira Mallory is doing a rushing business in making cheese boxes for the summer trade.

GLOSSVILLE

Miss Addie Wilson of Athens is visiting friends here.
Mr. A. A. Davis and daughter of Brockville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Percival one day last week.
Mrs. W. J. Clow of Brockville spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. S. Y. Brown.
Miss Gertrude Thornhill, of New Dublin, for the past week has been visiting her uncle, David Mullen, and also friends in Addison.
Farmers here are nearly done seeding.

Miss Keitha Brown of Athens spent Sunday here, the guest of Miss Eva Brown.

We are pleased to have with us our old neighbor, Mr. Sola Hawks. He attended the Addison Sunday school on Sunday and gave a few remarks which were very appropriate.

MORTON

Mrs. McDonald and daughter Margaret have returned after spending a week in Kingston and Pittsburg.
Mr. Johnson, I. P. S., visited our school quite recently. He favored the teacher and pupils with a half holiday in the afternoon.

Mr. Heber Young is improving the appearance of his residence by a coat of paint. Several others intend to follow his example.

A new blacksmith shop has begun operations under the management of Mr. Henry Dean. It is in the shop used for that purpose by Mr. Wm. Merrill of Antler, Assa.

Mr. A. Jacob has the foundation ready for a new barn.

Great plans are being made for spending Victoria Day at Jones' Falls. A pleasant day is anticipated.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. McConnell on May 15, a son. We congratulate our late pastor and his wife at the birth of their first-born.

SELEYS BAY

Mrs. C. Brady is visiting friends at Newton Falls, N.Y., for a few weeks.
The football team here is hard at work practicing for a game to be played at Jones' Falls on Victoria Day.

Alex. Brown has removed to Washburn's, having secured a good position with McBroome Bros.

Work on the erection of Sam Gardiner's new brick house is advancing rapidly, the walls of the first storey being completed.

Alex. Steacy is laid up with an attack of lagrippe.

Farmers in this vicinity are nearly done seeding.

Two Englishmen arrived from England last week and have secured good positions in A. Neal's brick and tile yard.

L. Wills has secured the contract to build the new hotel for T. Kenny at Jones' Falls.

Gilt Edge, Gardiner's and Willoughby's cheese factories are all shipping their cheese by boat this season. Formerly, the cheese were hauled to Lyndhurst station and shipped by B. W. & N.

C. C. Gilbert, sick for the past week, is gaining.

The Colding Worm of the Apple

By Prof. Lochhead
The codling is the cause of greater loss to the apple industry than any other insect. The extent of the loss to Ontario alone runs up every year into the hundreds of thousands of dollars, and into the millions in the United States, all because the remedies which have been discovered by Entomologists have not been applied by the apple growers.
While there is but one brood of the Colding Moth east and north of Toronto, there are two broods west and south of the same place. The different stages of this insect pest should be familiar to the apple grower, for only with this knowledge can he apply his remedies intelligently. The life-story may be stated concisely as follows: The insect winters over as a caterpillar in a cocoon in some protected place) and in early June, when the blossoms are falling from the apple, the adult winged moths appear. The females deposit their eggs on the leaves and newly formed fruit. In about ten days the caterpillars escape from the eggs and a few days later enter the apples, usually at the calyx end. The "worm" remains inside the

apple about 20 days, after which it comes out to spin a cocoon within which it lives until spring if there is but one brood, but only about two weeks if there are two broods in a season. The second brood of moths appear about the end of July or the beginning of August; then eggs are again deposited, and the "worms" which hatch from these eggs enter the developed apples about the middle of August, leaving them again in September to make cocoons within which to spend the winter.

With our knowledge of the facts we are able to state quite definitely the best times to apply remedies. The plan is to poison the "worms" with Paris Green or some other arsenic mixture before they enter the fruit. The trees should be sprayed (1) a few days after the blossoms fall; and (2) about the middle of August for the second brood of larvae. An additional spraying ten days or two weeks after the first will in most cases, be productive of much good. It is advisable of course, to use the arsenic mixture along with Bordeaux to control the apple scab fungus at the same time that the Colding Moth is being treated. For the scab two additional sprayings are necessary one before blossoming and one in July.

The Bordeaux—Paris Green Mixture is prepared according to the following formula: Copper sulphate or blue stone 4 pounds, Fresh Lime 4 pounds, Water 40 gallons, Paris Green 4 to 6 ounces.

The blue stone is dissolved in 15 to 20 gallons of water in a barrel, and in another barrel the lime is slaked carefully and 10 to 15 gallons of water are added to make a milk of lime. Then the contents of the two barrels are poured into the spray barrel through a strainer. Finally the Paris Green is made into a paste with water and put into the barrel along with the Bordeaux. It is very necessary that the agitator should work while pumping is going on so as to keep the Paris Green well distributed throughout the mixture. Use a good spray pump and spray the trees carefully at the times mentioned above.

The practice of banding trees is commendable, but everything taken into account, is more expensive than spraying, and is moreover, actually harmful unless the bands are examined and the larvae destroyed every ten days or two weeks during the latter half of June and all of July.

Every fruit grower should know the value of such birds as the Chickadee, Downy Woodpecker, Nuthatch, Bluebird, Swallow, Wren, and Song Sparrow in checking the increase of the Colding Moth and other injurious insects, for without them fruit could scarcely be grown. Encourage the birds, therefore, to come about the orchard by keeping the gun at a distance, and by punishing the robber of birds' nests.

Good Roads Convention

The next annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association will be held at Brockville on June 28th and 29th. The convention will last two days. The subjects which will be discussed will include the county system of macadamized roads, road building and the construction of bridges. One of the leading speakers will be Mr. James McDonald, of Hartford, Conn., state highway commissioner of Connecticut. There will also be present representatives from counties in western Ontario which have expended large sums of money on stone roads, who will explain the experiences of their counties in carrying out this work. Every township and county council in eastern Ontario is invited to send delegates.

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Additional Local

On Tuesday morning Mrs. Ed. Nunn died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Johnston, Oak Leaf. She was taken ill on Friday, and her condition from the first was so serious, as to leave little hope for her recovery.

There was a large attendance at the special meeting of the Epworth League on Tuesday evening. Excellent addresses were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Williams and Stillwell, a pleasing duet was sung by Miss Hughes and Miss Maude Wilson, and Rev. T. J. Mansell also spoke briefly. Rev. S. J. Hughes presided. At the close the choir entered and sang the famous "glory song."

John Smith, a tramp, was riding on the bumpers of a freight train passing through Brockville Wednesday morning. After the train passed yard employees and bystanders noticed Smith lying beside the track, suffering great agony. He was taken to the general hospital. The wheels of the many cars had passed over both feet, and both had to be amputated. Smith came from England, and had no relatives in Canada.

At Brockville Cheese Board meeting on Saturday 3,425 boxes were registered and nearly all sold at 9c. The president called attention to the fact that the new rules of the board were being openly violated, and a committee was appointed to put them in such shape as would force all members to observe them. It was decided that in the future the sale of cheese begin at 2.30. It looks as if those salesmen who "just love to be crooked" were going to be straightened out.

Messrs. Moulton & Eaton, the contractors on the foundation work of the A.M.S. building, have made good progress, notwithstanding the rainy weather, and the first days of June will witness the completion of their work. The work of draining the basement, which is being conducted under the direction of the school board, is proceeding slowly, and that part of Henry street has been blocked what seems an unnecessarily long time. However, blasting has now been resumed and a few days should see its finish.

At their comfortable home, Phillipsville, on Tuesday, 16th, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Lockwood celebrated their golden wedding, surrounded by many relatives and old friends. An address was presented to the aged couple, and they received a number of appropriate gifts. Among the guests were: Rev. F. Chisholm and wife, Rev. Geo. S. Clendinning and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown, Albion, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gardiner, Leno; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brown, Athens; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown, Delta; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ennis, Frankville; Mr. and Mrs. Anson Brown, Seely's Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Cephas Brown, Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Miles Young, Forfar; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guttridge, Forfar; Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Lockwood, Westport; Mrs. E. Nichol, Miss A. Alguire, Mrs. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davison, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Halladay, Mr. and Mrs. R. Haskin, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Whitmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Phillips, M. S. E. Brown, of Phillipsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone and family, of Forfar.

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Sunday School.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON NO. X JUNE 4TH, 1905.

The Resurrection.—John 20:11-13. Commentary. I. Mary and the angels at the tomb (vs. 11-13). II. Mary—This was Mary Magdalene out of whom Christ had cast seven demons, a physical rather than a moral disorder. Because of this she was especially devoted to him, and appears to have been foremost among the honorable women who ministered to Christ and His disciples. She was a native of Magdala, a town on the Sea of Galilee. There was no evidence that she was ever a bad character. She must be distinguished from "the woman who was a sinner" (Lk. 7:36-50) and from Mary, the sister of Martha. Stood without—The other women and the disciples had left the tomb and Mary was alone as she supposed. "To stay while others stay is the world's love; to stay when all others are gone is constant love." Weeping—Christ had done much for her, and she had great love for her Lord. It was but natural that she should weep at this time. Stopped down—Wondering if she might not see the risen Jesus. She did not hear the message given to the other women and as yet had no thought of His resurrection. She stooped in order to obtain a view of the interior of the tomb. The sepulchre—The sepulchre seems to have been a square room hewn out of a rock, partly above ground, its roof being as high as the top of the door, which formed its entrance.—Benson.

12. Two angels—Peter and John did not see the angels. The angels' presence showed in the empty tomb and in the fact that they were ministering spirits to comfort those who were in such great sorrow and need; and they gave explanation of what had been done; no one else being able to see them. Matthew says there was one angel. Mary says "a young man," while Luke says "two men." It is evident that sometimes one appeared and sometimes two, and they spoke different things to different persons. In white—This was an emblem of purity (vs. 12). Why weeped thus—Are you quite sure that this empty tomb does not show that you ought to be rejoicing?—Ryle.

13. Jesus appears to Mary (vs. 14-16). 14. Turned—Still weeping, she turned away from the tomb. She turned to go again with the other women to Jerusalem, who had already departed; but she had not as yet gone so far as to be out of the garden.—Clarke. 15. Jesus saith—This was His first appearance. He came forward upon the same day to the other women returning from the sepulchre (Matt. xxviii. 9, 10), to Peter (Luke xxiv. 34), to two disciples going to Emmaus (Luke xxiv. 13-31), and to ten apostles (vs. 19-20). No other person would be likely to be there at so early an hour.—Peloubet. Borne Him hence—Thinking that perhaps Joseph had ordered His body taken to some other place. I will take Him away—She would be responsible for His removal to a proper place. Love knows no difficulties.

16. Mary—Jesus stirred the affection of the weeping woman at His side by uttering her own name in tones that thrill to the heart and create the new sublime conviction that He had risen as He had said.—Pul. Com. What transports of joy must have filled this woman's heart! Let it be remarked that Mary sought to Jesus more fervently, and continued more affectionately attached to him, than any of the rest; therefore to her first, Jesus is pleased to show Himself, and she is made the first herald of the gospel of a risen Saviour.—Clarke. Rabboni—A title of honor, a word of emotion and devotion in a word. As Mary uttered the word she must have fallen down at the feet of Jesus, embracing him.

17. Jesus commissions Mary (vs. 17, 18). 17. Touch me not.—Cling not to me.—Clarke. The translation, "touch me not," gives a false impression; the verb does not mean to "touch," but to "hold on to," and "cling to." I am not yet ascended—Mary appears to have held Him by the feet and worshipped Him. Jesus says in effect: "Spend no longer time with me now I am not going immediately to heaven, you will have several opportunities of seeing me again; but go and tell my brethren that I am going and by, to ascend to my Father and God, who is your Father and God also; therefore let them take courage."—Clarke. Go to my brethren—First servants, then disciples, now friends; now observers, but the impression prevails that it concerns the defenses of the empire.

The Emperor's speech at Strasburg, sensational as it was reported to be, was much less so than one containing allusions to France, which had been prepared by his Majesty, who, however, accepting the advice of members of his entourage, did not deliver it.

and not tied in many were. Jesus told them to handle Him (Luke xxiv. 39), which they probably did. Glad—They were terrified at first, but when they knew him they were glad. There is great joy in the resurrection for everyone. When they saw—A sight of Christ will gladden the heart of a disciple at any time.

It was at this time that He gave to them another proof that He was the same Jesus whom they had known. He called for food (Luke xxiv. 41-43) and did eat before them. Afterwards the apostles called attention to what now occurred as a proof of their Lord's resurrection (Acts x. 41). He ate "before them," not because He had need of faith for the soul.

21. Hath sent Me—As I was sent to proclaim the truth of the Most High, so I send you for the very same purpose, clothed with authority and influenced by the Spirit. 22. Breathed on them—Intimating by this that they were to be made new men. Receive ye the Holy Ghost—Out of His fulness their minds and hearts were to be filled, and thus they would be prepared to carry on the work after He had left them. 23. Ye remit, etc.—The Revised Version renders this, "Whosoever sins ye forgive, they are forgiven unto them; whosoever sins ye retain, they are retained." Compare Matt. xvi. 19. "They who believed on the Son of God, in consequence of the preaching of the apostles, had their sins remitted."

BEYOND HUMAN AGENCY To Have Averted Harrisburg Railway Collision, Says Jury.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 22.—The coroner's jury to-day returned a verdict exonerating the Pennsylvania Railway Co. from any blame for the South Harrisburg disaster last Thursday, in which 22 lives were lost and more than 100 persons were injured.

The jury finds that the cause of the accident was the result of applying the air brakes to the freight train in order to stop it, so that it would not collide with the shifting engine. "The shifting engine with its train was properly on the track," the verdict says, "and so far as the jury can learn, was guilty of no negligence."

The jury finds that "by reason of applying the air brakes on the freight train two cars of the said train, one of which contained 20,000 pounds of rock-chief blasting powder, were thrown upon the westbound track just as the Cleveland and Cincinnati express was going westward and ran into the passenger train set fire to the powder and caused a terrible explosion, which, together with fire from some unknown source, burned all passenger and Pullman cars."

The jury says that the freight train was properly equipped with air brakes, and that no human agency could have stopped the passenger cars from running into the wreck.

CLIMBER FELL FROM CRAIG. He Dropped Hundreds of Feet and Still Lives.

London, May 22.—The Daily Mail says that the following: A painful experience has befallen a London visitor to the Llangollen district. It cannot be that many people have fallen hundreds of feet down a mountain side and lived to tell the tale.

Mr. William Melton Marcus, of Leatherhead, Surrey, had sought seclusion in a quiet part of Wales while engaged in literary work. He spent Thursday roaming about the Eglwysseg Rocks, and in the afternoon reached a point where in a series of Titanic steps they drop to the banks of the Dee.

Here he by some means missed his footing or lost his nerve and slipped over the edge. Bounding like a ball from ledge to ledge, he fell many hundreds of feet to the foot of the rocks.

Horrorful witnesses of the accident ran to the spot. Mr. Marcus, though unconscious, was alive. He was badly cut and bruised, his clothes were torn, and he had lost his gold watch and chain, money and other effects. He is now recovering from his dangerous experience.

GERMANY'S DEFENCES. Kaiser, Chancellor and Minister of War Hold Conference.

Metz, Alsace-Lorraine, May 22.—Chancellor von Buolow and Minister of War von Einem, who were summoned latterly by Emperor William, had long conferences with his Majesty to-day. The object of the consultation puzzles observers, but the impression prevails that it concerns the defenses of the empire.

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CARONIA AGROUND. CUNARD-LINER ASHORE AT SANDY HOOK.

New York, May 22.—The Cunard Line steamer Caronia, which sailed yesterday afternoon for Liverpool, with a large passenger list, and which went aground at Sandy Hook, is still fast. Tugs which were trying to release her apparently gave up the task at 8 o'clock this morning until the next high tide at 6:30 p. m. No damage to the ship is feared, as the bottom of that part of the channel is soft sand. The wind is light.

19.—At evening—The events of the day had been many and important and the apostles, except Thomas, who was absent, were probably talking over what they had seen and heard. There were shut for fear—The doors were probably bolted. There is nothing to show that the Jews designed to molest the disciples, but because Christ had been put to death they had reason to fear for their safety. Jesus—in the midst—He evidently entered miraculously in verse 20. John refers to the fact that the doors were shut in a way to leave but little doubt that he intends to convey the impression that Christ entered by His own power while they were shut. Peace be unto you—His usual salutation and benediction. 20 He showed—Luke makes mention of several other things that took place before he showed them His hands and side. See Luke xxiv. 37, 38. Jesus proceeded to convince them that He was evidently a real person. The wounds were probably all perfectly healed, but the scars remained. His hands and His side—Luke says hands and feet. This leaves no doubt that Jesus was nailed to the cross

GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY.

Jury's Verdict in the Christian Science Case.

Sentence is Postponed in the Meantime.

Counsel for Defendants Will Press Stated Case.

A Toronto report: After an absence of three hours and a quarter the jury engaged in trying the case against the four Christian Scientists—Mrs. Sarah Goodfellow, Mrs. Isabella Grant, Mrs. Elizabeth See and Wm. Brundrette—returned into court at twenty-five minutes past ten last night with a verdict of "guilty of conspiracy" against all the defendants. Mr. H. B. Ardagh, in the absence of Mr. E. A. DuVernet, who had conducted the case for the Crown, at once moved for sentence, but Mr. Cassels, K. C., on behalf of the defendants, applied for arrest of judgment until after the stated case has been heard. Justice Magee thereupon postponed judgment until the defendants' own recognizances of \$500 each to appear on such a date. The maximum sentence on such a charge is seven years' imprisonment.

It was charged against the accused "that they did unlawfully conspire on Jan. 4th and other days to deprive Wallace Goodfellow of the necessities of life, to wit, proper medicines and nursing, whereby death was caused."

The Brother's Evidence. Harvey Goodfellow, a brother of the deceased, was the first witness called yesterday. He displayed a good deal of hesitation in answering the questions put to him by Mr. DuVernet, and did not throw much light on the treatment his brother received. The witness had some acquaintance with the principles of Christian Science, and in fact had been himself treated by the methods adopted by members of the sect. The witness said that he was present on Sunday, December 25, when there was a Christian Science conference being held with the deceased. Mrs. Eddy's book was being read.

"Was that part of the treatment?" Mr. DuVernet inquired. "No," the witness replied, emphatically.

Mr. DuVernet endeavored to ascertain what was the treatment, but failed to elicit any definite information on the point. The witness merely stated that he could not tell. Neither could the witness explain how he himself was treated. He was treated by his mother for a cold. Sometimes she was in the room and sometimes away.

"Could you tell when you were being treated and when you were not?" "I could not tell that."

"Then you may be under treatment even now," remarked Mr. DuVernet, and the witness admitted that it was so.

"Perhaps some of these ladies in the room are treating you now," the learned counsel added amidst laughter.

Replying to Mr. Cassels, the witness said he spoke to his brother about having a doctor, but he said he did not want one. Deceased never complained that he was not getting what he wanted, and never asked for anything but what he got. Deceased did not wish to see his wife, and witness was of opinion that something she said worried him. Witness had not made a study of Christian Science, but he knew the good results on himself.

In answer to Mr. Robinette the witness said deceased never expressed a wish to go back to his mother-in-law's house; in fact, on the night he came to his mother's house he said he did not intend to go back. Witness discussed with deceased the question of having a doctor, and made him understand that if he wanted a doctor he could prevent him having one. Deceased would not, however, hear of having one.

Deceased did not want to see his wife, the witness stated in re-examination, because she wanted him to have a doctor.

Mother-in-law Speaks Out. Mrs. Hannah Taylor, mother-in-law of deceased, described the condition in which she found the deceased when she called at his mother's house on Saturday, Dec. 24. He was in bed, and Mr. Brundrette was wiping blood from his nostrils. She advised Brundrette to wet a towel and apply it to the back of the head, as she had known it to be effectual in such cases. To this Mr. Brundrette replied: "I have never heard of it," and the witness retorted: "There are a lot of things you will hear of before you die." Mr. Brundrette said that Mrs. Goodfellow, sen., had come to Mrs. Stewart's. Witness said to deceased: "Oh, Wallace, you are dying!" and he seemed startled by the statement. She said: "I will go for a doctor," and deceased seemed willing to have one. Mr. Brundrette did not say anything, but she told him, "If anything happens to Wallace you will meet with the full force of the law." Mr. Brundrette said: "That is malice. You would not be a great deal interested in the matter, because she was interested in Wallace's recovery." On the following day when she called books were being read to the deceased, but she could not say what they were, as she was not sufficiently interested in the matter at the time. Deceased then seemed feverish and low.

More Medical Evidence. Dr. Carveth said he was called by Mr. Brundrette to go to the deceased the day before his death. He asked Mr. Brundrette what was the trouble with the young man, and the reply was: "He is very ill in bed, bathed in perspiration and very weak." On going to the house witness found the deceased in a very small, dark room. He was in

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a serious condition. Witness said to two women standing in the doorway: "How is it the man has got as sick as this without medical attendance?" and the answer given him was, "He has had medical attendance up to seven or eight days ago. He could not afford to have it longer." Dr. Johnson, Chief Coroner, who made the post-mortem examination, described the condition of the body. He said that to give a typhoid patient fruit, as had been done by the relatives of the deceased, would increase the virulence of the attack. As to allowing the deceased to leave his bed and go downstairs, it was suicidal to allow it.

In answer to Mr. Robinette, Dr. Johnson said he believed that if deceased had proper nourishment and attention he would have been alive to-day.

This concluded the case for the Crown.

A Lawful Object. Mr. Robinette at once submitted that there was no case to go to the jury. The Crown would contend that this was a conspiracy by unlawful means to attain a lawful object, and that the question of Christian Science, let him take the case of a young woman who was lying on a bed of sickness, and was being treated by her family. Medical men say she might be suffering from some disease, and medical men might say that if she were removed to a sanatorium she would recover. The father and mother refused to allow the removal, saying, "We will treat her the same as we have been doing." The parents were warned that she would die if she remained at home, and supposing at the end of six months she died. Would it not then be open, if the Crown's theory was right in this case, to indict the father and mother for a conspiracy because they did not take the advice of the medical men?

Mr. Cassels said he adopted the same position as Mr. Robinette.

Mr. DuVernet in reply contended that the defendants had no right to prevent the doctor attending the deceased, or to keep the wife out; they had no right to pass judgment on this young man until he was dying, and then go to a doctor, when all the doctor could do was to issue the death certificate. Even if the deceased did not wish to have a doctor, Mr. DuVernet claimed that this did not relieve the defendants of responsibility. A man had no right to permit himself to die. These people defied the law.

The judge declining to withdraw the case from the jury, Mr. Robinette stated that he would reserve his right to ask for a reserved case.

Mr. Cassels then addressed the jury on behalf of the defendants. "The boys they did not take the advice of the medical men," he said. "The boys they did not take the advice of the medical men," he said. "The boys they did not take the advice of the medical men," he said.

"Riches have wings," quoted the Wise Guy, "Wings," snorted the Simple Mug. "Gee, it seems to me they have flying machines."

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Market Reports OF The Week.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

The grain receipts to-day were small, and prices unchanged. One hundred bushels of oats sold at 46c, and 100 bushels of barley at 49c per bushel.

Hay is steady, with sales of 25 loads at \$10 to \$11 a ton for timothy, and at \$8 to \$9 for mixed. Straw is firm, four loads selling at \$10 to \$10.50 a ton.

Dressed hogs are unchanged, with sales at \$9 to \$9.50, the latter for a few choice lightweights.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Wheat, Do. red, Do. spring, Do. goose, Oats, Rye, Buckwheat, Barley, Peas, Hay, Straw, Dressed hogs, Apples, Eggs, Butter, Do. creamery, Chickens, Turkeys, Potatoes, Cabbage, Celery, Onions, Beef, Do. forequarters, Do. choice carcass, Do. medium, Mutton, Veal, Lamb.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Table with 3 columns: Location, May, July, Sept. Includes New York, St. Louis, Duluth, Toledo, Detroit, Minneapolis.

British Cattle Markets.

London—Cattle are quoted at 11c to 12c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 9c to 9c per lb.; sheep, 13c to 14c per lb.

Cheese Markets.

Peterboro—The first cheese meeting of the season was held at Peterboro, this morning; 1700 boxes were boarded, all colored; 800 sold to Wright at 9c. The balance was sold to Kerr at the same price. The board then adjourned for two weeks.

Pleto—Sixteen factories hoarded 803 boxes colored and 295 white. Highest bid 9.11c. All sold.

Higher Prices.

A comparison of present prices ruling at the Toronto market for country produce, compared with those of a year ago, shows that Canadian farmers have considerable reason to feel satisfied with the existing condition of things generally. In almost every case prices are higher, and often they are very much so. Grain prices have been high all through the winter, and as a consequence little was done in the way of feeding cattle and hogs for the market, and for some time it has been difficult to obtain sufficient supplies, and cattle are now quoted just \$1 per cwt. higher than a year ago.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Sir Wm. Macdonald, of Montreal, has given another fifty thousand dollars to the McGill College Union.

Mr. F. B. Wade, Chairman of the Transcontinental Railway Commission, is seriously ill at Ottawa.

Thomas Brasier, well known as a breeder of dogs, is dead at his home at Athens, N. Y., aged 65 years.

D. Saville, a young man employed in a mill at Gallender, was caught by a slab and thrown on the saw and killed.

On orders of Governor Luke Wright, the American Bank of Manila has been closed and placed in charge of the insular auditor.

Mrs. William McCracken, 3 Draper street, Toronto, awoke yesterday morning to find her infant child dead in bed beside her.

For the benefit of the constantly increasing grain trade by way of Port Arthur, the Government will be asked to station an ice crusher there permanently.

News has just been received that Pala, the outlaw Moro chief, who has been pursued the past season on the Island of Olan, by troops under the command of Gen. Leonard Wood, has been killed.

The court martial which convened at Manila on April 10 for the trial of Major Frank Carrington, of the First U. S. Infantry, on a charge of converting public funds to his own use, has resulted in the dismissal of Major Carrington.

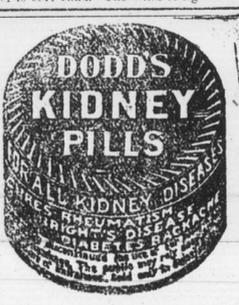
James Dougherty, Nationalist member of Parliament for the North Division of Donegal, was suddenly stricken with paralysis in the House of Commons this afternoon and was taken to a neighboring hospital in a crisis condition.

The Associated Press has investigated a statement published yesterday that John D. Rockefeller was about to give \$10,000,000 to establish a pension fund for retired clergymen, and is authorized to say that Mr. Rockefeller has no such purpose at this time.

CHICAGO STRIKER LOSE.

Will Admit Defeat by Calling Off the Boycott. Chicago, Ill., May 22.—It is highly probable that the next 24 hours will see the end of the teamsters' strike in Chicago. Although the labor leaders will not acknowledge it, it is generally understood tonight that the programme for calling off the strike has already been arranged.

To-morrow a meeting will be held between the teamsters' joint council and a committee representing the Team Owners' Association. It will be made plain to the teamsters that the business interests of the Team Owners render it imperative that the boycott be lifted. Little, if any, opposition was made to-day by the strikers and their friends as to the making of deliveries by non-striker drivers. In fact, the streets had almost assumed their normal condition and there was little to indicate that the strike of such large proportions was in progress.



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To buy a sweat pad bound in red
For my poor horse that's nearly dead.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Byers, dressmaker, wants an
apprentice.

Saturday as salesday for cheese
seems to be working alright.

Mr. Henry Horton of New Dublin
spent Sunday with friends in Athens.

It will be necessary to go early on
Friday evening to secure a good seat
at the Choir Concert.

Westport Mirror: Mrs. Geo. Law-
son, of Athens was guest of Mr. and
Mrs. H. W. Lawson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Lee of Athens
spent the 24th visiting friends in
Elgin.

Master Roy Robinson has been
added to the staff of clerks at H. H.
Arnold's store.

Mrs. John Stevens and son Cecil of
Elgin spent Saturday and Sunday in
Athens, guests of Mrs. Philip Stevens,
Elgin street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, of
Taylor, Ont., spent Sunday at the
home of her parents, Mrs. S. J.
Stevens, Wiltse street.

Dr. C. M. B. Cornell arrived in
Brockville on Saturday last, after hav-
ing spent the winter in southern
Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. H. Brown of
Carleton Place have been spending a
few days in Athens, guests of Mr. and
Mrs. T. Berney.

Regular meeting Court Athens No.
789 Canadian Order of Foresters,
Tuesday evening, May 30. Important
business.

Mr. Charlie Dunham and Miss Lena
Dunham of Frankville spent Sunday
last with their aunt, Mrs. Geo. Robin-
son, Victoria street.

Mr. Weeks has had a good spring
trade at his restaurant, and the pros-
pects for the summer are bright. His
ice cream, made from pure cream,
is delicious.

Miss Mallory, elocutionist, Mr.
Thompson of Brockville, Rev. Geo.
Stafford and Mr. R. Stafford of West-
port will take part in the Choir Con-
cert programme on Friday evening.

Carleton Place town council have
passed a by-law to compel the bakers
to make full two and four pound
loaves. Other weights will have to be
stamped with the weight.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dowsley of
Frankville called on friends in Athens
on Tuesday. The Athenian friends of
the Honorary President of Kitley's
great fair were pleased to meet him
and hear, as of old, his cheery greeting.

While picking wild flowers at Fern-
cliffe, near Gananoque, Mrs. Henry
Morton noticed a mound which had
the appearance of a small grave.
Directly underneath, she found a soap-
box, which contained the body of a
female infant, which had probably
lived several days after birth. Mrs.
Morton notified the authorities, who
took charge of the body and ordered
an inquest. The remains were
wrapped in fine linen. An inquest
developed the fact that the child had
been prematurely born and had been
placed there for the winter.

Mr. Marous Stevens of Brookville
spent the 24th in Athens.

Mr. John Cawley of Brockville
spent the 24th in Athens.

Miss Lillian Reynolds of Kemptville
is visiting friends in Athens.

No lover of music should fail to
attend the Choir Concert on Friday
evening.

Mr. C. Hoffman of Jasper is re-
painting Mr. Geo. Robinson's farm
house at Hard Island.

The adv't of Taylor's Agricultural
Implement Agency will be found in
this issue of the Reporter.

Dr. H. Stone is visiting at the home
of his mother, Mrs. S. Stone, Elma
street.

By adv't this week, the trustee
board of the A. M. S. call for tenders
for the construction of the new school
building.

Mr. Wm. Ackland's presence in the
choir of the Methodist church is al-
ways welcome, and his solo on Sunday
evening was highly appreciated.

At their meeting on Monday, the
official board of the Methodist church
appointed Mr. Walter Taber repre-
sentative to the District Meeting in
session here this week.

There will be service and special
sermon to the Independent Order of
Oddfellows on Sunday next in Christ's
Church at 2.30 p.m. There will be no
7.00 o'clock service on that day.

The bullpout fishing has been
variable this spring, but a few good
catches are reported. Mr. S. Man-
hardt headed the list with a string of
600.

Evening service will be held in St.
Paul's Church (Presbyterian) next
Sunday at the hour of 7.30 o'clock.
Subject "The Life and Works of John
Knox."

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rowsome of
Chicago are visiting friends here,
guests of Mrs. C. Rowsome. Ernie's
many old friends are giving him a
warm welcome.

Frontenac Cheese Board is suffering
from the same complaint that has
afflicted the Brockville board for so
long, and the members are now con-
sidering how best to end the hole-and-
corner methods of some salesmen.

Westport village council has passed
a by-law whereby Wednesday after-
noon will be observed as a holiday
during the months of June, July and
August. All places of business will
be closed on that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Stafford, West-
port, have issued invitations for the
marriage of their niece, Miss Macie
McQuinn to Mr. E. A. W. Whit-
worth, which takes place at their home
on Thursday, May 25.

Mr. W. F. Earl is now installing
one of his popular acetylene gas
machines in Cedar Park Hotel. This
will no doubt lead to more business
at the Lake, as the "Earl" wins high
favor wherever used.

A call for a national prohibition con-
vention, to be held in the Labor
Temple Toronto on Thursday, June
22, has been made in a circular signed
by J. R. Dougall, President, and F.
S. Spence, Secretary, of the Dominion
Alliance.

Smith's Falls granolithic walks cost
a little over 16c, and the general price
throughout Eastern Ontario is about
18c. They are served much better in
Western Ontario. In the village of
Burlington there are several miles of
granolithic walks which were laid
down at 14c.

Victoria Day was loyally observed
by the youths of Athens. In the oak
grove bordering Joseph street about a
score of little girls held a delightful
picnic, and the boys up town kept up
a fusillade of firecrackers all day. In
the evening there was quite an ex-
tensive display of fireworks.

On Wednesday afternoon smoke
was seen issuing from the warehouse
of Karley's hardware store at the west
side. On investigation it was found
that quite a little blaze was in pro-
gress, commencing at the outside of
the sill and working inward and
upward. It was extinguished without
difficulty. The fire was probably
caused by a spark from a chimney.

As usual, the 24th was a great day
at Charleston Lake. All the lively
boats were in use by the numerous
large and small picnic parties. Dr.
Lillie and Mr. B. Loverin had their
gasoline launches out, the latter hav-
ing on board a party from Rockspring.
There were but few fishing parties,
the majority being out simply to see
the lake in its new spring suit. The
Inn was a busy place all day, and in
the evening the parlors were occupied
by a merry party of young people.

According to law, after Dec. 1st
next, no person in Ontario shall use a
sleigh less than four feet wide on outer
edges of runners, single cutters and
pleasure vehicles exempted. The man-
ufacturers must therefore prepare to
make wide sleighs for next season's
trade, and farmers and teamsters must
consider the best and cheapest way of
widening their sleighs so as to meet
the requirements of the law. Cities
are exempted from this law, and any
county may exempt itself.

The Reporter to end of year, 25c.

On Monday last the official board of
the Methodist church passed a
unanimous vote of appreciation to
Rev. S. J. Hughes for his faithful,
efficient service, and expressed the
wish that conference would continue
his pastorate here.

The roof of the new Holiness Move-
ment church at Smith's Falls gave
way to a strong wind last week. The
rafters had just been erected, and were
not yet boarded. The brick walls
were not strong enough, and they gave
way at the top, tumbling the whole of
the roof to the ground. There were
men at work, but they noticed the
walls falling, and got away safely.

Very general interest is manifested
in the Methodist choir concert, to be
held in the H. S. hall on Friday even-
ing, and its success is assured. The
programme is now before the public,
and it promises a rich musical and
literary treat. General admission,
25c; no reserved seats.

Court Athens Independent Order of
Foresters hold a public meeting in
their lodge room in the Central Block
on Thursday evening at which ad-
dresses will be delivered by J. C. Dav-
idson, D.S.C.R., of Toronto and John
Bowman, Supreme Lecturer, of Lon-
don. The general public, and particu-
larly all interested in fraternal insur-
ance, will be welcomed.

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up to 6 o'clock p.m. on Saturday the 3rd
of June, 1905, for the various trades required in
the erection of a public school at Athens, Ont.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the
office of B. Dillon, Architect, Brockville, Ont.,
and at the store of Joseph Thompson, Esq.,
Athens, Ont., on and after Thursday the 25th
inst.

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that a By-law was
passed by the Municipal Council of the In-
corporated Village of Athens on the 12th day
of May, 1905, providing for the issue of debentures
to the amount of \$3,000.00 for the purpose of
erecting a Public School Building for Union
School Section No. 6, composed of the Village
of Athens and parts of Rear Younge & Escott,
and that such By-law was registered in the
Registry Office of the United Counties of
Leeds and Grenville on the 18th day of May,
1905.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same
or any part thereof must be made within three
months from the date of registration and can-
not be made thereafter.

Dated the 17th day of May, 1905.
B. LOVERIN, Village Clerk.

The Kidneys

When they are weak, tor-
pid, or stagnant, the whole
system suffers. Don't neg-
lect them at this time, but
heed the warning of the
aching back, the bloated
face, the sallow complexion,
the urinary disorder, and
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goods are very popular, and we offer them in browns, navys,
and fancy blacks.

Crepe de Chenes and Eoliennes—Always fashionable—
drape elegantly, and make a rich gown, suitable for all
occasions.

Shepherd's Checks—The most popular of the Tartan line—
makes an extremely pretty shirt waist suit, and wears well.

Ladies are invited to critically inspect our line of dress materials.

PIERCE & WILTSE

P.S.—Our line of boots and shoes, rubber goods, rain coats,
etc., for ladies and gentlemen will satisfy your wants.

FURNITURE

**Beautiful
Spring**

Loses half its charms to a woman
if the interior of her home fails
to harmonize with the natural
beauty outside.
It doesn't require expensive furni-
ture to make a woman happy at
this season. Anything that will
brighten and adorn will be ac-
ceptable.
Encourage your wife's house-clea-
ning, home-making efforts by buy-
ing a new piece of furniture.
Do it now. We have every requi-
site for every room, and all are
reliable reasonably-priced goods.
Your inspection invited.

T. G. Stevens

G. A. McCLARY

IN THE SPRING

A woman's fancy seriously turns
to effecting improvements in
and adding new goods to her
house-furnishing. Our stock
of

**CHINA, GLASSWARE
CROCKERY, ETC.**

will be found very tempting.
All the designs and patterns
are new, and the value unsur-
passed.

DINNER AND TEA SETS
Handsome line, and not high-
priced. We can make your
purchase here a profit as well
as a pleasure.

BEDROOM SETS
Popular designs, rich coloring
—a combination of strength,
beauty and utility.

G. A. McCLARY

**An Ounce of Prevention
IS BETTER THAN
a Pound of Cure**

Farming, like all other business,
has proved a science. Fortunately all
farm produce is commanding a re-
munerative price. Good results can
only be had from any source when we
have done our best toward obtaining
them. The most successful farmers
have proved beyond doubt that profit-
able results come from feeding Poul-
try and all other Stock not only good
grain, hay and ensilage but such
Blood-makers and Tonics as

Herbageum, International Stock Food,
Poultry Food, Kow Kure, Horse Ton-
ic, Linseed Meal, Oil Cake, The
Great English Calf Food—Cream
Equivalent, Granulated Bone
& Oyster Shell for Hens.

All of the above are guaranteed to
produce results that will pay a good
dividend for the cost of them.

Jos. Thompson

Logs Wanted
The subscriber will pay cash for water-elm
and basswood logs—delivered at his mill at
Greenbush also for a large quantity of birch
timber not more than 10 nor less than 4 inches
in diameter, cut 10 or 12 feet long.
A. ROOP,
Greenbush.

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