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On both July 1st and 2nd there will be a fine programme of field sports, lacrosse matches, etc., in connection with the races, also acrobatic performances and novelty features.

Brockville's celebrated race track is in splendid condition.

In the morning of the 1st the big 10 mile Marathon road race takes place and the best runners in Canada will compete. Numerous entries are in from Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal, etc. An aquatic programme takes place on the river front each morning. There will be music galore, a regimental parade, exhibition fire drill, minstrel performance and band concert in the evening, and something doing on the streets all the time.

All railroads have greatly reduced rates and steamboat excursions have been arranged from Eastern and Western ports.

### AFTER FOUR YEARS

Preceding his sermon on Sunday evening the Rev. S. J. Hughes addressed a few words of farewell to his congregation and the people of Athens. He said that he and his family had received every kindness and consideration from the members of the church on this circuit and from the people generally, and they very much regretted leaving Athens for another field of labor. His final sermon was an appropriate introduction for the new minister, pointing out the importance of the message that was to be brought and the nature of the reception due the messenger.

Following the service, which closed with "God be with you till we meet again," the official board of the circuit assembled in the Sunday school hall and Mr. Hughes was invited to meet them. Mr. T. S. Kendrick presided over the meeting, which was largely informal. Mr. H. R. Knowlton was the first speaker and, addressing Mr. Hughes, said:

We would not wish that the pleasant relationship which has existed between us, as pastor and people, should be severed without in some way expressing to you the regret we feel at parting, and in speaking for this board I am glad to think that I voice the sentiment of the whole congregation. During your pastorate here, we feel that you have constantly labored to give us higher ideals, to lead us into a higher, truer and better life, and we believe much good has been done by your earnest, faithful teaching and example. Financially, we have done well under your leadership, and we trust even better spiritually. As a board we desire to thank you for your uniform courtesy to each and all of us, for your interest in all matters pertaining to our progress, either financial or spiritual, for the kindly and sympathetic spirit you have shown on all occasions, and for the encouragement you have given us, and in parting we wish to assure you that you are leaving friends whose interest will not cease with separation, but will follow you with kindly interest wherever God may lead you, and we trust and pray that He may abundantly bless and prosper you.

In concluding, Mr. Knowlton moved that the sentiments he had expressed be conveyed to Mr. Hughes as voicing the regret the board felt at parting and their appreciation of the very satisfactory way in which he had discharged his duties.

Milton Mansel warmly endorsed the sentiments expressed in seconding the motion and Mr. Philip Robinson and Mr. I. C. Algire also spoke briefly along the same line.

Rev. Mr. Hughes then expressed his high appreciation of this manifestation of kindly feeling, and said he had never worked with a more harmonious board as not a single unpleasant word had been spoken during all the meetings that they had held.

—Wedding stationery—latest type designs at the Reporter office. Call and see these goods.

## LEEDS' W. C. T. U.

The 22nd annual convention of Leeds County W. C. T. U. opened in the Baptist church at Athens on June 18 with the superintendent and officers in their places.

Nearly all the local unions sent delegates and many good reports were received from the different departments of work. Flower Mission, Temperance in S. S. and Lumbermen's work were in advance of the other departments. The session was interesting and profitable.

The evening session was held in the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Hughes conducted the devotional exercises, after which there was music, reading recitations, etc. The president, Mrs. Johnston, gave her annual address. The different pastors of the village were present and all gave kindly encouragement. The Rev. Mr. Scott, Baptist minister, gave an address on the word "Amethyst," as found in Rev. 21:20. The meaning of this precious stone, which must be the foundation of all true work, was new to many of us, and the discourse was very much enjoyed. The Union appreciate Mr. Scott's kindness in giving so much thought and time to the subject.

At the morning session held in the Baptist church, Mrs. B. O. Britton of Gananoque led the devotional exercises and then plans of work were discussed. The reports of missionaries to the lumber camps and mines in Northern Ontario show that more help is needed in the work. Valuable discussions ensued, and the following officers were elected:

- President—Mrs. (Rev.) Wood, Newboro.
- Assistant organizer for County—Mrs. Mackie, Lake Elzoida.
- 1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. B. O. Britton, Gananoque.
- 2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. C. C. Slack, Athens.
- Rec. Sec.—Miss G. Coad, Brockville.
- Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Athens.
- Treas.—Miss Findlay, Hansdowne.

## HOWE-McLEAN

At high noon in Brockville on Wednesday a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. McLean, King street west when their eldest daughter, Miss Helena became the wife of Rev. J. B. Howe, of Marbleton, P. Q., son of Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Howe, Athens. The contracting couple were unattended and the ceremony was performed by Rev. F. C. Reynolds, pastor of George Street Methodist church.

The bride, given away by her father was gowned in white point d'esprit over white silk and lace trimmings. She carried a large bouquet of white roses and the only ornament worn was a gold watch, a gift of the groom.

The guests were confined to the respective families and relatives and the bridal party were recipients of hearty congratulations. A sumptuous dinner was served and until afternoon the intervening hours were spent in social intercourse when Rev. and Mrs. Howe left to spend a few days in the country before going to Marbleton to take up residence.

The presents received by each were many and beautiful and bore testimony to the high esteem in which the young people were held. The bride is a Brockville young lady of many fine qualities and her removal from town will be felt for many months by her friends. She was a member of the choir and an active worker in the interests of George Street church. Rev. Mr. Howe is pastor of the Methodist church at Marbleton, where he is very popular.

Guests present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. N. Howe, Delorina Howe, Miss Addie Howe, Athens; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, Smith's Falls; Miss Jennie Nichols, Toledo; Rev. J. A. Waddell, Toronto.—Times.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Howe were ten days in the home of the bride's parents on Friday evening and they remained here over Sunday visiting friends.

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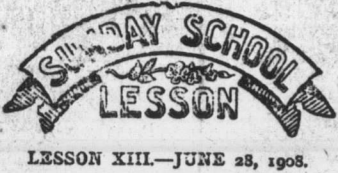
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LESSON XIII.—JUNE 23, 1908.

Temperance Lesson.—Eph. 5: 6-20.

COMMENTARY.—I. The children of darkness and of light contrasted (vs. 6-14). 6. Let no man deceive you—in the first verses of the chapter the apostle brings a severe arraignment against uncleanness, covetousness, foolish talking, jesting and idolatry, and in this verse he warns us of the danger of being deceived by the "vain words" of the man who looks upon these things as innocent, or as "the unavoidable frailties of human nature," because of these things—They are so abominable in the sight of God that those who practice them are called "the children of disobedience," and divine punishment will come upon them.

7. Be not... partakers—Here is a clear call to complete separation from sinners and sinners, 8 walk as children of light—Let your life show that you have been changed from darkness to light—delivered from the power of darkness and translated into the kingdom of Christ (Col. 1:13). Darkness is the emblem of ignorance, superstition, misery, sin, and of all that is vile and degrading; light is honor, the joy that is kindled by the worship of the true God and of the heathen deities. After offering sacrifices to Bacchus, the god of wine, it was the custom of the people to get drunk in his honor. The joy that is kindled by wine is degrading; that which is kindled by the Holy Spirit is edifying and soul-inspiring. To be filled with the Spirit; it implies divine guidance; it is to be filled with God and to accept Him as the only portion of the soul. 19. Speaking, etc.—Men filled with wine sing vile songs, but God's people sing the songs of Zion. Christianity is a religion of song; infidelity does not sing. With your heart (R. V.)—The Lord is not satisfied until he gets the heart. Christianity is a heart religion.

20. Always—in times of adversity and trial as well as in times of blessing. For all things—Rom. 8: 28; 1 Thess. 5: 18. Unto God—James 1: 17.

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS. Some remarkable contrasts are found in the chapter from which our lesson is taken. These contrasts, applied to the effects of intemperance and temperance, are:

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Redeeming the time—To redeem time is to regain what is lost and to save what is left.—Hom. Com. "Buying up the opportunity."—R. V. margin. By eagerly seizing the moments, by diligence, by continued application this can be done. Days are evil—"The present times are dangerous, and are full of troubles and temptations, and only the watchful and diligent portion any reason, to expect to keep their garments clean."

17. Be ye not foolish (R. V.)—Here is a most evident allusion to the orgies of Bacchus, in which his votaries acted like madmen, running about, tossing their heads from shoulder to shoulder, appearing to be in every sense completely frantic.

18. Be not drunk—Do not become drunken with wine and act like fools or madmen. There were doubtless converted drunkards among the Christians to whom Paul wrote, and wine was their especial danger. Intemperance is a folly, a waste a degradation, a sin. It must be renounced or the end will be destruction. Wherein is excess—"Wherein is 'not.'"—R. V. "The word here translated excess means profligacy and debauchery of every kind, such as are generally connected with drunkenness, and especially among the worshippers of Bacchus."—Clarke. Paul's prohibition is positive and absolute. "One is forbidden because it causes rioting. Filled with the spirit."—Here Paul shows the difference between the worship of the true God and of the heathen deities. After offering sacrifices to Bacchus, the god of wine, it was the custom of the people to get drunk in his honor. The joy that is kindled by wine is degrading; that which is kindled by the Holy Spirit is edifying and soul-inspiring. To be filled with the Spirit; it implies divine guidance; it is to be filled with God and to accept Him as the only portion of the soul. 19. Speaking, etc.—Men filled with wine sing vile songs, but God's people sing the songs of Zion. Christianity is a religion of song; infidelity does not sing. With your heart (R. V.)—The Lord is not satisfied until he gets the heart. Christianity is a heart religion.

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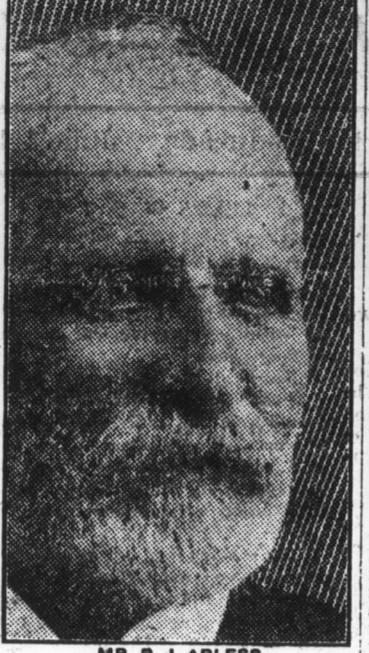
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NASAL CATARRH PRODUCES DEAFNESS RELIEF IN PE-RU-NA.

Mr. R. J. Arless, 401 City Hall Ave., Montreal, Quebec, is an old gentleman of wide acquaintance, having served thirty-eight years in the General Post-office of Montreal, a record which speaks for itself. Concerning his use of Peruna, see letter given below.



MR. R. J. ARLESS.

"I have been afflicted with nasal catarrh to such a degree that it affected my hearing. This was contracted some twenty years ago by being exposed to draughts and sudden changes of temperature. I have been under the treatment of specialists and have used many drugs recommended as specifics for catarrh in the head and throat—all to no purpose. About three years ago I was induced by a confrere in office to try Peruna. After some hesitation, as I had doubts as to results after so many failures, I gave Peruna a trial, and am happy to state that after using eight or ten bottles of Peruna I am much improved in hearing, and in breathing through the nostrils."

man bids men avoid the danger of drunkenness, not by using wine and beer in moderation, but by total abstinence, avoiding wine altogether. IV. Drunk with wine, filled with the Spirit (v. 18). "Wine" is contrasted with the "Holy Spirit" and being "drunk" with being "filled." A similar contrast is in the prophecy concerning John the Baptist: "He shall drink neither wine or strong drink, and he shall be filled with the Holy Ghost" (Luke 1: 15). The Spirit of Wine and the Spirit of God are incompatible. He who indulges in the flesh loses the power of the Spirit. Be not drunk with wine, but be filled with the Spirit. One leads to vice, the other to virtue. One is the enemy of order, the other is the source of peace.—A. C. M.

A SECOND TIME ELECTED.

Washington, June 22.—Bishop Chas. Henry Brent, of the Philippine Islands, was to-day again elected Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Washington, to succeed Henry V. Satterlee, deceased. Bishop Brent declined the first election, but the diocesan convention insisted upon his choice to-day, in the hope that he would reconsider his action.

Bishop Brent is a native of Newcastle, Ont., and a graduate of Trinity University.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Congress Meeting in Amsterdam—Cannot Come Here.

Amsterdam, June 22.—The Women Suffrage Congress to-day decided that the next congress shall be held in England. Invitations from Canada were declined, as it was agreed England needed the most immediate support of the suffragists. There was some grumbling that most of the speeches were in English and so few in French or German. The foreign delegates found it difficult to understand the American voices.

An enfranchised delegate from New Zealand assured her sisters of America and Great Britain that they were more likely to gain the right of suffrage by patience and intelligence than by agitating and going to prison. The English suffragettes thereupon shouted a query, and the proceedings were briefly interrupted. Testimony was given by enfranchised women from America, Australia, Norway and Finland to the effect that women voters often differ from their husbands politically without discord. They are always making efforts to secure social, educational and temperance reform.

It is not the Dutch, but the women who have taken Holland. To the capital of the Netherlands, bearing the imprint of seven centuries, have journeyed the most modern and progressive women of twenty-three countries, reaching around the globe, with the avowed object of upsetting traditional methods of government and changing the decrees of Church and State. And over a thousand people in Amsterdam and its vicinity have paid five florins apiece to see them do it. The women of Holland are well organized for many different purposes. The National Suffrage Society is fourteen years old and has about 5,000 members.

S. S. ABERDEEN BURNED.

Stewardess Compelled to Jump From Upper Deck. A St. John, N. B., despatch: Yesterday morning at 2 o'clock the steamer Aberdeen was burned to the water's edge at Cole's Island, in the St. John River, a few yards from where the ill-fated Crystal steamer went up in flames last year and four men were burned to death. The lives of the crew of the Aberdeen, nine souls in all, were saved almost by a miracle, and as it was, Mrs. McLeod, the stewardess, had to jump from the upper deck into the arms of James Hutchinson, the engineer, standing on the guard below.

The fire was discovered by people on the shore returning from a dance, and their cries awoke the members of the crew. In an hour the steamer was a bare hulk on the bottom of the river, and practically nothing was saved from her. Great difficulty was also experienced in saving the steamer Simcocks, lying not fifteen yards from her. Fred West's store and the cheese factory situated a few feet away. The Aberdeen was valued at \$10,000 by her owners and insured for about \$3,000. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

ACCUSED OF PERJURY.

A Brighton, Ont., Man Arrested at Rochester. Rochester, June 22.—At the conclusion of the divorce trial of Flossie M. C. Shewman, of Brighton, Ont., against her husband, Archibald, now a resident of this city, Justice Sawyer ordered that the complainant be given an absolute divorce and directed that Robert Allard, of Brighton, be arrested on the charge of perjury. Allard was surprised, and when the Sheriff's deputies escorted him from the court room the man was on the point of collapse.

Mrs. Shewman is of a well-to-do family in Brighton, and was married to her husband in 1902. Since coming to this city Shewman has been living on University avenue, and it was from some of the roomers at the house where he lives that Mrs. Shewman obtained the evidence that gave her a decree.

RIOT AT MIDLAND.

Foreigners Working on the G. T. Elevator Strike. Midland despatch: The foreigners employed by the Metcalf Company, contractors for the new G. T. elevator here, to the number of about 250, went on strike this morning, demanding \$2 per day. A few of the strikers created a riot by threatening, assaulting and intimidating the other men who remained on the work. An information was laid before Police Magistrate Jeffrey, and the police, assisted by many citizens, went to the works and succeeded in arresting six of the rioters, who are now confined in jail.

The Italians seem to have lost their heads and chased a workman named Smith with a rope and crowbar because he would not stop work. Others used clubs and gaspines to try and frighten the workmen who remained. Several men were beaten, but only one was badly hurt, and he is in the hospital.

INSTIGATOR OF CRIMES.

Rome, June 22.—Abbate Maggio, the notorious Camorra, whose revelations concerning the Cuccolo double murder led to the arrest of the chiefs of the Camorra, is now suspected of being the instigator of the Camorra crimes. His revelations were intended to baffle the work of the police. He was arrested after a six hours' siege of his home near Capua, and was taken to Naples under a gaspines, as his murder by members of the Camorra was feared. His arrest complicates the celebrated trial of Camorra, which has not been concluded, owing to insufficient evidence.

MARKET REPORTS.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Live Stock. Receipts of live stock at the city market for Wednesday and Thursday, as reported by the railways, were 123 car loads, composed of 1,655 cattle, 2,722 hogs, 1,318 sheep and lambs, 397 calves and 5 horses.

Exporters—Export steers sold at \$3 to \$6.45; export bulls, at \$4.75 to \$5.25 per cwt. Butchers—Stall-fed butchers were firm, but grassers were reported easier. Prime pickers lots of butchers' sold at \$5.60 to \$5.85; good loads, \$5.25 to \$5.50; medium, \$5 to \$5.20; mixed loads, \$4.50 to \$4.90; fair cows, \$3.75 to \$4.30; common cows, \$3.25 to \$3.50.

Farmers' Market. The offerings of grain to-day were small. Wheat is lower, with sales of 200 bushels of fall grades at 82 to 83c. Barley unchanged, 100 bushels selling at 55c a bushel. Hay is unchanged, with sales of 25 loads at \$10 to \$12 a ton. Straw nominal at \$11 a ton.

Dressed hogs are quiet, with prices a little firmer. Light sold at \$8.35 to \$8.50, and heavy at \$8.25. Wheat, white, bush... \$ 0.82 \$ 0.83 Do., red, bush... 0.82 0.83 Do., spring, bush... 0.80 0.90 Do., goose, bush... 0.78 0.00 Oats, bush... 0.51 0.00 Barley, bush... 0.55 0.00 Peas, bush... 0.89 0.00 Hay, timothy, ton... 10.00 12.00 Hay, clover, ton... 9.00 10.00 Straw, per ton... 11.00 12.00 Dressed hogs... 8.25 8.50 Butter, dairy... 0.18 0.23 Do., creamery... 0.23 0.26 Eggs, new laid, dozen... 0.19 0.20 Chickens, year old, lb... 0.15 0.17 Fowl, per lb... 0.12 0.14 Apples, per barrel... 1.50 3.00 Onions, per bag... 1.25 1.40 Potatoes, per bag... 0.85 0.95 Cabbage, per dozen... 0.40 0.50 Beef, hindquarters... 9.50 11.00 Do., forequarters... 6.00 7.50 Do., choice, carcass... 9.00 9.50 Do., medium, carcass... 6.50 7.50 Mutton, per cwt... 9.00 10.00 Veal, prime, per cwt... 7.00 9.00 Lamb, per cwt... 14.00 15.00

The Fruit Market. The receipts of fruits and vegetables were fairly large to-day, but strawberries were less plentiful. Prices as follows: Strawberries, box... \$ 0.07 \$ 0.10 Cherries, basket... 0.75 1.00 Pineapples, crate... 3.00 3.50 Oranges, Val., box... 2.00 0.00 Lemons, box... 2.50 3.00 Bananas, bunch... 1.25 2.00 Peaches, box... 1.50 2.50 Apricots, box... 1.50 2.00 Plums, box... 1.50 2.00 Cabbage, crate... 1.50 1.75 Asparagus, dozen... 0.50 0.75 Cucumbers, hamper... 2.25 0.00 Tomatoes, green, bunch... 0.15 0.00 Tomatoes... 1.00 1.20 Potatoes, new, bbl... 4.50 0.00 Potatoes, new hamper... 2.00 0.00 Cantaloupes, crate... 8.00 0.00 Watermelons, each... 0.40 0.50

Sugar Markets. St. Lawrence Sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$5 in barrels, and No. 1 golden \$4.69 in barrels. These prices are for delivery; car lots 5c less.

OTHER MARKETS.

New York Sugar Market. Sugar—Raw, easy; fair refining, \$3.81; centrifugal, 96 test, \$4.31; molasses sugar, \$3.56; refined, steady.

Winnipeg Wheat Market. Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures: Wheat—June \$1.04 1/2 bid, July \$1.05 bid, Oct. 86 1/2c bid. Oats—June 42 1/2c asked, July 43c.

Cheese Boards. Kingston—492 boxes white and 710 colored; all sold at 11 5/10c and 11 1/2c lb. respectively. Platon—2,150 boxes colored sold at 11 7/10c per lb. Brockville—3,022 boxes white, 1,695 colored; sales, small, at 11 1/2c.

British Cattle Markets. London—London cables for cattle are steady at 12 to 13 1/2c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 1/2 to 10 3/4c per lb.

Wall Street News. German rate reduced to 4 per cent. from 4 1/2 per cent. on the reduced level. Since the cut two weeks ago 285,000 tons have been booked by the mills.

Bradstreet's Trade Review. Montreal—The trade situation here shows but little change from that of a week ago. Continued good weather and favorable crop reports have improved the feeling and, to some extent, broadened the scope of business moving. Buying for present use is still along conservative lines, but there is a steadily increasing tone to the outlook for fall trade. This improvement has been particularly noticeable in the drygoods trade. In fall

goods there is a decided preference being shown for high grade lines. Toronto—General business continues to show an improved tone all along the line. Orders are generally much better than they were a month ago and the market continues to improve. The sorting trade in drygoods is considerably brisker. Western buying is much better. In most districts collections are being met satisfactorily. Hardware lines are moving fairly well. The demand for building materials is moderate but showing increase. Prices hold about steady. Groceries are moving rather more freely.

Winnipeg—Business here and throughout the surrounding country has shown further improvement during the past week. Re-orders for summer goods and fall business are moving more briskly and the outlook favors a good business early in the autumn. Collections also show slight improvement. Merchants generally are endeavoring to clear up standing accounts.

Vancouver and Victor, a—All lines of trade have a fairly good tone. Wholesale supplies are in fair demand, but there is some complaint on the score of collections. Quebec—Orders are not large and are more of a sorting nature. Outlook for all trade is regarded as fair. Hamilton—Business continues to show improvement, although there is not yet the volume of trade reported at this time last year. The outlook for fall trade is bright and orders are already coming in satisfactorily. Collections are only fair. The drygoods and millinery trades have done a good business.

London—With further excellent reports of the coming crops there is a steady increase in the amount of business doing at both wholesale and retail. Ottawa—A fairly good wholesale and retail business is moving at the present moment and prospects are that there will be a steady improvement as the fall season approaches.

SMOTHERED BY SAND.

Three-Year-Old Boy Killed; Two Little Fellows Hurt. A Toronto despatch: Edward Billing, three years old, of 6 Bridgeman street, was killed, and Arthur Billing, same address, and Allan Ralph, 12 Bridgeman street, both five years of age, were badly injured by the caving in of a sand pit at the head of Howland avenue, in Dovercourt village, last night. The accident happened about 9 o'clock. The children had been playing in the sand pit and were digging at the base of the pit when they were suddenly buried beneath an avalanche of sand to the extent of ten feet. Three children who narrowly escaped being buried beneath the sand ran home and brought their parents to the scene of the accident. The work of rescuing the children was commenced with all possible speed, but it was ten minutes before the rescuers succeeded in reaching the spot where the unfortunate little tots were penned in. Edward Billing, the youngest of the three, was the first to be taken out of the pit, but life was extinct. Efforts were made by others who had come to the rescue to revive the boy, but without success, while a second party of diggers continued the search for the other two, who were located about ten yards from the spot where the first lad was found.

ON TRIAL AT DETROIT.

Bradford Man Pleads His Intention to Get Divorce. Detroit, June 22.—Francis Taggart was placed on trial this afternoon in the United States court on the charge of importing an alien girl into the United States for immoral purposes. Taggart's wife arrived this morning from her home in Bradford, Ont., and brought an attorney with her. If she finds that he is married to the girl she will charge him with bigamy. The girl in the case is Mary Gwendolyn Web, who came over from England only a few months ago. She is twenty years old; Taggart 33. It is alleged that the pair came to Michigan in September and lived together as man and wife at Watervliet, Ottawa county. Taggart tried to justify his actions by explaining that he resented intended to get a divorce and marry the English girl. Under the Federal statute Taggart cannot escape imprisonment if he is convicted.

THREE YEARS FOR BIGAMY.

Judge Sorry He Could Not Punish Woman Also. Toronto despatch: Harry Cook, a Toronto man, pleaded guilty to the charge of bigamy, before Judge Winchester yesterday, and was sentenced to serve three years in Kingston Penitentiary. The charge was laid by Miss Libby Landrihan, who married Cook at Richmond Hill, three years ago, and went with him to Haileybury. At the time of his second marriage, Cook's first wife was living in Toronto. After hearing the evidence in the case, which made it clear that Miss Landrihan was aware of the fact that Cook was already married when she married him, and also established the fact that Miss Landrihan was not overly particular in her manner of living, Judge Winchester stated that if the woman had not been called as a witness for the Crown he would punish her also. He said he was sorry he was not in a position to punish her, as she had been warned before marrying Cook.

THE BEEF-EATER MUST PAY.

Opening of British Ports to Canadian Cattle Opposed. London, June 22.—It is stated that neither the Dominion nor the home Government is anxious to have British ports reopened to Canadian cattle. Any change in which an element of certainty exists, it is contended, would be prejudicial to the interests of the Canadian farmer. The view is also taken that so long as Canadian cattle are not protected against disease from the United States it would be unwise to reopen British ports to them. The British beef-eater must, therefore, be content to pay

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Then he walked out of the room as if he could not bear to hear or say more. But before he started on his last search he arranged Sylvia's and Mercy's journey to England with his usual care and foresight. Sylvia had her own maid and a courier, and the orphan of Lord Hope might have traveled with the state of an empress if she had been so minded.

Mercy had decided that they would be quieter in lodgings than in a hotel, and the courier had engaged some comfortable rooms in Bury street, St. James.

Here she was waited upon by the great London manager, who was rather startled to find the famous prima donna so young and so quiet, and so sad looking.

For the first two or three days she and Mercy amused themselves in the intervals between practice and rehearsal in going about the great city, which Mercy seemed to know quite well. They saw most of the famous sights, but Sylvia enjoyed the park, with its throng of beautifully dressed men and women, and was quite unconscious that she and Mercy drove round the ring, in the modest hired brougham that all eyes were bent upon her own beautiful face. One afternoon on their way home, they passed down Park lane and South Audley street and Sylvia, who had turned to Mercy to make some remark, was surprised to see that she had turned deathly white, and was trembling.

"Oh, what is the matter, Mercy?" she asked, anxiously.

"Nothing—nothing," said Mercy, evidently struggling for composure. "It was only something—"

She stopped as if she did not wish to say any more, and Sylvia, looking round anxiously, could see nothing to alarm her companion. A tall, thin gentleman with a pale, thoughtful face, had just passed them, but he had not glanced at their carriage, and there was no one else at that moment near.

Sylvia stole her hand into Sylvia's still trembling one.

"Are you—better now, dear Mercy?" she asked.

Mercy smiled at her in her sad, resigned way.

"Yes, Sylvia; don't be alarmed. I shall not be taken that way again, and she set her lips firmly.

The night of Sylvia's first appearance arrived, and she admitted to Mercy that she was rather nervous.

"I don't know why," she said with a little tremulous sigh, as Mercy arranged the simple dress in which Marguerite first appears; "but to-night I feel as if—don't laugh, Mercy; but there, you never laugh! Perhaps it would be better for me if you did! But do you know as if something were going to happen?"

"Something will happen; a very great success," said Mercy. "The manager tells me that the house is crammed, and that it is what he calls in capital humor."

Sylvia sighed.

"Yes," she said. "Every one is so kind and indulgent. I am not afraid of them, and she moved her hand toward the stage. "It is not—I can scarcely tell what it is. But do not mind me. I shall forget all about it directly I go on and begin to sing."

The manager himself came to the dressing room when her "call" time came, and amidst a breathless silence she moved in sight of the audience. A curious murmur of satisfaction and admiration rose, which swelled into a burst of delighted applause at the end of her first solo.

Mercy was waiting for her at the wings and took her down to the dressing room and noticed that Sylvia was, though outwardly calm, still a little agitated.

"How beautifully you sang to-night, dear!" she said, kissing her. "I wish you could have heard the delighted remarks of the people at the wings. I think it will be the greatest success you have yet had."

Sylvia nodded.

"And yet I trembled so that—did you see any of the people in the house, Mercy?"

Before she could reply the manager knocked at the door in a flutter of excitement to tell her that the house was calling for her to come on before the curtain.

But Sylvia refused.

"Oh, no, no," she said, panting a little. "Not yet, I must rest. Oh, please not yet; let them wait till the opera is finished—they may not want me then!"

The word and wish of a prima donna was law, and the manager retired disappointed, and yet marveling at the young lady's modest humility. It was something startlingly novel in his experience.

Sylvia repeated her question.

"Did you notice any one, Mercy?"

"No, dear," replied Mercy. "I had only eyes for you—as usual. Who was it you wished me to see?"

"No one I know," said Sylvia. "There is a lady sitting in the second box on the second tier, on the right hand side. She is the most beautiful creature I have ever seen."

"There are a great many beautiful

women in the house to-night," said Mercy.

"I dare say, but I have only seen this one distinctly. She is with another lady, rather older than herself—her mother, I suppose. I could scarcely take my eyes off the younger one; it is such a sweet face! And do you know, Mercy, dear, that I seemed to be singing and playing at her, and for her alone! She watched me as closely as I watched her, and at first, I mean when I first came on and raised my eyes to the box, I fancied that she started and looked coldly and angrily at me."

"How generous you are!" he murmured. "Most women would have hated her, but you—"

"Oh, but that's impossible, Sylvia," said Mercy. "It's not like you to be so fanciful."

Sylvia laughed softly.

"No, I deserve that credit, I think. But—well, I suppose I am fanciful to-night."

"Was there no one else in the box?" asked Mercy.

"One or two gentlemen, I think," said Sylvia, indifferently. "But they were at the back in the shadow, and I could not see them. I wish you would find out who she is, Mercy. Not that I should know her name, even if I heard it, for I know no name—one here in England!"

When they went up for the great scene Mercy managed, a moment or two before Sylvia went on, to address a question to the famous Mephistopheles who had been singing the praises of Signorina Stella to an excited and enthusiastic circle of fellow actors.

"Will you tell me the names of those ladies in that second box, please," she said.

"The second box and looked across the house."

"Oh, yes!" he said. "One is Lady Marlow, the Viscountess Marlow; the other is the charming Miss Audrey Hope."

Mercy started, thanked him and whispered to Sylvia:

"Her name is Audrey Hope."

Sylvia only had just time to nod, then she glided on the stage.

And as she did so she raised her eyes directly to the sweet face which had so attracted her, and felt certain that Audrey's eyes met hers with a certain kind of significance, with something more than the curiosity and perhaps admiration, with which one of a large audience regards a player.

## CHAPTER XVIII.

Directly after he had seen the announcement of the appearance of Signorina Stella, Sir Jordan booked a box. The report he had received from Audrey might be true or false; but true or false, Lord Lorrimer was in some way connected with the new and famous opera singer who had taken the world by storm, and Jordan knew that Lord Lorrimer could not be far off. There was no time to lose. He would like Audrey to see her rival and decide matters before Lorrimer could arrive on the scene.

On the morning of Sylvia's advertised appearance he called at Grosvenor Square. He had not seen Audrey since the night of the ball and he was careful to greet her as if nothing had been said which could cause any embarrassment.

He chatted pleasantly in his very best style, and did not mention the object of his visit until Lady Marlow came into the room, and then, as if he had suddenly remembered it, he said:

"Oh, by the way, Lady Marlow, of course you are going to the opera to-night to see the new marvel—Signorina Stella! What high-flown names they assume, do they not?"

"Well, I meant going," said Lady Marlow, "but we haven't a box this season. But when I sent down to the office this morning for a seat they sent back word that there wasn't one in the house!"

"How fortunate!" murmured Jordan. "I got a box a week ago, intending to go, but I'm afraid I shall not be able to do so. Pray take it, Lady Marlow."

"Oh, but—" began Lady Marlow.

"Please do, and if I can look in for half an hour I will do so."

Lady Marlow glanced at Audrey and winced at the sound of the signorina's name, but she said calmly enough:

"I should very much like to go."

Lord Jordan took his leave at once, but an exultant smile played about his thin lips.

"If this singing girl, whose name was linked with Lord Lorrimer's, was as beautiful as was said, Audrey, piqued and jealous, would be in a condition of mind that would induce her to listen to him to-night."

At the opera that evening the success of Signorina Stella was assured from the very moment she was welcomed by the crowded house. She sang gracefully, artistically, divinely, and of all who held her no one was more charmed than Audrey Hope. Yet she could not resist a feeling of jealousy when she thought of Sir Jordan's hints—that, for admiration of this operatic beauty, Lorrimer had forgotten her, Audrey.

The curtain arose for the last act, and as Sylvia came on Audrey leaned forward in an attitude of complete attention, and the eyes of the two women met with an exchange of admiration and even

sympathy, which was singular when one comes to think of it.

Sylvia, as she had said to Mercy, played and sang to the beautiful girl in the box above her, and inspired by the rapt attention and admiration in Audrey's eyes, she surpassed herself in the last act, and brought down the curtain to a storm of cheering which was prolonged until the manager brought her on again.

Audrey had leaned forward so far that her arms were resting on the velvet edge of the box, and as Sylvia passed just beneath her in front of the curtain, Audrey raised her bouquet and dropped it at Sylvia's feet. The vast audience recognized the spontaneity of the action and applauded enthusiastically.

Sylvia was startled for a moment, then as the manager picked up the bouquet and handed it to her, she raised it to her lips, and her eyes to Audrey's face.

Jordan took Audrey's cloak from the back of the chair and held it for her, and as he did so he saw that the hands she put up to take it were trembling.

"How generous you are!" he murmured. "Most women would have hated her, but you—"

Audrey hung her head, her eyes still fixed on the stage where Sylvia had just been standing.

"I do not hate her," she said, more to herself than to him, and there was a faint tone of wonder in her voice.

"Nor despise him?" he whispered. "No, you are too noble; but I—well, I will not speak of my contempt for the man whose constancy is so poor a thing. Audrey, you send me away from you, my heart will remain with you, and forever. Have you no pity in that gentle heart of yours for me? Audrey, dear, I hope! Will you not say one word and make me the happiest man in the world?"

As he spoke, his hand glided toward hers, and took it softly and hesitatingly.

She was in a quiver of excitement and emotion; her heart was throbbing with the pain of looking on at the triumph of the beautiful girl who had won Lorrimer from her; she was, in short, just in that condition when a woman turns for consolation to the nearest and most persistent of her lovers, and—she let her hand remain in his!

When Sir Jordan bade her adieu that evening the light of triumph still glowed in his eyes; then they took a keen and calculating expression, and, calling a cab, he told the man to drive him to the office of a well-known society paper.

"There must be no chance of drawing back, my timid Audrey!" he muttered. "I knew I should win; but luck has favored me. Whether there is anything in this rumor of an engagement between the young opera singer and my Lord Lorrimer, it has never occurred to me. There must be no drawing back! He drew a long breath. "I am safe now! With the Hope estates and money I can defy even—the worst!"

In less than an hour the paragraph announcing the engagement of the Right Hon. Sir Jordan Lynne, Bart., M. P., and Miss Audrey Hope was in type.

There was the usual excitement behind the scenes when a great and extraordinary success had been scored, and Sylvia stood the centre of congratulatory crowd, and received all the kind speeches with her sweet, modest smile.

She held the bouquet Audrey had dropped to her, and she sat in her dressing room while Mercy changed her stage costume for the plain, comfortable attire of an unprofessional life, with the bouquet still lying before her, and her eyes fixed on it dreamily.

At length they were ready to depart, and they made their way to the stage entrance where the brougham was waiting. The manager and three or four of the principal actors were waiting to assist the great prima donna to the carriage, and they stood with uplifted hats as the brougham drove off.

The streets were still crowded, and before the carriage had passed the grand entrance it pulled up.

"There must have been a tremendous crush," said Mercy. "The people have not all gone yet."

Sylvia leaned forward to look out, but fell back again with a cry of terror.

"Ah! look!" she exclaimed.

Mercy, whose heart had leaped into her mouth at the wall of fear, looked out, but the brougham had moved on, and was going along rapidly.

"What is it? What did you see?" she asked.

Sylvia was lying back with her hand pressed against her heart, her breath coming painfully, her face white with terror.

"Didn't you see?" she panted at last.

"No, I saw nothing," replied Mercy. "Tell me what it was, dear! Come, Sylvia, this is unlike you! Be calm, dear—"

"Yes, yes!" she breathed. "Don't be frightened! You did not see her, did you? See whom? I saw no one I knew; there was a crowd. Who was it, Sylvia?"

A shudder shook her.

"Lavarick!" she whispered.

Mercy started with surprise.

"Oh, no, dear," she said, soothingly. "That man here in London! It is impossible; this was your fancy!"

"No—no; it was not fancy," Sylvia replied, a tremor in her tones. "I am sure it was Lavarick!"

## CHAPTER XIX.

Mercy would not leave Sylvia that night, but slept beside her, holding the girl in a loving embrace, and trying to soothe and reassure her. At times Sylvia shook and trembled, and at others she cried quietly, for the sight of Lavarick had not only terrified her, but recalled Jack's death, so that she was tortured by fear and sorrow at the same time.

"My dear, dear child!" Mercy whispered, lovingly. "Even supposing you were not mistaken, and I think you must have—"

"No—no," said Sylvia, with a shudder; "I was not mistaken. I remember him too well. You have never seen him or you would understand how impossible it would be to be mistaken. It was Lavarick."

"Well, dear, granting you were right and that it was he, why should you be so terrified? We are not in the wilds of Australia now, but in London, surrounded by friends and police. Why, one has only to raise one's voice to collect, and I know, I know," said Sylvia; "and yet the very thought of him fills me with terror and foreboding. I know that he hates me; why, I cannot even guess. It was because of me that he—he hated Jack, and caused his death. Oh, my dear, Jack! It has all come back to me to-night, Mercy, and I can see Jack as he fell forward—"

A burst of sobs stopped her utterance.

Mercy pressed her close to her heart. "My poor child! What shall I do? What can I do? What can I say to comfort you? Shall I speak to anyone in the morning, go to the police, and tell them to watch him?"

"No, no," replied Sylvia. "Do not interfere with him. Perhaps he did not see me. And yet I felt his evil eye glaring at me as I looked out. No, let him alone, Mercy. He—he may not have seen me, and—perhaps he will go away, crowd, Lavarick cannot harm you now."

From girlhood to middle life the health and happiness of every woman depends on her blood. If her blood is poor and watery she becomes weak, languid, pale and nervous. If her blood supply is irregular she suffers from headaches and back-aches and other unspeakable distress which only women know. At every stage of a woman's life Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are her best friend, because they actually make the rich red blood which gives health and strength and tone to every organ of the body. They help a woman just when nature makes the greatest demand upon her blood supply. Mrs. H. Gagnon, who for twenty years has been one of the best known residents of St. Roches, Que., says: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a blessing to me. I was weak, worn out and scarcely able to drag my feet about. I suffered from head-aches and dizziness, my appetite was poor and to attempt housework left me utterly worn out. I slept badly at night and what sleep I got did not refresh me. For nearly three years I was in this condition and was constantly taking medicine, but found no benefit from it. One of my neighbors who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with much benefit, advised me to try them. I did so, and the whole story is told in the words 'I am well again.' There are times yet when I take the pills for the troubles which so many women suffer from."

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do not act on the bowels. They contain just the elements that actually make new blood and strengthen the nerves. That's why they cure anaemia, indigestion, rheumatism, lumbago, headaches, backaches, heart palpitation and skin diseases like pimples and eczema. That is why they are the greatest help in the world for growing girls who need rich blood and for women who are troubled with irregular health. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

"Make Good."

"That lovely girl I fell in love with," she said. "I wish she were here, but I suppose it is too much to expect her to come every night I sing."

"It does seem a little too much, certainly," assented Mercy. "What an impressionable girl you are, Sylvia."

"I know. But it is true that I feel as if I shall not play half so well to-night because she is absent."

"However, at the end of the second act she comes on radiant and glowing."

"She is here, Mercy!" she exclaimed.

"I saw her come in, and I feel as glad as if she were my sister, and I am sure I sang better from that moment. She looks so tender to-night."

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"The End of the Play."

The play is done—the curtain drops. The snow falling to the prompter's bell. A moment yet the actor stops. And looks around, to my farewell. It is an irksome word and task; He shows, as he removes the mask, A face that's anything but gay.

One word, ere yet the evening ends; Let's close it with a parting rhyme; And pledge a hand to all young friends, As fits the Merry Christmas time; Oh, life-wide scene you, too, have parts, The fate ere long shall bid you play; Good-night! with honest gentle hearts A kindly greeting go away!

Good-night!—I'd say the griefs, the joys, The triumphs and the sorrows of boys, Are but repeated in our age; Who leaves or no with what he chooses, Your hopes more vain, than those of men, Your pangs or pleasures of fifteen years—'Tis played o'er again.

I'd say we suffer and we strive Not less nor more as men and boys, With grizzled beards at forty-five, As erst at twelve in corduroys, And pledge a hand to all young friends, As fits the Merry Christmas time; Oh, life-wide scene you, too, have parts, The fate ere long shall bid you play; Good-night! with honest gentle hearts A kindly greeting go away!

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"Make Good."

"That lovely girl I fell in love with," she said. "I wish she were here, but I suppose it is too much to expect her to come every night I sing."

"It does seem a little too much, certainly," assented Mercy. "What an impressionable girl you are, Sylvia."

"I know. But it is true that I feel as if I shall not play half so well to-night because she is absent."

"However, at the end of the second act she comes on radiant and glowing."

"She is here, Mercy!" she exclaimed.

"I saw her come in, and I feel as glad as if she were my sister, and I am sure I sang better from that moment. She looks so tender to-night."

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One word, ere yet the evening ends; Let's close it with a parting rhyme; And pledge a hand to all young friends, As fits the Merry Christmas time; Oh, life-wide scene you, too, have parts, The fate ere long shall bid you play; Good-night! with honest gentle hearts A kindly greeting go away!

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As was predicted a year ago, there has been a decided shortage of clover seed this spring. A little crop in Europe, the United States and Canada caused the stocks for this spring's trade to be abnormally low, and this resulted in unusually high prices for good seed.

At present the indications are that the foreign exporting countries will not produce more than an average crop of clover seed, and the Ontario supply is likely to be short. In some sections of Ontario the clover crop was seriously affected by draught last season, and the amount available this year for seed production may be limited. Much the same conditions prevail over a considerable portion of the clover seed producing area of the United States; so that unless the yield from the areas which were not seriously affected by the adverse weather conditions last season is exceptionally heavy, a shortage of seed for next spring's trade is more than probable.

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## District News

### CAINTOWN

Road work was done in this place last week.

The telephone poles are being put up along the road.

Miss Olive Tennant and Miss Hazel Dickey go to Athens this week to write on the entrance examination.

Mr. Charlie Tennant and Miss Cassie Tennant are now home for their summer holidays.

Miss Myrtle Powell, of Freeland, is spending a few days at her home here.

Some from here attended the show in Brockville Friday.

Miss Emma Tennant is spending this week visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Elsie Ferguson is spending this week visiting friends at Yonge Mills.

Mr. Chris Connolly is home from Toronto for the summer.

### ROCKSPRING

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Steacy of Forthton were guests at Sunny Dell over Sunday.

Mr. Sam Tackaberry, who has been ill for some months, is very low at present and few hopes for his recovery are being entertained by his many friends.

Citizens are enjoying the use of the telephone line, connecting Rockspring, Greenbush and Addison, which was completed last week.

Miss Lucy Sooley of Syracuse, N. Y. who has been visiting friends here for a few weeks, will leave shortly for Almonte and other points north, where she will remain for a time before returning to her home.

Berry-picking is the order of the day and from all reports the strawberry crop promises to be a good one.

The condition of Mrs. A. Logan, who has been ill for a number of weeks, remains the same. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

To stop any pain, anywhere in 20 minutes, simply take just one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Pain means congestion—blood pressure—that is all. Dr. Shoop's headache—or Pink Pain Tablets—will quickly coax blood pressure away from pain centres. After that, pain is gone. Headache, Neuralgia, painful periods with women etc. get instant help. 20 Tablets 25c Sold by All Dealers.

### DELTA

Mrs. Eli Wood spent last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Eaton of Frankville.

A great many took in the show at Brockville on Friday.

There was a great gathering at Phil lipsville at the Baptist Association last week.

Mr. Thomas Collister of Montreal is visiting his sister, Miss Eliza.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Copeland moved over to their cottage on the island last week.

There are a great many campers at the lake.

Mrs. Alex Stevens attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Trickey of Athens.

Mr. E. Kendrick is improving his new residence.

Mrs. O. Brown is home from Kingston where she was visiting friends.

The building of a cement sidewalk from the station up to main street is now in progress.

### NEWBORO

A number of the young lady friends of Miss Edie Gallagher met at the home of Mrs. H. Smart on Wednesday afternoon and presented her with a silver cake dish. Mrs. G. S. Wrathall read an address and although completely taken by surprise, Miss Gallagher made a short reply of thanks.

Mr. Armstrong of the Newcastle fish hatchery was in town last week with 8 cans of salmon fry which he gave to Mr. John McGuire, local fishery overseer, who placed them in different parts of Newboro Lake.

Mr. W. B. Adams of the Westport Mirror was a visitor in town on Monday evening.

Mr. Bernard Murphy, Delta is in town this week, thinking the log cabin which Mr. J. R. Kerr is building on Pine Island.

The teachers of Athens and Perth Model Schools who received their training under C. R. McIntosh will hold their annual reunion on Grass Point here the second week in July. Mr. J. M. Shaver, Smith's Falls, is convenor this year.

Mrs. John Dargavel, Brockville is a visitor in town this week.

Miss Millie Green left this morning for Ottawa to resume her duties as nurse.

Miss Francis Black, who has been working for Mr. Edward Bolton for some time, left this week for Lyn where she has secured a position.

Mr. Taylor of the Bank of Montreal and Mr. Smith of the Standard Bank of Kingston, passed through town on Tuesday by canoe from Kingston to Ottawa.

Mr. Peter Simms of Toronto is a welcome visitor in town this week. Mrs. A. J. Hart and son Philip of Prescott are the guests of Mrs. Ann Hart.

A party from Pittsburg were in town last week looking for a camping site for a party of 50 who will come to town about August 1st.

Piles are easily and quickly checked with Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. To prove it I will mail a small trial box as a convincing test. Simply address Dr. Shoop, Racine Wis. I surely would not send it free unless I was certain that Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment would stand the test. Remember it is made expressly and alone for swollen, painful, bleeding or itching piles, either external or internal. Large jar 50c. Sold by all dealers.

### FRANKVILLE

An interesting tableau was a lot of youths and town fathers breaking stone in a side street for King Edward.

None need go for health from this district to damp watering places, as this is a sanitarium. No malaria, and grey limestone water—best in the world!

Charles Dunham, home from Queens in the school of practice here with the doctors and to be a follower of Esculapius. Success!

Mr. Miller went to Montreal for an important operation and Dr. Dixon went to assist. It proved successful.

The small pox case beyond Toledo in autumn cost the council some \$330 cash out of the taxes. Thus those who observe the laws of health have to share in the expense.

Mr. Jonas Bruce makes a large quantity of concrete tile, some small for land and others for aqueducts and well cribs, up to 8 different sizes—a useful industry.

There is a deep sympathy with Howard Johnston and his wife Annie Miller, in the death by whooping cough of their beautiful and promising child, Wm. Arthur, eight months old. Rev. Mr. Henderson conducted service in the home on Friday; interment at Toledo.

The Methodist S. S. here picnicked at Oliver's Ferry. Eighty to ninety sat down to dinner and tea. As would be expected, there was a good conduct and a pleasant time.

On Tuesday, 30th, will be a gathering at Toledo cemetery, and on Wednesday July 1st, at Lehigh cemetery, to clean and improve the lots and general grounds. If we have a true consideration let us show it by not wronging the dead. Families must attend to their own lots.

### A BIRTHDAY NUMBER

With the issue for June "Rod and Gun and Motor Sports in Canada," published by W. J. Taylor, at Wood stock, Ont., enters upon its tenth year and produces as a birthday number one that has not been surpassed by any of the fine issues that have preceded it. Every one of the many articles appeals to sportsmen and lovers of outdoor life and may be read with interest. The record breaking moose hunt of Dr. W. L. Munro in New Brunswick through which, for the first time in the history of the province, the record is held by an outsider, is rightly given a prominent position. Fishermen have their interests well looked after. In addition to a paper on live bait: how to procure and preserve the same, a story of herring fishing in the Rideau, and descriptive of a one hundred mile canoe trip in search after bass, by C. H. Looper, must secure attention from those who find their most enjoyable recreation in fishing. Judge Fraleek reminds us of old times in a delightful reminiscent article on the Wayside Tavern and the shooting match. The scarcity of partridges, a subject of so much comment amongst sportsmen, is discussed, the conclusion arrived at being that in all probability the birds have been killed off by a disease which has been general in its character and results. Variety is given in an exploration paper entitled Fresh Fields in the Rockies; In a Boy's Camp in Temagami and others. My Experience in Shotgun and a Review of Guns and Gunning, raise many questions connected with firearms which cannot fail to interest all shooters. The departments are all up-to-date and the numerous notices to the leading position attained by the magazine and the strength with which it commences its tenth year of vigorous life.

### THERE IS NO SECRET

About our Cod Liver Preparation—Vinol

So many patent medicines and advertised cures are now offered to the public that we want to call the special attention of the people of Athens to the fact that Vinol is not in any sense a secret or patent medicine. For centuries medical men the world over have recognized the great tonic and curative elements contained in the cod's liver, but how to extract these medicinal elements from the useless and repulsive oil which enveloped them has been the problem hitherto unsolved. This was finally accomplished by two eminent French chemists, and the result is Vinol, a delicious modern cod liver preparation without oil, made by a scientific, extractive and concentrating process from fresh cod's livers, all the medicinal, healing, body-building elements of cod liver oil, but no oil. As a body-builder and strength creator for old people, delicate children, weak run-down persons, after sickness and for Chronic Coughs, Colds Bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles, Vinol is unexcelled. Try it on our offer to return money if it fails to give satisfaction. J. F. Lamb & Son, Druggists, Athens, Ont.

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### THE HOWL OF THE FAN

Speaking of howls, you've probably heard

The howl of the family cat;  
And the howl of the man who pays the bill

For his wife's new summer hat;

The nocturnal howl of the six month's kid,

When colic has gripped it tight,  
And the yelping howl of the yellow dog

Who howls at the moon all night.

There's the howl of the wolf, the howl of the wind,

And the howl of the raging sea,  
But the frenzied howl of the baseball fan

Is the howl of howls for me.

He sits in the bleachers with anxious face,

For the score is two and two,  
Howls at each play and pounds the seat

Till his hands are black and blue.

Two on the bases, and two are down,  
And "Casey is at the bat;"

With a final swipe the dub strikes out!  
"Now, what do you think of that?"

Then the howl of the fan is a howl of woe,

A howl of woe so deep,  
If Casey remembers that groan at night

It must disturb his sleep.

When the "ump's" decision is rather raw,

Then its "Kill the dirty cheat,"  
"Robber," "Thief," "A lemon for you,"

Are the howls from every seat.

The man in right field drops a fly,  
And the visitors score a run;

Then the awful howl of the bleacherite:  
"Release the Son-of-a-Gun!"

The visitors are retired on a double play,

Our "short" is the "candy boy"—  
A pleasant howl is the howl of the fan,

When his howl is one of joy.

'Tis the fatal ninth—the bases are full,  
The fan wears a happy smile,

Kelly, the slugger, is at the bat,  
And Kelly must "hit a mile!"

Kelly is there with his little stick,  
You hear the welcome swat,

The pent-up joy of the fan comes out,  
As the ball sails out of the lot.

When the winning runs come pouring in,  
And the fan howls out his glee,

Then the frenzied howl of the baseball fan  
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—S. A. MULE

### COUNTIES COUNCIL GRANTS

At the meeting of the counties council last week the standing committee on Agriculture recommended that the present grading of grants to agricultural societies be abolished and instead that grants be made to the different agricultural societies in municipalities represented in this council on the same conditions and proportions as obtained from the Provincial Legislature. We recommend that such assistance be given to the fall exhibitions of 1908, but that no grant to any fair shall exceed the sum of \$150.00.

Grants made by the counties council included \$200 for the construction of a bridge in South Crosby; the usual grants of \$250 to the high schools of Athens, Kempsville and Gannanogue; \$25 to the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association; \$25 to each Farmers' Institute. A grant of \$300 was made for the improvement of the court house green in Brockville, that town to contribute \$600, and the money to be expended by a joint committee of the town and counties.

A clergyman very particular about his personal appearance was once on circuit and found himself due to preach in a country parish. Finding there was no glass in the vestry and fearing his hair might not be as smooth as it should be, he asked the clerk if he could get him a glass. The man was gone some minutes but at length returned and produced a parcel from under his arm. To the astonishment of the clergyman when it was opened it contained a bottle of whiskey with water and a tumbler. "You mus'n't let on about it, mister," said the clerk "for I got it as a great favor; an' I shouldn't ha' got it at all, bein' church hours, if I hadn't a said it was for you."

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Lyn	9.55	4.45	
Sealeys	10.05	4.42	
Forfar	10.18	4.43	
Elbe	10.24	4.58	
Athens	10.38	5.05	
Soperton	10.58	5.22	
Lyndhurst	11.05	5.29	
Delta	11.13	5.45	
Elgin	11.22	5.49	
Forfar	11.40	5.55	
Crosby	11.48	6.00	
Newboro	11.58	6.10	
Westport (arrive)	12.15 p.m.	6.20	

GOING EAST

GOING EAST		No. 2	No. 4
Westport (leave)	7.00 a.m.	8.20 p.m.	
Newboro	7.10	8.35	
Crosby	7.20	8.46	
Forfar	7.25	8.52	
Elgin	7.31	9.02	
Delta	7.45	9.21	
Lyndhurst	7.51	9.28	
Soperton	7.58	9.47	
Athens	8.15	9.55	
Elbe	8.22	9.52	
Forfar	8.27	9.58	
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Lyn	8.45	9.51	
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## A LAZY MOMENT

When the soft June winds are flirting, Kissing every mother's child, And each leaf and bud is sporting, In the valleys of the wild, When the Charleston hills look busy, Through the sun-bright summer day, Somehow I grow tired and lazy, And I long to get away.

To the curtained wildwood shady, Flower and fern and leaf and brake, There to court June's green-veiled lady, In her mansions by the lake; 'Mong her pictures worth the painting, Catch her thoughts that's worth the pen, With no worldly cares restraining, I'll be happiest of men.

Some find joy in auto riding, Which, of course, is very nice, I myself would so go gliding, If I only had the price; Some go yatching on the river, In a speedy motor boat, Mine for style and speed won't never, Out much figure should it float.

Motors are a great creation, For to do a pleasure stunt, But the craft of my vacation, Will be some old leaky punt; Which, of course I'll have to borrow, If I use a boat at all, For my purse is lean and narrow— It won't give to every call.

And perhaps I'll be as happy, In the class of Nature's school, As some million dollar chappie, Harnessed to the social rule. They may all pursue their pleasures, In their yatches or touring Olds, I'll be happy hunting treasures, Which the chest of Nature holds.

—Crawf C. Slack.

## NORRIS—McNAMARA

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. J. T. McNamara of Philippsville, when their second daughter, Elizabeth Winnifred, was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Wm. A. Norris of Althorpe by the Rev. C. N. Dewey of Delta on June 17th at 7.00 p.m. The bridal party were very charming as they took their place beneath an arch of evergreens and roses. The bride looked very dainty in a costume of cream lustre trimmed with lace and chiffon. The bridesmaid, Miss Mary Norris, sister of the groom was attired in cream cashmere and lace. The groom was ably assisted by Mr. E. Fournier, also of Althorpe. After the ceremony the many guests sat down to a sumptuous repast, to which all did ample justice, after which music and other amusements were the order of the evening. The bride received many costly and beautiful gifts from her friends. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome gold bracelet and pearl necklace, to the bridesmaid, an exquisite gold brooch set with garnets, and to the groomsmen a black silk watch guard and charm. The happy couple left for their home in Althorpe on Thursday at 6 p.m., followed by the best wishes of their many friends.

## DEATH OF NATHAN MARSHALL

Nathan J. Marshall, caretaker of St. Alban's School, died suddenly on Saturday morning about 6 o'clock at his home on Crawford street Brookville. While Mr. Marshall had not been enjoying good health for many months, still he was able to be around and attend to his duties. Yesterday he was feeling much better than usual and during the evening visited the circus. On return ing made no complaint of illness, but about four o'clock this morning was seized with heart failure and passed away in a short time.

Deceased was a member of one of the oldest and most highly respected families of the township Elizabethtown his father being Benjamin Marshall after whom the well-known Marshall's school section was called. Nathan J. remained on the farm till a young man then learned the trade of a cheesemaker which he followed successfully for many years in various parts of the counties. Some ten years ago he set out in Brookville, conducting for a time a woodyard and then the Island City boarding house on King street. He succeeded Wm. Cato as caretaker of St. Alban's School and by the head master, staff and pupils enjoyed the fullest confidence. He was courteous and affable in the smallest detail. Mr. Marshall married Miss Ophelia daughter of Henry Rowsome of Athens who with four children survive. They are Clarinda aged 15; Hattie 13; Harry, 10 and Hilda, 4. He leaves three brothers and two sisters: G. G. Marshall, of Chicago; Wm. Marshall of Minnesota; and Terrance of Rochester. Mrs. J. B. Checkley of North Augusta, and Miss Cynthia Marshall of Chicago.

In religion he was a Methodist and a popular member of Court Island City No. 375, I. O. F., Mr. Marshall had attained the age of 45 years. Among his acquaintances in Brookville and throughout the counties, deceased was held in high regard for honesty and industrious habits.—Recorder.

## WORKED HIS WAY.

The Job an Energetic Student Took to Cross the Atlantic.

Jack had paid his way always. Out of the poverty of his childhood he had fought his way through the university. After graduation he felt he must see Europe, and with the little accumulation he had he "crossed the pond," trusting to good luck to get home again. But his trip of sightseeing over, he found himself in Liverpool without money and with no means of getting any. He thought he would just go down to the steamship, go on board and see how it would seem if only he were going home.

As he wandered over the big liner his attention was attracted by a crying baby. The mother was traveling alone, and while she was attempting to see to all the details and one detail incident to the beginning of an ocean trip the baby had resented the neglect he felt he had received and was crying. The mother was at her wits' end. Jack's kind heart prompted him to say: "Let me take the baby, madam. Perhaps I can keep him quiet until your preparations are made."

This request, so unusual from a stranger, and especially from a man strange, naturally filled her with surprise, but she looked at Jack squarely in the face for a second and trusted him. "I wish you would," she said. Jack's care was extremely satisfactory to his babyship, and when, in a half hour, the mother was ready to reclaim her child she found a happy, baby cooling and trying to devour a bunch of keys at one gulp. She laughed as she took the youngster and thanked Jack. Then she added, quite in fun, "I wish you were going clear across."

Jack saw his opportunity. He said: "Madam, I'm a college student out of funds and longing for home. If you will pay my passage to America I will take care of your baby all the way across."

His proposition was accepted, and he kept his word. He is a prominent lawyer now, and he looks back with considerable amusement to his experience in getting home from Europe.

## MURDER OF THE SEAL

The Way the Animals Are Slaughtered by the Hunters.

The ice echoes no footfalls, so the murder of the seal is a stealthy act. Yes, it seems like murder. On the pan of a whittos alone. Up to it hurls one of the hunters. Lifting his bat above his head, he measures the distance; then, swinging downward the iron shod point, he strikes the skull of the seal such a blow that it is crushed in as if of pasteboard. Tossing aside the bat and whipping out the scalping knife, while the creature is still quivering, with a swift undercut and two or three side strokes the keen blade has severed the hide and the layers of fat beneath so they can be rolled into a pelt, the hide holding the fat in its folds. The next whittos is with its parents. Their hide is coarser, but worth having, so the gunner takes a quick aim, lodging a charge of shot in the head of the growling mate just at the base of the brain. Here the skull is thinnest. One of the batters stands guard over the blowhole to prevent the mother from escaping, while another bats the cub. Then the female, who would desert her offspring to save her own life, is clubbed on the head. A few strokes of the knives and three more bloody carcasses crimson the ice. The pelt of the first seal is piled with the other three in a pan. The flagman sticks a flag by its side, and the hunters hurry forward, leaving the pelts to be towed back to the ship when the hunt is ended.

Thus the slaughter continues hour after hour until nightfall only ends the stroke of the bat and thrust of the knife. If it began at daybreak the field may be strewn with thousands of dead seals, for if the pan of ice is thronged with them, as is sometimes the case, a hundred men will kill ten times their number in a day, since most of the seals are harps, which seldom try to protect their young, and are slain without attempting to defend themselves.—Day Allen Willey in Metropolitan.

Bunions and Rank. "It is extraordinary," writes Sir Henry Drummond Wolff in "Rambling Recollections," "to observe in England the weakness that most people have for boasting of their friends in high places and the deference that they show to them. The daughter of a lady of very high rank had some pain in her foot which the mother asked the governess to be good enough to look at. The latter after examining it said, 'If it were not for her ladyship's exalted rank I should say it was a bunion.'"

Sign of Precocity. "I believe," declared the Irishman, "that me youngest son's born t' be a surgeon."

"Phwat leads ye t' say that?" asked his friend. "O' caught him usin' th' scissors on a book O'ld lately bought an' before O' c'd stop him he cut out th' appendix."—Bohemian.

Joy. Joy in life is like the oil in the lamp —when the oil commences to fall, the wick burns with a glimmering red flame, filling the air about it with a black smoke. Life also without a little joy burns unprofitably, filling the air with depression and sadness.

The hawk eats the dove, but the hawk seems to be surrounded by as many dangers as the dove.—Aitchson Globe.

## A Good Record

Mr. Wm. Johnston of Delta has four cows that have been milking since early in the season and are now yielding 233 lbs daily—factory report. They were sired by his Rob Roy, of Ocean Queen fame, and others of his stock are a cow owned by Dr. Lillie of Westport milking 90 lbs daily and a cow milking 87 lbs. daily, yielding 30 1/2 lbs. butter in seven days. His Rob Roy young stock all sold out at a high figure. Dr. Lillie is a specialist in Holsteins as well as in his profession. Rob Roy was bred in the well known herd of R. B. McGregor, North Hammond, N. Y.

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A visit to the kitchen of a big zoo will convince anybody that the man who takes several hundred assorted wild animals to board has his work cut out for him and plenty of it.

The hardest as well as the most important thing in such a job of catering is to find out just what each animal likes to eat and how much of it.

The zoo landowner would be glad enough if his dumb animals had at least a portion of the personal flow of language with which every human being is so liberally endowed.

The kitchen is apt to be in a basement under the main building. Here the big stoves and the big boilers and the big kettles are to be seen.

It was not like Boston brown bread, nor yet like the hardtack that is made almost as solid as a rock; nor any light crisp, airy bread, but a heavy, whole wheat, granular bread, made of whole wheat bran, Graham flour and molasses, and the bears liked it.

With the exception of the polar bears, the bear family does not get much of the snow. The keeper here is of the opinion that they are not carnivorous. He evidently never lived on a Malay or a Malay head in his life and had been placed in his job of sheep herding.

The superintendent of the zoo who is the real landowner, and the head keeper, who does the actual catering, know better. They know that a big bear would make short work of a live lamb or sheep if he got a chance. But he's better off in captivity without such a heavy meal, even if it were willing to let him have it.

But they let him have a little variety. They make huge cakes of boiled rice mixed with eggs and milk. These become firm as they grow cold and are cut into sections of various sizes and given to all the bears except the polar.

Most bears get pieces as big as a man's two fists. Big bears get a bunk as big as a man's head. It doesn't look like much of a meal for an animal weighing about half a ton, but there's a lot of nourishment in it. And it weighs about eight pounds anyway.

The big bears get sixteen pounds at their two daily meals. Sometimes it's the brown bread, sometimes it's occasionally oatmeal, boiled and allowed to get cold and to set. Once in a while, as a variety, they have apples or some berries, but it costs too much to give them such delicacies very often.

If anyone wants to have proof that the mouth does water at the thought of eating, let him watch the bear who is always to be seen at his hind feet and to ask for his dinner. He does it, holding the bars with his fore paws, and then he looks at the keeper to see if he is watching him.

The polar bears get raw meat, which they devour bones and all. They hold it down with one paw and tear pieces off with their teeth.

A zoo of fair size will use from 150 to 200 pounds of fresh meat a day. It is a wagon unloading at the time of the reporter's visit. There are quarters and sides of beef, practically the whole kind of meat used, amounting all of it to several tons.

The more curious of it is quite an undertaking. The big joints for the lions, tigers and animals of that class do not take long. But there are some cases of venison, and some pieces about the size of a man's finger which are cut from the lean portions and put in the big cages for eagles, vultures, owls and other flesh eating birds.

They are not served as carefully as other, but are placed one by one along the branches used as perches, and here and there on the rocks or other objects in the cage far enough apart to prevent danger of two birds coming into conflict over them.

The reporter saw eggs and baskets filled with chopped vegetables, all kinds mixed up together, turned out to the animals. Some of these were chopped more finely than others. The tapir, for instance, gets a great mass of these vegetables, and some of them as the dried vegetables served on our own tables.

Monkeys, by the way, are the only animals which care for onions. They are the only animals to which get cooked meat, unless some special reason, a carnivorous animal might have his usual ration cooked.

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But we must go further and say that no more unfavorable position could be found for a compass than on board of a modern steamship, which is a complicated mass of steel, all tending to draw the compass needle from its allegiance to the magnetic pole of the earth, warping influences which must needs be counteracted by all sorts of devices which hedge round the instrument by an invisible wall of conflicting currents of magnetism.

And as if this were not enough there are now huge dynamos to be reckoned with, producing electric currents for all sorts of purposes on board. In the midst of these mystic currents the poor little compass needle, upon which the mariner depends for his guide across the trackless deep, hangs suspended like one shrinking saint surrounded by legions of devils.—Windsor Magazine.



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His Hands Were Cold. Dick—I didn't get much encouragement when I proposed to that haughty beauty. Jack—Well, faint heart never won fair lady, old man. Maybe she thought you had cold feet.

Month to Marry In. There have been many rhymes on both the days and months to get married. One of the most popular of the rhymes on the months is as follows:

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Getting Use of Tent Life.

It is my habit to comb my hair before retiring, and to look at myself in the glass meantime. This may be due to vanity. It may be a sort of a general inspection to see if I have added any new features, or lost any of those plucked from the family tree. Perhaps it is only to observe what the day's band set in the back of my head has done to my wrinkles and gray hairs. Never mind the reason, it is a habit; but I didn't realize how precious it was to me until I got back to the tent and found that my only mirror was in Eddie's camp.

Of course it was not at all adequate for anything like a general inspection. It would just about hold one eye, or a part of a mouth, or a section of a nose, or a piece of an ear or a little patch of hair, and it kept you busy guessing where that patch was located. Furthermore, as the comb was a part of the combination, the little comb was obliged to be twinking around over one's head at the precise moment when it should have been reflecting some portion of his features. It served no useful purpose thus, and was not much better when I looked up in Eddie's camp and tried to use it in the natural way. Held close and far off twisted and turned it was no better. I felt lost and disturbed as one always does when suddenly deprived of the exercise of an old and dear habit, and I began to make mental notes of some things I should bring on the next trip.—From "The Tent Dwellers," by Albert Bigelow Paine, in The Outlook Magazine for June.

A Proper Pride.

Farmer Green—Dye remember that ornary little Pimpernell boy that helped me with 't' hayin' last year? I gave him 'n 8 a month 'n found, Well, he's so much better that I can't pitcher, an' 't' other day a feller came along an' offered him \$3,000 to finish out 't' season with a perfunal chub.

The city boarder—Well, well! He jumped at it, of course? Farmer Green—Not yet. Sandy Pimpernell may be freckle faced runt, but he's got a proper pride about him, too. He says that he don't know as he cares to be tied up to an' any team that looks like it might be a tail ender.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

P.aching and Practice. "Good gracious, Mrs. Ritter, what is all that noise and swearing about?" "Sh! That's my husband, who is furiously angry because I disturbed him in his work to tell him the coal was out and we would have to order more to-day."

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Month to Marry In. There have been many rhymes on both the days and months to get married. One of the most popular of the rhymes on the months is as follows:

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SNOWED UP ON THE STEPPE.

Experiences of Winter Travellers on Siberian Railway.

When winter sets in adventures by rail are frequent and the process of "roughing it" is trying. Siberian trains are snowed up at little squallid stations on the steppe, when the passengers can get nothing but black bread and tea. For hours? Aye, and for days. It depends on the authorities how long the ill-starred travellers shall abide.

This year numerous trains were buried in the snow, almost buried there, and generally on the open steppes fifty or sixty miles from a habitation and a hundred miles from a habitation. The passenger brought the station master and others sought to have them dug out and to clear the line. They even telegraphed to the Minister of Ways and Communications, and received assurances that their work would be given. It was given—and disregarded.

Story telling and card playing in the flickering light of a candle were the most serious occupations of the prisoners on the steppe. In one case that came under my knowledge "the" and "she" met for the first time under these uncommodious conditions, fell in love over a sausage, a stale roll and half a bottle of wine, which he happened to have, and they married shortly afterward.

There is a copy of one of the telegrams from snowed up passengers that were sent this season: "This is the second day that we are kept by snow drifts here in the lonely station, Pokhovo. In spite of the energetic telegram of the Minister of Ways and Communications the manager of the line has taken no efficacious measures. We are doomed to linger on here for an indefinite period." (Signed by the passengers of the international wagon of the Rostoff fast train.) And they lingered on for two days.—London Telegraph.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gents,—I have used your MINARD'S LINIMENT in my family and also in my stables for years and consider it the best medicine obtainable.

Yours truly, ALFRED ROCHAV, Proprietor Roxton Pond Hotel and Livery Stables.

Scored a Point. The attorney for the defence was cross examining a witness whose testimony had been particularly damaging to his client.

"Mr. Williams," he said, "I will ask you if, at the time when you saw the defendant—by the way, Mr. Williams, what is your occupation?" "By profession, sir," answered the witness, "I am a statistician in the Department."

The New York American of Dec. 18th, 1907, says the common house fly is one of the greatest enemies of man. It is a solemn scientifically ascertained fact that he is one of the worst disseminators of disease known, far surpassing the mosquito in this respect. Wilson's Fly Pads will kill many times more flies than any other article.

To Clean Files. Files clogged with tin or lead should be cleaned with strong nitric acid. For iron filings blue vitriol should be used first, then the file should be rinsed in water and dipped in nitric acid. Dip the file several times in nitric acid for copper or brass. Diluted sulphuric acid should be used to clean a file clogged with zinc. After cleansing the files should be rinsed in water, thoroughly brushed and dried in sawdust or by burning alcohol on them.

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Tactful Host. When a tactful host entertains a tactful guest, there is sure to be a rewarding conversation for the onlooker and listener.

"What do you think of our place, on the whole?" asked Mr. Brown, as he stood with his old school friend on the piazza, waiting for the station carriage which was to bear the 24 hours' guest away.

"Rather a good little place," said Mr. Ray, impartially. "Perhaps a bit bare now, but no doubt time will change all that."

"Yes, indeed," said his host, with great heartiness, "but I don't mind. I hope before you come again the trees and shrubs will have made a growth—then you'll see a change."

Clay and the Salary Grab. "Quinn," said an old member one day, "I heard you worrying about the mileage. Did you ever hear the story of Clay and the salary grab?" "No," I replied.

"When Clay was Speaker," he continued, "along about 1816, the crowd raised their salaries to \$1,500 a year. There was a great howl all over the country, and when Clay reached home in Kentucky, he found old one-armed John Pope, a Federalist, out after his scalp to beat the band, and all the Clay adherents ominently silent. Worried and anxious, Clay sought out his old barber, who had always been enthusiastic in his advocacy and who happened to be an Irishman. "I trust I may count on your hearty support, as usual?" Clay asked. "Faith, Mr. Clay," said the Irish barber, "I think I shall vote at this time for the man who can get but one hand into the Treasury."—Henry Beach Needham, in Success.

Business. "Of course," said the shrewd business man, "I don't want to be sick, but it looks as if I'd have to call in Dr. Brokeleigh for a couple of weeks."

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Not Entirely. "He was the only person beside yourself that had access to the room, was he?" asked the detective. "Yes," said the victim. "The property was taken while you were downstairs eating breakfast?" "Yes, sir."

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Tell the Facts. Oh, it is really worth the price. That you will be obliged to pay, and are the neighbors just as nice.

Of course it seems a little strange. With furniture the rooms are small. There's trouble with the kitchen range. The oven will not bake at all. The stairs are steep, a leaky roof. Brings frowns of worry to your brow. The basement is not waterproof.

You'll have to newly decorate; The plumbing's poor, you will admit. You didn't quite anticipate The parlor carpet wouldn't fit. There's one thing you will have to buy. A lot of new stuff anyhow. But let me—honest, hope to die—How do you like the change by now?

The Schoolchild Up to Date. Make haste to school, my little child, Or else you will be late; Your books are all asseptic now, And here's your sterile slate.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house. They look you up, they look you down, They remark about each hat, They note the trimmings on each hat, They get each tout tumbled—pat! They criticize each person's clothes, They size you up from head to toes!

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Seaver—My neighbor, Hamilton, is of the opinion that confidence has been restored. Weaver—Thought you didn't speak to Hamilton. Seaver—I don't, but I notice he don't spit his coal ashes any more.—Brooklyn Life.

Plke Ate the Trout. Two years ago Sir Julius C. Werneber, the South African mining magnate, had the lake at Lyton Hoo Park netted for coarse fish and the bed cleaned at a great cost. Eleven thousand rainbow trout were then placed in the pool. The lake was again netted recently, when 1,800 plike, one of which weighed seventeen pounds, were caught.

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World's Deepest Bore Hole.

The deepest bore hole in existence, we are told by Prof. Louis, of London, is at Parushowitz, in Upper Silesia, and is 6,573 feet deep; it began with a diameter of 12.6 inches and finished at 2.7 inches. It is easy to imagine the difficulty of boring so small a hole to the depth of one and a quarter miles. The engineers could not have reached the depth, so it is stated, without using Mannesmann weldless steel tubes for boring rods, which shows the dependence of mining upon the allied arts. The writer goes on:

"Bore holes such as these are now always made by means of the well known diamond drill, which brings up a core of the rocks passed through, and thus affords positive information respecting them. Unfortunately, the only kind of diamonds suitable for this purpose, the dark opaque stones, showing no distinct cleavage, known in the trade as 'carbons,' are scarce and proportionately dear, so that diamond drilling is now a costly operation; I have, however, good grounds for saying that we are within measurable distance of seeing such 'carbons,' or at any rate 'boot,' produced artificially. For rocks of moderate hardness these diamonds have of late years been replaced to some extent by shot made of specially hard chilled iron, but these are of little use in the harder rocks. One of our greatest needs at the present moment is a metal that shall be strong, tough, and considerably harder than quartz, the production of such a material would conduce more to the technical advancement of several branches of mining than almost any other discovery that could be named."

Black Watch Chewing Tobacco The big black plug.

No Excuse. A Johnny-on-the-spot high school boy rushed into the market, and throwing \$1 on the counter, said to the man behind the block: "Give me a yard of pork and keep the change." The butcher walked over to the refrigerator, took out three pig's feet and handed them to the boy with the remark that three feet make a yard the world over, and he was much obliged.—Palestine (Texas) Herald.

A Windsor Lady's Appeal. To All Women: I will send free with full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures all cases of Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Prolapse or Irregular periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or Growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back or Bowels, Kidney and Bladder troubles, where caused by weakness peculiar to women. You can constitute treatment at home at a cost of only 12 cents a week. My book, "Woman's Own Medical Advice," also sent free on request. Write to-day. Address: Mrs. M. Sumner, Box 11, Windsor, Ont.

Terrible Punishment. The "Is-it-hot-enough-for-you?" fiend has passed away and, as his soul crossed the River Styx, he was given a transfer for hades.

"Ah," chuckled his satanic majesty, "you're just the man I've been waiting for." Leading him to the hottest room in the hottest portion of the hottest regions, he left him, without the comfort of even a palm leaf fan. Every twenty minutes thereafter Satan would stick his head in the door and shout: "Say, Freshie, is it hot enough for you?" "Verily," sighed the former earth-fiend, "this is Hell."

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TAFT THE CANDIDATE.

Chosen by Republicans by an Overwhelming Vote.

The Allies Nowhere When the Vote Was Called.

Selection Made Unanimous Amid Great Cheering.

Chicago despatch: At 5 o'clock this afternoon Secretary of War William H. Taft was nominated by the Republican convention for President of the United States by the following vote: Taft 702, Fairbanks 40, Cannon 58, Foraker 16, Lafollette 25, Hughes 67, Roosevelt 3, Knox 68, General Woodford, of New York, as quickly as Senator Lodge, permanent chairman of the convention, announced the ballot, and as quickly as the cheering which greeted Taft's nomination ended, hopped upon his chair and said:

At the request of Governor Hughes, and under the instructions of the united New York delegation, I move that the nomination of William H. Taft for the Presidency now be made unanimous.

Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, and William O. Emery, of Georgia, the colored delegate who seconded the nomination of Foraker, also seconded the nomination of Secretary Taft. The nomination was made unanimous. The convention then adjourned at 11 a. m. Tomorrow, when the candidate for Vice-President will be nominated.

As tired and fretful as most of the delegates were, they wanted to go on and nominate the candidate for Vice-President, so they could start for their homes to-night. But the managers of the convention decreed otherwise.

The distinctive features of the session to-day were two uproarious efforts to stampede the convention for Roosevelt, and the oversight by Governor Hughes' name was not formally presented in nomination.

The storm to stampede the convention for Roosevelt came from the galleries. The 980 delegates sat as if nailed.

Great is Uncle Joe.

Probably no convention hall in the world was hotter than this one when, at 12.45 p. m., Henry Sherman Boutell, of the Ninth District of Illinois, clambered aboard the platform to nominate Uncle Joe, otherwise the Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, Speaker of the House of Representatives, for President. That great audience, numbering to-day nearly 20,000 persons, in a grand awe-struck silence, enjoyed it, and the fat folks swore under their breath. The average delegate and the average visitor, man or woman, used up handkerchiefs by the score. Little Mr. Boutell, Uncle Joe's glorifier, is small enough to fit in your pocket. He is of the lean kind. In speaking of the capabilities and availabilities of Uncle Joe, Mr. Boutell did not turn a hair. His collar and linen were as matchless as the virtues which he declared Uncle Joe possessed. In Mr. Boutell's glowing words Uncle Joe was almost too good for earth, and yet not quite good enough for heaven.

Boutell mentioned all the renowned Republicans of that party, ending with President Roosevelt. At the mention of the President's name, there were wild howls from the galleries, which turned into continuous applause from nearly all parts of the convention. It made the Taft people nervous, so much so that ex-Governor Myron Herrick, of Ohio, sitting at the head of the delegation, ten feet from Mr. Boutell, cried: "Go on, Boutell, go on." And Mr. Boutell resumed his speech, which had been interrupted by the Roosevelt demonstration.

The Nomination of Taft.

Fairbanks and Hughes were successively nominated. Then followed Ohio, the Buckeye State, to bring forward Secretary Taft, and when Molloy called the name of the State there was a burst of cheers that could have been heard a block away. It was direct, crashing and voluminous. It was direct, crashing and voluminous. It was direct, crashing and voluminous.

When Theodore Burton came forward, he had to stand on the platform three and a half minutes before he could begin his speech for Taft. The delegates created the tremendous scene for the War Secretary. The galleries were quiet. The delegates, in their howls and yells, and cries of all kinds, gave the first enthusiastic demonstration for Taft that has been witnessed here.

When Burton ended there was a scene that lasted 24 minutes. Texas floated a standard, to which was tacked a pair of trousers, with a huge girl, with this legend: "As pants the hart for cooling stream, so Texas pants for Taft." The Ohio men were upon their chairs waving flags and a great blue silk banner, labeled "Our Candidate." The hand far down the convention hall began to play, but its tones were like whispers, because of the din. The New Yorkers were all up and cheering for Taft. The galleries remained silent.

Then came a march of the standards. Arkansas led off. Grasping the standard of the State, an Arkansas delegate began the march around the enclosure where the delegates were seated. Missouri followed, and then in quick succession came Oklahoma and North Carolina, and then Governor Herrick, grasping the Ohio standard, joined the parade, and behind him came Virginia, Minnesota, Kansas, Connecticut, Washington, Alabama and Iowa. South Carolina joined in, so did West Virginia, Tennessee, the Philippines, Mississippi, Porto Rico, Idaho, Arizona, Hawaii, Wyoming, Nebraska, Nevada and there was an indescribable medley of shouts, cheers and tumultuous applause. As the march of

the standards proceeded, the swelling cries became a rhythmic union of "Taft, Taft, Big Bill Taft." Great bunches of pink peonies were thrust into the arms of the marchers. They waved the standards aloft, and swung the peonies above their heads, and continued to refrain "Taft, Taft, Big Bill Taft."

The band, high up in the loft, began to play Julia Ward Howe's "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and a great swelling chorus took up the patriotic hymn. Enthusiastic admirers of Taft brought in a picture, a tremendous one, and so big was it that Senator Lodge ordered it to be taken out again. It encumbered the scene. It was grotesque to a certain extent in a scene which, while volcanic, was still brilliant in color.

There were cries of "Sit down, sit down," but it was impossible to end the scene. The band switched to "Marching Through Georgia," and other patriotic airs, and the tumult was even louder. All this went on for 24 minutes.

The tumult dying away from exhaustion, and because of the great strokes of Chairman Lodge, George A. Knight, of California, big voiced, big framed, in one of his spread eagle speeches which have been heard from California to Maine, seconded the nomination of Taft.

Attempted Roosevelt Stampede.

The call of States for nominations over, there was a real effort to stampede for Roosevelt. It was started by John A. Seibert, of Springfield, Ill. Fastened to the handle of an umbrella was a picture of Roosevelt, which Seibert raised aloft. He was immediately behind Senator Lodge on the platform. He was in a splendid position to face that great assemblage. As he waved the picture of Roosevelt slowly up and down, just as Mrs. Carson Lake waved her sunshade in the effort to stampede for Blaine in the Minneapolis convention in 1892, there were cries all over the convention for Roosevelt.

The refrain, "Four, four, four years more," was taken up and swelled and resounded until a great American flag bearing the picture of Roosevelt was brought in the gallery just behind Senator Lodge. This awakened more shouts, more yells, more cries for Roosevelt. It was pandemonium let loose. But the delegates sat there as if they were nailed to their chairs. The Wisconsin men were the only exception. Senator Crane and ex-Governor Herrick, as the din rose in volume, climbed upon the platform and begged Senator Lodge to stop the demonstration, if possible. John Molloy, the bassoon-voiced secretary of the convention, attempted to start the roll call. He could not be heard ten feet from the platform. The volume of sound was tremendous. The President, through the audiphones, could hear it away off in Washington. At times the demonstration sounded like the boom of crashing breakers on the ocean. But it was lasting too long for the comfort of many in the convention. Senator Lodge, grasping his gavel firmly and pounding it with all his might, declared "The call of States for nominations has been ended. The States will now vote on the various candidates." He was not heard five feet from where he spoke. Molloy, grabbing a megaphone rushed out to the edge of the platform and roared through it: "Alabama. You could not hear what Alabama said; you could not hear what anybody said. Senator Lodge rushed out to where Molloy was and cried: "Keep it up; keep it up. This has got to stop." So Molloy roared through the megaphone again for Alabama to answer. But Alabama could not be heard, and the chairman of the delegation had to go to the platform and announce the vote of the State for Taft. At this Molloy announced through the megaphone Alabama's vote, and the Ohio delegates began to shout. They howled for "Taft, Taft, Taft," and Herrick cried: "Give it up. Give them some of their own medicine."

Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, had to go to the platform and announce the vote of the State for Taft and Molloy roared the vote through his megaphone. The Ohioans repeated the tactics and as the megaphone business was repeated for California and Delaware and down to Georgia, the chairman of the delegations being compelled to go to the platform to announce the votes of those States, the delegates had got into singing cheers and these rolling plaudits had a quieting effect on the Roosevelt stampede in the gallery. By the time Idaho was reached the Ohio tactics in sending volley against volley had practically quelled the Roosevelt tumult. But it broke out again instantly and all told lasted 24 minutes.

Convention Hall, Chicago, despatch: Congressman James S. Sherman, of New York, was nominated for Vice-President of the United States by the Republican National Convention on the first ballot. The total vote was: Sherman 816, Murphy 77, Guild 75, Fairbanks 1, Sheldon 10, Absent 1. The convention adjourned sine die, at 11.47 a. m.

BOYS SCALP TORN OFF.

Alfred Lomas Crushed by Elevator at the Toronto News Office.

Toronto despatch: Alfred James Lomas, the eight-year-old son of James A. Lomas, 112 Yonge street, met with a painful accident at the News office about six o'clock last evening. The boy was playing near the elevator and did not notice it descending, and was caught beneath it. His head was crushed against a box, and the entire back portion of the scalp torn off. His face was also bruised. He was removed in the police ambulance to the Sick Children's Hospital, where 30 stitches were put in his wounds. He is in a precarious condition.

WILL BE BROUGHT BACK.

Joseph Garskowitz Must Stand Trial in Toronto for Fraud.

Toronto, June 22.—It has been decided by the provincial authorities that Joseph Garskowitz, of Applebaum, who is wanted in Toronto for obtaining \$200 by fraud from Louis Rotenstein, 183 York street, will be brought back to Toronto to stand his trial. Garskowitz sailed from Montreal for Liverpool on the Tunisian on June 9, and a cable has been sent to Liverpool asking for his arrest.

6,065 AT THE NIAGARA CAMP.

Largest Number In 36 Years Now Under Canvas.

Accidents Have Been Few and of a Minor Nature.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Hill Goes to Electric Chair Week of July 26th.

Niagara Camp despatch: Figures compiled by the D. A. A. G., Lieut.-Col. Gallows, show that there is a total attendance of 6,065 of all ranks at the military camp here, and this number is the largest since 1872. The infantry, of course, make up 60 per cent. of the whole. The figures are: Headquarters staff 30, 1st Squadron R. C. D. 97, 1st Cavalry brigade 1,245, 2nd Artillery brigade 318, No. 2 Section R. C. D. 16, No. 2 Field Company, C. E. 111, No. 2 R. C. B. 73, 3rd Infantry Brigade 1,058, 4th Infantry Brigade 1,273, 5th Infantry brigade 1,329, No. 2 Section Signal Corps 76, No. 2 Co., C. A. S. C. 80, No. 12 Co., C. A. S. C. 65, No. 2 Section C. O. Co. 78, No. 10 Field Ambulance 78, No. 11 Field Ambulance 78, No. 12 Field Ambulance 78, No. 13 Field Ambulance 78.

Total 6,065. Yesterday's operations consisted of routine drill for the infantry and cavalry, while regiments took their turns on the range all day long. The field ambulances were quite busy with minor accidents during the day and there 14 or 15 men under care in the hospital tents. Most of the injuries consisted of kicks from horses, broken fingers, sore feet from the first day's marching. Pte. Pellam, from Amherstburg, had his wrist broken while dismounting, and will be laid up for some time.

Gen. Cotton, camp commander, Col. Clarence Denison and Major Elmady, of the cavalry brigade, rode down through the newly-acquired camp site on the lake shore to the north and decided to use 50 acres to the west for cavalry manoeuvring. This will be the first time the new grounds have been used, as the department took possession on June 1st last. The tract consists of 350 acres of farming land, partly wooded, containing several fine grapevine yards. There are five farm houses with barns on the property, and they bear a deserted appearance, while the fences are decorated with signs forbidding trespassers. It is likely that the buildings can be utilized for military purposes.

An incident of the day was a visit of inspection paid by the council of Ontario County to the 34th Regiment. The members of the men in the regiment had had two or three camps' training and they are able to execute movements somewhat advanced from the elementary stages. Under Col. Henderson's command they formed a hollow square around the council group and gave three hearty cheers for them. Then they marched past in review order. The council was headed by Col. Panwell, who preceded Col. Henderson as head of the regiment.

Lieut.-Col. Hill inspected the cavalry horses yesterday, and rejected 23 out of the entire number, 1,038. Seven were found unfit in the Governor-General's Body Guard, ten in the 2nd Dragoons, five in the 1st Hussars and six in the 9th Miasaguch Horse.

Gen. Otter will go through camp to-day. Arrangements are in progress for the sham fight, which will be probably held on Thursday next, with the military tattoo on the same evening. Friday will be review day and the wind-up.

Lieut. Gilman, R. C. D., will act as assistant musketry instructor in place of Capt. H. N. Rorke.

Baseball and football leagues have been organized among the different regiments, and schedules have been drawn up for a series of games to be played off in the evenings. The games will begin next week.

CHANGES IN C. P. R.

Mr. C. Murphy to be Superintendent of Eastern Division.

Montreal, June 22.—Important changes are being made in C. P. R. circles. Mr. H. P. Timmerman, General Superintendent of the Eastern Division, is about to be replaced in that office by Mr. Charles Murphy. The official circular announcing this change has not yet been issued, and, in the meantime, the only statement made in the matter is that Mr. Timmerman has been assigned to other duties. Mr. Timmerman was formerly Superintendent of the Ontario Division, with headquarters at Toronto. In November, 1906, he was transferred to Montreal to take the position from which he is now retiring. Mr. James Osborne, then Superintendent of the Eastern Division, went to Toronto to take his place. Mr. Charles Murphy, the new General Superintendent of the Eastern Division, is looked upon as one of the most capable and popular men among the C. P. R. officials. He has been connected with the company for many years. He was formerly Superintendent in charge of the Ontario Division, with headquarters at London, Ont., but for the last six months or so he has been relieving other Superintendents in various parts of the system.

TO JUMP INTO NIAGARA.

Robinson Leach Will Leap From Steel Arch Bridge.

Niagara Falls, June 22.—Robinson Leach, of Chippewa, who is already famous for having braved the dangers of Niagara River, again announces that he will jump from the upper steel arch bridge on Dominion Day. His only safeguard will be a parachute. Up to yesterday his assertion was not regarded seriously in this city, but

the parachute and other apparatus to be used in the descent arrived yesterday, and Leach declared to-day that he will make the jump and will reach the water safely with a knife, and money above his head. A boat will also be kept in readiness near the bridge. Leach originally intended to make the jump on July 4, but the International Railway Company, owners of the upper steel arch bridge, would not allow him to do so on account of the large crowds which will gather on that day.

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Under the old regulations any lodge having 50 members was entitled to send two representatives to grand lodge, and one for each additional 50 or fraction thereof, and more in the same proportion. The amendment necessitates the enrollment of 75 members before two representatives can be sent, and one for each additional 75.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Master—W. T. Junkin, Femeon Falls (acclamation).

Deputy Grand Master—Wm. Irwin, St. Thomas.

Grand Secretary—Robert Fleming, Toronto (acclamation).

Grand Treasurer—P. G. M. W. H. Shaw, Toronto (acclamation).

Grand Medical Referee—Dr. H. S. Brigham, Toronto, (acclamation).

Grand Chaplain—Rev. J. Lindsay, Presbyterian minister, Evelyn, Ont.

Grand Lodge Representatives—D. J. A. White, Lindsay, and Dr. A. Thompson, Galt.

Grand Auditors—W. L. Young, Markham, and Charles Musson, Toronto.

Committee on Laws—C. Bradford, Hamilton, and J. W. Boyd and R. Wray, Committee on Finance—J. S. Tice, Stirling, Ont., and C. H. Denton, Tillsonburg, Ont.

The election of twelve district deputy grand masters was then held, the results as reported to the grand lodge showing the following appointments: Brighton district—Jas. Harris, Banockburn.

Lindsay district—C. W. Hughan, Lindsay.

Montreal district—Dr. Wm. Opzoomer, Montreal.

Owen Sound district—E. W. Geddes, Hepworth.

Ontham district—Solomon Manning, Highgate.

Windsor district—George Hicks, Windsor.

Galt district—Robt. Hammond, Galt.

Toronto district—H. C. Cardinal, Toronto.

Belleville district—A. Van Luven, Kingston.

Hamilton district—Willot Hall, Dundas.

St. Thomas district—G. A. Mason, Woodstock.

Winnipeg district was left without a district master for the time being.

The superintendent of organization, Bro. R. T. McNieho, addressed the general lodge at some length, outlining the plan which it is intended to pursue this year for the advancement of the work of the order.

It was decided to hold the next convention at Hamilton the third Tuesday in June, 1909.

NEXT MEETING IN HAMILTON.

Pates on Old Members Have Not Been Raised.

Most of the Leading Officers Were Re-elected.

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By a considerable majority the meeting decided not to increase the rates to old members.

Yesterday some amendments to the new constitution were made, the most important one affecting the representation of subordinate lodges at the meeting of the grand lodge.

Under the old regulations any lodge having 50 members was entitled to send two representatives to grand lodge, and one for each additional 50 or fraction thereof, and more in the same proportion. The amendment necessitates the enrollment of 75 members before two representatives can be sent, and one for each additional 75.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand Master—W. T. Junkin, Femeon Falls (acclamation).

Deputy Grand Master—Wm. Irwin, St. Thomas.

Grand Secretary—Robert Fleming, Toronto (acclamation).

Grand Treasurer—P. G. M. W. H. Shaw, Toronto (acclamation).

Grand Medical Referee—Dr. H. S. Brigham, Toronto, (acclamation).

Grand Chaplain—Rev. J. Lindsay, Presbyterian minister, Evelyn, Ont.

Grand Lodge Representatives—D. J. A. White, Lindsay, and Dr. A. Thompson, Galt.

Grand Auditors—W. L. Young, Markham, and Charles Musson, Toronto.

Committee on Laws—C. Bradford, Hamilton, and J. W. Boyd and R. Wray, Committee on Finance—J. S. Tice, Stirling, Ont., and C. H. Denton, Tillsonburg, Ont.

The election of twelve district deputy grand masters was then held, the results as reported to the grand lodge showing the following appointments: Brighton district—Jas. Harris, Banockburn.

Lindsay district—C. W. Hughan, Lindsay.

Montreal district—Dr. Wm. Opzoomer, Montreal.

Owen Sound district—E. W. Geddes, Hepworth.

Ontham district—Solomon Manning, Highgate.

Windsor district—George Hicks, Windsor.

Galt district—Robt. Hammond, Galt.

Toronto district—H. C. Cardinal, Toronto.

Belleville district—A. Van Luven, Kingston.

Hamilton district—Willot Hall, Dundas.

St. Thomas district—G. A. Mason, Woodstock.

Winnipeg district was left without a district master for the time being.

The superintendent of organization, Bro. R. T. McNieho, addressed the general lodge at some length, outlining the plan which it is intended to pursue this year for the advancement of the work of the order.

It was decided to hold the next convention at Hamilton the third Tuesday in June, 1909.

midnight, and when the Italians awoke they found themselves covered with four revolvers in the hands of two men, while a fourth man, armed with a knife, ordered them to come forward one by one and turn over all their money to him.

Two MURDERED.

DEATH IN A YUKON RIVER BOAT.

Three Scandinavians Left White Horse for Dawson, But Only One Reached the Yukon Capital.

White Horse, Yukon, June 22.—Major Snyder, of the Mounted Police, has received news of a murder on the river, a short distance below Selkirk. The telephone line from Dawson to White Horse is out of order, and the news came via Valdez and the United States cable. The message is as follows: "Ned Elfolst arrived in Dawson in boat No. 113 alone. He had been seen on the river with two others on the way down. The sound of shooting was heard by other small-boat passengers on the river bank below Selkirk."

Inquiry by Major Wood as to who left here in boat No. 113 showed that Ned Elfolst, Emil Anderson and David Bergman left in the boat on May 16.

The murder probably occurred five or six days later, as that time would be required to run from here to Selkirk. Whether the murder was for the purpose of robbery or the result of a quarrel is not known. The names indicate that all were Scandinavians, either Norwegians or Swedes, people not given to quietly obeying orders. The supposition is that the close intimacy of travelling for several days in a small boat engendered strife and had blood, which culminated in murder.

HORSE SHOW.

Americans Won Prizes at the Olympic in London.

London, June 22.—The international horse show opened its second annual exhibition yesterday at the Olympic, under the most promising conditions, and as was the case last year, the American exhibitors made an excellent showing, winning several of the most important prizes awarded.

In the novice class for ponies, Young Mountaineer, owned by Grand View Farm, Lancaster, Pa., took first against a big field. The blue ribbon, for pairs of ponies over four years old, went to Miss Westcott and Miss Danahan, owned by W. J. Butterfield, of Plainfield, N. J.

Walter Winan's Barney and Rip were second. Louis Winan's took first for pacers over 16 1/2 hands.

FOUNTAIN GROVE.

Manor House of Englishmen's Colony Burned Down.

Santa Rosa, Cal., June 22.—The Manor House, the central dwelling of the "Fountain Grove" colony, founded by Thomas Lake Harris, the English Mystic, was destroyed by fire caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp yesterday.

Harris came here from London early in the seventies and established the "Fountain Grove" colony, building a magnificent manor house, at a cost of \$40,000, for his residence, and a number of other buildings. He attracted disciples from all classes in different parts of the world.

PATENTS WITHIN THE EMPIRE.

Question of Uniformity of Laws Discussed in British Commons.

London, June 22.—In the House of Commons to-day, responding to Mr. Joynson-Hicks, who asked if proposals might not be made to the Canadian Government of a reciprocal character, affecting the validity of patents in both countries, Mr. Winston Churchill said a committee of the Imperial Conference, ascertain the views of the self-governing colonies on the question of the uniformity of patent law. In the meantime the Government could not approach any single colony. Comments were made on the fact that a lapse of twelve months sees nothing done to carry out the conference's resolution.

The Morning Post points out that the method outlined by Mr. Churchill is dilatory and not called for by the conference.

BULLET THROUGH HIS BODY.

Man Puller Trigger With the Aid of an Umbrella.

Edmonton, Alta., June 22.—Richard Davies, aged 43 years, who came to Edmonton about four months ago from the Ottawa Valley, committed suicide yesterday. He accomplished his death by means of a long Enfield rifle, over which he bent and pulled the trigger by aid of an umbrella. Despite the fact that the bullet went clear through his body and left a gaping wound in his back, the unfortunate man lived for two hours, and was conscious a good part of the time.

MANITOBA'S TELEPHONES.

Control of System Now Vested in Commission.

Winnipeg, June 22.—Absolute control of the Government telephone system is now vested in the Commission, and all of the staff have been transferred to that office. The department, apparently, is now a mere sinecure, and the Minister and his staff are holidaying. It was a farce the way it was being run, anyway. There were men drawing high salaries who had hardly turned a hand for three months.

FATALLY STABBED ONE OF THE MEN WHO RESTED.

Fort Plain, N. Y., June 22.—Ten Italian laborers, who lived in a car on a siding of the West Shore Railroad, here, were held up by armed robbers at midnight and forced to hand over more than \$500 which they had received in wages yesterday. One of the Italians who resisted the desperadoes was probably fatally wounded, and an outsider who had been in the tunnel in the car and sought to frighten the robbers away was overpowered, bound, gagged and his pockets rifled. The robbers escaped with their booty, leaving no trace.

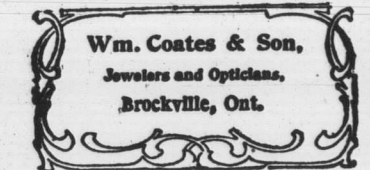
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**Local and General**

Miss Victoria Lee, ill for several weeks, is now confined to her bed.  
Mr. Chris Connolly of Caintown is a visitor in Athens this week.  
Strawberries are selling in Brockville at 4 boxes for 25¢.  
There is a bountiful crop of wild strawberries and the domestic berries are already down to a reasonable price.  
The ruling price for cheese in Brockville on Thursday was 11¢ and about 8,000 boxes were sold.

—Aberdeen Cottage, Charleston Lake, is to let. Apply to Miss Maude Addison.  
—We must say we consider the programme for Brockville's Dominion Day celebration is one of the best ever.  
Mr. J. C. Hardy of Alex. Bay, N.Y., spent Saturday and Sunday in Athens a guest at the home of Mrs. Mary Rappell.

G. W. Morris, wife and daughter, of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived in Athens Saturday night. Mrs. Morris will remain for a few weeks while Mr. Morris proceeds to Mazin Mines.  
Mr. L. Palmer of Alex. Bay, N. Y., (formerly of Plum Hollow), called on friends in Athens Saturday.  
Mr. J. S. Moore, grocer, will conduct a refreshment booth at Delta Park on Saturday.

—Big crowds throughout this locality are going to attend Brockville's two days celebration on July 1st and 2nd.  
Mr. Uri Parish and family of Watertown, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Parish.  
John D. Birch of McIntosh Mills and Miss Bertha Brown of Aultsville were married in Brockville on Tuesday.

Miss Crystal Rappell left this week for Edmonton, Alberta, where she will spend her vacation with her brother, Gordon.  
Many in Athens will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. E. U. Barber of Nyack, N. Y., as she made many a friend here when visiting two years ago.  
—Upwards of 100 crack long distance runners from all over Canada will take part in the big 10-mile Marathon race at Brockville's Dominion Day celebration.

Mr. N. L. Massey, B.A., has accepted a position as associate examiner in the West and will not return to Athens until latter part of July.  
Rev. F. A. Reid, the new pastor of the Methodist church, will occupy his pulpit here morning and evening of Sunday next and preach at Lake Elolida in the afternoon.  
The counties council decided last week that the Ontario Legislature should pass a law prohibiting auto mobiles from using the highways before 8 o'clock a.m. and during the afternoon of one day every week. The former restriction, Mr. Davis explained, was to enable milk to be delivered safely at the factories, and the latter to permit ladies to drive about without fear of the autos. The speed of the doctor's auto has proved an important factor in saving life and the beneficiaries and their friends would hardly like to see this law made applicable to medical men.

If one feels dull and spiritless, in the spring or early summer, they call it "Spring Fever." But there is no fever—usually. It is the after effect of our winter habits. The nerves are mostly at fault. Tired worn-out nerves leave us languid, lifeless, and without spirit or ambition. A few doses of Dr. Shoop's Restorative will absolutely and quickly change all of these depressing symptoms. The Restorative of course won't bring you back to full health in a day or two, but it will do enough in 48 hours to satisfy you that the remedy is reaching that "tired spot." Druggists everywhere are advising its use as a splendid and prompt general tonic. It gives more vim and more spirit to the spoonful than any other known nerve or constitutional tonic. It sharpens a falling appetite, aids digestion, frees sluggish livers and kidneys, and brings new life strength and ambition. Test it a few days and be convinced. Sold by all Dealers.

Dr. H. H. Stone is spending a few days at the home of his mother here.  
Mr. Burchell is one of the Entrance examiners in Brockville this week.  
Brockville Orangemen will celebrate the 12th at Merrickville.  
—Car load of extra quality Flour expected soon. Prices will be lower.—Athens Grain Warehouse.  
The village is full of Entrance candidates today. They will not finish writing until Friday.  
Mrs. S. J. Bellamy of Prescott was a visitor in Athens last week, a guest of Mrs. G. F. Donnelly.

Mr. Sherman Stout of Crosby, who has lately recovered from a long illness is this week visiting friends in Athens.  
Next Sunday will be Temperance Sunday in the Sabbath Schools. Mr. J. E. Burchell will take part in the review work in the Methodist S. S.  
Miss Irma Culbert, accompanied by her brother Carmen, has gone to a health resort in the Catskill Mountains.  
—There will be a great rush to Brockville on July 1st and 2nd, the days of the big Dominion Day Celebration and Race Meet.  
Miss M. Stinson and Miss E. West have accepted reengagement on the staff of the Athens model school.  
—Good time now to repair roofs. Cedar Shingles, cheap.—Athens Lumber Yard.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Sarah Wiltsie, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is now improving.  
Announcement is made of the marriage of Rev. W. F. Kidd of Frankville and Miss Margaret Woodcock of Brockville. The happy event takes place today.  
—The horse races at Brockville on July 1st and 2nd will attract people from great distances. There are six big racing events, including a \$500 free-for-all.  
The Entrance exam's are being conducted in Athens under the supervision of Dr. Kinney, I.P.S., Principal Brommer of Brockville and Miss Cummer of the A.H.S. staff.  
The death occurred at Barnaby, N. Y. Thursday of last week of Mrs. James Weston, a former resident of Oak Leaf. She was 88 years of age and leaves a family of four daughters and two sons. The remains were interred at Oak Leaf.  
—Brockville's two day celebration, July 1st and 2nd, presents the biggest and best programme of Sports, Horse Races and special features ever offered at the Island City.  
Mrs. A. D. Chamberlain of Waddington, N. Y., and Mrs. Shipman of Almonte visited at the home of Mrs. G. F. Donnelly last week and went to Delta on Saturday to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Coon at their island home.  
Mr. Peckover, of the office of Mr. Coad, C. E., Smith's Falls, was here last week and took levels and measurements for Athens' granolithic sidewalks. The work will be completed this week by Mr. Coad. It is probable that the walks will be laid on both sides of Main street.  
Mrs. F. Moffatt of Weston (formerly of Lyn) is in Athens this week, the guest of Mrs. T. S. Kendrick. On Sunday afternoon, in the Methodist S. S., Mrs. Moffatt gave an interesting address in relation to the work of the S. S. at Weston.  
It is greatly regretted by the good people of Union Valley that there are some who have no more respect for the locality than to use Sunday for gun-practice. A protest may be put in that will long be remembered.  
On Saturday last Mr. Norman C. Brown of the Addison road had an experience that might easily have ended seriously if not fatally. He entered the stall of one of his horses, carrying a pail. This startled the horse and it suddenly pulled back, knocking Mr. Brown down and stepping on his thigh near the groin. A nasty gash was inflicted in his chin which required to be stitched. Mr. Brown though badly bruised, is able to attend to business, and is thankful for having escaped so well from such a perilous position.

Miss Lillie Wiltsie returned home from her school about ten days ago owing to illness, and has since been confined to her bed.  
The I.O.F. rates for old members have been fixed without any demand being made for back pay. They do not come into effect until October, and in the meantime men will be sent to the different courts to explain the application of the new rating.  
The illness of Mr. S. C. A. Lamb, reported last week, was diagnosed as being due to chronic appendicitis, and on Monday morning, at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, he was successfully operated upon by Dr. Cornell. His condition is now reported as satisfactory. Dr. Purvis went to Brockville to attend the operation.  
The annual lawn social of the ladies of Christ church is one of the most popular events of the summer season in Athens. It takes place on the Rectory grounds on Friday evening next and, with fair weather, it promises to eclipse all previously held. There will be a feast of strawberries, a good programme of music, etc., and a thoroughly social time. Tickets, 25¢.  
—The Celebration Committee in Brockville who are booming the big demonstration on July 1st and 2nd are an aggressive lot and are determined to make the two days event even greater than the famous Old Boys' Banquet. For horse races alone over \$1500 are offered, while \$200 in prizes go to the big 10-mile road race, which is attracting scores of runners from all over Canada.

**Excursion to Delta**  
Owing to sale of Steamer Brockville the Athens Methodist Sunday School excursion, advertised for 1000 Islands Park on the 27th has been cancelled. The school this year will have their annual outing to Delta Park on Saturday, 27th, and invite all their friends to bring their baskets and enjoy the day with them.  
A large launch has been engaged for the day for the free use of excursionists.  
A base-ball game, running races and other sports are being arranged for.  
Fare from Athens, adults 30¢; children, 10¢.

**Collins—Sheffield**  
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sheffield, Athens, was the scene of a very pretty June wedding Wednesday evening, when their daughter, Miss Mary, became the bride of Mr. Ernest Collins, a prosperous young farmer residing near Seeley's Bay.  
The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. J. Hughes in the presence of a number of invited guests. Congratulations were heartily extended and a sumptuous spread served, after which the remainder of the evening was spent in games and amusements.  
Mr. and Mrs. Collins were recipients of many beautiful presents.

**Athens Won Easily**  
Athens had an easy time with a bunch of ball-tossers from the Brockville Collegiate Institute Saturday, and won a loosely played game by 20 to 7.  
Brockville showed lack of practice, were weak with the stick, and fielded poorly at critical moments. Their slab artists had nothing very puzzling in the slant line to dish up to the local boys who collected a goodly collection of biffs and bingles. Enough of these came in the first inning to amass nine runs, and after that it was easy money. L. Fitzpatrick, who relieved his brother in the box in the fifth, did well but went in too late to stem the tide of defeat.  
For Athens, DeWolfe pitched until the fifth, when he was relieved by R. Parish. McClary's work behind the bat was a feature. The local boys fielded rather loosely at times, and were somewhat slow on the bases. Their hitting, however, coupled with Brockville's errors, enabled them to pile up a high score.  
Following are the players:—  
Brockville—Marshall, 1st b; F. Fitzpatrick, p, s s; Sanderson, 1f; L. Fitzpatrick, s s, p; Reynolds, cf; Bissell, 3rd b; McGuire, 2nd b; McDowell, c; Smith, rf.  
Athens—Donovan, cf; Stinson, 1f; L. Willson, 2nd b; DeWolfe, p; R. Parish, p; Wiltsie, s s; Dior, 3rd b; McClary, c; Earl, 1st b; A. Parish, rf.  
Mr. Geo. Holmes, Athens, officiated as "ump," very gracefully.  
Score by innings:  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Brockville—1 0 3 2 1 0 0 0—7  
Athens—9 1 1 4 3 1 0 1 x—20

**Institute Officers**  
At the annual meeting of the Leeds Farmers' Institute, Mr. W. M. Bass of Newboro was elected president and the following directors were appointed:—  
North Crosby—Ephraim Vanderhoof Westport; Geo. S. Duncan, Newboro. Newboro—W. S. Bolton, Newboro. South Crosby—W. M. Bass, Newboro; H. S. Davison, Elgin.  
Bastard—H. E. Eyre, Chantry; John Bowser, Delta.  
Rear of Leeds and Lansdowne—Robt. Gardiner, Seeley's Bay; W. W. Hickok, Seeley's Bay; A. J. Kendrick, Lyndhurst.

**Going to Brockville**  
Mr. A. E. Donovan, M.P.P., has rented his pleasant home in Athens to Dr. J. E. Purvis and, following his usual practice, will take his family to a furnished residence in Rosedale, Toronto, for the summer months. In the fall he will remove to Brockville and establish his permanent home there.  
This means the loss to Athens of a family that has been prominent in the social life of the village for many years, ever ready to help in all good works, and loyal to the best interests of the village. Of course, this change does not mean a lessening of that loyalty—they will still be near neighbors—but it means the loss of the intimate personal contact and relationship so long enjoyed and so highly esteemed by the people of the village.  
The change will enable Mr. Donovan to spend much more of his time with his family, and while the removal seems only natural to one whose business interests and representative work necessitates his presence in Toronto, the departure of the family from Athens is none the less regretted by their many old friends.

**From Sunny Alberta**  
We know that the men think of the West. A lady's opinion will be new to Reporter readers, and so we take the liberty of extracting the following paragraph from a letter written by Mrs. A. Green from Edmonton, Alberta, to a friend in Athens:—  
"I had an early Spring and the season so far has been just beautiful. Crops will be something great if nothing happens to them. People from all over the globe are rushing in here. It is very interesting to watch the development of the city which has grown from a small place a little larger than Athens to a city of from twenty to twenty-five thousand in the four years that we have been here."

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