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ONE-SIDED.

The attention of the members of the Trades and Labor Council will, no doubt, be directed to the fact that when the London Free Press publishes the minutes of its proceedings care is taken to omit all reference to the hostile criticism of the Dominion Government, while it never fails to give publicity to any statement or resolution that can be interpreted as hostile to the Mowat Government. The ADVERTISER, being a newspaper, publishes the minutes in their entirety whether it agrees with their conclusions or not.

A fair-minded man does not desire one-sided reports, even though they may screen his political friends. If the actions of a political party, or the leaders of a political party, will not bear criticism and exposure to newspaper publicity and discussion, they must always be regarded with distrust.

STILL GAINING.

In the election at Stoke-upon-Trent yesterday the Liberal candidate was elected by a majority of 1,861. The majority for the Gladstonian candidate in 1886 was only 1,162. It is evident from this return once more that the Liberals continue to gain on their opponents all along the line. The election was to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation, from ill-health, of Mr. Leatham Bright, a son of the famous free trade leader. His place is taken by Mr. Leveson Gower, who is reported to be a talented public man.

TOPICS OF TO-DAY.

Winter, can't you get out of the lap of spring?

The Governor-General will leave for England on the 20th of this month, but will return in time to receive the Duke of Connaught in May. The Governor will be accompanied by Capt. Colville, A.D.C., and Mrs. Colville.

Rev. Dr. D. J. Burrell, of Minneapolis, has been chosen successor to Rev. Dr. Ormiston, formerly of Hamilton, Ont., in the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Collegiate Reformed Church, New York City. The salary is $10,000.

The daughters of the Prince of Wales are introducing the fashion of wearing flower bracelets on one arm just below the short sleeves. The flowers must be natural and wired. Many were worn at the ball at Marlborough House the other night.

It is reported from New York that Eva Hamilton, the wife of Ray Hamilton, a leading society man, who palmed off a bogus child on her husband, and who stabbed her maid, Mrs. Donnelly, will be released, by pardon, within a week, from State prison.

A ROCK ON THE TRACK.

Fatal Accident on the Baltimore and Ohio Road—A Freight Train Wrecked.

NEWARK, O., March 15. — Yesterday morning a wreck occurred at Black Hand on the Central Ohio division of the Baltimore and Ohio. One man was killed outright, two were dangerously and five slightly injured. A large rock had rolled on the track two miles west of the point named, and fast Chicago vestibule train, due here at 12:30, struck the rock, which was half as large as a passenger coach. At the place where the accident occurred there is a high hill on one side of the road and the river flows on the other. The train was making probably 40 miles per hour when the engine struck the rock and in an instant an awful scene ensued. The engine was turned completely around and thrown into the water, while the baggage, mail, smoker, first-class coach and the sleeper were also ditched, the trucks being knocked out from under them. There were about 100 passengers on board. Engineer John Moore saw the boulder as he rounded the curve, but reversed his engine too late to be of any use. He was thrown from his cab, together with Engineer John Hart, and both were badly hurt about the head and shoulders, and, it is thought, internally.

Fireman Jesse Bahlin was found alongside the track. His mangled form was frightful to look upon, being scalded horribly, besides crushed, almost beyond any semblance to man. He leaves a widow and two children. The injured are:

Edward Stevenson, Bloomfield, Ill., badly bruised and knee and arm sprained.

George Wakely, Harrisburg, Pa., bruised about the body.

A. P. Dickson, Canton, Dak., hip and back badly hurt.

E. M. Smith, Chicago, knee and hip sprained and badly bruised.

The two engineers referred to above who it is now said will both die.

In addition to these Ezra McConnell, ex-mail clerk, sustained a severe fracture of the right shoulder.

A FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED.

WABASH, Ind., March 15. — Thursday night a dairy car in freight train No. 13, on the Cincinnati, Wabash and Michigan Railway jumped a frog at Claypool while running fifteen miles an hour. Two cars were smashed to splinters.

Murdered His Two Children.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 15. — Frank Gradey, of Allegheny City, murdered his two children at an early hour this morning.

The World's Fair.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 15.—Representative Flower has given notice that he will move to make the guarantee fund in Chicago World's Fair Bill $10,000,000 instead of $5,000,000.

Fatal Disaster at Glens Falls.

TROY, N. Y., March 15.—By the falling of a bridge at Glens Falls this morning, two men are known to be drowned. Three others were seen going down stream clinging to the wreck. Two are missing and perhaps more.

Two Men Burned to Death.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., March 15.—At a late hour Thursday night fire broke out in a frame building at bridge No. 6 on the Pennsylvania Railroad, six miles east of here. The building was used as sleeping apartments for the laborers employed in rebuilding the viaduct at that point, which was destroyed by the flood. Two men, whose names are yet unknown, were burned to death, and several others injured.

AN AFGHAN KICK

Uprising Against His Mightiness the Ameer.

A Number of Implicated Courtiers Summarily Decapitated.

Siberia's Prisons Overflowing With Sick and Dying Exiles.

The Steamer Egypt Spoken in a Disabled Condition—Flood Does $1,500,000 Damage at Brisbane—The Behring Sea Negotiations—Winter Sessions of Parliament.

Floods in Australia.

LONDON, March 15.—Owing to incessant rains the river at Brisbain, Australia, has overflowed and inundated the town. The damage is estimated at £300,000.

One Fishery Trouble Settled.

PARIS, March 15.—The Temps confirms the announcement that the modus vivendi has been established between France and Great Britain regarding the Newfoundland fisheries.

French Troops in a Tight Place.

PARIS, March 15.—The Siecle says 30,000 of the King of Dahomey's troops surrounded the French garrison at Kotonou, on the south of the Bight of Benin, and that reinforcements for the French are urgently needed.

Old Versus Roman Catholic.

VIENNA, March 15.—The Government has granted the demand of the Bishop for the exclusion of Old Catholics from the Roman Catholic Church. The decree obliges the Old Catholics to constitute a separate religious society.

The Egypt Disabled.

LONDON, March 15.—The British steamer Osmanli, Capt. Hagan, at Bremen, from Savannah, reports having spoken the British steamer Egypt, Capt. Sumner, in a disabled condition on March 6, 50 miles west of the Scilly Islands. The Egypt sailed from London for New York March 3.

The Labor Conference.

BERLIN, March 15.—The sessions of the International Labor Conference will be held in the large hall of Prince Bismarck's palace, where the congress of 1878 was held. Baron Von Berlepsch, Prusian Minister of Commerce, will open the proceedings. He will welcome the delegates in the name of the Emperor, and will explain the objects of the conference. The debates will not be published until the conclusion of the conference.

The Liberal Tide still Rising.

LONDON, March 15.—The election at Stoke-upon-Trent, yesterday, to fill the Parliamentary seat made vacant by the resignation of W. Leatham Bright, resulted in the return of Levison Gower (Gladstonian), who received 4,157 votes against 2,296 cast for Mr. Allen (Unionist.) In the election of 1886 Mr. Bright (Home Ruler) received 3,25. votes, and Mr. Corser (Conservative) 2,093.

The Conservatives of Colchester have abandoned a meeting at which Lord Randolph Churchill was announced to speak.

An Afghan Revolt.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 15.—Intelligence has just been received here from Cabul, the capital of Afghanistan, that a revolution against Abdurraham Khan, the Ameer, has broken out. Among those concerned in it were a number of courtiers of the Ameer. Several of them were captured by the troops who remained loyal and were beheaded by the order of the Ameer. Other courtiers implicated in the revolt fled to Russian territory. At last accounts they with a number of other revolters who also fled to Russia, were gathering on the frontier of Afghanistan.

British Parliament.

LONDON, March 15.—In the House of Commons yesterday Sir James Fergusson, Under Foreign Secretary, responding to a question as to the position of the Behring Sea negotiations, declined to say anything until he should be able to communicate to the House such information as might be imparted without detriment.

Sir G. O. Trevelyan moved that Parliament henceforth shall rise at the beginning of July, and that business shall be met by a winter session. He contended that the present arrangement which prolonged the session of the spring and summer into the autumn was a survival of days when different social habits had prevailed, and that the House ought to have two sessions yearly, so arranged as to give the best part of the summer to the recess. Sir Charles Forster seconded the motion, which, however, was rejected—173 to 169.

Siberia's Horrors.

BERLIN, March 15.—Dispatches from Tomsk, the central Siberian depot for prisoners, say that the prison now holds 490 healthy and 275 sick exiles, but that in 1886 the number of exiles brought to prison was 16,184, of whom only 14,866 were transported further into the interior. In 1887 the arrivals numbered 14,277, in 1888 they numbered 15,015, and in 1889 up to September they numbered over 12,000. Of these prisoners there were taken to the interior 13,522 in 1887, 14,239 in 1888 and 11,000 in 1889. The daily average number of prisoners in 1888 was 1,380, and the sick list was 396. A majority of the sick had typhoid fever. An official report declares that owing to lack of room hundreds of sick had to be placed in the open air while the temperature was as low as six degrees Raumaur, and that in consequence of this exposure the mortality among the sick was enormous.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 15.—A prison inspector in the Trans-Baikal district confined a prisoner with frozen feet in a cold cell until he was compelled to remove the sufferer to a hospital, where he died in great agony. The same inspector sent away a batch of prisoners when the thermometer was 25 degrees below freezing point.

Old World Wirelets.

The French gunboat Emerande has bombarded Abomey-Kalavy, a village of Dahomey, near the coast. The Dahomites were panic stricken by the attack.

Lord Salisbury, in the House of Lords on Friday, gave notice of a motion approving the Parnell Commission report, and thanking the judges for their just and impartial conduct.

THE BLENHEIM TRAGEDY

Birchall Has to be Content With Prison Fare.

Identified as Having Been Met Near "Dead Man's Swamp."

BIRCHALL IN JAIL.

(Welland Tribune.)

Birchall spent the week in Welland jail, and he was the coolest, most contented and jovial prisoner within its walls. One singular incident was his meeting (as a fellow prisoner) an old friend named Skinly, who had been in the employ of Birchall's father in England for four years. Birchall and Skinly recognized each other at once. They had been school mates in the old country. A strange and true coincidence. In this jail Crowley (also charged with murder) is incarcerated, and the unfortunate man cannot read. Birchall showed much sympathy for the poor fellow, and very considerately read to him the full accounts published of his (Birchall's case), laughing and commenting upon the many versions given of the terrible affair.

FEEDS ON PRISON FARE.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., March 14.—Birchall has spent a very seclusive time since yesterday afternoon, as all visitors who have called have been turned away in accordance with prison rules. Birchall so far has to be content with prison fare in the way of meals, as his application to have his supplies brought into him has not been as yet replied to. The turnkey says he found the prisoner very civil and pleasant and inclined to chat about his old friends in town, about whom he makes occasional inquiries.

THAT'S THE MAN.

This morning Charles Buck, who lives on lot 20, con. 2., Blenheim, half a mile from the scene of the murder, accompanied by Detective Murray, called at the jail to identify the prisoner. Mr. Buck was driving home from Woodstock on Monday, Feb. 17, the day the murder is supposed to have been committed, and when at the corner of the 2nd concession and the cross roads running north from Eastwood, probably about 2:30 o'clock, he was accosted by a man who seemed to have just turned the corner, and who was a few yards up the road leading to Eastwood. Mr. Buck had not noticed him, and is thus not able to tell from what direction he had come, east or west, along the second concession. The stranger asked the way to Goble's, saving, in response to a question, that he wanted to go to Woodstock. Mr. Buck told him he was within one and a-half miles from Eastwood, so that it was not necessary to go to Goble's if he wished to reach Woodstock. The man was of medium height, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches, of darkish complexion, wore a dark mustache and a sort of peaked fur or skin cap, and a short sack coat of bluish color. He thinks his pants were checked or striped and rolled up. His feet were muddy, as if he had been walking. The spot is about

THREE MILES FROM THE SCENE OF THE MURDER.

Birchall was brought out of his cell into the corridor and confronted by the witness. As soon as Mr. Buck saw the prisoner, though the clothes were different, he recognized him as the stranger who accosted him on the road. The fur cap, which was found in Birchall's baggage, was placed on the prisoner's head, and this completely satisfied the witness, who exclaimed, "Yes, that's the man." Mr. Buck then explained that the coat Birchall wore when he saw him first was a sack coat of bluish color. Such a coat belonging to Birchall the detective has in his custody. After the identification Birchall asked the detective to have his wardrobe sent to him, as he wished a change of clothing. The detective said he would have it sent to him early next week.

THAT GUN CASE.

Detective Murray saw Miss Ellen Fallon and Thos. Dunn, the G. T. R. agent at Eastwood. The latter denied that a gun-case had been left at that station. "My books show that no baggage was put off here of any kind between Feb. 15 and 17," he said. "If that gun case was put off here, as they say, then all I have to remark is that it must have melted the moment it struck town." J. H. Jones, Dunn's assistant, is equally certain that a gun case was not put on at Eastwood. Jones says that on the afternoon of Feb. 16, a few minutes before the arrival of the 3:45 train, he noticed a man walking south towards the station. He was coming from the direction of "Dead Man's Swamp." The man walked into the station and purchased a ticket for Hamilton. Jones described Birchall exactly.

PARTING FROM HIS WIFE.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., March 15.—Birchall and his wife were allowed a last interview before the former was taken to Woodstock jail. It is said to have been very affecting. Birchall told his wife that he had about $300 left, and that she could have a part of it if she desired. He also told her that she could have a divorce from him if she wished it. "I will make no trouble about it," he said, and here he showed the first emotion since his arrest; "you can separate from me if you wish to." The poor wife sobbed, cried incoherently that she would not desert him, and sank down exhausted as he was led away. By the time he reached the open air his usual suavity of manner had returned. She, with her face buried in her hands, was crying piteously.

BIRCHALL'S DEFENSE.

WOODSTOCK, March 15.—The principal line of defense to be raised by Birchall's counsel will probably be that the prisoner could not possibly have walked the fifteen miles, from Princeton station to the place where the body of Benwell was found, committed the murder, looked over the clothes and cut out the name from them, and have returned to the station between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., during which it seems apparent that he deceased lost his life.

COOL.

Detective Mike Heenan, one of the shrewdest officers in Canada, was at the British-American Hotel, Windsor, on Friday. In company with the Sheriff he brought Birchall, the Princeton murderer, from Welland to Niagara Falls and he says that in all his 22 years' experience with criminals he never saw a man with more nerve than the prisoner. In the courtroom, on the railroad, in the jail, he did not betray the slightest nervousness, and talked about his trial as if he were charged with drunkenness instead of murder.

HE KNEW BIRCHALL.

Robert McKenzie, one of the foremen at the Ontario cotton mills, Hamilton, who formerly lived in Church, remembers the Birchall family very well. Church is a town of 10,000 inhabitants, about a mile from Accrington and 25 miles from Manchester. "The father of the young man," said Mr. McKenzie, "was Rev. J. Birchall, rector of the church at Church. He was rural dean of that district. He was a lawyear, and had a good private practice. His salary from the church was £500 a year. He had an interest in a brewery and left a large estate when he died. I can remember the time when he died. It was in 1878. One Sunday he took an apoplectic fit in the pulpit, and was carried out of the church He died a few days afterward. He was highly respected, but he was very grasping and a hard man to get money out of. J. R. Birchall and his younger brother were the children by his second marriage. The father married the governess shortly after his first wife's death. The boys were very wild. J. R. Birchall was a particularly bad boy. When I left Church he was about 12 years old. I remember him going around with a cigar in his mouth. I don't know what became of the other son. I believe that there were two daughters."

RAMPANT RIVERS.

Disastrous Inundations in the Sunny South.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 15.—Advices from below state over 200 miles of levees are endangered and a general overflow is considered inevitable. The latest reports from the upper levees indicate that a general overflow in Louisiana and the lower Yazoo Delta may be expected.

NEWPORT, Ark., March 15.—The whole town, except Fort street, is now four inches under water. Business is entirely suspended. The White and Black rivers began falling yesterday afternoon, and it is hoped the worst is over. The damage to the adjacent country is very great.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 15.—The circle levee back of Laconia will break before Tuesday. The water is within ten inches of the top and rising rapidly. There are 2,000 people living at the circle of whom 150 are white. The negroes will suffer from hunger unless rations are served by the Government. The whites are able to take care of themselves. The destruction of stock and other property will be enormous. The Arkansas levee which commences at Opossum Fork about 100 miles above the Louisiana line will be washed almost entirely away by present high water if the coming rise proves as great as expected.

NATCHEZ, Miss., March 15.—The river here is 46 feet and 6 inches and stationary. The planters are moving their stock out of swamps and preparing for the worst. The weather is clearing up and getting colder.

THE ONTARIO HOUSE.

TORONTO, Friday, March 14.

The House held a brief and quiet session to-day. Mr. Graham, of Lambton, introduced a resolution to the effect that the work now done by the Agricultural and Arts Association properly belongs to the Department of Agriculture, therefore it is undesirable after the current year to continue the grant of $10,000 to said association.

The motion was discussed at length, and finally at the suggestion of Hon. Mr. Drury it was withdrawn.

Mr. Marter moved that it is expedient that the Government should take into consideration the propriety of further increasing the grants to the poor schools, and also a change in the mode of distributing the legislative school grant so far as it may affect thinly and sparsely settled districts.

The Hon. Minister of Education said he was pleased that the matter had been brought up for discussion. The Government were desirous of assisting the poor schools within any reasonable limits.

In answer to Mr. Rorke, the Minister of Agriculture said the Government had not decided to increase the annual grant this session to the electoral division agricultural societies.

Mr. Hudson gave notice of a motion that the grant heretofore given to the Provincial Exhibition ($10,000) be divided among the county agricultural societies of this Province.

CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

CANADIAN.

An old lady in Hamilton named Mrs. O'Neill was found dead in her house Friday.

The newly-built house of Mr. Rochester, near Ottawa, was burned on Thursday night. Loss about $2,000.

Dr. Hunt, of Clarksburg, has been chosen by the Liberals of Center Gray to contest that constituency in the Provincial election.

The Weeks trial for poisoning in Charlottetown has been blocked by the disappearance of Lizzie Stewart, an important witness.

An old man named McCann fell down the "break-neck steps" at Quebec leading from Mountain Hill in Little Champlain street and died Friday morning. His age was 65.

AMERICAN.

The women of Atchison, Kan., have nominated a full ticket for the school board.

Two well-dressed men and a woman have stolen $4,000 worth of diamonds from Chicago jewelry stores within the past ten days and so far have eluded the police.

Mrs. Ellen Whalen was found dead near New Albany, Ky., on Friday, with he skull broken as if by a hatchet. Her brother-in-law Henry Ritter is suspected as the murderer.

Northern Sparks.

[From the ADVERTISER'S Correspondent.]

AILSA CRAIG, March 14.—At the annual meeting of the Ailsa Craig branch of the Western Ontario Bible Society, the following officers were elected for the year, viz.: President, Rev. Mr. Shore; vice-presidents, Rev. Messrs. Birks and Carey; secretary, Mr. E. B. Smith; treasurer, Mr. John Morgan; committee, Messrs. Ed. Chapman, J. Tilden, Alex. Anderson and Duncan Gray.

On Wednesday evening the Bishop of Huron held a confirmation service in Trinity Church, this village. Twenty-four candidates appeared for confirmation. The church was crowded to the door, many persons having to go away unable to gain admittance. The service was most impressive throughout, the sermon from the words "My Jewels," being particularly touching.

Coming—The Greatest Kickers of modern times.

BURIED ALIVE.

Eight Men Killed by Falling Earth.

Fatality at Windsor—Another Rock Slide at Quebec.

CUMBERLAND, Md., March 15.—A huge rock rolled down the mountains yesterday and fell upon the West Virginia Central Railroad track in a cut between Chaffee and Blaine, 40 miles west of here. A work train with twelve men went to the spot to clear the track. A cable was placed around the rock and attached to an engine that it might be dragged off. All was nearly ready, when a great mass of earth came down the mountain, overwhelming seven men. Two were dead when taken out, one has since died and three were seriously and perhaps fatally injured.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT WINDSOR.

WINDSOR, Ont., March 15.—John Ellis, employed on a steam shovel at work at the C. P. R. cut in this city, was killed yesterday afternoon by the fall of a large piece of earth. The unfortunate man was carried into the construction office, where he expired. He leaves a wife and two children and resided in Windsor.

ANOTHER ROCKSLIDE AT QUEBEC.

QUEBEC, March 15.—Some more rocks came down from the Champlain street cliff Thursday night in the vicinity of the recent catastrophe. It is also stated that another slide on an extensive scale is imminent under the influence of the prevailing wet weather.

THREE LIVES LOST AT TROY.

TROY, N. Y., March 15.—A landslide at 3 o'clock this morning carried away a two-story dwelling in the southern part of the city, and three lives were lost.

CANADA'S CAPITAL.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

OTTAWA, Saturday, March 15.

Considerable discontent is felt among the Orange members at the delay of the Senate in dealing with the Orange Bill. Very little more delay will make it possible for an unimportant amendment to send the bill back to the Commons too late for it to pass to royal assent this year. Clarke Wallace says that he will hold Senator Clemow responsible for any failure in the matter.

A. J. Ralston, of Hamilton, W. J. Thomas, P. C. Allan and B. E. Maitland, of Toronto, have applied for a charter of incorporation as the Hamilton Real Estate Company. The capital stock of the company is $25,000.

The Grand Trunk has given notice of its intention to apply to Parliament for an act to aid the St. Clair Tunnel Company, to raise additional funds for the purpose of doubling the track of portions of their lines, to enable them to aid the Midland Railway of Canada for the purpose of re-erecting bridges and other works required; also to aid the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railway Company, for the purpose of acquiring rolling stock, buildings and necessary equipment; also for power to make working arrangements with or leasing the lines of other companies in Canada which have been duly authorized to make such, and to acquire and hold the securities of any such companies, and for other purposes.

OTTAWA, Friday, March 14.

In the House to-day the following bills among others were read a third time: Respecting the Grand Trunk Railway Company (re Hamilton Spur Line)—Mr. Curran. Respecting the Central Ontario Railway Company—Mr. Corby.

The bill to authorize the extension of George T. Smith's patent, allowed to lapse by mistake, was deferred on account of opposition offered by Messrs. Watson, Wilson (Elgin) and other members, on the ground that persons allowing patents to lapse should suffer for their negligence. The Minister of Justice was requested to report on this case to the House when the bill is next reached.

On the motion to go into supply, Mr. Laurier moved in amendment a resolution to the effect that the delay in submitting the measures named is highly prejudical to public business. Mr. Laurier claimed there was no good reason for the delay in submitting the important measures promised, including labor legislation, the Northwest Bill, the Banking Act and the Budget. The session had commenced unusually early, while the business was unreasonably backward. To his mind the delay was willful, with the view of laying the important business before the House only when members were tired and anxious to go home.

Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Mitchell spoke in support of Mr. Laurier's motion.

Mr. Foster endeavored to shirk responsibility for the delay by complaining of the opposition to Government measures already presented. With reference to the Budget, however, it might be submitted on Friday next or early the following week.

Mr. Laurier's resolution was lost on a division by 57 yeas to 92 nays.

Mr. Blake suggested a grant in aid of rebuilding the burned University at Toronto, as well as asking remission on duty on the books to be imported to replace the destroyed library. Mr. Muloch pressed for a substantial grant of money. Sir John Macdonald said the matter had already engaged the serious attention of the Government. The duty on books would be remitted.

The House then went into Committee of Supply, taking up the appropriation for small subsidies and steamship subventions.

A Cat's Perilous Ride.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Yesterday afternoon as a train slowed up before entering the west end of the Bergen tunnel a large gray cat tried to cross the track in front of the locomotive. She was too late, but she escaped death by springing into the air. She alighted on the pilot and clung to it as the train swept into the tunnel. When it emerged at the other end she was still, crouching on the iron bars. As she once more saw the daylight she jumped off, rolled over half a dozen times and dashed away, carrying a tail as thick as a hawser behind her, but apparently none the worse for her perilous ride.

Steamers Arrived.

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WORK AND WAGES.

Great Upheaval of the Labor Element.

Twenty Thousand Engineers on Strike—An Embargo on Ocean Traffic—Steamers Unable to Leave Their Docks.

LONDON, March 15.—Twenty thousand engineers in the northeastern part of England have gone on strike. They demand a reduction of the hours of labor.

STEAMERS DELAYED.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The agent of the Guion Line of steamers has received a cable dispatch stating that the Arizona could not sail from Liverpool on her date on account of the strike. This strike is among the stevedores and it affects all stremers sailing from Liverpool as far as known. It is thought the strike will extend all over the British Isles, if not over the whole of Europe. None of the steamers can sail on the advertised time from Liverpool. Engagements for fruit have been declared off and passage tickets have been called in and the money refunded or arrangements made for the tickets to be used at some future date. The Guion Line has not a ship in here for two months. The steamer City of Paris, which arrived here on Monday, had a hard time to get out of Liverpool.

DOCKMEN RESORT TO VIOLENCE.

LIVERPOOL, March 15.—The striking dockmen here, finding themselves defeated, have assumed a threatening attitude, and trouble is feared

A number of unionists armed with belaying pins made a savage attack to-day upon the non-unionists employed on the British steamer Bostonian at Liverpool. The police quelled the disturbance and made a number of arrests.

UNRULY WEAVERS.

VIENNA, March 15.—The striking weavers at Gablonz engaged in a riot yesterday. Troops have been summoned.

THE CONTAGION SPREADS.

LONDON, March 15.—The engineers employed on West River have joined the strike of engineers on the Tees and Tyne for a reduction of hours of labor.

COAL MINERS STRIKE.

The coal miners in in Yorkshire, Lancashire and Derbyshire struck to-day for an advance of wages. A number of the masters in those counties have already acceded to the demands of the men.

TROUBLE LOOKED FOR.

LIVERPOOL, March 15.—The striking dock laborers here have assumed such a menacing attitude that orders have been issued for troops to be held in readiness to suppress any demonstration that may occur. The authorities have also ordered the closing of all inns.

STRIKE DECLARED OFF.

HURLEY, Mich., March 15.—The strike at the Ashland and Norrie mines has been declared off and the strikers, 3,000 in number, returned to work, except the leaders, who were discharged.

THE WEATHER.

PROBABILITIES.

For the next 24 hours for the lakes: Fresh to strong west to northwest winds; fair and considerably colder, with snow flurries in some localities.

Alaska Seal Fisheries Leased.

WASHINGTON, March 15. — Secretary Windom has executed a lease with the North American Commercial Company, of New York and San Francisco, for taking of fur seals on the Islands of St. Paul and St. George, Alaska, for twenty years from May next.

Death of a Veteran.

QUEBEC, March 15.—Thomas Bouillard, who fought under De la Salaberry at Chateauguay, died on the 12th inst. at the age of 99 years and 6 months. He leaves a widow aged 94 years. He had 77 years of married life, 19 children, 88 grandchildren, and 106 grand-grandchildren, and 123 of his posterity are still alive.

Six Jailbirds Saw Their Way Out.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., March 15.—A general jail delivery took place here last night. Joe Turnam, whose term would have expired to-day and who had been granted the freedom of the jail, procured a number of saws and handed them over to John Griffin, James Powdin, Charles Mitchell and John Burns, in jail awaiting trial for the Bechtel robbery and murder in Scotia last fall, and Fred Hicks, awaiting trial for grand larceny. They sawed the bars and the whole six made their escape about 11 o'clock last night.

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DUNDAS STREET CENTER METHODIST Church—Rev. A. C. Courtice, B.D., will preach; morning service 11 o'clock, "Te Deum"—Clarke-Whitfield in E; "Jesu, Lover of My Soul"—Wallace. Evening subject, third sermon on "Sin"; anthem, "Arise, Shine, for Thy Light is Come"—Dudley Buck; "Softly Fades the Twilight Ray"—Fennimore.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Services to-morrow will be conducted at 11 a.m. by Dr. Leonard; 7 p.m. by Principal Woods. An excellent choir. Everybody made welcome. Come.

SERVICE OF PRAISE—BY SPECIAL REQUEST Mr. Birks has consented to repeat this programme on Friday evening, March 21, at the Dundas Street Center Church. Doors open 7:30 o'clock. Admission—Silver collection of 10c. and upwards. 76u ty

QUEEN'S AVENUE METHODIST Church—Morning service: Anthem, "Ye Shall Dwell in the Land" (Sullivan); duet, "Jesu, Redeemer" (Whitely), Mrs. Keltie and Miss Griffeth. Evening: Anthem, "Call to Remembrance" (Novello); solo, "He will Forgive" (Lohr), Mr. Skinner. b

KING STREET METHODIST CHURCH—Services to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. S. Bond, pastor; Sunday school at 2:30. Evangelistic services continued each evening during the week.

REV. JOHN ROSS, B.A., OF BRUSSELS, will preach at the First Presbyterian Church, Park avenue, on Sabbath, March 16, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Strangers welcome.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—11 a.m., "Christ's Zeal for His Father's House"; 7 p.m., "The Nature and Necessity of the New Birth"; 2:45 p.m., Sabbath school and Bible class. Strangers welcomed.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION—Mr. Cole will address the meeting Sunday night at 8:30; subject, "What the Believer is Saved To." Everybody welcome. b

QUEEN'S PARK METHODIST CHURCH—11 a.m., reception service; 7 p.m., memorial service for Miss E. Allin.

HORTON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—11 a.m., preaching by Rev. R. Quarles; 3 p.m., Sabbath school; 7 p.m., song service; preaching at 7:30. Good singing; seating free.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—To-morrow—Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. by Pastor Porter. Bible school at 3 p.m. All made welcome.

LONDON WEST METHODIST CHURCH—Services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m., the pastor, Rev Wm. McDonagh.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Services at the usual hours to-morrow.

QUEEN'S AVENUE METHODIST Church—Rev. J. G. Scott, pastor; services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

GOSPEL TEMPERANCE MEETING—East End Town Hall, to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Rev. W. M. Roger and Jesse Cook, the converted pugilist, will speak. All welcome. b

LONDON SOUTH METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. A. Langford morning and evening. Subject for evening, "Doubtful Characters." No. 5.

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NEIL COOPER has been favored by Mr. Julius Meyer, who is giving up housekeeping, to sell by public auction the contents of his well-furnished house, comprising in part: Upright piano by Bord, Paris; parlor suite, handsome gas fixtures, Brussels carpets, marble top table, music stand, piano lamp, fancy tables, ladies' writing desk, extension plush curtain poles, lace curtains, sponge silk curtains, Brussels rugs, chenille curtains and fixtures, stair carpet and stair rods, Royal Art coal stove with oven, handsome walnut sideboard, extension table, lounge, rocker and dining-room chairs, Remington sewing machine, fern case, double barreled gun, small rifle, crockery and glassware, bedroom suites, spring mattresses, commode, blinds, clocks, lot of preserves and jellies, cooking stove, refrigerator, cupboard, kitchen utensils, Doty's washing machine and wringer, 240-lb scale, coal oil range, 1 set croquet balls, hammock, lawn mower, garden tools, etc., all of which will be sold without reserve. Terms cash, sale at 10:30. NEIL COOPER, auctioneer.

The house will be open for inspection on Monday and Tuesday afternoons. 76-k

AUCTION SALE

of Household Furniture and Piano.

J. W. JONES has been favored with instructions from A. Thomson, Esq., to sell at his residence, 128 Albert street, the whole of his household furniture and effects on Thursday, March 20, at 10 a.m., comprising in part upright piano, parlor suite in repp, new leather easy chair, chenille curtains, cornices, easy chairs, center tables, rockers, brackets, bric-a-brac, whatnot, fancy stands, pictures, hall stand and chair, Brussels, tapestry and wool carpets, sideboard, extension dining table, dining chairs, two bookcases, dinner and tea set, crockery, glassware, cutlery, marble top bedroom suite, contents of three bedrooms, haircloth sofa, chamberware, 3 clocks, stair carpets and rods, hanging and other lamps, No. 9 cookstove, oil stove, refrigerator, cupboard, lawn mower, 50 feet garden hose, 25-foot ladder, 2 base burners. Terms cash. Terms on piano easy; made known at time of sale. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. 76 c tyx

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Monday, March 17th,

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THE PROPRIETOR having decided to sell the promising young stallion Phil E, as he has no time to attend to him, will receive bids for him up to March 3 (unless in the meantime an offer is received for him exceeding $200, when he will be disposed of at once), otherwise to the highest bidder. He was foaled 24th July, 1887, and stands nearly 15 hands high. He was got by Young Clear Grit; he by Clear Grit, dam by Old Tempest; the dam of Phil E. was got by Young King Tom; he by King Tom (thoroughbred); Young King Tom's dam was got by Old McGregor Warrior, dam by Sir Tatten Sykes. It will be seen by the above pedigree how nicely bred he is, and he promises to be very fast, having trotted a half mile last fall in 1:35 without training. He is warranted sound and without vice. Can be seen at 829 Richmond street, London, or address J. K. L., this office. b

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London, March 11, 1890. 12c eod

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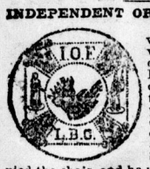
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INDEPENDENT ORDER FORESTERS.



An entertainment of a very enjoyable character was given on Monday evening in Association Hall, Toronto, by the officers and members of the courts of the Independent Order of Foresters. The programme consisted of addresses and songs. Rev. Dr. Stone, Parkdale, occupied the chair, and he was accompanied on the platform by Rev. D. B. Lucas, Dr. Oronhyatekha, S.C.R.; Mr. J. A. McGillivray, Q.C., S.S.; Mr. N. F. Paterson, Q.C., H.C.R.; Messrs. D. Rose, James Doust, Alex. Stewart, Wm. Green, Wm. Hibbett. The Chairman opened the proceedings with a short address descriptive of the benefits of Forestry. The feature of the evening was an address by Rev. D. V. Lucas on "The Greatness of the British Empire and Its Possible Future Federation." The speaker went into an exhaustive account of Britain's resources, and compared them very advantageously with other countries. He also brought interesting illustrations to show the necessity for and the possibility of imperial federation, and enumerated the advantages which would result therefrom.

A new court was instituted in Brantford on Monday evening last to be known as Court Brantford, No. 503, I. O. F. The court was organized by Bro. Thos. Webster, D.S.C.R., and the following officers installed: Bro. Jas. Backet, C.R.; Bro. J. Carter, R.S.; Bro. J. A. C. Stewart, F.S.; Bro. John Ross, treasurer; Bro. Henry Pierce, chaplain; Bro. Jas. Craig, S.W.; Bro. W. Comber, J.W.; Bro. C. Vansickle, S.B.; Bro. W. E. Siles, J.B. The first and fourth Fridays of each month are fixed for the regular meetings.

The brethren of the Independent Order of Foresters of Thedford gave a very successful and enjoyable concert at that place last week. Mr. James Fax, comic singer, of Toronto, sustained his standard as a humorist. Music was also furnished by Messrs. Smith, Campbell and Perte, of Forest, and Mrs. R. J. Parker and Miss Ida Smith, the Brinsley String Band, the Thedford Brass Band and the Thedford Quartet Club.

Monday evening, March 17, the regular meeting of Court Enterprise will probably be enlivened by some radical proposals. Lately, on account of sickness among the members or their families, the attendance has fallen off, and as business requires a larger representation propositions to secure it affecting the members in no small degree will likely be discussed. A lively time may be expected.

JUVENILE BRANCH.

At the last regular meeting of Court Pride of Brighton, London South, a pleasant time was spent, President Wallace presiding. The constitutions, issued from the ADVERTISER book room, were distributed among the members, and a vote of thanks tendered the committee for the neat appearance of the book. A number of visitors, assisted by the members, rendered the time enjoyable by devising an impromptu programme, consisting of short speeches, songs and readings. A large attendance is looked for at the next meeting.

ODDFELLOWSHIP.



The Oddfellows of St. Thomas are endeavoring to get $1,000 to erect a monument on their plot in the cemetery. It is to be built of granite, to be 23 feet high, the base to be 6 feet square, with a statue 6 feet high. They hope to have it unveiled by next Decoration Day.

A lodge of Oddfellows is to be instituted at Westport shortly.

The following is the financial statement of Howard Lodge, Strathroy, No. 30, with present membership: Value of real estate owned by lodge, $3,500; value of lodge furniture and regalia, $1,000; notes and mortgages held by lodge, $3,300; cash in hand, $725; membership, Dec. 31, 1889, 93. John Pool, noble grand; J. Irwin, permanent secretary; C. Greenaway, receiving secretary.

Canton Dresden, No. 14, was mustered in Feb. 24 by Major Stenberg, of the First Battalion, London, assisted by Major John Brown. There was a large attendance, and the canton promises to become a very successful one.

The reports of the various subordinate lodges in Ontario for the past year indicate a prosperous growth. During the year there were 2,191 initiated, 209 admitted by card, 157 reinstated, 9 suspended for cause, 911 suspended N. P. D., 35 merged into another lodge, 8 expelled, and 110 died, making the membership on Dec. 31, 1889, 16,924. The large sum of $91,967 86 had been paid for relief and charity; 2,043 brothers have been sick 10,163 2-7 weeks; 206 widows and 58 orphans were relieved.

There are now about 20,000 members in the Patriarchs Militant, and the value of their outfits amounts to $800,000.

Buffalo will make a strong effort to secure the triennial cantonment of the Patriarchs Militant, to be held during the month of July.

At the last regular meeting of Loyal Star of the West Lodge, C. O. O. F., Manchester Unity, No. 126, this city, the members spent a very pleasant eve ing. Ten new members were admitted. The visiting brethren were P. G. Gourd, N. G. Jones, N. G. Leadbeater, Nickles and W. J. Smith.

THE ORANGE ORDER.



On the evening of March 8 there was organized in this city Lady Stanley Lodge, No. 21, of the Ladies' Loyal Orange Association of the United States and Canada, with twenty charter members. The officers were duly installed by Bro. F. H. Wright, grand organizer for Ontario, as follows: Sister Sarah Magginness, W.M.; Sister Lizzie Wallace, D.M.; Sister Martha Bestard, recording secretary; Sister Bella V. Reid, financial secretary; Sister M. F. Magginness, treasurer; Sister Alice M. Berryhill, assistant secre ary; Sister M. Gibson, chaplain; Sister M. J. Holmes, conductress; Sister Sa ah Hill, assistant conductress; Sister Fanny Elms, inside tyler; Sister Annie Kew, outside tyler; Bros. F. H. Wright, J. D. Campbell, M.D., and H. Wallace, Advisory Board. There is no doubt that in a short time this will be the largest ladies' lodge in Ontario. This is a benefit society, providing medical attendance, medicine, and weekly benefits in case of sickness and a $300 endowment in case of death, in case of the death of the husband of a member an amount is paid for funeral expenses. All female Protestants between 16 and 50 years of age are entitled to membership. Bro. F. H. Weigrt has received a dispensation, under seal of Supreme Grand Lodge, as organizer for Ontario.

The Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario West elected officers as follows: R. W. G. M., Ald. Wm. Nicholson, Hamilton; R. W. D. G. M., James L. Hughes, Toronto; R. W. J. D. G. M., W. M. Lockhart, Everett; R. W. G. C., Rev. C. E. Perry, Lloydtown; R. W. G. T., E. F. Clarke, M.P.P., Toronto; R. W. G. S., Robert Birmingham, Toronto; R. W. G. D. of C., Chas. Pailing, Allandale; R. W. G. D., C. H. Baillie, Toronto; R. W. D. G. S., Wm. Lee, Toronto; R. W. D. grand chaplains, Rev. Rural Dean Cooper, B.D., Rev. Wm. Walsh, Rev. W. F. Wilson, Rev. T. W. Jeffrey, Rev. Bro. McDowell, Rev. Wm. Hurlburt, Rev. J. V. Wilson, Rev. E. W. Sibbald and Rev. W. G. Dowe. Bro. W. W. Fitzgerald, of this city, installed the newly-elected officers.

SONS OF ENGLAND.



Over 150 members of Acorn Lodge, No. 29, Sons of England, of Hamilton, assembled on Tuesday night and celebrated the first anniversary of the lodge by holding a dinner. The affair proved most enjoyable. W. Macartin president of the lodge, occupied the chair, and William Kemp was vice-chairman. Among the visitors were: W. H. Higgenbottom, of Oshawa, past grand president; Ald. Hancock, district deputy; James Layland, president Britannia Lodge; W. H. Martin, president Hearts of Oak Lodge; C. Vosper, president Devon Lodge, and J. B. Buckingham, past district deputy.

MASONIC.

Persia is one of the few countries where the holding of Masonic lodge meetings is forbidden by the law.

Prior to 1717 the only ritual known to Masons was obligation, with a word of recognition. It is worthy of record, that Dr. Thos. Chalmers, the distinguished theologian and philosopher, and the founder and first moderator of the Free Church of Scotland was a member of the craft. Mr. Chalmers, then a tutor in a Mr. Stevenson's family at Arbroath, was initiated in the Lodge St. Vigeans, Arbroath, on April 26, 1800. His name is duly recorded in the books of the Grand Lodge.—[Glasgow Masonic News.

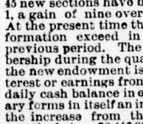
The district of Columbia, the smallest geographically of all the grand jurisdictions, contains the large number of 3,026 Masons.

The remains of the late Geo. S. McLean, who died in this city in the 52nd year of his age, were interred on Friday afternoon in Lakeview Cemetery with Masonic honors. Deceased was a past master of Victoria Lodge, No. 55, A. F. and A. M., Sarnia, and had formerly been a resident of Sarnia, where he had for many years successfully carried on the drug business. A number of years ago he removed to Chatham and engaged in the same line of business. He leaves a widow and three children. The funeral took place at 2 p.m. from the residence of Mrs. Thomas, Vidal street, Sarnia, Rev. Dr. Thompson, of St. Andrew's Church, Sarnia, conducting the services. The pall-bearers were: S. Johnston, Dr. Poussett, D. McMaster, R. Hall, C. M. Garvey and D. Morrison.

Grand Master Walkem was presented with a portrait of himself the other evening by the Ancient St. John's Masonic Lodge, Kingston.

Mr. Fred W. Tanner returned home on Monday evening, after spending a few days visiting friends in Sarnia, Watford, London, and other western points. Fred reports a pleasant evening among the Masonic brethren in London on Wednesday evening last.—[Blyth Standard.

CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS.



Mr. Henry Willoughby, district deputy, of Listowel, last week organized a lodge of the Canadian Order of Foresters at Allan Park. Mr. W. was assisted by a number of the brethren from Hanover. A good lodge with fifteen members and good prospects for ten or a dozen more before the charter is closed, was organized. Mr. Willoughby is also organizing a lodge at Louise, after which he proposes to again visit Durham and see what the prospects are here.

The several courts of the Canadian Order of Foresters held a mass meeting in their hall Thursday for the purpose of securing united action to largely increase the membership in this district. About $60,000 of insurance has been written in this city since last June; the total amount during the month of February was over $300,000. The High Court officers are doing all they can to make this the best year since the order was started. Over 35 courts have been organized since last High Court meeting, making a total of 259. R. Stanley, chairman Medical Board, Edward Towe, high chief ranger of the order, and others addressed the meeting.

The H. C. R. has issued checks for the sum of $1,000 in favor of Mary Reed, widow of the late Bro. William Reed, of Court Defiance of this city, being only eight days after his death.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.



At a meeting of the Grand Lodge, K. of P., held at Saginaw on Wednesday the following officers were elected: Grand chancellor, Miles S. Curtis, Battle Creek; grand vice-chancellor, D. C. Page, Petoskey; grand prelate, H. J. Footlander, Muskegon; grand keeper of records and seals, J. W. Hopkins, Lansing; grand master of exchequer, H. C. Hall, Hudson; grand master-at-arms, W. H. Loomis, Ionia; grand inside guard, Geo. A. Reynolds, Saginaw; grand outer guard, Dr. A. S. Dolan, Ionia; trustee to fill vacancy, M. F. Carleton, Bay City. Grand Rapids was chosen as the next place of holding the meeting.

There have been 450 books in German lately added to the Pythian library in Baltimore, Md.

There are three sections of the endowment rank K. of P. in the district of Columbia.

The last quarterly statement of the Supreme Secretary of the endowment rank shows that 45 new sections have been instituted since Oct. 1, a gain of nine over the preceding quarter. At the present time the sections in process of formation exceed in number those of any previous period. The additions in new membership during the quarter have been 831, and the new endowment issued $1,720,000. The interest or earnings from the reserve or average daily cash balance in endowment rank deposit ary forms in itself an important item of revenue, the increase from this source for the past six months being $2,446 96, or nearly $2,500. This sum was immediately deposited, and is now earning interest. With this quarter closes one of the most prosperous years of the endowment rank. Its friends have every reason to feel highly encouraged and gratified with the result. During the year 1889, 153 new sections have been organized, 3,300 new members admitted and $7,000,000 new endowment has been issued. The prospects for the year 1890 an exceedingly bright and cheering.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS.



A correspondent writes: "There is evidently a split looming up in the Ancient Order of Foresters. Trouble has cropped up in the auxiliary branches which may terminate disastrously to the latter, and in all probability it will not end in them alone, as those branches are composed chiefly of members of the parent order, who, it is likely, will not see their rights trampled upon by too ambitious officials at the head of the society to which they belong, and the outcome of the over officiousness on their part may result in a division in the main order. The origin of the trouble is owing to the suspension of the order in the United States by the High Court of England for comparatively small reasons, and that suspension is considered to be a great disadvantage to the members in Canada to have their intercourse cut off from the order in the United States, and vice versa. The discontented parties claim that the officers in authority are doing nothing that would tend to bring about a closer relationship but are rather working in the opposite direction, and they considered the matter of too great importance to let it pass unnoticed."

On Monday evening last a court of the Ancient Order of Foresters was organized in Port Huron, Mich., with H. R. Mills as chief ranger and James Lodge, secretary. The court will be known as "Huronia Court." A large number of Detroit Foresters were present and helped organize the court.

A Detroit dispatch of Thursday's date says: A body of the Ancient Order of Foresters of America meet to-night at 128 Michigan avenue for the purpose of reorganizing under the old head of the Ancient Order of Foresters. Last August the American body of Foresters, with the exception of about ten lodges, seceded from the English parent stem on account of the color line, the English authorities insisting that colored people be admitted. This point being adjusted satisfactorily, the seceding lodges will return to the old jurisdiction.

The H. C. R., Bro. Chas. Lanning, Toronto, of the Ancient Order of Foresters, has been in the city the last few days on business in connection with the order. He paid an official visit to Court Wellington. The officers and members were well pleased with the remarks made and suggestions thrown out by the chief executive officer, and feel quite benefited by his visit to this city and their court in particular. Every court in this city was represented at the meeting, and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all. On Thursday evening he was the guest of Court Stella at their dinner.

COMPANIONS OF THE FOREST.

The London South Companions had a busy session at the last meeting, Chief Companion Mansbridge, Senior Past Chief Harry Sutherland and Sub-Chief Johns, were reported sick, though on the mend. It was decided to hold a concert on March 27 in order to promote sociability among the members. Companion Wallace, with three lady visitors from the city circle were present, the former detailing the business transacted at the recent meeting in Galt. Three circles in the city, he said, remained under the control of the Supreme Circle of the United States and the Canadian High Court, while London East, with a few more circles in various parts of Canada, resolved to cast in their lot with the court instituted by the Toronto brethren. London East thus stands alone in the city, and is prevented from paying or receiving visits. Last night a number of the companions called on the city circle, and had a pleasant time.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

Trades and Labor Council met Thursday night in Labor Hall, Dufferin avenue, a very large attendance of delegates being present, who entered into the work of the Council with a will and discussed the reports of the different committees with intelligence and a thorough knowledge of the business in hand.

The bonus question came up and was discussed in all its aspects—what good it would do the working classes, and how it would affect them. The conclusion arrived at was that workingmen were opposed to it on principle.

The secretary was instructed to ask the City Council if it was their intention to publish the assessment rolls in the daily press or in any other way.

The delegate appointed on the Western Fair Board made a verbal report of the proceedings of that body, which was received. Several communications were received and disposed of. Considerable interest was manifested in the report of the Legislative Committee, which was as follows:

The Legislative Committee beg to submit the following report:

1. Whereas the provisions of the Ontario Election Act do not secure a secret ballot at elections of members of the Legislative Assembly, and it is essential to the efficiency and security of the system if voting by ballot that the ballot should be a secret one; and whereas the provisions of the Municipal Act which secure a secret ballot at elections of mayors, aldermen, reeves and other members of the Municipal Council have been found to work satisfactorily; and it is expedient to amend the Ontario Election Act so as to make the ballot at elections of members of the Legislative Assembly similar to the ballot provided for municipal elections; therefore be it resolved, that in the sense of this Trades and Labor Council, that in order to obtain a full, fair and free expression of the sentiments of the citizens of Ontario at the polls, every safeguard should be placed around the ballot box, and to the end that every citizen may exercise the right of suffrage in secret and free from intimidation, and the espionage of the bosses of party or corporation, we declare that we are in favor of an absolutely secret balot.

2. Your committee have pleasure in recommending indorsation of the bill of Hon. A. M. Ross on assessments: also the bill on manhood suffrage, by Mr. Mecham.

3. Your committee is in receipt of a circular from the Legislative Committee of Toronto Trades and Labor Council, enclosing a copy of a proposed bill, prepared at the instance of the Hon. Mr. Chapleau, Secretary of State, and intended to be introduced in time if such has not been done already; entitled "An Act to Ensure Workingmen Untrammeled Employment and Remuneration."

Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Commons of Canada, declares and enacts as follows:

1. Whosoever, either verbally or in writing, and whether acting for himself or for any corporation, company, association, person or persons whatsoever, shall make it a condition for future employment, or for the continuation of actual employment, that any other person in want of such employment or desirous of retaining the same under either a verbal or a written contract, shall not become or shall cease to be a member of any charitable, philanthropic, benevolent or mutual association or union authorized by law, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable upon summary conviction to pay a fine not exceeding $100 and not less than $50, and, in default of immediate payment thereof, to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding four months.

2. Whosoever, whether verbally or in writing, and whether acting for himself or for any corporation, company, association, person or persons whatsoever, shall make it a condition for future employment or for the continuation of actual employment, that any other person applying for said employment or desirous of retaining the same under either a verbal or written contract, shall become a member of any association or union of which said applicant or employe is not then or does not desire to become thereafter a member, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable upon summary conviction to pay a fine of $50, and in default of immediate payment thereof to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding four months.

3. Whosoever doth not pay in current money of Canada, and without any reduction or discount whatsoever, the salary or wages in full of any clerk, workingman or apprentice, in any incorporated city, town or village, or bargains to deduct or deducts, or refuses or neglects to pay the same in manner aforesaid, is liable, upon summary conviction, to pay a fine not exceeding $50, and, in default of immediate payment of said fine, to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding three months.

Provided that the foregoing provisions do not apply to any agreement or contract to redeem by labor or by grant of wages earned a legitimate debt due by the employe to the employer.

Brothers, as pills are usually sugar-coated to hide as much as possible the bitterness underneath, so also is the foregoing bill worded generally with the design of diverting the attention of organized labor from the intent and danger in section 2. The benefit of section 1 would be too dearly purchased in the quiet acceptance of a bill containing section 2.

Your committee recommend that we comply with the request of the aforesaid circular, and that a petition be drafted and signed by the President and Secretary to be forwarded to the member for London to be presented to the House in case this bill be introduced, and ask his assistance in defeating the measure.

4. Your committee regret that the Alien Labor Bill is not receiving the attention that they think it should, the Government having promised legislation in the interests of the working classes. Your committee are of the opinion that the suggestions thrown out by the Labor Commission should be acted upon during this session of Parliament.

The report was taken up clause by clause, and after considerable discussion was passed as read.

Municipal, education and organization committees were appointed.

Prospects in all departments of skilled labor seemed to be picking up especially in the building trade, as one delegate informed the council there was a standing advertisements in a Glasgow (Scotland) paper for 300 masons at 40 cents an hour, permanent work guaranteed, all wanted in Canada. "Step around gentlemen and pick out your situations. The Alien Labor Law cannot go into force any too soon," said one delegate.

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A NEW weather profit predicts three or four cyclones and several earthquakes this month. Our own Wiggins must look to his laurels.

ANOTHER tragedy may be added to the Benwell murder. A Woodstock poet has taken to writing long screeds of verse on the subject of the dread event in the Dismal Swamp.

IT IS by co-operation that Ontario has gained her present pre-eminence in the cheese markets of the world, and there is no reason why the whole Dominion should not, by pursuing a like course, secure a much larger share of the home and foreign markets for all dairy products.—[London Canadian Gazette.

It can be done if creameries are established and run with as much care as the cheese factories have been.

THE Dominion Government is boasting of a surplus of $1,815,758. It is nothing to boast of. That money has simply been unnecessarily filched out of the people's pockets—[Toronto Telegram.

Yes, and in a manner most oppressive to the majority of the taxpayers. Necessaries of life and the raw material of manufactures should not be taxed at all, or taxed at a merely nominal rate.

IN Kent, Eng., a farm of 500 acres that was let for $6,000 per year has just been relet for $2,500. But the American free trade organs will continue to talk about "the deserted farms of New Hampshire."—[Buffalo Express.

Is not $2,500 a year a fairly good rental for a 500-acre farm? Besides, the rich British land owners have collected exorbitant rentals long enough, and it is time that the tenant farmer class got an opportunity to make a little money.

BIRCHALL, the alleged murderer, registered as "a gentleman" when he was received at Woodstock jail. A gentleman was wont to be a gentleman in the good old days. Now he is a man who does nothing for a living.

MONETARY Times: We are told that the protection per yard of cotton is less than it was at first. Were we not promised that domestic competition would bring down the price, and that in this way the public would reap a harvest from the seeds of protective duties? But we are now told that it is the foreign, not the domestic competition that has brought down the price, and we are given to understand that more duty must be put on to enable manufacturers to raise the price. This is a new view of protection, and it is in direct contradiction of the promises made twelve years ago.

KETTLE CREEK "NAVIGATION."

"Copies of all letters to the Government asking that engineers be sent to examine Kettle Creek, between St. Thomas and Port Stanley, with a view to ascertaining the feasibility of building a canal, and all reports, maps and other documents, sent in by such engineers" have just been laid on the table of the House of Commons, on the motion of Dr. Wilson, M.P. for East Elgin. The developments thus made have shown not only the imaginative powers of the man who thought out this now famous "shipping route," but supply additional proof of the prodigal manner in which the resources of the country are wasted to promote the selfish objects of the needy followers of the men now ruling at Ottawa.

The Chief Engineer reports that Kettle Creek runs due north and south through the county of Elgin, Province of Ontario, passes at St. Thomas, and empties into Lake Erie at Port Stanley, which is 13.39 miles from St. Thomas, following the winding course of the creek. Except for a short period during the spring freshets the creek is almost dry, it being a succession of ponds from two to five feet in depth emptying into one another through narrow outlets with falls from one-half to four feet in height. He further reports that the total elevation of the surface in the pond at the foot of Turvill's dam at St. Thomas above the extreme low water level of Lake Erie at Port Stanley is 81.665 feet. Consequently, to render the stream navigable for vessels of light draught would necessitate turning it into a canal with locks, feeder, etc., and a more minute and extensive examination of the locality would be required. The necessary expenditure would be very heavy, and the Chief Engineer estimates it at $1,000,000. This expenditure, he rightly concludes, is not at all warranted by the amount of trade involved, the only apparent object of such a canal being to supply the city of St. Thomas with coal by vessels!

Has any one ever heard of a more crazy scheme, or a more wanton expenditure of public money? The survey was undertaken on representations made to the Government in a private letter from a defeated Tory candidate, the contents of which have not been divulged. It is easy to reach a conclusion on the subject, however. Millions of dollars are spent every year through jobbery such as this is a fair specimen of, and yet many taxpayers when they have an opportunity at the polls to condemn the flagrant extravagance really condone the offense. It is a misfortune for the people that they have been taught to look on taxation as something that enriches them rather than, in a great measure, money filched from their pockets to throw into Kettle Creek and other wild cat dodges for manufacturing votes in close constituencies. But recent experiences are no doubt teaching the independent electors a lesson which should result in driving the boodle-distributors from office if not from public life.

THE CASE OF THE MEMBER FOR LINCOLN.

The honor of the Parliament of Canada is once more in the balances. The arraignment of the member for Lincoln by Sir Richard Cartwright is one of the most formidable charges in the political annals of Canada. It has had no equal since the days of the Pacific Scandal, though it is not unlikely that the offense itself has been equaled very often. What Rykert has been guilty of, as shown by the incriminating letters, is the outcome of a system, and it was proved by Parliamentary papers a few years ago that some 70 other members were trafficking in timber limits as well as Rykert. How many of them were so desperately importunate as he, or how many of them were as fortunate as he in their transactions, there is no present means of knowing; but it is certain that had the Government's system of disposing of timber limits by private sale been a system of sale under free competition such rascality as has now been exposed to the light of day could not have been possible. The mere fact that a man could procure from the Government a timber limit at $5 per square mile and sell it within a few months at $2,000 per square mile is evidence of itself that there was something very corrupt in the system, and that such a thing could be done is very suggestive of collusion between the Government and the members who were parties to that and like transactions. The Rykert purchase, as well as some 70 others, was put through before the last general election; and what is more likely than that, it was part of a general plan for procuring the funds so necessary to win a victory for the Tory party in this country? The Government and its supporters have behaved throughout the last ten years as if all the public property of the Dominion were held for their behoof, to be partitioned off as they saw fit; and the reign of plunder through which we have lived is perhaps only modestly illustrated by the Rykert deal. There is evidence of a heap of rascality already unearthed, but how much is hidden can be only a matter of conjecture. The broad fact seems to be as Sir Richard Cartwright put it in the speech when moving his resolution: "Unless thieves fall out, unless there is a quarrel over the division of the plunder, unless these things come before a court of law and are subject to the ruthless scrutiny of the counsel on both sides, it is the rarest thing in the world to obtain complete proof, such as we have in this case. Here such an accident has occurred. Here there was a quarrel over the division of the plunder, and a corner of the veil has been lifted. We have had glimpses of what Mr. Carlyle calls the workings of Satan's invisible world, and we are now able to understand in some degree how that personage, with the aid and assistance of some of his most favored servants, has contrived to bedevil and pervert representative institutions in this Canada of ours."

The readers of the ADVERTISER know the whole case, as stated in the extracts from Rykert's own letters, set forth in Sir Richard's resolution. No stronger case could be presented to Parliament, and no case more flagrant has ever been presented to Parliament. The authenticity of the letters is not questioned. From the first publication of them Rykert has not uttered a word to cast a shadow of doubt upon either their genuineness or authenticity. He has in fact told Parliament that when the matter was settled in court part of the understanding was that the incriminating letters should be destroyed, and his strongest plea is that they were stolen to be used against him. We have only got his word for that, and he is on public record as a liar. Did he not solemnly declare from his place in Parliament, when interrogated on the subject by Mr. Charlton, that he had never negotiated any timber lease for Mr. Adams or any other person, that he had nothing to do with the bargain between Mr. Adams and Mr. Sands, that he neither directly nor indirectly drew any money from the sale of the lease or put any money in his pocket except for professional fees, and have we not got his letters to show that he did negotiate the lease with the Government, that he did help Adams to make a bargain, and that his wife got the share of the proceeds stipulated for by him under a written agreement with Adams, for which money he gave a receipt? Rykert's word has no value, and even if his statement were true it could not be accepted in mitigation of his offense. At all events, Parliament did not steal the letters, and they are part of its official record.

Now the question is, Dare Parliament condone the offense?

The action of the Government in moving to adjourn the debate is very suspicious, and the reason given offers no justification for delay. It is true that Sir Richard Cartwright made a strong speech; it could not be otherwise with the facts he had before him, and no member who feels that the honor of Parliament is in his keeping could address himself to the subject free from a feeling of righteous indignation. Nothing said either by Sir Richard or the accused member could justify delay for one hour, and when the whole policy of the Government is surveyed—the corrupting and debasing influence of its policy upon public morals, together with its intimate relations with Rykert—there is too much cause to fear that the sole reason for deferring the question is to find a way for letting Rykert down easy. Perhaps the members of the Government feel that their own turn comes next should they go back on their old supporter, and indeed Sir John Macdonald knows by experience how far Rykert is to be trusted.

For the honor of Parliament and the good name of the country we sincerely trust that the Government will prove that it is not a party to Rykert's evil doings. But next Monday will tell.

MINOR JOTTINGS.

TALK about your long sermons, here is one that leads the procession. In the Cathedral notices for Holy Week of the Oxford Diocesan Gazette appears the following: "In that week evensong will be said at 8 p.m., and a sermon preached from Monday till Friday inclusive."

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A LONDON correspondent writes: Ermine is coming into fashion again. It is the favorite fur of the Queen for cloaks, and really it has a very regal look. Another thing about it is that it cannot be easily imitated. I saw an emerald-green, a sapphire blue and a ruby velvet cloak the other day. The ermine was laid on thickly round the bottom and front edges of the cloaks; which have also high ermine collars. A cloak of real ermine costs 50 guineas. Two of the cloaks I saw were an imitation of the real thing.

DESCRIBING the last Presbyterian mission opened on the mainland of China, the Rev. Dr. Riddel says: "The Hak-ka women are happy in having never adopted the cruel custom of foot-binding. With the freedom of their feet they seem to retain also a free and independent mind. At the same time they are free to work, and in some places the burden of life falls pretty heavily upon them. They everywhere assist in the tillage of the fields; and in some districts—Thai-pu, for instance, where the men give themselves to mercantile or literary pursuits—they are engaged even in the work of porterage, carrying heavy burdens from the boats to the shops, or even from one town to another. Yet they do not look like slaves, and we find that as they earn the cash they can successfully claim from their husbands the power to keep it or spend it as they please.

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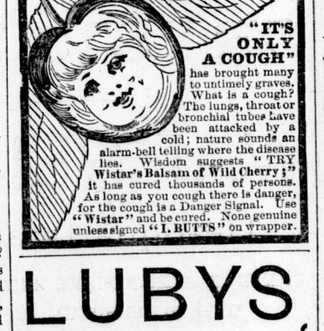
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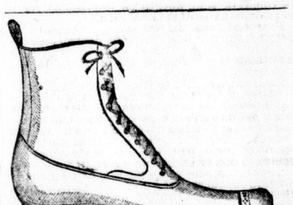


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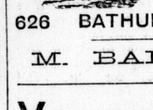
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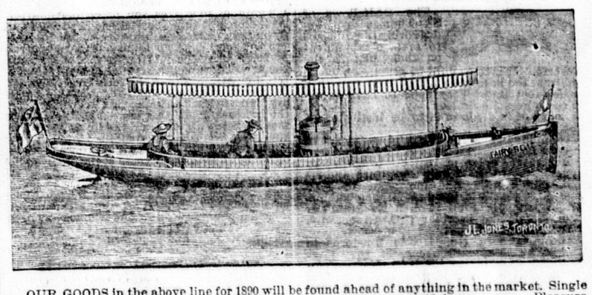
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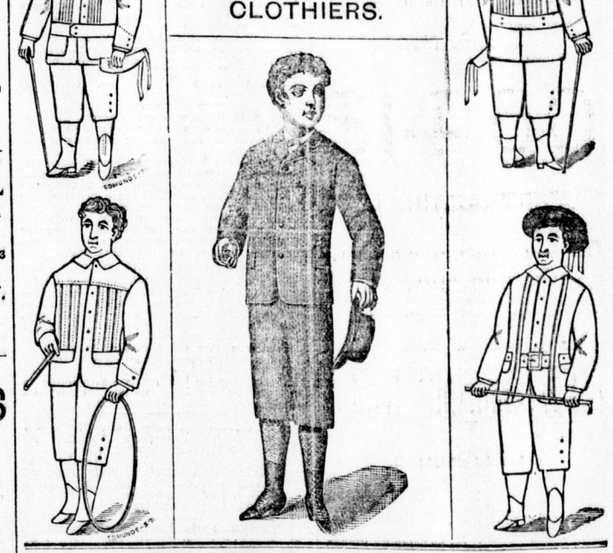
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TRAP AND TRIGGER.

A Fair Day's Shooting by the London Gun Club.

Serious Mishap at a Football Match—Baseball, Turf and General Sporting News.

THE TRIGGER.

THE LONDON GUN CLUB.

The fourth shoot of the London Gun Club took place yesterday at the grounds on London West heights. Following are the scores:

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Grigg	01111001
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Redpath	01111011
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Gay	10101010
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Capt. Brewer	01011000— 3
Dr. Greener	00110001— 3
Stanley	11000001— 3
Grigg	10110001— 4
Redpath	10001011— 4
Gay	10111110— 6

BASEBALL.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., March 15.—The American Association held a meeting here yesterday, and the schedule for this season was made public. The season opens on April 17 and closes Oct. 13. Amendments were made to the constitution, giving visiting clubs 40 per cent. of the gate receipts instead of 20, except on July 4 and Memorial Day, when the receipts will be divided equally. The guarantee is placed at $100. Each visiting club is given the right to select from the local staff of umpires in case no regular umpire is present.

Buffalo will have an abundance of baseball the coming season. Well, it's capital sport—[Buffalo Times.

Barr and Bartlett left this country for England on Saturday and six other young American players will start in a few days. They will be distributed among the different nines as instructors. The game now being played among school boys and college young men is said so closely to resemble the American game that it is to all intents really baseball.—[N. Y. Tribune.

The Arbitration Committee of the League and the American Association met in Philadelphia on Tuesday. The claims of the New York League and Columbus Association clubs to Lehane's services were argued and finally decided in favor of Columbus. The testimony in the case of Bob Pettit, who is claimed by both the Milwaukee and New Haven clubs, was so conflicting that no decision was reached, and Zach Phelps was instructed to obtain a vote.

A letter was received in this city yesterday, which seems to indicate that baseball will soon be decidedly popular in England. The preparations would hardly have been carried so far if there were much chance of the game being a failure in England. The letter was written to Walter Spalding. He says that a professional baseball league has been organized and that eight teams have been made up to contest for the championship. Most of the players are members of former football teams, and as ball players they will receive from $10 to $15 a week, the same as they received as football players. The league at present embraces clubs in Manchester, Preston, Birmingham, Derby, Wolverhampton, Stoke and two clubs in Liverpool. It is probable that the league's circuit will be increased to twelve clubs.

CRICKET.

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Cricket Club of Clinton the following officers were elected for 1890: Honorary president, J. Wiseman; honorary vice-president, Wm. Coates; president, H. E. Hodgens; vice-president, N. McL. Fair; secretary-treasurer, J. W. Chidley; captain, James McMurchie; committee of management, M. D. McTaggart, F. R. Hodgens, F. T. Koelle, R. J. McDonald and A. T. Cooper.

SNOWSHOEING.

At the Y. M. C. A. snowshoe races at Ottawa held recently F. C. Chittick, formerly of Dorchester Station, won three first prizes and the championship cup.

SKATING.

BACK FROM RUSSIA.

MONTREAL, March 15.—Louis Rubenstein, the Canadian skater, has returned from St. Petersburg, bearing with him the first prize medal for figure skating. He complains bitterly of the treatment he received at the hands of the judges and Russian authorities on account of his ancestry and antecedents, he being by descent a Polish Jew. His passports were dishonored and he was ordered to leave the country, and it was only by interference of Sir R. Morier, the British ambassador, he was allowed to compete, otherwise his trip was enjoyable and successful.

FOOTBALL.

A sad accident happened recently in an association match at football at Birmingham, England. A young man named Collins, of Coventry, was heading a ball, when he slipped, and another player named Bushnell fell upon him. Collins' spine was injured, and the last reports are that he lies in a paralyzed condition in the Birmingham General Hospital, his life being despaired of.

Word from England brings tidings of the occurrence of a disgraceful scene recently after the football league match between the Burnley and Blackburn Rovers at Burnley. J. Horne, a former goal keeper for the Acrington club, had consented to play with the Rovers in cup ties. The referee was Mr. R. Horne, also an old Acrington player, and brother to the Rovers' custodian. In consequence of certain decisions the referee was mobbed at the close, when the Rovers retired victors by two goals to one. The official had to be protected by the Burnley Committee, and so demonstrative were the spectators that the police could not clear the field. Mr. R. Horne had to take refuge under the grand stand, and subsequently in a neighboring house. The police force was increased, and eventually the referee was hurried into a cab and driven away, followed by a howling, stone-throwing mob.

THE TURF.

The famous broodmare Annie Eastin is dead. She was foaled 1862, and had produced Golden Rod, 2:22¼; Endymion, 2:23¾, and Dolly Davis, 2:29.

The Messrs. Kidd Bros., of Listowel, Ont., have disposed of their standard, bred Wilkes trotting stallion Blizzard, 3,751, to American parties at a high figure. This well-bred horse goes to Kansas.

Chicago Volunteer colts continue to be very popular throughout the country. Mr. George Fraser, of Woodstock, recently purchased a very stylish and promising young mare by this sire from Mr. Farrington, of Brantford, for which he paid a good figure.

If reports are true, there is a scheme on foot to boom the American Derby of 1882 away up to the clouds. The idea is that if the Washington Park Club would add at least $25,000 to this event, so that it would insure the winner of the race $50,000. It would induce the turf magnates of England and Australia to send their crack 3-year-olds over to compete for this rich prize.

DRAUGHTS.

Mr. Wyllie, the Herd Laddie, informs us (Melbourne Leader) that he purposes going home in August next to endeavor to get a match on of 70 restricted games. He will allow one game in the 70 to his opponent, whoever he may be, and the stakes may be of any amount between £200 and £1,000. He will ultimately settle in Victoria or New Zealand.

Draught players will regret to hear of the death of James Smith, of Spennymoor, champion player of England, at the early age of 30 years. He was a native of Birmingham. A widow and four children survive him.

The Chicago Chess and Checker Club are inviting the cordial and brotherly assistance of draught editors of the East in the inauguration of a grand world's tournament at Chicago in 1892.

HOSPITAL TRUST.

The Active Staff Appointed—An Adhering Patient—No Furnace to Be Allowed in New Building.

The Hospital Trust met yesterday afternoon, there being present: Col. Lewis, Messrs. Gilmour, Complin, Dr. Balfour, Secretary Graydon. A communication from Miss Duncan regarding amended rules was referred to the Chairman. The Medical Superintendent's monthly report showed: Admissions 12, dicharged 13, number in hospital 56. Receipts from paying patients for February, $178 30. Dr. Balfour said he was in receipt of two registered letters addressed to a patient named Terry, who had been three years in the hospital. It was decided that if Terry refused to hand over the money to the hospital, steps should be taken to get rid of him. The lady superintendent's request for 40 new pillows was referred to the Medical Superintendent.

Drs. Jones and Fraser appeared for the Faculty, to ask that the same Medical School staff be reappointed for the winter months, as follows: Drs. Eccles, Arnott, McCallum, Meek and Wishart. Dr. Fraser said there had been an alteration recently made providing for a summer session, which would necessitate summer lectures.

Applications to be put on the active staff were read from Dr. W. M. English, J. W. Fraser, J. H. Gardiner, J. D. Wilson, H. H. McCallum and G. P. Jones. Drs. English, Fraser, Jones and Wilson were appointed. The last-named was appointed conditionally on his application having been sent, as it was not before the Board.

Col. Lewis said Mr. Tracy had seen Dr. O'Reilly in reference to the plans for additions. Dr. O'Reilly approved of all except the heating, which he said must be done by steam, as he could not allow a furnace.

The following accounts passed: W. L. Graham, $58 50; Wilson Bros., $80 03; J. Perkins, $112 18; Wilson Bros., $125 81; J. Ranahan, $41 72; medical appliances, $21 20; J. Smith, $27 74; Alex. Milne, $4 05; Wm. Connor, $24 40; J. McLeod, $79 20; London Printing Company, $10 50; W. S. Barkwell, $102 16; E. Adams & Co., $30 60; Hunt Bros., $482 48. Adjourned.

VOICES OF THE PEOPLE.

READERS OF THE ADVERTISER.—Let us hear from you on all questions affecting the public. Make your communications brief and send your name as a guarantee of good faith.

The City and the East Riding.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

How is it that No. 5 ward electors vote in East Middlesex at the Dominion elections and in the city of London at the Ontario elections? An answer will oblige.

EAST LONDON.

[When London East was annexed to the city in 1885 it became part of the city electoral division under the Ontario statutes, but not under the Dominion statutes, which placed the town of London East in East Middlesex. Since the last general elections the Dominion statutes were revised, but the town of London East was still included in the East Riding of Middlesex. As the town had ceased to exist in 1887, when the revision was made, it is perhaps doubtful whether No. 5 ward is not part of the electoral district of the city of London for the Dominion elections. We understand, however, that it has been treated by the revising officers as part of the riding of East Middlesex.—EDITOR ADVERTISER.]

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TEACHERS' DISMISSALS.

Another Investigation Called for Before Finality Is Reached.

Inspector Boyle's Qualifications, Ability and Perquisites Discussed.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

As the special committee (appointed by the Board of Education at its last meeting to report upon inefficiency of certain teachers) met last night, I, as a citizen and ratepayer, beg leave to suggest that this committee meet again and report upon the efficiency of Inspector Boyle at the same time. The readers of the ADVERTISER may wonder "why?"

Let me answer that as one male principal—Mr. Gibson—has been already decapitated through Mr. Boyle's suggestions and instrumentality, and as several more are to follow, if we are to judge by his oral as well as written statements and comparisons to No. 1 Committee, surely then the committee should exercise exceeding caution in determining that the Inspector himself is competent to pronounce upon their case and recommend their dismissal. Is Mr. Boyle either competent as a judge or qualified as an inspector?

If not properly qualified as an inspector, then how can he be competent as a judge in deciding upon the merits of teachers under his charge, who possess legal certificates as teachers and many of whom are head and shoulders above him in educational attainments.

On page 106, section 16, of the Regulations of the Education Department an inspector's qualifications are clearly set forth. In substance "he must either hold a first class Provincial certificate, grade 'A,' or a degree in arts (with first-class graduation honors in one or more of the recognized departments) in any university of Ontario."

Now, gentlemen of the Board of Education, ask Mr. Boyle to produce the above qualifications. Do not show the "white feather" but assist courageous Trustee Cryer in his laudable efforts to obtain for the citizens (your masters) efficient teachers and a qualified inspector. In looking over the many annual reports of the various Boards of Education I noticed the Inspector makes a tabular list of the certificates, names and qualifications, etc., etc., of the teachers of the Collegiate Institute and public schools in the employ of the Board, but though he has charge of these most excellent teachers (as he taffies them) he very adroitly omits mention of the degree or certificate held by himself and the date of its issuance!! And yet Mr. Boyle is an employe of the Board, receiving his fat $1,100 per annum, besides his examination pickings (in 1888 these pickings amounted to $131 15)!!

Again, cap. 225, sec. 188 of the Act Respecting Public Schools, Revised Statutes of 1887, distinctly declares in substance that "the inspector is not to hold other offices, calling or employment than his duties as inspector as required by law."

Now, on what authority can the Board retain a salaried servant who is at the same time in the pay and confidence of other corporations, for instance, the Board of Civil Service Examiners, Ottawa? Besides, Mr. Boyle will scarcely deny that he rakes in occasional dollars auditing accounts ever and anon!

Surely it is high time the citizens of London heard some explanation concerning the above grievances, and if the majority of the Board will not "face the music" and rectify them, then let us as voters return trustees who will sustain Mr. Cryer. It is a pity Mr. J. M. Wilson is not still a trustee. Yours, etc.,

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

London, March 14.

EAST LONDON.

Closing Concert by the R. T. of T. "Lifeboat Crew" from Hamilton—East End Notes.

The concert in the East End Hall last evening under the auspices of the "Lifeboat Crew," Royal Temperance Evangelists, of Hamilton, was attended by a large crowd, and was, judging from the applause, much appreciated by the audience. One of the leading features of the programme was Mr. Mills' recitation, "The Life-boat Crew," in character, for which that gentleman has obtained a wide reputation in all parts of Canada, as well as Great Britain. The London Harmony Club being present, added to the enjoyment of the occasion, and rendered several selections in their usual excellent manner. Mr. McDonald, with his fine voice, contributed not a little to the success of the concert, and his comic songs were listened to with great delight. The programme, as rendered, was as follows, Mr. Heaman acting as chairman and Mrs. McDonald as accompanist:

Selection	"New York March"
	London Harmony Club.
Solo	"The Storm Fiend"
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Recitation	"Pat and the Butter"
	Prof. I. T. Mills.
Song	"Miss. Mulligan's Home-Made Pie"
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Selection	"Erminie"
	London Harmony Club.
Solo	"Father's a Drunkard"
	Miss Rendell.
Solo	"The Golden Wedding"
	Professor I. T. Mills.
Recitation	"Mary's Ride"
	Rev. Mr. Harrison.
Song	"Oh, Yah, Ain't that Fine"
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Song	"Muddle, Puddle, Porter"
	Professor I. T. Mills.
Solo	"Anchored"
	Mr. Joseph Goodburn.
Selection	"Xylophone"
	London Harmony Club.
Solo	"Committed to the Deep"
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Song	"Bibbidy Bobb"
	Professor I. T. Mills.
Medley	"Musicians' Museum"
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Song	"Jonathan, Joseph, Jeremiah"
	Professor I. T. Mills.
Solo	"The Little Fisher Maid'
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Recitation	"The Life Boat"
	Professor I. T. Mills.
Solo	"I'm Hiding, but Please, Sir, Don't Tell"
	Mr. H. McDonald.
Recitation	"Queen Victoria and the Bible"
	Miss Maggie Terry.
Duet	"Which Way is Your Musket A-Pintin' To-Day?"
	Messrs. Mills and McDonald.
	"God Save Queen."

At the close of the programme Mr. Mills thanked the London Harmony Club for their selections and also the citizens for their attendance on all their meetings, which wound up with this concert.

Rev. R. M. Cunningham, of Goble's Corners is to occupy the pulpit of Adelaide Street Baptist Church to-morrow.

James Fallahe and a number of other ratepayers, have petitioned for the Dundas street sewer to be extended from Adelaide street, the present terminus, to Elizabeth street.

A subscriber professes to have discovered a meaner person in London East than the man in Texas, who utilized a wart on the back of his neck to save buying a collar button. "This London East man, who is employed in the G. T. R. car shops, went home on pay day and ordered his wife and children to pay their board as he would not support them. He has not allowed them 1 cent for two months."

MASONIC "AT HOME."

Tuscan Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Entertains Its Friends to Whist and a Banquet.

Last night the officers and members of Tuscan Lodge, A. F. and A. M., one of the most progressive Masonic organizations within the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Canada, entertained their friends in the Masonic Hall at progressive whist. There was a large and representative gathering of members of the craft and leading citizens, and a most enjoyable evening was spent, The 30 hands were played with a vim, and at a comparatively early hour the party adjourned to the banquet hall, where a repast that did credit to Caterer Hood was served. Wor. Bro. E. Paull, master of the lodge, presided, and Right Wor. Bro. Hungerford, one of the past masters, officiated as vice-chairman. At the close of the supper the Worshipful Chairman proposed "The Queen and Craft," which elicited responses from R. Wor. Bro. Porte and Wor. Bro. Barker, a past master of Tuscan. For "The Army and Navy" Mr. A. D. Hardy replied with a song, "Good Company." He was in excellent voice, and did the melody full justice. "The Learned Professions" elicited replies from Dr. Weld, Messrs. Chisholm, N. P. Graydon, Toothe, Beattie, Hardy and Moore. "The Prize-Winners" was replied to by Bro. S. Sterling and Bro. Ed. Beltz. The last-named won the "booby" prize, but it was a most useful collection that will no doubt, in the quiet moments of the recipient, be turned to good account for educational purposes. "The Higher Orders of Masonry" was responded to by R. Wor. Bro. Hungerford, Grand Z., Grand Chapter of Canada. Bro. Burke recited, with dramatic effect, "Been Married Twice," which caused much hilarity. "The Manufacturing and Railway interests" had able champions in Bros. De la Hooke and Higginbotham, and Messrs. Wm. Elliott, Batzner and Armstrong. "For the Visitors," Lieut.-Col. Dawson, Mr. Claris (St. Thomas), Mr. Geo. D. Brown and Mr. Winlow ably responded, the latter with a well-rendered song, "Home on the Rolling Sea." "The Press" was replied to by Wor. Bro. Clarke, P.M. of Acacia Lodge, Hamilton. Then came "The Ladies," the cause of whom was, rather bashfully, it must be confessed, defended by Messrs. Bullen, Parsons, Winlow, Kent and Hardy. "The Boys of the Old Brigade" was given a splendid rendering by the last named. The visitors, on the invitation of Bro. Beltz, toasted "Tuscan Lodge." They showed by their cheering how heartily they had enjoyed the entertainment. Wor. Bro. Paull, Broderick, S.W., McWhinney, J.W., and Past Masters (Col.) Fisher and Smythe made responses, assuring the visitors, whether belonging to the craft or outside its pale, that they were indeed heartily welcome. The annual reunion, which was an unqualified success, separated shortly after "the wee sma oor ayont the twal" with the Junior Warden's toast, followed by the singing of Auld Lang Syne and the National Anthem.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

—Charbonneau's Hotel at Sandwich was destroyed by fire last night.

—Windsor contractors say building operations will be very brisk this season.

—Mr. Abram Bailey, of Wallace, has lost another (the third) child fram diphtheria.

—Walkerville people will celebrate their municipal incorporation with champagne, feast and drum.

—The A. O. U. W. lodge soon to be started in Windsor will have about 60 charter members.

—Capt. Willie Hunter, of the S. A., at Watford, has been transferred to Seaforth. Captain Kemp, Wyoming, is the new officer for Watford.

—Michael G. Fox, a South Gosfield farmer 85 years old, has cut and cleared seven acres of forest land this winter. He is a hale, hearty and well-to-do widower.

—Mrs. Fergus, mother of Mrs. Forsyth, of Norwich, has just finished the construction of a quilt in which there are 972 pieces, the task having been performed in two weeks. Mrs. Fergus will be 84 years old next June.

—The officers of the Salvation Army desire information of the whereabouts of Miss Margaret Tagg, who was known to be in or about Ingersoll some time ago. There is considerable property in the old country awaiting her claim.

—Samuel Brown, on con. 1, Elma, sold his farm to James Gray, from the 12th, for $6,000. The farm contains 100 acres and has a brick residence and bank barn. Mr. Brown has bought the Armstrong farm two miles above Molesworth, 100 acres for $5,000. He moved up last week.

—The fact that Col. Benwell, father of the young Englishman, F. W. Benwell, who was murdered near Princeton, was an officer in the 100th Regiment when it was first organized, will be of interest to the many Canadians who served in the regiment at that time and knew Mr. Benwell.—[Sarnia Observer.

—Mr. Beresford Johnson, son of the Rev. W. Johnson, late rector of Huntingford, but now of Port Rowan, was fatally injured on Thursday in the yard of the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railway at Pontiac, Mich. He was a brakeman and there being a lot of ice on the cars he fell and was run over. He was horribly mangled but lived for some time.

—It is the intention of the Government to establish a number of stations in Canada for the training of carrier pigeons, and Windsor is among the number. Quarter-Master Reeves has received a letter from the commandant of the Royal Military College at Kingston giving an outline of the project and showing what other countries are doing in educating the birds.

LIFE IN SIBERIA.

The Experiences of One of the Unfortunates.

The body of Victoria Hall was well filled with an interested audience last evening to hear the lecture of Mr. Felix Brant, the Russian exile, on the political offender's life in Siberia. Judge Elliot presided, and in a few well-chosen remarks introduced the speaker. Mr. Brant delivered his lecture in a calm and measured voice which struck the audience in a forcible manner and carried conviction to every listener. His first outburst of indignation at the barbarous treatment of the working class occurred when he was but 7 years old and was occasioned by the beating of a serf on his grandfather's estate. He was 17 years old when the serfs were liberated and their sufferings were deeply impressed on his memory. They were compelled to pay exorbitant taxes and to support a greedy clergy. The lecturer was then studying in a Moscow university, and he, with several fellow-students, resolved to do something to better the condition of the peasantry. A small society was organized, but it soon came to the notice of the Russian Government, and a spy who was sent out on their track succeeded in having Mr. Brant and several of his colleagues placed under arrest. When the officers came to his mother's house at midnight to arrest him, they searched all the rooms and then took him off to prison without the ceremony of informing him what he was arrested for. He was committed to Moscow prison and afterwards removed to St. Petersburg without being charged with any offense. He was subjected to several examinations, and after eight months' incarceration he was released. Three years after there was much internal disorder, and the Government took its usual course by arresting all persons known to be of an independent mind, and among the number the lecturer. He was thrown into a cell not four paces long and allowed 5 cents a day for the purchase of food. Although he had discountenanced the revolution he had attended the secret meetings. On this charge he was confined for two and a-half years, when he was acquitted. Two years after this last experience he became again connected with a number of political reformers, and in company with 197 others was again placed behind the bars. The life in the prisons told severely on his health, and at one time he was in despair of preserving his reason. At the trial, which was a mere mockery of justice, five of the accused died. The others were removed from the court without sentence, and a short while after some of the number were ordered to strip and a description of their bodies made. After this they were ordered to Siberia, where they had an allowance of 7½ cents a day. The lecturer remained there for some time, enduring much ill-treatment and persecution, and eventually made his way to the Pacific coast, whence he escaped in a British vessel to Japan. From Japan he sailed for Vancouver, B. C., and it was only when under the flag of Britain on that voyage that he fully realized what it was to be free. He concluded by paying a glowing compliment to Canadian generosity and kindness.

CRAZED BY INSOMNIA.

A Mother Smothers Her Babe and Bleeds Herself to Death.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 15.—When J. W. Dagball, foreman at A. N. Kellogg & Co.'s printing house, went home to supper Thursday night, he found his wife covered with blood and nearly dead. The dead body of his 4-months-old child lay on the bed. The mother had put the babe between the mattresses and smothered it, and had then cut a vein in her wrist and was slowly bleeding to death. Insomnia was the cause of the act.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

Mrs. Langtry's greatest trouble is that her bronchial attack has left her almost without a voice.

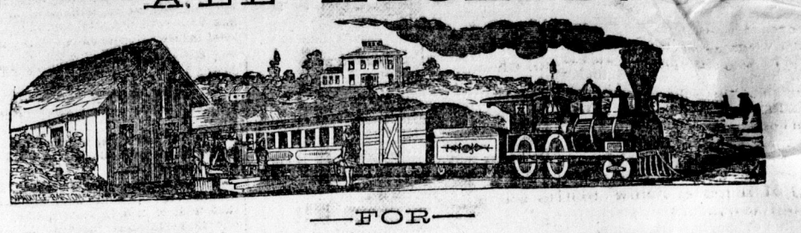
Miss Huntington has decided to return to the United States, taking with her a full operatic company.

M. Gounod, best known to the public as the composer of Faust, but the author as well of a whole library of music, is a man of intense religious feeling. He has gradually become more and more ascetic in his habits, until he now lives almost the life of a hermit, and it is feared that he may deny himself the delights of further musical composition, as too worldly and self-indulgent an employment.

Watch for them. Wait for them. They will surprise you. What? The Kickers.

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THE RAILWAYS.

Among the changes on the C. P. R. staff is the appointment of Mr. F. A. Mackinnon, superintendent of the Atlantic division, to the position of manager of transportation, with direction of all matters connected with the rolling stock.

February gross earnings of 136 railroad companies aggregate $28,984,530, with a total mileage of 77,385, against $25,837,195 and a mileage of 75,584 in February last year; a gain in earnings of 12.12 per cent., and in mileage of 2.4 per cent. For two months the total earnings aggregate $60,020,679, a gain over last year of 13.2 per cent.

Port Burwell Briefs.

[From the ADVERTISER'S Correspondent.]

PORT BURWELL, March 14.—Peace Justices F. and C. Chute tried a number of village lads the other day for disturbing the public peace, on complaint of Mr. C. Viesaw. Decision reserved.

During the recent cold snap the fishing companies have been enabled to secure their supply of ice for summer use, which they had expected to be obliged to import.

Mr. R. Hamilton's family will henceforth reside in the village, having secured the pleasant place known as the "Griffin House."

Mrs. John Campbell has left for Manitoba, after a three months' sojourn in this vicinity.

Mrs. James Deacon, who removed to London last week, will be much missed by the pleasant circle of friends she ever had about her. May happiness and prosperity follow her to her new home.

Mr. D. McCurdy has lately moved into the village in order to enjoy the advantages of our excellent school for his family.

Notice.—Sewing machines repaired and guaranteed to work as good as new, by Wm. Smith, practical repairer, Dundas treet, opposite McCormick's factory.

"BARKWELL'S BRONCHIAL BALSAM" cures all kinds of coughs and colds, bronchitis and croup. Ask for "Barkwell's," take no other.

W. A. Brock, gunsmith, has removed to No. 192 Dundas street, between Richmond and Clarence, north side.

The Kickers are coming.

All headache succumbs to Hoffman's Harmless Headache Powders. 25 cents per box.

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We opened yesterday a few cases of clothing, which, as we advertised, will be sold at wholesale prices. This is straight business, and we are to-day showing and selling the cheapest and best CLOTHING in the city. It will cost you nothing to drop in and see if we are doing as promised, and when you observe Splendid All-wool Pants, well made and trimmed, selling for $1 35 (about the price of overalls), then you will see the truth of our assertions. Elegant line of Spring Overcoats, $5; this coat is as good style and material as is sold at $7 50 anywhere.

We can show you a very fine All-wool Worsted Coat and Vest, style, 4-button cutaway, at $8 for both garments, that are as good material and got up as nicely as anything in the city up to $12.

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Citizens will please remember that some stores, which a year or so ago sold some lines of clothing at a loss in order to get their names up, are not doing so much of that kind of thing these days; now they want you to help pay for painting all the fences in the country. Young only wants pay for his clothing; that's the reason his clothing is cheapest.

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New Goods—Priddis Bros.
Opera House—James Reilly.
Dress Goods—Bayleys.
Spring Goods—Tanton & Ashplant.
New York Excursion—F. S. Clarke.
Organ Recital—Congregational Church.
Farm for Sale—D. McAlpine.
Business for Sale—O. K., this office.
Vocal Quartet Concert.
Porter Wanted—Martin House.
Articles for Sale—Mrs. Ruse.
Stone Wanted—London Street Railway.
Saws Gummed—J. C. Dodd & Son.
Clearing Sale—W. J. Reid & Co.
Spring Hats—W. L. Graham.
Boys' Clothing—Burns & Bapty.
Daisy Air Gun—Hobbs' Hardware.
Spring Suits—Greene's Star Hall.
Steam Launches—John Gillies & Co.
Bald Heads.
Colt for Sale—829 Richmond street.
St. Leon Mineral Water.
Beaver Line Tickets—F. S. Clarke.
Note Paper—Anderson's.
Service of Praise—Dundas Center Church.
Entertainment—King St. Presbyterian.
Auction Sale—Neil Cooper.
Entertainment—Wesley Hall.
Opera House—St. Patrick's Concert.
Real Estate—W. D. Buckle.
Johnston's Fluid Beef.
Services—Horton Street Baptist.
Services—Queen's Park Methodist.
Services—First Presbyterian Church.
Services—London South Methodist.
Services—London West Methodist.
Services—Talbot Street Baptist.
Services—King Street Methodist.
Services—King Street Presbyterian.
Services—Queen's Avenue Methodist.
Services—Victoria Hall.
Services—First Congregational.
Services—Dundas Street Center Methodist.
Auction Sale—J. W. Jones.
Auction Sale—Neil Cooper.
Lathes for Sale—W. C. Hobs.
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BULLS AND BEARS.

London Money Market.

LONDON, March 15—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 97 5-16 for money; 97 7-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 125, ex-coupon; U. S. 4½s, 106; Erie, 26½; Erie seconds, 104½; Canadian Pacific, 75; New York Central, 111½; Illinois Central, 117½; bank rate, 4 per cent.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, March 15—1 p.m.—Stock market dull and firm; American Express, 115; Canadian Pacific, 72½; Canada Southern, 55½; Delaware and Lackawanna and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 136; Lake Shore, 107½; Michigan Central, 97½; Northern Pacific, —; preferred, 72½; New York Central, —; St. Paul, 69½; preferred, —; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, 112½; Union Pacific, 63½; Western Union, 83.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, March 15.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	227½	226½
Ontario	120	119½
Molsons		
Toronto	217	210
Merchants'	142	141
Commerce	124½	124
Imperial	155½	155
Dominion	230	228½
Dominion, ex-div	225½	224½
Bominion, ex-div	84	83½
N. W. L.	—	—
C. P. R.	130½	130½
Lon. & Can. L. & A. C.	—	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	—

SALES—Ontario, 3 at 120, 11 at 119½ (reported); Dominion, 50 at 229; N. W. L., 4, 100, 50 and 50 at 88, 50 at 83½.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Saturday, March 15.

The market was quiet to-day for a Saturday. Receipts of grain were light and prices steady and unchanged. Wheat sold at 84c per bushel. Oats were higher at 82c, some lots selling for 80c and 81c. Peas firm at 93c to 98c. Clover-seed, $3 15 to $3 30. Dressed hogs firm at $5 50 to $6 and scarce. Butter was in good demand at 23c to 25c for best pound rolls. Eggs firm at 12c to 13c. Hogs scarce; sold at $8. Quotations are as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$0 84	@	$0 84
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 25	@	1 40
Wheat, Deihl, per 100 lbs	0 00	@	0 00
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 25	@	1 40
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 25	@	1 40
Wheat, red, per 100 lb	1 25	@	1 40
Buckwheat	80	@	80
Oats	80	@	81
Corn	80	@	85
Peas	93	@	97
Beans, per bush	1 00	@	1 20
Barley, per 100 lbs	70	@	80
Rye, per 100 lbs	75	@	0 80
Chickens, per pair	50	@	70
Ducks, per pair	60	@	80
Turkeys, each	75	@	1 50
Onions, per bush	60	@	1 00
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	14	@	16
Eggs, basket	13	@	14
Eggs, store lots	12	@	13
Butter, pound rolls	22	@	23
Butter, crock or large rolls	18	@	21
Butter, tub or firkin	14	@	17
Cheese	10½	@	11
Lard	11	@	12
Turnips, per bush	20	@	25
Carrots, per bush	20	@	25
Potatoes, per bag	75	@	80
Apples, per bag	75	@	1 50
Dressed hogs, per cwt	5 25	@	5 70
Beef, per cwt	3 50	@	6 00
Mutton, per lb	5	@	5
Lamb, per lb	7	@	15
Veal, per lb	0	@	0

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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, March 15.

FLOUR—Receipts, 500 bbls.; sales, 000 bbls. Market quiet at generally unchanged prices. Quotations are as follows: Patents, winter, $4 75 to $5 25; spring, $5 00 to $5 25; straight roller, $4 25 to $4 50; extra, $4 00 to $4 25; superfine, $3 00 to $3 75; strong bakers', $4 50 to $4 75; Ontario bags, $1 25 to $2 25; city bags, $4 80 to $4 90 for strong bakers'.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 04 to $1 05; No. 2 hard Manitoba, 00c; corn, 48c to 48c; peas, 66c to 67c; oats, 30c to 31c; barley, 40c to 50c; rye, 50c to 55c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $3 50 to $4 00; cornmeal, $2 30 to $2 40.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 13c to 13c per lb; lard, 8c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 10c to 11½c; cheese, 9c to 10½c; butter, creamery, 16c to 22c; townships, 11c to 19c; Morrisburg, 11c to 18c; Western, 11c to 15c; eggs, dull, fresh, 15c to 15½c; limed, 12c to 12½c.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, March 15.

WHEAT—Fall, No. 2, $0 00 to $0 00; fall, No. 3, $0 00 to $0 00; spring, No. 1, $0 00 to $0 00; spring, No. 2, 82c to 83c; red winter, No. 2, 85c to 86c; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 04 to $1 05; No. 2, $1 02 to $1 03; No. 3, 00c to 00c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 49c to 51c; No. 2, 44c to 45c; No. 3 extra, 39c to 40c; No. 3, 35c to 37c.

PEAS—No. 2, 55c to 58c.

OATS—No. 2, 30c to 30c.

CORN—40c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 50 to $3 50; straight roller, $3 80 to $3 85; strong bakers, $4 to $4 50.

Market decidedly dull. Sales—N. 2 red winter wheat at 80c; No. 1 hard Manitoba at $1 05, and at equal to $1 09 here, for May delivery; No. 2 hard Manitoba at $1 03; oats on spot at 29½c to 31c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, March 15.

Floating cargoes—Wheat and corn quiet, steady.

Arrivals—Wheat, 1; corn, 6; sold, wheat, 3; corn, 2; waiting orders, wheat, 6; corn, 5.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat not much demand, corn slow, probably cheaper.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firmer, corn slow.

LIVERPOOL, March 15.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	March 13.		March 14.		March 15.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	7 3½	0 0	7 3½	0 0	7 3½	0 0
Red winter	7 0	0 0	7 0	0 0	7 0	0 0
No. 1 Cal	7 2½	7 2	7 2½	0 0	7 2½	0 0
Corn	3 6½	0 0	3 6½	0 0	3 6½	0 0
Peas, per c	5 8	0 0	5 8	0 0	5 8	0 0
Pork	53 6	0 0	53 6	0 0	54 9	0 0
Lard	33 0	00 0	33 0	0 0	33 0	0 0
Bacon, s. c	29 6	00 0	30 0	00 0	30 6	00 0
Bacon, l. c	29 6	30 0	30 0	30 0	30 6	30 6
Tallow	24 6	00 0	24 9	00 0	24 9	00 0
Cheese, wh	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0
Cheese, col	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0	54 9	00 0

Wheat firm, demand poor, holders offer sparingly; corn quiet, demand poor.

American Markets.

DETROIT, March 15.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 81½c cash; No. 2 red, 81c cash and March, 82½c bid May, 79½c July, 78½c Aug.

TOLEDO, March 15.

WHEAT—Quiet; 81½c cash, 82½c May, 79½c July, 78½c Aug.

CORN—Dull; 30½c cash, 31½c May.

OATS—Dull; 23c cash, 23½c asked May.

MILWAUKEE, March 15.

WHEAT—Quiet; 71½c cash and March, 73½c May.

CHICAGO, March 14.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—March, 79½c; May, 79½c; July, 77½c.

CORN—April, 28½c; May, 29½c; July, 30½c.

OATS—March, 21c; May, 21½c; June, 21c.

MESS PORK—March, $10 39½; May, $10 62½; June, $10 52½.

LARD—March, $6 10; May, $6 17½; June, $6 22½.

SHORT RIBS—March, $5 10; May, $5 10; June, $5 15.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour, quiet; firm, with advance of 10c asked in some cases. No. 2 spring wheat, 79c to 79½c; No. 2 red, 79c to 79½c; No. 2 corn, 28½c; No. 2 oats, 21c; mess pork, $10 50 to $10 60; lard, $6 12½ to $6 15; short rib sides, $5 05 to $5 15; dry salted shoulders, $4 40 to $4 50; short clear sides, $5 35 to $5 40.

Receipts—			
Flour, bbls	12,000	Wheat, bu	31,000
Corn, bu	284,000	Oats, bu	113,000
Rye, bu	4,000	Barley, bu	45,000
Shipments—			
Flour, bbls	11,000	Wheat, bu	16,000
Corn	280,000	Oats, bu	130,000
Rye, bu	5,000	Barley, bu	39,000

NEW YORK, March 14.

WHEAT—Receipts, 6,700 bu; exports, 8,790 bu; sales, 5,784,000 bu futures; 334,000 bu spot; spot stronger; fairly active for export; No. 2 red, 87½c to 87½c, elevator; No. 1 northern, 95½c to 96c; No. 1 hard, 97c to 97½c; options fairly active; ½c to ¾c up; firm; No. 2 red, March, 87½c; May, 87½c; June, 86½c; July, 85½c; Aug., 84½c; Sept., 84½c; Dec., 87½c.

RYE—Strong; State, 57½c to 58½c.

BARLEY—Quiet.

MALT—Quiet.

CORN—Receipts, 12,402 bu; exports, 135,387 bu; sales, 1,616,000 bu futures, 167,000 bu spot; spot steady; fairly active, ungraded mixed, 29½c to 37½c; options moderately active; ¼c up; firm; March, 36¼c; April, 36½c; May, 37c; June, 37¼c; July, 38½c.

OATS—Receipts, 92,000 bu; sales, 170,000 bu futures; 104,000 bu spot; spot firm; quiet; options firmer; quiet; March, 28¾c; April, 27½c; May, 27c; June, 26½c; spot, No. 2, 28¾c to 29½c; mixed western, 27c to 30c; white do, 29c to 34½c.

COFFEE—Steady; quiet; fair, 20½c.

SUGAR—Quiet; steady; standard "A," 6 5-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 7¾c; powdered, 6¾c; granulated, 6 7-16c.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

March 14.—Cattle—Five cars on sale; market slow; holders steady for Monday's prices; fair butchers' sold at $3 65; some rather below medium cows, $2 75; calves stronger.

Sheep and lambs—Offerings only about 500 head, not enough to make a market.

Hogs—Offerings, 19 cars; all sold early; mixed, mediums and heavy sold mostly at $4 45, and a few Yorkers brought the same price, but generally sold at $4 35 to $4 40; pigs, $4 35 to $4 40.

CHICAGO.

March 14.—Hogs—Estimated receipts, 19,000; official yesterday, 18,884; shipments, 7,157; left over, none; light, $4 15 to $4 35; mixed packing, $4 15 to $4 30; heavy shipping, $4 25 to $4 32½; rough grades, $4 10 to $4 15.

Receipts of cattle, 9,500. Market fairly active and prices firm.

The Oil Market.

PETROLEA.

March 15.—Oil opened and closed at $1 08 to-day.

The Erie Railway Flyer to New York

Leaving London at 1:25 p.m. is the best train to New York, arriving at 8:20 a.m.; through Pullmans and through coaches. Not a single change.

LONDON AND PRECINCTS

McKee Rankin to-night.

A Strathroy firm has secured the contract for the C. P. R. station at Windsor.

The C. P. R. noon train from the east brought in a large corps of marketers to-day.

Oscar H. Talbot, of this city, has been appointed clerk and landing waiter in the customs.

Mr. Louis Crummer and family, of Adelaide township, have gone to Moose Jaw, N. W. T.

London Township Agricultural Society spring show will be held at Ilderton on Friday, April 18.

James Geaghgon, of Petrolea, a former resident of the city who has been away twelve years, was in town to-day.

Captain Foster, London, was in town this week purchasing timber for his new boat.—[Watford Guide-Advocate.

Mr. Green, who since last fall has run the stage between Parkhill and Strathroy, has sold out to Mr. Hugh McKone, of Warwick township.

Mr. Geo. H. Stanton, an old employe of the Great Western Railway, but now of Chicago, was in the city to-day. He is looking well and doing well in the West.

That old-time favorite, McKee Rankin, will appear at the Grand Opera House this evening in "The Runaway Wife." A large house should greet him, as the piece is highly spoken of.

At the Police Court this morning Ira Halliday appeared in answer to a charge of being drunk and acting in a disorderly manner. He was discharged. Two other drunks claimed the attention of the court. One of them was discharged and the other remanded for six days.

D. L. Taylor, of London West, was arrested yesterday by Constable Ward on a charge of assaulting Sarah Collins. It is claimed that on Sunday last he threatened to strike her with a chair, and intimated that he intended to disorganize her anatomy generally. The case will be tried before Squire Peters.

Miss Menia Tye, who has for the past five years proved herself a very efficient teacher at Lambeth, thinking the duties of a sick room will prove less arduous than those of the school room, left by the C. P. R. to-day for Toronto, where she has accepted a position in the Nurses' Training School in connection with the general hospital.

Quite a lively scrap occurred about noon to-day at the C. P. R. freight sheds between two of the lorry teamsters, resulting from a dispute as to who was the careless dealer in truth. Honors were about even when the combatants were separated, one having received a considerable addition to his optics, while the other had a well-swelled lip and a gorey nose.

In the case of Dominion S. and I. Co. vs. Taylor at Osgoode Hall yesterday, Purdom (London), for the plaintiffs, moved to continue an interim injunction granted by a local judge at London restraining the defendants from cutting timber on mortgaged premises. No one for defendants. Injunction continued till the trial.

Mr. Jim Lathrop (formerly manager of the Grand Opera House here), long the conscientious and devoted factotum of J. C. Whitney, is now in full charge of the Detroit Opera House. He has had many years' experience of managerial ins and outs, and knows the business minutely. Even tempered, a shrewd judge of human nature, and a good-humored observer of human foibles (which are always conspicuous in theatrical audiences). Mr. Lathrop is an exceptionally useful and valuable member of the staff.—[Detroit Free Press.

Joe Hess, the reformed pugilist and temperance lecturer who is to lecture here shortly, is in for a good advertisement, Thomas Dunn, of the Palace Restaurant, Peterboro, whose saloon Joe "went for" in a lecture in that town, having entered a suit for libel, claiming $5,000 damages. The papers were forwarded to Toronto last night for service on Mr. Hess. On the strength of this advertisement the local Royal Templars have invited Joe Hess to undertake a week's campaign in Peterboro at the earliest available date.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday, in the case of Ferguson vs. Sampey, Purdom (London), for the plaintiff, moved for an order to remove this action from a county court to a high court, the amount claimed being beyond the jurisdiction of the County Court. D. Armour, for the defendant, opposed the motion, citing Meyers vs. Baker, 26, U. C. R. 16, and O'Brien vs. Welsh, 28 U. C. R., 394. The learned judge held that he was bound by the cases cited to hold that he could not remove an action which was corem non judice in the court in which it was brought, and that the rules and statutory provisions passed since these decisions did not alter the law laid down. Motion refused, with costs to the defendant in any event.

Ontario Government Appointments.

James Ross, M.D., Dundas, associate coroner for Wentworth; John Carruthers, M.D., Little Current, associate coroner for Algoma; George McKenzie, M.D., Essex, associate coroner for Essex; notaries public, Leonard Harstone, St. Marys; F. B. Denton, Toronto; Alex. Cuthbert, Dresden, bailiff Third Division Court of Kent; George Gee is appointed license inspector for Haldimand.

Number One.

At No. 1 Committee meeting last night there were present Ald. Moule (chairman), Skinner, Taylor, Glass and Treasurer Pope. G. M. Connors' petition re dog tax was filed; Mrs. Kelly's taxes, $6 87, one-half remitted; Judge Elliot's communication re printing of voters' lists, and several other items of business were laid over. Petitions from L. Slater, Elizabeth Jones and W. F. Brown re taxes, were referred for information. Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Pendergast for remission on vacant houses, no power. It was decided to advertise for tenders for the old frame buildings on the Central School property, and not to allow the janitor to light up the City Hall in future for a dance or entertainment unless the expenses are prepaid.

He Was Fond of Romance.

James Reilly, a tough-looking tramp hailing from the wilds of Michigan, was scooped in by the police yesterday. He is no relation to the German comedian who will appear here on Wednesday next. James had laid himself out for a jollification and filled himself up with Canadian whisky. He then visited the domicile of Jane Patton, on English street, where he claimed to be an old acquaintance of the family and made himself at home. Shortly after he had entered he made use of very insulting language to the lady and grabbed hold of her, but she managed to get free and escaped from the house to notify the police. At the Police Court this morning he had two charges to answer to—one of assault and one for being drunk and disorderly. He confessed that Canadian liquor was too much for him, and was fined $10 or one month on the first charge and $5 or twenty days on the second.

Lime light lantern entertainments given in connection with churches, Sunday schools or societies. Terms reasonable. JOHN CHAPMAN, 930½ Richmond street.

FROM OTTAWA.

Return of the Civic Deputation—The Government "Will Consider the Matter."

The deputation from this city, who went to Ottawa on the question of securing improvements at Port Stanley Harbor and the construction of a sewer in place of Carling's Creek, was granted an audience at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Sir Hector Langevin, Minister of Public Works. The deputation consisted of Mayor Taylor, Ald. Anderson, Jones and Garratt from the City Council, Mr. Price, of Port Stanley, and Mr. T. Herbert Marsh, president of the London Board of Trade, Hon. John Carling and Joseph Marshall, M.P.

Mayor Taylor was seen this afternoon and the following account of the interview was obtained from him:

The deputation had considerable difficulty in obtaining a hearing, and therefore hurried matters when Sir Hector found time to listen. The Mayor explained the interest of the city in the Port Stanley Railway, and how, in the event of releasing or assuming control of it at the end of the present lease, the road would be worth so much more were the harbor in good condition.

Mr. Price, of Port Stanley, followed, referring to the dilapidated condition of the harbor and how the Port's interests were affected thereby.

Ald. Anderson then spoke in favor of the scheme of improvement from similar points to those referred to by the previous speakers. He called attention to the amount of products on the south side of Lake Erie now being imported by rail which could be brought more chiefly by water.

Sir Hector replied that he was not thoroughly satisfied as to who owned the harbor—the Government or the railway corporation, but that question he would submit to the Minister of Justice. If the Government had no control they could not make improvements without committing trespass. As to the outside of the harbor, the Government might clean it of sand as far as the basin, but he thought the move should emanate from the corporations interested. If the city and the port would make an offer the Government would undoubtedly render assistance. He thought the city should be willing to put out a little money on the basin and buildings.

The deputation explained that the harbor dues were, according to the lease, to be expended on harbor repairs, but that there had ceased to be any dues.

Sir Hector continued that he was but one of fourteen, and that he would submit the matter to his confreres. "We will take the matter into our serious consideration."

The Carling Creek sewer question was then broached, and the request of the corporation to the Government in view of the Military School being drained thereby was referred to.

The Minister of Public Works thought the request was a just one, and had no doubt that it would be favorably considered. He requested that plans and figures be forwarded to the department, and gave the deputation to understand that it was his opinion that a sum towards the construction of the sewer could be obtained.

The deputation was very courteously received by Sir Hector Langevin, Mr. Carling, Mayor Erratt and others. The latter offered to extend the hospitality of the city to the deputation, but, owing to their inability to state at what hour their interview would take place, they were compelled to decline.

CROSSING CASUALTIES.

DEARBORN, Mich., March 15.—A most deplorable accident here yesterday morning resulted in the death of little Edith Cronogue, an interesting child but 6 years of age. While on her way to school she started to cross the Michigan Central Railroad tracks. When part way across, she discovered a fraight train bearing down upon her, and turned back just in time to be struck by the day express, which does not stop here, and was running about 40 miles per hour. She was thrown fully 60 feet from the track, and lived but a few minutes, her skull and shoulder being broken.

MAN AND WIFE KILLED.

HOLLAND, Mich., March 15.—Yesterday afternoon the Chicago and West Michigan fast train ran over Henry Boes and wife at the brick yard crossing, about three miles east from here. Boes was killed instantly and his wife injured fatally. The horse was killed and the buggy knoked in splinters.

LONDON SOUTH.

Mr. Thomas McCormick, of London South, had over 100 guests at his residence last evening, it being a treat to that gentleman's Bible class. Everybody enjoyed the affair except one lady and two gentlemen belonging to one family, who were in a practical manner taught the horrors of attempting to move around at night in a locality entirely without illumination. They had arrived in their carriage at that portion of the street near Mr. Minhinnick's, when they got into the gutter and nearly upset. One of the gentlemen jumped out to seize the horses, and in the excitement a trace was broken. A trip back to Mr. McCormick's to borrow a strap was necessitated and the parties returned to the city not a little discomfited.

Humbert's Contribution to Mazzini's Monument.

ROME, March 15.—King Humbert has given $200,000 to erect a monument to Mazzini.

Italy will establish a smokeless powder factory at Terni.

Law for Lynchers.

WHITEHALL, Wis., March 15.—Sentence was pronounced on the Trempeauleau county lynchers yesterday. Charles Johnson, Ole Slette, Mrs. Olsen and her son were sentenced to imprisonment for life—three days in each year solitary. There was great excitement.

Twenty Years for Manslaughter.

BAD AXE, Mich., March 15.—The trial of William Nicholson for the murder of a man named Budrow was concluded here yesterday. Budrow and Nicholson's barkeeper became involved in an altercation, when Nicholson ran in from a back room and struck Budrow upon the head with an Indian club, fracturing his skull. The prisoner was found guilty and sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment.

—Oxford Agricultural Society has decided to hold the fair permanently at Norwich, instead of alternately at Tilsonburg, Ingersoll, Otterville and Norwich.

—The Assize sittings at Woodstock were brought to a close Friday. The cases heard were Chestney vs. Ingleton, an action to recover damages on account of alleged misrepresentations in the sale of a traction engine; and Ogilvy vs. McMullen, in which an interpretation is sought of the construction of an agreement. Judgment in both cases was reserved.

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The Kickers will soon arrive.

W. S. Bryers Barkwell to-day begins the distribution of his celebrated Baking Powder, also a handsome little book, "The Home Nurse of To-Day." They will be left in every family in this city. If any fail to get them call at his store, corner of Dundas and Wellington streets.

New York Excursion.—Only $9 50, Suspension Bridge to New York and return, Saturday, March 22, good to return for ten days. F. S. CLARKE, 416 Richmond street, next door to ADVERTISER Office, has the tickets and will give you information.

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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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"IMMORTAL."

The following lines by Joaquin Miller are published by the New York Independent:

He walked the world with bended head;
"There is no thing," he moaning said.
"That must not some day join the dead."

He sat where rolled a river deep;
A woman sat her down to weep;
A child lay in her lap asleep.

The waters touched the mother's hand;
His heart was touched. He passed from land,
But left it laughing in the sand.

That one kind word, that one good deed
Was as if you should plant a seed
In sands along death's sable brede.

And looking from the farther shore
He saw, where he had sat before,
A light that grew; grew more and more.

He saw a growing, glowing throng
Of happy people white and strong
With faith, and jubilant with song.

It grew and grew, this little seed
Of good sown in that day of need,
Until it touched the stars indeed!

And then the old man smiling said,
With youthful heart and lifted head,
"No good deed ever joins the dead."

PROFESSOR PAUL.

The Story of a Life's Love.

(By Stuart Livingston, Barrister, Hamilton.)

VIII.

During the early part of the evening which I have last mentioned, Professor Paul made what I considered at the time a somewhat singular request. He said:

"My good friend, you have been so long a patient listener to the history of my life, and have during its relation expressed so many kind feelings toward me, that I feel well assured that you will grant what I am about to ask of you."

He looked at me very earnestly as he said this, and when he finished I replied:

"Your history has indeed interested me very deeply, Professor Paul, and if there is anything I can do that will show you how completely you have won my sympathy, and at the same time be of assistance to you, I will not only willing do it, but will be more than glad of the opportunity."

"Ah, my friend," he answered, "you do not know what strength and encouragement I am able to draw from your words. You have indeed been good to me, and I felt sure, now that the crisis was near, you would not desert me. What I would ask of you is this, that you discontinue your visits to me until the fourth night from to-night, and that you then come to this place at 12 o'clock prepared to remain with me until morning."

It was certainly, as I have said, a very odd request to make; and now that the fourth night was rapidly approaching the midnight hour, and I found myself near the door of the Professor's little shop, I could not help again going over the whole matter in my mind.

Why was it that he asked me to come? Certainly not for the mere purpose of listening to the completion of his story. Why he had already told me that it was almost finished. No, it could not be that; but supposing it were, why had he wished me to come at midnight and remain until morning? Was not the earlier portion of the night more suitable? And then why pass over the three intervening evenings? No, this plainly could not be his intention. What it was I did not know, but at all events it certainly was not this. Perhaps he was going to try some dangerous experiment. He had himself called it a crisis. Ah, now I remembered it all, how he had spoken to me long ago of a great plan which he said was the one remaining purpose of his life. I remembered how earnestly he had expressed his belief in its success, and quoted so many names of men unknown to me as his authority for it. Yes, perhaps this was indeed the reason of his strange request. Perchance to-night may see the success or failure of his great scheme, whatever it might be. Here, again, arose the question, "What could it be?" I remembered well encountering it before, and arriving at that time a somewhat vague conclusion that perhaps the old man was partially insane. Had I still reason to believe that this was so? Yes, I believed I had. His actions had certainly at times been unexplainable on any other grounds; and then had he not himself admitted that at one time had been altogether out of his mind?

By this time I had arrived at my destination, and standing with my hand upon the knob of Professor Paul's door. I did not turn it, however, but remained in a state of indecision. If my conclusions were correct, and Professor Paul was a lunatic, was it wise for me to enter? Ought I to trust myself alone with him at midnight in this lonely place? Perhaps to-night he would ask me to accompany him upon one of those mysterious visits upstairs. If he should ask me I could hardly refuse to go, for had I not consented to come that I might assist him in some unknown operation? What, then, if I should before morning find myself alone with him in the third story of this old building, and something should happen. Who would hear my cry for help? Would any one hear it?

It may have been that the night was cold, but as this thought passed through my brain a little shiver ran quickly through me. It roused me in an instant. Bah! I was becoming a coward. Had I not promised Professor Paul that I would come and help him in what manner I could. Was he not a poor old man almost broken down by the weight of his misfortunes, and at the same time was he not a brother artist to whom I had pledged my word. Go in, of course I would go in, and without hesitating longer I turned the knob and entered.

I passed at once through the little shop into the back room expecting to find Professor Paul already there, but was disappointed as the room was empty. I knew, however, that he had already been there at some previous time during the evening, for the large arm chair, which he always occupied, was drawn up to its accustomed place before the fire. Seeing this I went over to the end of the room, bringing my chair also up to the fire, and sat down to await his return.

I had not been seated many minutes when the little clock in the outside shop began to strike 12, and as the last stroke died away there was a slight noise at the door, and Professor Paul entered.

He was apparently much excited. His fingers were twitching nervously, and his face was very white. Upon entering he had not in any way snowed that he noticed my presence, but walking rapidly to his chair seated himself and remained silent. He then arose suddenly and began to pace up and down the room, but after continuing to do so for some moment he appeared to gradually become calmer, and resumed his seat. Shortly afterwards he turned towards me, and without any preliminary remarks began at once by saying:

"My friend, the man who studies well the history of the race, cannot fail to be impressed with the fact that at ever recurring periods in the course of its existence God has breathed into this world great souls. The periods of which I speak have at times lengthened into centuries, but there has never been a time when a new and great thought was essential to the wellbeing of the race, and God has refused to create a soul capable of cantaining it.

"Men of this nature walk through the world with their heads enveloped in the clouds. They gaze out into a night the density of which would appal the weaker sight of their fellow mortals, and yet they are enabled by the lightnings of their own genius to illuminate this obscurity, and in it to see and grasp secrets of the universe which would otherwise remain forever hidden from men. Such a man was Krases the Arabian.

"It had been given the great achemist Geber to discoverd the Infernal Stone and the parallelism between metals and planets; to Calid, the Cabalist, to discover the influence of the stars upon operations of alchemy, and to Paracelsus, Artephius, Avicenna, Kellir, and many others, to uncover the secrets of nature before the eyes of men; but it remained to Krases alone to discover the greatest of all secrets—the secret of life itself. At his command the most occult and untried forces of the universe became luminous and unveiled their mysteries to meet his glance. His was a nature that did not fear to scale the dim heights of the vast unseen, and when all other mortals fell back abashed before the unlit portal, he alone passed through.

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Eighth Annual Report of the Federal Life.

A Substantial Increase in the Company's Business—The Financial Statement Presented and Heartily Approved.

The eighth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Federal Life Assurance Company was held at the head office of the Company in Hamilton on Tuesday, March 4, at 1 o'clock p.m., the President in the chair, when the following report was read:

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

Your Directors have the pleasure to submit for your consideration the eighth annual report of the Company, accompanied by a statement of the receipts and disbursements for the year, and the assets and liabilities on Dec. 31, 1889.

During the year 1,332 applications were received for $2,977,500 of insurance. Of the applications received, 1,234 were accepted, and policies issued thereon to the amount of $2,698,500.

The remaining 98 applications for $279,000 of insurance were declined because the risks were not up to the standard maintained by the Company, or were incomplete at the close of the year.

The aggregate amount of insurance in force on the Company's books at the end of the year was $10,829,837, under 4,123 policies, an increase of 10 per cent. on the amount in force at the end of 1888.

The income for the year was $215,487 56, as against $190,867 71 for 1888. In view of the depressed condition of affairs throughout a considerable portion of the country, and the addition of both foreign and home companies as competitors for business, the progress made by this Company is a source of gratification.

Thirty policies became claims for $123,550, of which amount $23,000 was re-insured in other companies, making the net amount $100,550. Of these losses three were due to death by accident.

Had the policies which became claims averaged no more in amount than the average policy in force, deducting re-insurance, the loss would have been but $73,200. The law of average will correct and equalize any temporary fluctuation of this character.

In proportion to the number of policies in force the number of claims by death during the year compares favorably with those of other Canadian companies, several of which report a greater percentage.

The expenses of the Company to amount of new insurance written and to amount in force evidence the care and economy exercised in its management.

Policy-holders of the Company have every reason to be satisfied and pleased with the results in their behalf, as the principal portion of the premium income for the year was returned to them in dividends and in payment of death claims.

All of the accounts of the Company covering the items entering into the financial statement have been examined in every particular and verified by the auditors, whose certificates are submitted herewith.

The accompanying statement of assets and liabilities on Dec. 31 last shows, exclusive of the large amount of our uncalled guarantee capital, a surplus of $60,777 for the security of policy-holders, or $156 of assets to every $100 of liabilities to them.

Taking into account the nominal liability of paid-up capital there was at that time an impairment, due to the peculiarity before mentioned in connection with the amounts of the policies which became claims in that year. To obviate the possibility of objection or question on account of a temporary impairment of capital, certain of your directors have, since the commencement of this year, contributed $24,000 to the funds of the Company, for which there is no lien of any kind upon the assets or business of the Company, nor liability except upon future dividends to shareholders. This amount added to the surplus to policy-holders at the close of last year makes a present surplus of $84,777, being $4,670 in excess of paid-up capital, and with the uncalled guarantee capital makes the surplus to policy-holders $704,787 61.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

For the year ending 31st December, 1889:

INCOME.

Ledger assets, Jan. 1, 1889		$ 144,453 37
Capital stock	$ 195 00	
Premiums net	$208,782 64	
Interest and rents	6,479 92	
	$215,262 56	
		$ 215,457 56
		$ 359,910 93

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid claims by death, re-insurance deducted	$98,550 00	
Dividends to policy-holders	65,668 50	
Surrendered policies	604 78	
Total paid to policy-holders		$164,823 28
Commissions, salaries, advertising, printing and other disbursements		63,797 51
Total disbursements		$ 228,620 89
		$ 131,290 04

ASSETS.

Municipal debentures and bonds	$56,432 33	
First mortgages on real estate	34,141 00	
Loans on policies	3,339 87	
Cash on hand and in banks	26,543 51	
Other ledger assets	10,833 33	
	$131,290 04	
Premiums deferred and in course of collection (10 per cent. deducted)	$22,204 61	
Reinsurance (since paid) and other assets	15,608 28	
Assets Jan. 1, 1890		$168,502 93
Guarantee capital subject to call		619,893 00
Total resources for security of policy-holders		$788,395 93
Reserve fund (including $15,000 for claims waiting proofs		107,608 32
Surplus of assets and guarantee capital for security of policy-holders		$680,787 61
Total amount of policies in force Dec. 31, 1889		$10,829,837 46

DAVID DEXTER, Managing director. JAMES H. BEATTY, President.

The President and Directors of the Federal Life Assurance Company:

Gentlemen,—We beg to advise completion of the audit of the books of your Company for the year ending Dec. 31 last.

The books, vouchers, etc., have been very carefully examined, and we have much pleasure in certifying to their accuracy.

As usual, all assets of a doubtful character have been eliminated.

The accompanying statement indicates the financial position of your Company as at Dec. 31. Respectfully submitted.

(Signed.) { H. STEPHENS, SHERMAN E. TOWNSEND.

James H. Beatty, president, moved the adoption of the report, and in doing so said: It affords me pleasure to refer to the large amount of assurance in force on the Company's books at the close of last year, namely, $10,827,830 46, the result of operations covering a period of seven and a half years. I believe this to be a record much in advance of any other in life assurance in Canada, and one in which directors, shareholders and policy-holders alike have good cause for gratification.

Such a large amount of assurance on well-selected lives is a good foundation upon which to build from year to year a substantial and prosperous business. Though fluctuations in mortality or in the average amounts of policies falling claims may and will occur, the operations of natural laws will in due course equalize such irregularities. The excess over the average policy of those under which losses occurred during the year caused a temporary encroachment upon capital, and although the surplus over reserves and other liabilities gave ample and more than the usual security to policy-holders, certain of the directors have since contributed an amount more than sufficient to cover such impairment. Their only object in doing this was to give expression to their confidence in the present and future of the Company, that no person may be misled by the unfair and unjustifiable representations sometimes made by competitors for business.

It is not necessary for me to call your attention to the income, increased reserves, and the large resources for security to policy-holders shown in the report now in your hands; but I may add, for your information, that the business of the new year is of a satisfactory character, and the mortality lighter than for the corresponding months of last year.

William Kerns, vice-president, on seconding the adoption of the report, said: I can fully indorse what the President has said, and will say that while I rejoice in the progress of this Company, in which I am so much interested and have been closely connected with since its organization, I also regard with pleasure the marked growth of the several home companies engaged in this business. There is no good reason why the life assurance of this country should not be written by our own companies and the money retained within Canada. Within the past three years three new Canadian companies and as many foreign companies have entered the field as competitors for life assurance. Though the condition of trade has not been very favorable for the past twelve months, and the competition has been greater, our new business for the year was a very good one, and reflects credit upon our agents.

The report was adopted unanimously, and the usual votes of thanks were given to the officers and agents.

The auditors of the Company were reappointed, and the retiring directors were unanimously re-elected.

The Directors met subsequently, when all of the officers were re-elected.

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A man's wife should always be the same especially to her husband, but if she is weak and nervous and uses Carter's Iron Pills, she cannot be, for they will make her "feel like a different person," at least so they all say, and their husbands say so, too.

Engineers use kerosene to remove the scales which form on the inside of boilers. The oil is poured into an empty boiler and the water then turned on. The oil, floating on the water, comes in contact with the scales before the water does.

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VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall Mich.

The State railways in Italy, according to official estimation, increased $34,000,000 in their value during the last two years.

A great show of canary birds was held recently in the Crystal Palace, London, and it was as popular as a cattle show.

Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toront sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

Mrs. Teakum Strate—I see that boiling the hair in a solution of tea will darken it. Teakum Strate—So I've heard, my dear, but I prefer to have my tea darkened in some other way.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

"We've got a better scheme now than holding up a whole train," remarked a Western train-robber to a friend. "What is it?" "We simply kidnap the porter and hold him for ransom.

Miss Bessie H. Bedloe, of Burlington, Vt., had a disease of the scalp which caused her hair to become very harsh and dry and to fall so freely she scarcely dared comb it. Ayer's Hair Vigor gave her a healthy scalp, and made the hair beautifully thick and glossy.



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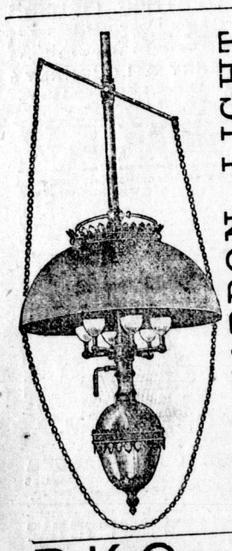
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LONDON AND PRECINCTS.

Mr. R. Pevler, of this city, has been on a visit to his brother and numerous friends in Petrolea.

Rev. Canon Davis, M.A., of this city, preached in Trinity school house, St. Thomas, last evening.

Mr. Joseph Gibbons, one of the best-known hotel men of the city, is now with W. Fraser at "The Hub."

Mr. J. B. Smallman, of Messrs. Smallman & Ingram, has returned from a two-months' trip to the English markets.

As Archie, a 7-year-old son of W. A. Beaumont, was returning from school last evening he was thrown down by a schoolmate, the result being that his right arm was broken.

A petition has been received from W. F. Bullen and others, requesting that street-watering be not indulged in on that portion of Queen's avenue recently paved with cedar blocks.

On the east side of William street, between Hamilton road and King street, residents believe a new sidewalk should be laid down. They have petitioned the Council to consider the requirements of that district.

According to the report of the Grand Recorder of the A. O. U. W., for Ontario, there were 325 applications for membership received during the month of February. There are 18,921 members in good standing in this Province.

Col. C. Fisher, deputy postmaster inspector, of London, was in town last week, on an official visit, and called on many of his old friends. He does not appear to have changed much since he was stationed in Amherstburg, eight or ten years ago.—[Amherstburg Echo.

On Monday evening, as will be seen by advertisement, St. Patrick's Day is to be celebrated in the Grand Opera House by a performance of "Kathleen Mavourneen," under the direction of Mr. J. K. McDonald, with Mrs. P. Chadwick in the title role. Between the third and fourth acts the "Big 8," of the Young Liberal Minstrels, Mr. J. M. Williams and Master Tiny Morkin will introduce specialties.

The estate of John Flanagan, of Clandeboye, was sold by W. Y. Brunton & Son yesterday. John Martin, of St. Thomas, bought the stock of groceries, dry goods, etc., at 50½ cents on the dollar. The two farms in Biddulph of 88 acres and 54½ acres were sold to John Hodgins for $5,400. The tenement house in Clandeboye was sold to a Mr. Blackwell for $295 and the store premises were withdrawn.

Mr. S. Youhill, formerly of London, received a telegram on Thursday, apprising him of a serious accident which had befallen his son-in-law, Mr. E. G. Ash, of East Tawa, Michigan. Mr. Ash is extensively engaged in the lumbering business, and while in the woods he met with an accident, the particulars of which are not given in the telegram, by which one of his arms and hands was badly crushed, necessitating the amputation of several fingers.—[Wingham Times.

The programme of the "London Vocal Quartet Club" concert on the 18th inst. is certainly a very attractive one. One of the principal numbers will be the famous quartet "Undi Si Lien" from Verdi's "Rigolette." It is a perfect gem of musical excellence and is unquestionably one of the most brilliant quartets written. Miss Jessie Alexander comes to London with a reputation that stamps her as one of the finest elocutionary artists on this continent. It is said she will make a worthy successor to Mrs. Scott Siddons. No doubt there will be a crowded house.

An Important Arrest.

Benjamin Stewart, of St. Thomas, was arrested last evening at the C. P. R. roundhouse, near Adelaide street, on a very grave charge. Chief Fewings, of that place, made the arrest, the charge being that Stewart had criminally assaulted his own daughters, little girls of 12 and 13 years of age. The most recent offense is alleged to have taken place on Saturday last. The prisoner was taken to St. Thomas.

She Was Converted.

Mrs. Flack, who it will be remembered went to Kingston from New York to escape being a witness in a divorce suit there in which Sheriff Meek was concerned, has returned to New York, and is now ready to give testimony. The suit is exciting considerable interest. She was converted at the Crossley-Hunter meetings, which accounts for her return home.—[Belleville Ontario.

Death of Mrs. J. Johnston.

The death occurred yesterday after an illness of several years' duration of Mrs. Eliza Ann Johnston, wife of Mr. John Johnston, an old and respected resident of London, and sister-in-law of Mr. Alex. Johnston, leather merchant. Since the marriage of her daughter to Dr. J. H. Gardiner the deceased and her husband have lived with that gentleman. The funeral will take place on Monday to Mount Pleasant Cemetery from Dr. Gardiner's residence, corner of William and Dundas streets. The deceased had many friends throughout the city, who join in extending sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

A Small Pitch-in.

Some of the cars attached to a freight train on the Grand Trunk this morning broke loose near Burlington, and the Globe special train, which was following, ran into the disconnected cars. Fortunately the special was not running at a high rate of speed, and the damage was slight. The pilot of the Globe engine and the front of the car were damaged, and the train, which is due here at 6:45 a.m., arrived four hours late in London. A brakeman had his face cut and slightly bruised. It was snowing heavily at the time. The track was cleared in two hours.

The Broommaker of Carlsbad.

James Reilly, the new star, appears at the Grand Opera House, Wednesday in the musical comedy-drama The Broommaker of Carlsbad. The Pittsburg times says: "The Broommaker of Carlsbad more than pleased the large audience at the Opera House. It captured the audience from the start. The plot is an excellent one, something on the order of Fritz Emmet's piece, and abounds with excellent features. The character and ability of James Reilly, the promising young actor, were fully shown. His songs were all new, and elicited loud applause and frequent encores. Miss May Templeton, as Gretchen, the German lass, made many friends by her superb acting." Sale of seats will open Monday morning.

Magnificent Steam Launches.

In this issue will be seen an illustrated advertisement of the well-known firm of John Gillies & Co., of Carleton Place, manufacturers of all kinds of stationary and marine engines. The season of 1890 promises to be one of especial interest in nautical matters, and any persons throughout this section of Canada who desire ease, elegance and cheapness combined in a steam launch should write to this firm and inclose a 3-cent stamp for their catalogue. This season's boats manufactured by the firm are ahead of anything yet made, while their single and compound stationary engines are also commanding ready sale. The marine engines and boilers are manufactured up to fifteen horsepower, the pleasure launches being from 20x4 to 34x7 feet. Low-pressure condensing engines, two to four horsepower, for public buildings, warehouses, etc., for hoists and elevators, should also be noted. With these engines coal oil or coal as fuel can be used. A careful persual of the advertisement is advised.

Bouquet's Misfortune.

Francis Benson, the old pensioner and wife hunter, finished his travels yesterday by going to sleep on one of the stands in the Market Square. He was discovered there about 1:20 a.m. to-day by P. C. Zeates. He told the policeman that he wanted to go to the hospital and was very indignant when he found himself in No. 3 Police Station. He had his treasured bouquet with him, also the rainbow-hued handkerchiefs which accompany the bouquet. When put in the dock this morning, he waxed eloquent, as usual, over the indignities which he claims to suffer under. He was charged with vagrancy, as the police were of the opinion that something would have to be done with him, as he has done nothing but wander around the streets, the laughing, stock and target for the jokes of boys and men. The Magistrate imposed a fine of $2, and as the old man had no boodle he was consigned to the hospitality of Governor Ogilvie, of Barton street jail.—[Hamilton Times.

Solid and Progressive.

Attention is called to the report of the Federal Life Assurance Company which appears elsewhere in these columns. The specialties of this company are the Homans plan, which was designed for and has proved most satisfactory to those who desire insurance simply for protection, and its equally attractive plan of investment insurance, known as its guaranteed 4 per cent. insurance. As evidence that these plans have proved both attractive and satisfactory, attention is called to the very large increase the company has made in its business since it adopted them. Its net increase of insurance in force in five years was $9,957,192. The relation of its assets to its liabilities proves its financial strength. Its total liabilities to its policy-holders were $107,608 to secure which it had capital and assets of $812,396. These facts indicate that it stands in the front rank amongst solid and progressive home institutions and that it is receiving the patronage it so well deserves. x

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When worries and troubles surround you,
Don't fret.
Go to work!
You will always have trouble around you,
You bet!
If you shirk.
The man who is busy his worry forgets.
His mind isn't harassed by thoughts of his debts,
And the harder he works the more happy he gets,
Till he's gay as Turk.

II.

If Fortune won't smile, let her frown, if
She will.
Never mind!
Don't sulk and look wholly cast down, if
She still
Seems unkind.
If you smile at her, soon she will smile back at you.
You are sure in to win her, if you will pursue
Her with cheerful persistence, and hope ever new,
And hen soluce you'll find.

III.

The world doesn't care for your woes,
Cast no!
Not a bit.
The man who is wise never shows
His woe
That he's hit.
Every one of your neighbors has griefs of his own,
He greatly prefers to let your grief's alone,
And he doesn't at all enjoy hearing you groan,
So take warning, and quit!

TERMS.

—"He's a chip off the old block."
"Is he? What a stick his father must be!"

THERE IS A MEDIUM.

—"I hate spoon children."
"Yes; but I don't like them too fresh, either."

FERTILIN EXPEDIENTS.

—Agent—I'd like you my janitor, only I must have a married man.
Applicant—Keep the place open for an hour, and I'll fix that. It's easier to get married than to get a job.

A MISS-HIT.

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A w— Wife (sympathetically to husband tack-
A c— up window-sash)—Did you hurt your-
The — John?
His J—n (sucking his forefinger)—Yes, I've
But I— wrong man on the head.

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In sa— THE HELPED THE TEACHER OUT.
An— Little Tommy had spent his first day
He— school.
"m — "What did yu learn?" asked his auntie
his return.
H— "Didn't lear anything!" said Tommy.
O— "Well, whatlid you do?"
W— "Didn't do aything! A woman wanted
It grew how t spell 'cat,' and I told her."
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A QUESTION OF RELATIVE VALUES.

"Joh— John! Wake up!" "What is the matter, Maria?" "I heard a noise in the kitchen. Go down quick and see what it is. Maybe it's a burglar." "Mrs. Billus, what do you consider the actual cash value of the silver and plated ware and other stealable articles in the kitchen?" "There's $10 worth, at the very least." "And do you suppose, madam, I am going to run the risk of meeting an armed burglar for a pitiful, beggarly, dad-dinged $10, madam? (Angrily) "Why not, John Billus? Isn't your life insured for $5,000."

"I DON'T KNOW. I'LL ASK MAMMA."

—When Maud and I were children small,
Across the fence I'd often call
To ask if she might run away
From home, to join our childish play,
But always would she simply say,
"I don't know. I'll ask mamma."

Years sped on, as years will do,
And Maud into such beauty grew,
That deep in love, "heels over head,"
I begged of her that we might wed.
She shyly blushed, and softly said,
"I don't know. I'll ask mamma."

We're married now. I wish to state
That mamma keeps me strictly straight;
And when I humbly make a plea
For just a little liberty,
My wife coolly says to me,
"I don't know. I'll ask mamma."

LEGAL QUERIES.

EDITED BY W. H. BARTRAM, BARRISTER.

MELBOURNE.—Is there a duty on bulbs and seeds in coming from the United States? ANS.—Yes; 15, 20 and 25 per cent.

BLETHESWOOD.—You cannot remove half the line fence between you and your neighbor although you own it without having first given him six months' notice; you can then remove it if he will not pay for it, and by calling on the fenceviewers you can compel him to erect and maintain his share of the line fence. You had better consult a lawyer as to the estate in which you are interested. Without full particulars of the matter no proper opinion could be given.

SUBSCRIBER.—A holds a promissory note for $150 against B, C and D, which is now past due. B and C having lost their property cannot pay. D draws $160 a year from the old country by way of annuity, which is all that he has. Can A recover from D, if so, what steps must A take in order to get it? Ans.—He can get judgment against D, and, if he can find out the time through which the annuity is paid, he can garnishee it, provided the money is not due to D by a negotiable draft. The chances are slim.

ENOCH.—A man died in 1880 leaving his will 100 acres to his wife, who got the deed registered. Can she give a good deed or must it go through the Surrogate Court? Answer there is no dispute about the will. Q.—If the facts of his death and of the will being the last one can be proved by statutory declaration she can give a good deed. The probate of the will granted by the Surrogate Court would, however, be the best proof of these facts, and since July, 188— one will must be proved.

T CARMEL.—A rents a farm to B for years ending Nov. 1, 1886. B left the eight months before the lease expired and gave possession to C for the remainder of his time without any written agreement. Can C claim rent for the house and keep possession until March 1, 1887? ANS.—No. 2. And keep his cattle there? ANS.—No. 3. And order D, the tenant of the house, to take firewood out of the bush? ANS.—No. 4. If not, how am I to proceed? ANS.—Consult a lawyer and give him correct information of the facts.

T.—A red hot, double-dyed Tory is a trustee in a school section where for years the Scripture selections have been in use without the least objections by the majority of the ratepayers. It so shocks him to think anything so unorthodox as what he terms the Ross-Lynch Bible should be read in the school that after school hours he makes his way to school, after the teacher has left, and from the teacher's desk with a shovel, for fear it should defile him if he should touch it with his hands, he takes away the book. In case the other trustees refuse to interfere in the matter, what course would you advise to have the book brought back again and the bigoted trustee taught a lesson? ANS.—Lay the matter before the inspector, who can inforce compliance with the regulations of the Education Department by withholding his order for the school grant.

TEMPERANCE NOTES.

The Secretary of the State of Iowa says: "Of the 90 counties in Iowa in 1888, there were 55 which reported non-commitments to county jails."

Dr. Dunlop, of London, medical officer of St. Pancras Workhouse, declares that 25 per cent. of insane cases in workhouses are of alcoholic causation.

The British Medical Temperance Association has now a membership of 402 registered medical practitioners, with 109 medical students as associates.

The wife of United States Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, is credited with saying in a recent interview that "the woman or girl who offers one of my sons a glass of wine will personally affront me."

The 55th annual session of the National Division Sons of Temperance of North America will be held at Ocean Grove, N. J., July 9, 10 and 11. A series of public meetings will be held in the great auditorium during the season.

In spite of his illness, Canon Wilberforce is doing splendid service in the temperance cause. He rose from a sick bed in Calcutta to address a large meeting of Mohammedans and Hindoos, and nearly 800 pledges were taken at the close.

FOR QUIET MOMENTS.

Heroic unselfishness always commands the enthusiasm of mankind.

Your life should grow sweeter, richer, more beneficent year by year.

Happiness is to the heart what sunlight is to the body, and he who shuts out either is an enemy to society.

There is more saving virtue in one quick, stern reproof than in an hour of aimless scolding. A scolding woman is a constant thorn in the flesh.

The chief ingredients in the composition of those qualities that gain esteem and praise are good nature, truth, good sense and good breeding.

No possessions are good, but by the good use we make of them, without which wealth, power, friends and servants do but help to make our lives more unhappy.

However good you may be, you have faults; however dull you may be, you can find out what some of them are; and, however slight they may be, you had better make some patient efforts to get quit of them.

Every question asked by a child's mind is a reaching out towards the soul of things, and every question rightly answered and every law understood stimulates the growth of the child's mind toward the world that lies around it.

We must never throw away a bushel of truth because it happens to contain a few grains of chaff; on the contrary, we may sometimes profitably receive a bushel of chaff for the few grains of truth it may contain.

No government, no administration, no laws, no amount of industry or commerce, no extent of freedom, can give prosperity and solid comfort to the homes of people unless there be in those homes economy, temperance and the practice of virtue.

True unselfishness, like true love, must seek the highest good of others—that and nothing else—must be willing to give up, if need be, some of its own "dear delights," and even seem to choose the little pleasures and indulgences which it would so gladly hand over to others; must learn to find its highest pleasures, not in self-mortification, nor indeed in any self-regarding at all, but simply in the furtherance of the true happiness, the true welfare, the best and highest interests of others.

The Royal Cure for Dyspepsia cannot be equalled. It is purely vegetable, and is not a cure for every disease, but Dyspepsia and Indigestion only. Try a box and be convinced of its merit. If not to be had from your druggist or dealer send direct to THE ROYAL CURE COMPANY, Montreal. t

A German scientist finds the human eye most sensitive to a light of medium wave length, being more affected by green rays than by red and by red more than by blue.

Cannon cast for the British Government are now fitted out with a device by which the guns can be aimed at night.

Mr. Job Scales, of Toronto, writes: Ap short time ago I was suffering from Kidney Complaint and Dyspepsia, sour stomach and lame back; in fact, I was completely prostrated and suffering intense pain. While in this state a friend recommended me to try a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. I used one bottle, and the permanent manner in which it has cured and made a new man of me is such that I cannot withhold from the proprietors this expression of my gratitude."

Henri Rochefort still refuses to take rooms in London except from week to week, and will not learn the English language. He receives very few callers, and passes his evenings playing dominoes with a friend, M. Coureau, with half a crown a game as the stake.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

M. Nicolai, the engineer at the head of the commission that has been investigating the question of a Siberian railway for the Russian Government, has reported that the whole line can be completed by 1900, at an expense of about $120,000,000

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhœa, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

A recently devised French method of testing the purity of drinking water is to put a drop of a solution of permanganate of potash in a glass of water; if the latter becomes yellow, it is not potable; if it remains clear, it may be drunk.

The great lung healer is found in excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.

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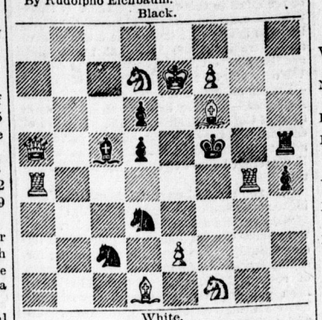
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PROBLEM NO. 81.

By Rudolpho Eichbaum.

Black.



White.

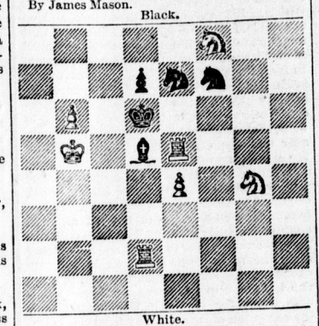
White to play and mate in two moves.

Presented by Mr. E. M. Munoz, of Brooklyn, N. Y., to Baltimore Sunday News. This fine structure by a Brazilian composer won second prize for two-movers in the Rio de Janeiro Tourney.—Ed. B. S. N.

PROBLEM NO. 82.

By James Mason.

Black.



White.

White to play and mate in three moves.

International Correspondence Tourney.

60 Canadians vs. 60 Americans.

Commenced 1st November, 1888, concluded 28th February, 1890.

GAMES WON BY CANADIANS.

J. E. Narraway, Ottawa, vs. S. Loyd, New York.
H. N. Kittson, Hamilton, vs. J. M. Tomlinson, Alexandria, Ind.
E. B. Freeland, Toronto, vs. J. B. Redwine, Atlanta.
F. Andrews, Ottawa, vs. F. Koerler, New York.
J. E. Lister, Hamilton, vs. C. Schubert, Brooklyn.
Justice Palmer, St, John, vs. J. H. Lowden, Bloomington.
Jos. Clawson, St. John, vs. J. B. Goodrich, Newton.
Dr. H. Howe, Montreal, vs. S. L. McCalla, Iberia.
J. S. Hale, Ottawa, vs. F. Rose, New York.
F. X. Lambert, Ottawa, vs. R. B. Keys, Plainfield.
R. Short, Montreal, vs. F. Leech, Judson.
John Henderson, Montreal, vs. G. H. D. Gossip, New York.
R. Fearman, Hamilton, vs. D. W. Schaeffer, Dayton.
Col. J. T. Wylde, Halifax, vs. Gen. Frink, Providence.
M. St. John, Montreal, vs. H Schramm, Kearney.
C. A. Boivin, Ste. Hyacinthe, vs. R. H. Seymour, Holyoke.

GAMES WON BY AMERICANS.

W. R. Lowe, Cincinnati, vs. Rev. J. De Soyres, St. John.
J. Halpens, New York, vs. G. F. Fisher, St. John.
Chas. Miller, Cincinnati, vs. W. Braithwaite, Unionville.
S. Euphrat, Cincinnati, vs. W. H. Hicks, St. Gabriel de Brandon.
B. G. Barton, New Orleans, vs. R. P. Fleming, Montreal.
D. T. Davis, Pittsburgh, vs. J. P. Cooke, Montreal.
John O. Holman, St. Louis, vs. H. T. Beck, Toronto.
A. W. Scholfield, Baltimore, vs. J. G. Fortier, Ottawa.
H. G. Dallam, Baltimore, vs. T. Larose, Ottawa.
J. Barnett, Salt Lake City, vs. G. B. Punshon, Hamilton.
B. H. Lutton, Pittsburg, vs. A. Porter, St. John.
J. B. Munoz, Bergen Fields, vs. J. Meagher, Fredericton.
R. H. Beenler, Milwaukee, vs. Jas. Gallon, Trenton.
L. S. Brown, Madison, vs. James Ritchie, Ottawa.
C. Schwelling, Wilkesbarre, vs. H. Borradaile, Halifax.
A. Padgett, Boyce, vs. C. A. Estey, St. John.
A. H. Robins, St. Louis, vs. E. B. Holt, Ottawa.
G. A. T. Limbeck, Brooklyn, vs. J. Ryall, Hamilton.
John A. Galbreath, Vicksburg, vs. C. J. Coster, St. John.
Jas. T. Burris, Columbus, vs. A. Hood, Toronto.
Max Stern, New York, vs. Thomas Taylor, Ottawa.
J. L. Garner, Milwaukee, vs. Count de Bury, Portland.
G. E. Northup, Scranton, vs. Rev. W. Reiner, Barrie.
T. W. Coleman, Summit Point, vs. R. T. Burns, Kingston.
F. Wendel, Wilkesbarre, vs. C. F. Stubbs, St. John.
R. P. Jacobus, Plainfield, vs. Frank Maw, Hamilton.
G. L'hommede, Kansas, vs. J. B. Amyot, Quebec.
J. W. Showalter, Georgetown, vs. J. E. Barry, Fredericton.
J. H. McCutcheon, Pittsburg, vs. G. H. Henshaw, jun., Ste Hyacinthe.

GAMES DRAWN.

Dr. Hillyer, Hamilton, vs. B. R. Foster, St. Louis.
J. Benrose, Montreal, vs. Chas. Nugent, New York.
E. G. Muntz, Toronto, vs. A. H. Davis, Atlanta.
S. J. King, St. John, vs. George Bucklin, Providence.
W. H. Judd, Hamilton, vs. C. A. Mills, Cleveland.
Col. Noyes, Halifax, vs. W. Haller, St. Louis.
J. W. Shaw, Montreal, vs. J. W. Miller, Cincinnati.
J. Wright, Montreal, vs. C. L. Curtis, Toledo.
J. McGregor, Toronto, vs. H. T. Harris, Atlanta.
G. A. Robinson, Ottawa, vs. E. C. Howell, Baltimore.
F. H. W. Leggatt, Ottawa, vs. H. D. Stubbs, New York.
W. H. Cross, Toronto, vs. J. W. Collins, Pittsburg.
T. Binmore, Montreal, vs. W. E. Alden, Boston.
W. Neish, Kingston, vs. C. O. Wilcox, New Orleans.
R. McLimont, Quebec, vs. W. J. Ferris, Newcastle, Del.

Score:

Canadians—Games won 16, drawn 7½—23½
Americans—Games won 29, drawn 7½—36½

Total.....60

The American conductor states 16 games drawn, the Canadian 15. The difference is owing to a game being reported won by the Americans after Mr. Peterson's account had gone to press, but received prior to the decision of the conductors to adjude games outstanding, on 28th February, as drawn, being ratified.

Thus ends a memorable contest conducted with slight exceptions in the most friendly spirit. Where there was a little friction much could be adduced for and against the matters in dispute. The final decisions were cheerfully accepted, the contestants knowing the conductors acted with strict impartiality. To my genial colleague, I return warm thanks for his uniform kindness and courtesy. Throughout it was a real pleasure to be associated with Mr. Peterson. JAMES B. HALKETT,
Canadian conductor.

Ottawa, March 11, 1890.

To Our Confreres.

K. D. P., Milwaukee—You will observe due credit for game has been given.

Amateur, London, Ont.—Correct in solutions—Delighted to know you are organizing a chess club. When in full swing write. One of the best books of reference, giving regulations, etc., is "The Chess-Players' Manual," published by Geo. Routledge & Sons, New York. "Cook's Synopsis of Chess Openings," is also excellent, published by Robt. Clarke & Co., Cincinnati. Space at disposal limited, but doubtless room could be obtained for news of your club.

SUNDAY READING.

REST.

What rest is there for him who knows no labor?
Hands idly folded all the livelong day,
Never a thought to give a friend or neighbor,
No toil to share, no load to lift away.

How can rest come to him who has no sorrow?
Life drifting smoothly and serenely by,
Each bright day followed by a bright to-morrow,
And not a cloud within his sunlit sky.

What rest for sinews that are never weary;
For life that falters not beneath the strain;
For eyes that weep not in the darkness dreary;
Heart that goes not alone in smothered pain!

But rest, at length, how sweet to them who under
The heavy burden, tremulous and faint,
Can neither pause nor turn, and yet who wonder
If ever peace will soften sorrow's plaint!

And rest, how passing sweet, when to love's waiting,
Weary and sore, forevermore is given
Love's fair fond treasure, its long pain abating,
Once and eternally, in the glad heaven!

When toil worn feet, the last long reaches making,
Up to the Father's door of life have come;
And out of lips the fairest, dearest, breaking,
Welcome forever greets the weary home.

Then, nevermore can sin or sorrow seize us;
Hath he not promised, "I will give you rest"?
At rest at home, in paradise with Jesus,
Could weary heart be more supremely blest?
—A. R. Thompson, D.D., in "Sunday School Times."

CONSCIENCE AND GOD.

The conscience bears the same relation to God as an accurate timepiece bears to the sun, says S. T. Coleridge. The timepiece merely indicates the relative path of the sun, yet we can regulate our plans and proceedings by it with the same confidence as if it was itself the efficient cause of light, heat, and the revolving seasons.

GOD HAS MADE THEM SO

Walk in the fields in one of the mornings of May, and if you carry with you a mind unpolluted with harm, watch how it is impressed. You are delighted with the beauty of colors; are not those colors beautiful? You breathe vegetable fragrance; is not that fragrance grateful? You see the sun rising from behind a mountain, and the heavens painted with light; is not that renewal of the light of the morning sublime! You reject all oblivious reasons, and say that these things are beautiful and sublime because the accidents of life have made them so; I say they are beautiful and sublime, because God has made them so! that it is the original, indelible character impressed upon them by him, who has opened these sources of simple pleasure to calm perhaps the perturbations of sense, and he makes us love that joy which is purchased without giving pain to another man's heart, and without entailing reproach upon your own. —[Sydney Smith.

TRUE PEACE

There are several kinds of things called peace which are by no means Divine or God-like peace. There is peace, for example, in the man who lives for and enjoys self, with no noble aspiration goading him on to make him feel the rest of God; that is peace, but that is merely the peace of toil. There is rest upon the surface of the caverned lake, which no wind can stir; but that is the peace of stagnation. There is peace amongst the stones which have fallen and rolled down the mountain's side, and lie there quietly at rest; but that is the peace of inanity. There is peace in the hearts of enemies who lie together, side by side, in the same trench of the battle-field, the animosities of their souls silenced at length, and their hands no longer clenched in deadly enmity against each other; but that is the peace of death. If our peace be but the peace of the sensualist satisfying pleasure, if it be but the peace of mental torpor and inaction, the peace of apathy, or the peace of the soul dead in trespasses and sins, we may whisper to our souls. "Peace, peace!" but there will be no peace; there is not the peace of unity, nor the peace of God, for the peace of God is the living peace of love.—[Rev. F. W. Robertson.

WINSOMENESS.

A distinguished gentleman, when asked some time ago the secret of the power of one of the most eminent and widely honored preachers of the day, whose warmest friends even do not declare him to be brilliant or profound above many other men, summed it up in a single word, when he called it "winsomeness." And therein he paid the great preacher and teacher the very highest of all compliments. "He that winneth souls is wise," and soul winning for God's glory should be the Christian's highest aspiration. And to win, one must be "winsome;" and to be winsome, in its truest sense, one must conduct himself as to commend himself to every man's conscience and confidence. And not only so; he must studiously set himself to secure sympathy and gratify his taste when he can do it without a compromise of principle. He must please his neighbor for his good to edification. There are brusque and blunt men, careless and conceited men, who think it a mark of manliness and of courageous independence to be regardless of the impression they make upon their fellows, being content, they say, with doing their duty, and leaving the consequences. How great a contrast to the humble, Christ-like spirit which becomes all things to all men, and so by all means to save some.

Consumption Surely Cured.

To the Editor.—
Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their Express and P. O. address Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 164 West Adelaide street, Toronto, Ont.

It came out in an English court a few days ago that 100 wornout horses had just been shipped from that country to Germany and Belgium, to be used up in the manufacture of sausage, and that such shipments were a regular thing.

A parliamentary investigation into the running of trains on railroads entering London from the south shows that upon an average only about 60 per cent. of all passenger trains enter the city on time.

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T. D. D. Loyd, 8 Clarence street, Toronto, says: I wish here to testify to the unequaled healing powers of your Nasal Balm. I have been troubled for three years by what the doctors call post nasal catarrh, and have tried everything in the city that could be obtained in the shape of catarrh cures, and found no permanent relief from any of them, till a friend one day advised me to try your Nasal Balm, and I find that even one bottle has done me more good than all the medicines put together that I have persecuted myself with before. I was very much troubled with spitting and hawking, especially in the morning, so much so that my throat was continually in a raw condition, but I am now beginning to know what it is to be able to speak freely. I shall not fail to recommend it to any of my friends suffering from the like disease.

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L. D. Dion, Dept. Railways and Canals, Ottawa, says: I am very glad to give you to-day the testimony that Nasal Balm has completely cured my catarrh, from which I suffered for nearly three years.

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"Bon voyage, comrade," though we drift apart,
Nor time, nor space can dim the love I bear,
Which, close and warm, within my aching heart,
Throbs on for you, and all your griefs would share.

God bless and guide you through the heavy waves
That rise and beat against your vessel's prow!
Life's sea heeds not our cries while fierce it raves—
We can but trust to God's calm guidance now.

"Bon voyage, comrade!" God be with you, dear!
'Tis all my heart can say, as on the tide
Our boats drift from each other; cold and drear
Seems all the sunny world as from my side

You drift apart. For you I kneel and pray
In love undying. While I know your heart
Is mine I shall not fear, though dark the day
And wide the distance as we drift apart.
—Boston Transcript.

The "Old Dominion."

Ever since you can remember you have heard the state of Virginia called the "Old Dominion;" do you know why it is so called? During the protectorate of Cromwell the colony of Virginia refused to acknowledge his authority and declared itself independent. Shortly after, when Cromwell threatened to send a fleet and army to reduce them to subjection, the Virginians sent a messenger to Charles II, who was then an exile in Flanders, inviting him to return in the ship with the messenger and be king of Virginia. Charles accepted the invitation and was on the eve of embarking for the New World when he was called to the throne of England. As soon as he was safely seated on the throne, out of gratitude for the loyalty of Virginia he caused her coat-of-arms to be quartered with those of England, Ireland and Scotland, as an independent member of the empire—a distinct portion of the "Old Dominion." Coins of Virginia were issued as late as the reign of George III, which bore on one side the coat-of-arms of England, Ireland, Scotland and Virginia.—St. Louis Republic.

Power of the Divining Rod.

With girlish curiosity we tried our powers with the rod. In my hands it remained simply the peach tree switch it was, but when my youngest sister grasped it, it seemed to become a thing of life and she immediately retraced the vein of water.

Years afterward, when I was in a home of my own, and wanted a well near the kitchen, if water could be found there, she traced a water vein for me, and right where the stake was driven there is now a well sixty-six feet deep. In another lot, still higher up, a well was dug down to the same vein seventy-five feet below the surface. The rod used in finding my well was cut from an oak sapling.

A gentleman who was a skeptic on the subject watched her closely while she was finding my well. Finally he caught hold of the ends of the rod and tried to hold it still, but found he could not do it without making it take the skin off her hands, so strong was the invisible power that impelled its revolutions. —Cor. Philadelphia Times.

An Alligator's Queer Nest.

Alligators, as a rule, have a regular place of retreat in the bank of a stream or tarn. This is excavated with their fore paws and, according to some crackers, the dirt is carried away in the mouth of the engineer, who backs into deep water and disgorges its load, then returns to renew the operation, until it has made itself a capacious home under water.

This will readily account for the size of the mouth, for it must not only procure food, but also act as a mud scow. The female adopts the same method for building her nest, and not only fills her mouth, but also takes a load between her forelegs when she is in a hurry. She can by this means accomplish much work in a day, for she never seems to tire.

It is quite amusing to watch a young mother build her first nursery, she being not only fussy and vigilant, but so suspicious that a few fluttering leaves startle her out of her wits.—Outing.

A Clever Swindle.

"Boss, you got a match?" an innocent looking darky inquired of a young man who was hurrying home late. The young man stopped and handed over a lucifer. "Wait a minute, boss, till I see what kind of a ring dis is which I jest picket up heah." Striking a match, the darky held up what appeared to be a gold ring with a diamond set. "Boss, dis 'pears to be a dimund ring, and if anybody ketch me with him I'll git in trouble. How much you gib me for him?" After some chaffering the young man bought the "purest gem serene" for $2.75, and the innocent darky disappeared in the gloaming, as it were. The next morning the young man examined his diamond ring and found it was a thinly washed gold thing, with a beautiful glass setting in pure lead, worth at auction about twenty-five cents a dozen.—Savannah News.

On the Elevated Railroad.

The maximum speed on the elevated road is twenty-five miles per hour, and on a level line it requires from 1,000 to 1,200 feet to get up speed. The average horse power to do the work required is 145. The average consumption of coal per mile is 45.7 pounds. The average number of miles run per ton of coal is 49.4. The engines work on an average of about 20 hours per day with two crews, each crew averaging 70 miles and making 203 stops during that time.—Railroad Gazette.

The Black Head Bug.

The black head bug has appeared by the millions in the turpentine forests of southeast Georgia, and is doing alarming damage. Great tracts of pine woods already show blight and are dying. The bug starts in a pine where it is boxed and works under the bark, then around the trunk. Its boring prevents the sap from going up in the tree and eventually the tree dies.—Chicago Times.

A Candidate for a Statue.

Citizen (at gas office window)—I wish you would send a man down to my house to look at the meter.

Clerk (scornfully)—What's the matter with it?

Citizen (mildly)—I don't know what is the matter, but it doesn't register at all.

Clerk (panic stricken)—Take him away! Seize him! He's crazy!—Lippincott's.

It is the greatest delusion in the world for a boy to get the idea that his life is of no consequence and that the character of it will not be noticed. A manly, truthful boy will shine like a star in any community. A boy may possess as much of the noble character as a man. He may so live and speak the truth that there shall be no discount on his word.

The birth of a popular expression is thus ascribed to John Jacob Astor: "Being a German by birth, Mr. Astor supposed that 'O. K.' was an abbreviation of 'all correct,' which, in his own mind, he spelled 'oil korrect.' The joke upon Mr. Astor found its way into print, and was so much appreciated that his 'O. K.' soon passed into common use."

Let no one be discouraged because his time is fully occupied. An industrious man's odd minutes are worth more than a lazy man's all day.

Tobacco Chewing Ministers.

When Rev. Dr. Tiffany, of Minneapolis, preached in Chicago his brethren all knew that he loved fine cut, because he made no secret of the chewing habit. He was a regular attendant at those Monday morning "ministers' meetings" which the average reporter hates, but which are really enjoyable on account of the bright sayings and clever witticisms of preachers who do not think they are forbidden to indulge in a hearty laugh because they occupy a pulpit. While Dr. Tiffany was a participant in these meetings the tobacco habit came up for discussion one morning. A well known bishop was presiding. One after another the brethren arose and condemned the use of tobacco in any form. Then one of them, during a lull, said he would like to hear Dr. Tiffany's ideas on the subject. The big doctor arose. "I chew tobacco," he said, "and you all know it. Now, I would like to have all those who do not use tobacco rise in their seats." There was a grand uprising. "Remain standing, please," said the doctor, as he looked over the cadaverous men standing before him. "Will those who use tobacco please step forward here?" he said, and a half dozen sleek looking parsons walked up and joined him. "Stand up, bishop; you're a chewer," he said to the presiding divine, and he joined the group. Dr. Tiffany then looked over the thin fellows who tabooed tobacco, turned to the healthy looking men around him and said: "Brethren, I think we are doing pretty well." The argument was unanswerable.—Chicago Herald.

A Snare and Delusion.

If a man has weary nerves and a thumping headache nothing prevents his coming home and tying a towel about his brows like a Turk, and being as grummy as one the rest of the evening. But a woman in the same case can only look longingly at her old wrapper and then go and painfully build up her Psyche knot and an agreeable smile of exactly the right angle, else she will hear that "Hang it! It's enough to drive a fellow to his club to have an untidy wife lying about on the sofas!" and that "the deuce knows why a woman always manages to look pretty before marriage and never after."

In fact, being a woman at all is a snare and a delusion.

It sounds very, very nice, but it's awful. A woman isn't even allowed to grow old in peace. Going the course of all nature is just the worst crime she can commit. If she isn't married her brothtrs don't forgive her for it, and if she is married her husband won't.

So there it is; a bore any way you look at it.—Exchange.

A Giant of the Forest.

Undoubtedly the largest stump in the state of Washington is the one located just below Snohomish City, on the farm of W. S. Clay, says The Seattle Press. It is a huge cedar, and its diameter is 20 feet—a surface sufficient for forty men to stand upon. The tree was burned down some sixteen years ago, and its wood was used for fence rails, shingles, etc. There was enough material in the tree to furnish rails for the fencing of a large Texas farm.

The stump was photographed when five horses, standing abreast, three feet apart, and thirty men were upon it. Such a photo is now in possession of the writer and others in Snohomish. A circle whose diameter is 20 feet must be 63 feet in circumference and contain an area of 314 square feet. The tree belonging to the big stump was 80 feet in height, and its volume was, therefore, 6,374 cubic feet. This was a giant! Poetry has lauded the majestic oak, but its size is often eclipsed by Washington's cedars.

As She Is Writ in Japan.

A Tokio correspondent gives some amusing specimens of English as it is written by the Japanese. Among them are these, from a library company's rules: "The Proffession of our Company is supplying the all Japanese Classical and Modern Books or Chinese and English Language Books to Readers for recieving duly Lending Price." "The object of our library is for the Reader who desired to Read many book at one time for searching useful matter. Therefore all book which is ready in our Company, is permit to Read; but the prevailing Book at present is wished for Reader to be lend from the procedeur of of sending." "Who has read the Book of our Company, above Three month by the Polish way of the reading, thought of our Company will send the Signature of Special and may be lend by paying Lending Price that mitigating 1-10 of it."

Memory.

Youth is the enchanted land to which the aged flee. They visit the old house where they were born in their reveries; they sit by the cheerful fire, they smell the roses at their chamber window, they hear the swallows and bluebirds; the family are still united, there are the familiar voices, songs and laughter, the footfalls, the merry life that used to fill all, indoors and out, so long ago. They never tire of the old adventures, the fiery purposes, the love makings, weddings, births, funerals. How minutely it is all reproduced—the shadows all gone, and the light of youth and hope and joy shining so delightfully over all.—The Interior.

About Hotel Registers.

Probably very few travelers, as they affix their signatures to the register, notice the fact that nine-tenths of the best hotels in the country are supplied with such books by the same firm. Such is the case, however, and, what is more to the point, the registers don't cost the hotels a cent. They are supplied gratis by a firm in Chicago, who makes its money—and lots of it, too—from the advertising printed in the books. All that is asked of the hotels is a contract that they will use no other registers than those supplied by the firm mentioned, and it furnishes good books, with a fine quality of paper.—Indianapolis Journal.

A Huge Stamp Collection.

The American school boy that prides himself on having the biggest collection of postage stamps in his native village, town or county, will hear with envy that the French navy department in Paris has amassed, not merely a huge album, but a gigantic library of such precious trifles. It is the largest collection in the world. This, of course, is public property.—Paris Letter.

The Wrong Address.

Among some old papers sent to a Texas jail for the entertainment of the inmates was the election circular of one of the local candidates. One of the prisoners, who has been in jail for over a year, looked at it and said:

"Look here, boys, this is not intended for us. It is addressed 'To the people at large.' That don't mean us."—Texas Siftings.

Forty Cents a Dish.

Restaurant Cook (to new assistant)—Mix three tablespoonfuls of condensed milk with half a pint of flour, some water and a couple o' spoonfuls of starch. Quick, now!

New Assistant—Yessir. What's it for?

Cook (slapping some bread on a gridiron)—Got an order fer cream toast.

Rev. Dr. Talmage is a great pedestrian. He thinks out his sermons while taking long walks. Central park and Brooklyn bridge are among his favorite resorts.

THE DRAUGHT OF FISHES.

LESSON XI, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 16.

Text of the Lesson, Luke v, 1-11—Commit Verses 8-11—Golden Text, Luke v, 10—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "The people pressed upon Him to hear the Word of God." Our last lesson left Him on His tour through Galilee preaching the Gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people (Matt. iv, 23). We now find Him again by the sea of Galilee, or, as it is in our lesson, the lake of Gennesaret, and probably at or near Capernaum, where Peter lived. Most of our Lord's public life was spent in the neighborhood of this sea.

2. "And saw two boats standing by the lake, but the fishermen were gone out of them, and were washing their nets." Two or three of these fishermen had already been with Jesus some time, had seen His miracles and heard His words, yet had not wholly left their calling to follow Him.

3. "He sat down and taught the people out of the boat." Having stepped into Simon's boat, He meekly asks him to push out a little from the land, and sitting down, He from the boat teaches the people as they stand, an eagerly attentive crowd, upon the shore.

4. "He said unto Simon, Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a draught." Simon having kindly given the use of his boat, Jesus will now reward him for it and teach him at the same time many things. Simon had for a little season cheerfully given himself and his boat to the Master for His work, and now this gracious Lord and Master is about to give special attention to Simon's work. No one ever suffered loss by giving attention to the special work of Christ, but multitudes have been blessed for time and eternity by obeying Matt. vi, 33. If we see to His work He will see to all our needs better far than we could.

5. "Master, we have toiled all the night and have taken nothing." So replied Simon, confessing their unavailing toil and their present need.

6. "And when they had this done, they inclosed a great multitude of fishes, and their nets brake." Whether it be a great fish to swallow Jonah, or a smaller fish to bring a piece of money, or multitudes of fish to fill these nets, all are obedient to Him who created them, and who also created Adam and said unto him, "Have dominion over the fish of the sea."

7. "They came and filled both the ships, so that they began to sink." We are told in the tenth verse that James and John were partners with Simon, and finding that he had more fish than he could manage, he called his partners and they found fish enough to fill both the boats to overflowing. Our Lord Jesus loves to have empty vessels, and not a few, that he may fill them. When the woman with the pot of oil began to pour into the empty vessels the oil kept coming till every vessel was filled. When Jesus fed the thousands they did all eat and were filled.

8. "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." This is the language of Simon Peter, as seeing this great miracle he realizes somewhat in whose presence he stands, and falls at Jesus' knees with these words. This is part of the emptying process; a deep conviction of sin as we see ourselves in God's sight. It was so with Job, Isaiah, Daniel and John (Job xlii, 5, 6; Isa. vi, 5; Dan. x, 8; Rev. i, 17); and until it becomes so with us, there is no prospect of our being much used of God. Observe that the name used all through this lesson, except in this verse, is not the new name, "Cephas," or "Peter" (John i, 42), but the old name, indicating the natural man, "Simon," and in order to service for Christ there must be the constant and persistent reckoning dead, putting off, mortifying of the old man with his deeds, and the putting on of the new, that the life of Jesus may be manifested in these mortal bodies (Rom. vi, 6, 11; viii, 13; Eph. iv, 22-24; II Cor. iv, 11).

9. "For he was astonished, and all that were with him." The Revised Version says that he was amazed. So Saul of Tarsus, when convinced of his sin on the way to Damascus, "trembling and astonished," said, "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" We put forth our best efforts in most approved fashion, and labor unwearyingly for the salvation of souls and for the quickening of believers, but how often we have to confess as to the result, "nothing." In some unlikely way, and perhaps through some weak but empty vessel, the Spirit of God works, and we all stand astonished. Our wisdom is confounded, our plans upset, and it becomes gloriously manifest that this is the hand of God. If we would see the wonders of His grace, we must wait only upon Him.

10. "And Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not." When convicted of sin we fall at Jesus' feet in our helplessness and unworthiness. Then it is that we hear His "Fear not," or when we, all unworthy, are willing to be vessels for His service (Dan. x, 12, 19; Rev. i, 17; Luke i, 13, 30). It is only the willful and rebellious who have cause to fear, or the proud and hard of heart, for they shall be broken and brought down, and made to know that the Most High doeth according to His will both in heaven and on earth, and those that walk in pride He is able to abase (Dan. iv). But from the first "Fear not" in the Bible (Gen. xv, 1) down to the last in Revelation there is no place where the penitent and broken in heart are taught to fear. All is for them comfort, and peace, and joy, and strength, and prosperity in the Lord.

"From henceforth thou shalt catch men," or, as in Matt. iv, 19: "Follow me and I will make you fishers of men." Here we see the spirit of prophecy most marked; listen to Jeremiah (xvi, 16): "Behold, I will send for many fishers, saith the Lord, and they shall fish them." And again, to Ezekiel (xlvii, 10): "The fishers shall stand upon it, from Engedi even unto En-eglaim." Each passage refers to the Kingdom of Israel in its glorious future. If we would hasten that kingdom, we must follow Jesus, that He may make us skillful and successful fishers of men from among all nations, that so His marriage day may be hastened, and the time of His return for Israel's restoration.

11. "And when they had brought their ships to land, they forsook all, and followed Him." "If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me." "Whosoever he be of you that forsaketh not all that he hath, he cannot be My disciple" (Matt. xvi, 24; Luke xiv, 33). Jesus does not ask us to drop what we have without showing us something better. When Peter one day spoke of their giving up all for Him, He told them of the Throne of His Glory and the Thrones that awaited them. When Paul saw His Glory, he was able to count all earthly glory but dross. Stephen, seeing Him, thought nothing of being stoned to death. Let us only get our eyes upon the Glory of His Kingdom and the Thrones which await the overcomers, and we shall have no heart for aught else but to follow Him, and for His sake be made all things to all men that we may by all means save some (Matt. xix, 21; John xii, 26; xxi, 19-22; I Cor. ix, 22).

WASHINGTON PALACES.

Private Dwellings Adaptable for Large Social Entertainments.

"Of all Washington houses," said a society woman of English birth the other day, "probably the best adapted for purposes of entertaining is the British legation. The rooms are so altogether suitable for dancing, and, as of course you know, the dining room is one of the finest in this country. There is something at once homelike and superb about the legation inside. I consider the establishment an illustration of the fact that the English are the most civilized people in the world. We may laugh at and revile their aristocracy—I speak as one now considering herself an American—but they are way ahead of us in most of the refinements of life. The art of entertaining they understand to a perfection not at all attained on this side of the water. If you don't believe it visit the British legation."

"Do you not find any other houses in Washington well equipped for entertaining?"

"Oh, yes, indeed. For instance, Mr. Morton's house is most delightfully arranged for entertaining. The most important thing for such purposes is to have an extended sweep of rooms. Now, since the new addition has been put on, there is in the vice president's house a stretch of 110 feet of drawing rooms and dining room in a straight line. This affords most desirable facilities for dancing. Besides, as you doubtless are aware, the new addition gives room for a separate entrance and exit for guests at parties and other entertainments, with a second porte cochere outside and large dressing rooms and cloak rooms within. It is quite a new idea to me, and, on the whole, I have no hesitation in saying that the Morton establishment is as well equipped as any I have visited in my native country. In fact, there are very few of the great houses in England so well provided with entertaining facilities as is the vice president's. Especially below stairs it is a marvel. To begin with, there are two chefs, one a general manager and the other a pastry cook, while all the appointments are marvelously complete."

"What do you think of the Leiters' house?"

"You mean, of course, the Blaine house, occupied by them on Dupont street. It is a handsome residence, but not at all well adapted for entertaining. There are only two parlors available for dancing, and in waltzing from one room to the other you must jump over the brass rod on which the folding doors run lest you trip up. Perhaps the most available house for parties in Washington, with the exception of the British legation, is Dr. Hammond's. I have never been able to imagine why so magnificent a mansion should be placed in such a locality. The hall itself is as big as a large ball room, in the shape of a rotunda, and you may go through a dozen apartments before you arrive at the living room of the household. Among other houses in Washington which I consider superb enough to vie with any private residences abroad are those of Gen. Nicholas Anderson, Justice Gray, Col. John Hay, Henry Adams and the Tuckermans'."—Washington Star.

Practiced on the Quiet.

A well to do gentleman, who lives in New York city, became greatly interested in the game of billiards some time ago and had a fine table put in his house. One evening, the gentleman's wife proposed that he teach her to play billiards. He did not receive the proposition very gleefully, fearing that billiards with a novice would be very tedious. But the lady insisted, until finally he led the way to the billiard room and opened the game with a small run. Then, after full instructions, the pupil played and astonished her teacher by making a very difficult shot. Again she played and counted. The instructions suddenly ceased as the man grew suspicious. He said nothing, but thought a good deal. The game was a close one and was won by the lady. The teacher proposed another game, which the pupil won by such an overwhelming lead that the teacher threw down his cue in disgust and demanded: "Where in thunder did you learn to play billiards, anyhow?" "Oh," quietly replied his wife, as she knocked the balls around in fancy shots, "I've been practicing every day since the table was put in!"—San Francisco Argonaut.

Cost of Cigarette Paper.

Paper for cigarettes is made from cotton and linen and from rice straw, and is largely of foreign manufacture. Cotton paper is used in the cheapest and most poisonous grades of cigarettes, and is so cheap that the wrappers for 1,000 cotton paper cigarettes cost only two cents. Rice paper is the choicest and most costly. Tobacconized paper is made by saturating paper with an infusion of tobacco and pressing it in such a way as to produce an imitation of the veins of the tobacco leaf. Some use has been made of the fiber of the stalks of the tobacco plant in producing a paper for all tobacco cigarettes.—Straight Tips.

Breaking a Glass with the Voice.

If you strike a thin wine glass, while you hold it by the stem, it will emit a certain note, in most cases a pretty deep one, says a London scientist. On approaching the glass rapidly to your mouth, and shouting into it the same note as loudly as possible, the vibrations of the glass being thereby extended, it will be shivered into fragments. This used to be a favorite experiment of Lablache, the renowned basso, who, when in company with his friends, thus broke, one after another, all the glasses that were handed to him.—New York Telegram.

A Travesty on Grief.

"Mourning suspenders" are the latest travesty on grief introduced by some merchants who want to be sensational. Some time ago black underwear tried to become fashionable. But there was no claim that such garments were worn as emblems of mourning except on account of fashion entertaining such a silly freak. Still, there may be a subtle sentiment in suspenders that is not possessed by other articles of dress.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Caused by Tight Collars.

Dr. Forster, director of the Ophthalmic university at Breslau, has figured out a connection between tight collars and shortsightedness. He alleges that in 300 cases that have come under his attention the eyesight had been affected by the pressure of such collars upon the muscles of the neck, disturbing the circulation of blood to the head.—Chicago Tribune.

A Large Family.

Mrs. Jones—Good morning, Mrs. Smith. Where's Mr. Smith?

Mrs. S.—He's gone away to visit his relatives.

Mrs. J.—Do you think he will get through this year?—Harper's Bazar.

Joseph Sutherland, who was the powder-boy on the vessel which first brought to England the news of Nelson's victory at Trafalgar, attained his one hundredth year at Milton, Sittingbourne, recently. He has good health and has all his faculties intact.

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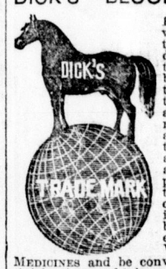
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With mist of joy tears? Will my coming be
As dear a boon to him as he has dreamed?
Will all the glad bewilderment that seemed
So sweet in fancy find its verity

When I come home? Or will some fancied change
Of speech or look or mien the one transform
Who used to wear for him a nameless charm,
Tempering his joy with shadows new and strange?

With shadows darkling for a little space,
And then, O, sweet beyond imagining,
The cadences, half sob, half song, will ring
With the old music, hallowing the place.

My glad heart has no room in it for doubt.
The morning glories clambering at the door,
With leaves and blooms and tendrils leaning o'er,
Flecking the sunshine, cannot keep it out.

I love to fancy the felicities
That shall be mine upon that day of days,
The old endearing names, and tricks of phrase,
And smiles that haunted all my reveries.

If rain or sunshine we, or gloom or gleam,
The day of my return, sweet opulence
Of gladness, flooding mood and circumstance,
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When I go home again! When I go home!
My feet have strayed upon these journeyings,
But my heart never; all my longing clings
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Back to the old abiding place to rest,
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—Rosind E. Jones in New York Sun.

Good Luck.

Missionaries and others, who live year after year in foreign countries, are liable to lose something of their familiarity with their native tongue, and sometimes to be troubled about the spelling of very common words.

An English clergyman, who was also a voluminous author, was in Paris, where he made the acquintance of a kind hearted Scottish nobleman. This man had lived for many years at the French capital, and knew every one. The Englishman quite enjoyed walking with him in the Champs Elysees. As the carriages and coursers raced along the Scotchman was kept continually busy taking off his hat.

"You ought to know the ambassador," he said one day to his new friend. "I will give you a letter of introduction."

So the two men sat down, and the Scotchman went to his writing desk.

"Do you happen to know," he said, with a look of mild inquiry, "how many d's there are in the word introduce?"

The Oxford graduate, curiously enough, did "happen to know," and so the note of introduction was written.—Youth's Companion.

A Freak of Nature.

A curious frak of nature was recently discovered. It is a slab of Mexican marble about two feet long and a foot wide, bearing upon its face a beautiful mountain landscape, which has in some strange way been pictured there by nature. It is now in the possession of Col. A. C. Hawley, formerly adjutant general of Minnesota, and was given him by Maj. Knappen who owns the quarry in New Mexico where this was found. The major is authority for the statement that the picture in the marble is the exact reproduction of the scenery on one side of the valley opposite where the quarry is located. Col. Hawley explains the curiosity in this way: He says the river and cliffs must have been photographed on the marble, when it was in a plastic condition, by the rays of the sun.—Exchange.

A Dog Man's Lesson.

Wasn't it funny, by the way, about Professor Youmans, of The Popular Science Monthly, who sent for his dentist the month before his death and insisted on having his teeth all attended to and new ones put in? Everybody knew he couldn't live, and the dentist told him he was having a good deal of pain and trouble for nothing. But the professor intimated pretty strongly it was his own business, and if he was willing to pay $100 for having good teeth to be laid out in, the dentist needn't complain. Do you know how many people are poisoned by decaying teeth? They suffer from dyspepsia and bad complexions from nothing else than the constant drainage of bad matter from an imperfect tooth or two.—Shirley Dare in Philadelphia Press.

A New Use for the Nickel.

Somebody of an ingenious turn of mind gives us the metric system, "not in a nutshell," but in a nickel. It is claimed that our nickel five cent piece holds the key to the linear measures and weights. The diameter of this coin is two centimeters, and its weight is five grains.

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The Head and the Brain.

Dr. Starr, of London, says that it is impossible to draw any conclusion from the size or shape of the head as to the extent or surface of the brain, and so as to the mental capacity. It is absurd to judge of the brain surface by either the size of the head or the extent of the superficial irregular surface which is covered by the skull, without taking into consideration the number of folds or the depth of creases. "For a little brain with many deep folds may really, when spread out, have a larger surface than a large brain with few shallow folds."—New York Telegram.

The Czar's Favorite Palace.

The castle of Gatchina, which has become the favorite residence of the emperor and empress of Russia, is within a short distance of the summer palaces of Tzarkoe-Selo and Krosnoe-Selo. It was built by Peter the Great; but the present house is practically a creation of Orloff, the favorite of the Empress Catherine, who added the towers and wings, and who caused the interior to be sumptuously decorated by workmen from Italy, under the superintendence of Rinaldi, a celebrated architect of that period.—Moscow Letter.

The Patient Public.

Just how patient that portion of the public which travels is may be realized from what follows. A hotel at which an average of forty people stopped nightly was sued by a guest for harboring bugs in the beds. Out of fifty-two beds overhauled forty-eight had bugs, and yet this was the first and only complaint for five years.—Detroit Free Press.

The absurd superstition held by so many that the opal brings ill luck to its owner, as if there were a compelling power or genius residing in stones, would not seem to be shared by those who rate the two opals belonging to the French crown jewels at $15,000, or the famous one sent from Hungary to the first World's exhibition at $20,000.

His First Repeating Rifle.

An Atlanta veteran, talking about his first experience with a repeating rifle, said:

"I was out on the picket line and a lot of Yankees kept shooting at us from the shelter of a pine thicket. Finally we made a break for the thicket, and then we had it. Every fellow would pick out his man, and then load and shoot, taking advantage of the shelter of the trees.

"My Yankee got the first shot and missed me. As I was only seventy-five or a hundred yards away, I thought I would reach him before he could load again, so I made a dash for him. He stepped out from his tree and aimed, but I thought he was just trying to bluff, so I didn't stop till he pulled down on me.

"'My Lord!' I thought, 'that's the first rifle I ever saw with two barrels!' I just halted, but thought surely his gun must be empty now, so I started for him again. Well, sir, he just stood there and bang! bang! bang! bang! like milking a cow. I jumped for a tree mighty quick, I can tell you. I heard him just hollering behind that tree. It tickled him mightily. I didn't know what to make of it. I put my cap out from behind the tree and he banged! banged! down on it. It scared me. I didn't know how long the thing would hold out. Presently, though, I saw him bending over. His head was protected, but his back was showing, and I took good aim. The ball plowed through the fleshy part of the thigh, and as he hollered I made for him. He had dropped his gun and started to run, but he stopped and went back with me.

"I carried that old gun of his back and it was a great curiosity to our boys. They never did believe that it could shoot sixteen times, and I couldn't prove it because he had only one load left and we couldn't get any ammunition to fit the gun. So we broke up the gun to keep the Yankees from getting hold of it again."—Atlanta Constitution.

Before They Knew It.

Joseph Thomas, a lawyer of Kennebunk, Me., at the beginning of this century, was a man of considerable reputation as a wag. A couple were anxious to be married, and as there was no minister at hand, they waited upon Mr. Thomas, who, as a magistrate, was authorized to perform the marriage ceremony.

He was busy writing as they entered, but paused to inquire what they wanted. Addressing himself to the man, he asked if he wished to take that woman for a wife, and turning to the woman, he inquired whether she wished to take that man for her husband. Then he went on with his writing.

The parties sat still and waited until their patience was exhausted. Finally, the man ventured to interrupt Mr. Thomas, and tell him they were in a great hurry.

"Why don't you go along then?" answered the judge.

"But we want to be married first."

"Married! You have been married more than half an hour."

He explained the requirements of the law, and the couple withdrew, not without some misgivings, it is to be feared, as to the validity of a ceremony so unceremoniously performed. They had certainly been married in haste, but there is no record that they repented at leisure.—Youth's Companion.

The Corporal's Dog.

Corporal Caleb Howard, of East Bridgewater, Mass., was mustered out of the Continental army in New Jersey, and in company with two companions and a trusty and intelligent dog made the best of their way home on foot, with but little money and that nearly worthless. They stopped at a farm house one day to get something to eat. The lady of the house would do nothing for them, declaring that she was "all tired out waiting upon soldiers," and bade them begone. "Uncle Caleb," as he was familiarly called, noticed a dinner pot bubbling over the fire, and as the woman left the room for a moment he peeped under the lid and saw a pudding boiling within. Pulling out a corner of the bag, he called the dog's attention to it and then they started down the road. They soon came to a halt, when he ordered the dog to go back and get that pudding, which he did, and the last they saw of the woman she was chasing "Bose" through the door with her broom, Uncle Caleb often told of the good dinner they made of it for many a year afterward. —Boston Post.

Jonas Got Even.

Jonas Hill, of Fayette, was at one time a suitor for the hand of a young lady whose parents did not favor him. Her father did not think that the social standing of Jonas was such as to render him a fit match for his daughter, but he told the young man that if he would bring him high toned references he would consider his claim. Jonas said nothing, but felt indignant, and resolved to have his revenge. So he procured the best of recommendations as to his character and standing in society. The old man examined the credentials and was satisfied. "All right," said he, "you are welcome, walk into my parlor, and your horse shall be stabled and fed." "Not by any means," replied Jonas; "my horse is neither hungry nor dry, and I shall never darken your doors any more. Good day, sir." And, putting the whip to his horse, he drove out of the door yard, leaving the old gentleman glaring after him, dumfounded.—Lewiston Journal.

Miss Dickinson as a Speaker.

Anna Dickinson was essentially a magnetic speaker; there has been no one like her before or since. It was a distinct loss to the platform when she left it. There has been a great deal of wonder as to why she left her work when she was at the flood tide of her popularity. The reason is simply this: She felt that she had no message to give, and she was too truly a Quaker to speak unless she felt the moving of the spirit. "I had a message to bring," she said, "and I gave it from my heart, but my work is done for the present; what may come up by and by I cannot tell. When it comes, and if it comes, it will find me ready." There is no one who ever heard her who does not wish that a message would be again given her.—Boston Herald.

How to Shake Hands.

A man and a woman meet and both burst into a smile of welcome. Then the woman swings her right arm, which is perfectly rigid, straight out from the shoulder and directly in front of her. When the hand has reached the height of her chin she holds it there, with the thumb toward the face and the palm turned slightly outward. The man who has been approaching her gently takes hold of the hand a good deal as one might grasp the rung of a ladder. He bows slightly, as though intending to press his lips to the lady's hand, and then lets go abruptly and drops his hand to his side. Then the woman drops her stiffened arm and the ceremony is over. This is English.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Best Fuel.

Soft coal makes a cheap and hot fire. It is dirty; a filter attached to the cistern is a necessity if soft coal is used. It is better than poor wood.

Hard coal is excellent to cook on in winter if the stove is made to burn it. Patience is an important requisite when learning to make, keep and use a hard coal fire. It seems easy and is, when one learns how; one of the first things to learn is to leave it alone.—Good Housekeeping.

CATCHING THE TARPON.

A Story of a Day's Sport with Rod and Line Near the Coast of Florida.

Just before sunset we arrived at Blanco and anchored in shore in about four feet of water. I have always found that the tarpon bite best in shallow water. Putting on baits I cast them from the sailboat, using both my rods, intending to fish from the large boat only. Hardly ten minutes had passed; the men were preparing supper when, above the glassy surface not ten yards from the boat, a magnificent tarpon tail appeared immediately over one of my baits. This was followed by a sudden swirl which almost caused my two men to fall overboard with excitement. Seizing my rod I pulled off and gave the rapidly moving fish some thirty feet more of slack line, then waiting till my line was taut, I gave a good strike. There was a mighty leap, a fierce shake of the head, and whiz went my reel. "Thank heaven, he's hooked," I gasped.

Getting into the rowboat I followed the leader. Now and then from the sailboat came encouraging remarks from my excited cook. Supper, I need hardly say, suffered sadly from want of attention. Meanwhile I was going through the ordinary evolutions of catching a tarpon, enjoying its exciting rushes and beautiful leaps as they took place under the reddish glow of the fading sunset. Already I had him well tired out, and was pulling him in gradually to gaff when I noticed a huge fin some eighty yards off. The fin cut the glassy water like the bow of a steam yacht. The tarpon, becoming aware of this immense shark's presence and imbued with new life, shot off in his intense fear. But he was fagged out, and I soon stopped him. The shark meanwhile had slowed up and was slowly circling about tarpon and boat, perhaps hesitating between two appetizing dishes. I felt a chill run down my back and my hair seemed to creep when slowly coming straight up to the boat he passed not three feet underneath, revealing not more than twelve feet of a spotted back. He doubled and prepared to play the same trick. Feeling that a strike of his tail under the boat might throw one or more of us in the water, I yelled to Joe: "Strike him in the jaw with an oar!" Joe gave him a powerful blow that caused him to swerve aside for a moment, but in an instant, turning on his side, he made a vicious snap at the oar.

Joe, nothing daunted, was about to hit him again. "Leave him alone!" I cried. "You are only making matters worse. Let us gaff the tarpon and get him in the boat, and we will get a revolver." Meanwhile, standing in the bow, my mind was divided between my fear of falling in the water, where the shark might interview me, and losing my tarpon. The tarpon, by the way, all this time had been acting in a most eccentric way, evidently frightened crazy by the presence of this large shark. The latter, however, ceased his attentions to us, and began to circle around the tarpon, who made frantic efforts to get away, while I, realizing that it was nip and tuck between the shark and I as to who would get that tarpon, risked all the strength I dared on my line, and tried to get the fish within gaffing distance. I had succeeded in getting him within twenty feet of the boat, and seeing him come in belly up, bleeding greatly from the gills, was beginning to flatter myself I had added one more to my record. Suddenly clearing the water like lightning, with a fierce rush, the shark made for him. There was a horrible splashing—I saw the tarpon lifted clear of the water, while the spot became blackened with blood. For a moment I was dazed, not to say scared, by the sudden turn matters had taken.

Joe, too, was kneeling in the bottom of the boat, his eyes starting out of his head. He finally said, his voice gradually rising into a shriek, "Well, if I ever saw anything like that may I be shot!" Recovering myself I wound in my line, feeling nothing but a dead weight attached to it. As I pulled this came to the surface, the water gurgling round and round through it. With a shout of laughter Joe screamed out, "Well, you have got his head anyhow!" Sure enough, there was the tarpon's head, with shreds of skin hanging from it. But Joe spoke rather too early, for the twisting mass was suddenly seized and dragged beneath, while my line snapped. Throwing the rod down in the boat and uttering a strong cuss word, I seized the oars and rowed silently back to the boat. Here we were accosted by the cook, who had taken in the whole thing from the boat, and was in a frenzied condition of excitement which almost equaled ours. Supper I found going to chips, but I was too mad even to swear at the cook. The tarpon, so far as I could judge, would have weighed between 120 and 130 pounds, and measured from 6 feet 2 inches to 6 feet 4 inches in length. The shark was of the species known as "leopard shark" on the coast.—Outing.

Taught the Dog to Steal.

Annoyed by the repeated loss of his paper which the carrier was accustomed to leave on the doorstep of his residence on Walnut street, Mr. Smith recently arose in time to get the paper when the carrier arrived. He marked it on the inside with a blue pencil: "This paper was stolen from ——," left it in the usual place on the step and went back into the house to await the approach of the thief. Ten minutes later, having heard no sound of any one approaching, he looked out and was dumfounded to find the paper missing. He laid a similar trap next morning, and sat in the parlor window to watch. The carrier had not been gone two minutes before a big Newfoundland dog trotted into his dooryard, took the paper in his mouth and ran off. The gentleman followed the dog around the corner and saw three boys meet the animal there, take the paper and direct the dog to another dooryard. After collecting the papers the boys took them home to their mother, had the creases ironed out, and sold them on the streets down town.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Lemon Soap and Orange Blacking.

Lemons are used for soap in many countries where they grow. When, for instance, the men and women of the West Indies want to wash their hands they squeeze the juice of a lemon over them and rub them briskly in water until they are clean. There is an acid in the lemon similar to that used in soap, and hence it is a sort of natural soap. And in countries where oranges grow in great plenty country gentlemen use the cheapest kind for blacking their boots. The orange is cut in two and the juicy side of one half is rubbed on the soot of an iron pot and then on the boot. Then the boot is rubbed with a soft brush, and a bright polish at once appears.—Detroit Free Press.

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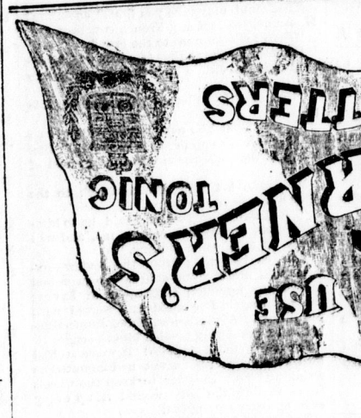
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We hunted in the garden, we peeped about to see
If sleeping under rose tree or lilac she might be.
But nothing came in answer to all our anxious call
Until at length we hastened within the darkening hall.
And then upon the stillness there broke a silvery tone—
The darling mite was standing before the telephone,
And softly, as we listened, came stealing down the stairs:
"H'lo, Central! Give me heaven. I want to say my prayers."
—Sidney Dayre in Independent.

THE STRANGE FLUTIST.

Last January, on the first evening that a light snow carpeted the roofs of Paris, a closed carriage rolled along the boulevards, spinning like a zebra. It was so loaded with trunks that you would have thought an actress was setting out on a journey.

Worse. Within was a valetudinarian, large and fat, one of those whom a trifle disturbs, and who think their final day of reckoning is near when they have a cold in the head. This one imagined he had weak lungs. So at the approach of cold weather he bundled himself with furs and fled to Nice.

He was a bachelor. Although he could have married at any time, for he had 100,000 francs in stocks, and therefore suited many young ladies, he had been unwilling to dispose of his right hand. Next to himself, the one he loved best was his cook—not for herself, but for her cooking. No one took better care of No. 1. Under no circumstances would he have disturbed himself to do a favor. He would not have lent five sous to his father in the street, for it would have been necessary to unbutton his overcoat to take out his purse.

He was indeed the most extravagant crank to be met with. His most insignificant acts were on system; he slept, rose, ate, smoked and took medicine with his watch in hand. Many curious stories were told at his expense. For instance, he was so nervous, so irritable, that he detested the songsters in the courtyards. The porter had to drive them away with the broom. To persons who persisted in singing in the street he quickly threw a half franc on condition that they would leave. Now, every time the porter lacked the price of a drink he put on a false beard and a red waistcoat and went under the window, tapping on a pan as a prelude to a dance. Immediately a half franc was forthcoming.

The neighbors had to hold their sides, for there are people who cannot help laughing.

At Nice he always put up at the great United States hotel, where for fifteen years the same magnificent room, well exposed to the sun, had been reserved for his use. It was the only one he fancied, and he occupied it until April 2 at noon precisely, the hour at which he set out for Paris.

His name excited mirth. I will not attempt an explanation, but everybody smiled whenever he was introduced. He was known as M. Jaune.

Now M. Jaune arrived at Nice the day after leaving Paris at 6 o'clock in the evening. He partook of an excellent dinner—a bouillabaisse aux langoustes, a fillet marine, a quail, asparagus, and a bottle of Chateau la Rose. With this he hoped not to die with hunger. Then, after having smoked a good cigar to settle his coffee and champagne, he retired to rest.

It was 9 o'clock when he ensconced himself in bed. He extinguished the light, and, stretching himself out, anticipated sleep like a dormouse.

But scarcely had he dropped into a doze when a flute was heard in the next apartment playing the air from Faust:

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

The tone was sweet and silvery, so the first impression was charming; but the flutist cut short the melody at the fourth measure and repeated it several times, then rested for five minutes and resumed in like manner, stopping at the same point.

"What is the matter with him?" said M. Jaune to himself.

The other continued without a sign of trouble.

At the fifth rehearsal, as there is nothing so agreeable as not to weary in the end, M. Jaune tapped on the partition wall. The flute was silent. Satisfied, he took a potation from his night table and closed his eyes. It was 10 o'clock. The hotel was almost empty, the greater part of the guests not having yet come in. Suddenly the peaceful silence was broken by the flute.

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

M. Jaune grew excited.

"Whew! He is getting to be a nuisance. If this is for an extra attraction I will dispense with it."

He tapped loudly and cried out:

"Will you stop! If you don't I'll gaze upon your face pretty soon!"

When M. Jaune got angry he forgot the dictates of politeness. There was silence again, and he began to get drowsy.

Suddenly:

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

"Fie! The mean scamp!"

He rang for the chambermaid.

"Who is this idiot of a flutist whom I have for a neighbor?" he asked.

"A flutist?" she exclaimed, with a vacant air. "Why, M. Jaune, you are dreaming. The chamber is empty."

M. Jaune dared not reply. The surmise obtruded itself that perhaps he was beginning to have delusions. Besides, so long as the chambermaid was at hand the flutist could not be heard. But scarcely was she gone, crack:

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

And so on about once a minute. M. Jaune floundered about and sank under the bed coverings exhausted.

At 11 o'clock he heard some one enter. Under the partition door he saw a gleam of light. He heard the rustling of garments and preparations for bed. Afterward quiet reigned, and he slept, as usual, until the next noon.

On this second day, after having taken a walk on the Promenade Des Anglais for a sun bath, passed a little time at the club and dined composedly, he went up to retire at 10 o'clock.

He commenced undressing. Suddenly—just so—you have it:

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

Forgetting his grotesque appearance in his nightcap, half undressed, he rushed down to complain to the master of the house.

"M. Favioli, why do you furnish lodgings to musical artists in a house which I thought so commendable?"

"Truly, M. Jaune, I do not know what you mean. I beg you to believe that I have regard enough for my interests to refuse those people."

"Then you have one without knowing it—a flutist—at No. 10, next me."

"I beg your pardon, M. Jaune, at No. 10 is a most sedate lady, Mme. Kissmicouick, of the United States, and at No. 6 is Miss Whiterose, of London."

"I repeat that there is a flutist at No. 10. Perhaps the lady thrusts him into the wardrobe when any one goes in."

"I beg your pardon again, M. Jaune. Mme. Kissmicouick enjoys an irreproachable reputation. No landlord in Nice would be willing to receive a doubtful character. Mme. Kissmicouick is a mature widow. If she flirted it would be seriously, and as she weighs some 200 pounds it would not be with a flute. She would take at least a clarionet. This lady goes every evening into the best society, and returns at 11 o'clock."

M. Jaune, disconcerted, went back to his room. However, his head was scarcely on the pillow—crack! you have it:

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

"Flute again!" exclaimed M. Jaune. He rang for the chambermaid.

"Ask your master to come here."

M. Favioli hurried up.

"Listen, pray," said M. Jaune.

M. Favioli endeavored to hold his breath. Of a sudden two philandering cats set up a caterwauling on the balcony.

"I hear only two cats talking love to each other," said M. Favioli.

"I hear them, too," M. Jaune chimed in. "Be patient! The flute will begin again."

M. Favioli held his breath.

Suddenly, crack, the flute!

"Let, oh, let me gaze upon thy face!"

M. Jaune, in agitation, struck against the wall, while M. Favioli burst into loud laughter.

"I have it, M. Jaune—I have it. I will present you to the artist. Please follow me."

He took a light, and opening Mme. Kissmicouick's door with his pass key, he pointed to a cage on the table, in which a bird similar to our blackbirds was moving his head about and singing without a semblance of fear.

"That is Mme. Kissmicouick's flute, M. Jaune—an Australian nightingale. These birds learn an air perfectly and in the night charm the neighbors."

Somewhat calmer, for it was folly to get angry with a bird, M. Jaune said:

"Propose to the lady to sell it to me. Go as high as 500 francs, that I may have the satisfaction of wringing its neck."

"Well, M. Jaune, I will speak to her this evening."

M. Favioli complied with his promise, but Mme. Kissmicouick sent him walking.

"Five hundred francs!" she cried. "I think as much of it as a Chinaman of his pigtail. Say to that fellow that I will not sell my bird for $500, for it is a souvenir of my husband."

The word "fellow" touched M. Jaune's sensibility; he grew red in the face and threatened retaliation.

As Mme. Kissmicouick was accustomed to sleep from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon he scraped on a violin, 200 times in succession, the first four measures of "Returning from the Review."

Unfortunately for his plan Mme. Kissmicouick was deaf of one ear. She lay on the other and slept with the serenity of a marmot.

In the evening, still in a perspiration, delighted with having silenced the bird, if not the mistress, he promised himself a fine sleep.

But hark! Suddenly in the silence, crack! you have. No, you don't have it.

The bird, which had, it appeared, a prodigious memory, began to sing "Returning from the Review," without prejudice to "Let Me," first one, then the other; so that instead of one annoyance M. Jaune had two.

Under such provocation he stole with the tread of a wolf to Mme. Kissmicouick's door. By chance she had not locked it. He hurried to the cage, and with heart full of bitterness threw into it a biscuit dipped in arseniate of potash and tripped back again to his room.

But, far from making away with itself, as the cruel lordling hoped, the bird sang twice a minute instead of once, and then, as though it had two throats, it warbled the two airs together, "Let Me," and "The Review."

Furious, M. Jaune ran again to the door of the American lady. She had now come in and locked it, but it gave way under the impact of his shoulder.

"Madame," cried he, "your conditions, no matter what they are?"

"Indeed, sir," she replied, her face suffused with blushes, "you have broken into my domicile with a high hand. Save my honor! Marry me!"

"Beelzebub may take you first!" exclaimed M. Jaune, without any French courtesy.

"Then I shall appeal to the law."

Pestered by the endless troubles which pursued him M. Jaune was finally brought to say:

"I consent if you let me kill that miserable parrot."

"I will hand him over to you willingly on the day of the nuptials, dear M. John." She thought that his name was John instead of Jaune.

M. Jaune led Mme. Kissmicouick to the altar a few days afterward.

"I will be so disagreeable," said he to himself, "that she cannot endure me, and will hurry off to her own country."

Now, on returning from the review—excuse me, I mean from church—he promised himself the inhuman satisfaction of having the nightingale fricasseed and served with his dinner. Nevertheless, Mme. Jaune-Kissmicouick graciously handed him the cage.

Zounds! What a surprise! It was a stuffed bird which a Parisian artist had mounted as a singing bird. In order to keep the wheels from rusting the lady wound it up every evening before going out.

The other nightingale, which M. Jaune had taught to sing "The Review," was that of Miss Whiterose at No. 6.

In face of such contempt M. Jaune has entered a complaint to annul the marriage for error of person—or rather for error of bird. —Translated from the French for the San Francisco Call.

No Flower Language Now.

The fact that fashion has found its way into the flower garden and decrees what flowers shall be favored and what flowers shall be cut, or rather remain uncut, has of course wiped out what was known as the language of flowers. And that language is now much more of a dead language than either Greek or Sanscrit. It is one of the very few silly things that fashion has ever blotted out. The usual process is for fashion to build silly things up. It may have been all right a number of years ago for the fond lover to proclaim his devotion by means of a bunch of heliotrope and for the maiden to respond encouragement with a few sprays of golden rod. But as heliotrope and golden rod are very cheap and inexpensive flowers, and as fashion is absolutely ignorant of their existence, it is now considered to be in much better form for a young man bubbling over with devotion and a yearning for matrimony to use pen and ink and heavy white paper if he is afraid to use the English language personally, and for the young girl to respond after the same fashion.—New York World.

Chicago Precocity.

The average Chicago youngster is never at a loss for a word or a loophole. One little one, who has been cross and fretful lately, was corrected by an elder sister several times without avail. Finally the elder sister said: "You have been very naughty lately, Eliza, and I think you should pray to be made better. I wish you would." Always ready and willing to oblige, the youngster knelt in prayer that same night, and, addressing the heavenly throne, said solemnly: "I pray that the Lord will make me better, and—if at first you don't succeed, try, try again.'" Good results are already apparent.—Chicago Herald.

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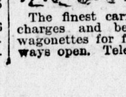
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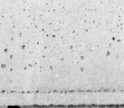
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