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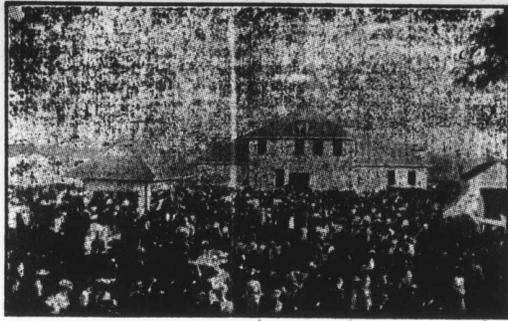
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A VIEW OF BROCKVILLE FAIR

### Local and General

—Another car load Chicago Corn just received—Athens Grain Warehouse

Miss Marie Wilson of Philadelphia was the guest of Miss E. Hayes last week.

Miss Carrie Billings returned to Brockville this week after visiting friends here.

Epworth League topic on Monday evening is "The value of decision." Leader, Mrs. Cornell.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. W. B. Percival is recovering from her recent severe illness.

During the past ten years \$21,000, 000 has been spent improving the country roads of Ontario.

D. W. Hayes has severed his connection with the firm of Lewis & Patterson, Brockville, to go on the road for a wholesale millinery firm.

Rev. I. N. Beckstedt is taking his annual vacation and there will be no service in St. Paul's Presbyterian church this month.

Charleston bay is reported to have been a very lively resort during the recent warm nights, music, song and wild halloo keeping the echoes of High Rock busy until a late hour.

Mr. Geo. Percival of Stanton, Mich. is visiting his brother, Mr. W. Percival, Athens, and other friends in Leeds county. He has been away from this section for twenty-two years.

Mr. John Taplin, who has been visiting friends here for several weeks, left on Friday last for his home in Minneapolis and en route will visit Dr. M. Taplin at Rochester, N. Y.

The forces of men employed in rebuilding the bridge across the creek south of the village should be increased and the work rushed to completion. It is causing travellers serious inconvenience.

There was a reunion of the Mott family on Monday at Charleston Lake, when Mrs. Madden Mott and her sons, Joseph, William, Oscar, Rev. Thos. M. Mott, Franklin, and their respective families, also her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Latimer and her family, gathered to enjoy the beauties of the Lake for the day.

Mr. D. Derbyshire, M.P., was this week elected Grand Warden of the I.O.O.F. at the meeting of the grand lodge at Orillia. This is a coveted honor, for which there is always keen competition, as its attainment means that the successful candidate will be Grand Master the following year. We congratulate our able parliamentary representative on the distinction he has achieved.

As a medium for the sale of cheese the usefulness of the weekly meetings of Brockville Dairymen's Board of Trade has long been open to question. The salesmen, for some reason (not known to the uninitiated) seem averse to selling their goods in the open market, though it is well known that they fail to get more and sometimes accept less than the highest bid. At Saturday's meeting Mr. Johnston predicted Board's collapse if prevailing practice of buying on the curb instead of on the board is kept in vogue. He felt confident that the continuation of this practice must ultimately mean the finish of the board and thought it near at hand. The highest bid on the board was 11 1/2c, but it secured no cheese. After adjournment nearly 10,000 boxes were sold, some at 11 1/2c, some at 11c, but the ruling price for the day was only 11c. For the corresponding week last year the ruling price was 12c.

—"Harvest Queen" Flour—try a bag—Athens Grain Warehouse.

Miss Edith Hughes returns to her high school work near Ottawa.

Dr. W. W. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy of Los Angeles, Cal., are visiting old friends in Leeds county.

A matched game of baseball takes place here between teams representing Athens and Lyndhurst on Saturday next.

There's a lot of people hoping for wings on the strength of the chicken feed they drop in the collection.

The Wall Street Methodist Church, Brockville, has raised the pastor's salary to \$1400 and voted him a month's holidays.

For procuring liquor for a prohibited person an Almonte man was taken to Perth jail and will spend twenty days there for the offence.

Brockville Dairymen's Board of Trade has decided by resolution to ask Ontario's Minister of Agriculture to hold a winter dairy fair in that town.

Court House green, Brockville, will be transformed from an eyesore to a place of beauty. A joint committee of town and counties have the matter in hand.

Ten cents worth of peanuts contain more than twice the amount of energy contained in a porter house steak, is the statement made by Prof. F. E. Jaffe of the State University at Berkeley, Cal., in a bulletin just prepared for the United States Department of Agriculture.

Those who want an excuse to stay out late at night have it now. The comet is visible only at 2 a. m., so if you see an otherwise respectable citizen loitering around at that hour examining the heavens don't come to the conclusion he is "out for a time," he is merely an enthusiastic amateur astronomer.

About forty Leaguers enjoyed the hospitality of their President, Mrs. W. G. Towris, at her pleasant home on Monday evening, the night of their regular meeting. A choice programme of music was rendered by Mr. Alex. Compo, violin, accompanied on the piano by Miss Belle Earl, and there was an interesting and entertaining contest on the subject of trees. In preparation for this latter feature the members on arriving were presented with a boutonniere spray of leaves. The answers to the questions submitted showed marked originality as well as deep thought. Refreshments were served and thoroughly enjoyed and then saying good-bye to their kind hostess the young people departed for home, all agreeing that this social evening had been a pronounced success.

### Death of Edwin Booth

Died—At his home in Addison this (Wednesday) morning, after a brief illness, Edwin Booth, aged 59. He is survived by his wife and three sons, all at home. The funeral will leave the house at 1 p. m. on Thursday for Addison church and thence to Rock-spring cemetery. Deceased was a member of Court Athens I.O.F. and was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends.

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# Cupid Tries Again

"Frank Bayley" repeated Carrington, looking at her with unusual attention. "Is he a doctor?"

"Yes, in the Indian service. Did you know him?"

"I have met him," a slight frown contracted his brow.

"Yes, he is a very clever fellow," said Mrs. Bayley, picking up a stitch with much dexterity and continuing the conversation in an imperative kind of whisper, as Miss Onslow began to play a dreamy nocturne.

"A very clever fellow. He is not going back to India, he is going to practice in Huddersfield. Ah, what queer experiences he has had!"

"He seems to have been communicative," said Carrington, with a tinge of contempt.

"To me, yes. You see we had a sort of professional intimacy. After I lost my poor husband, having no ties, I turned hospital nurse, and was able in that way to do a little good. I was fortunately in the same hotel with Mrs. Fane, when she had that frightful attack of Roman fever—through which I nursed her—about two years ago. We have stuck to each other ever since. Poor dear! Her life has been cruelly spoiled. That wretch of a husband of hers, I don't know what he deserves! You should hear Frank Bayley's account of him!"

"No answer. Carrington, his eyes fixed on the ground, his brows sternly knit into a frown, prompted no doubt by righteous wrath, was pulling his long moustaches.

"After waiting in vain for a reply, Mrs. Bayley recommenced.

"Do you think of making any stay here?"

"Still no answer. He seemed lost in thought, and then, as though he did not hear her, suddenly rose and crossed to where Mrs. Fane was sitting in her favorite window. The chair beside her was tenanted only by a little pet black Pomeranian dog.

"This is a little beauty," said Carrington, lifting it and taking its place, while he stroked the little creature, who seemed quite happy on his knee.

"The little beauty is mine," cried Mrs. Bayley, "and used to be a good, obedient little dog—my one possession—but Mrs. Fane has bewitched Midge, and now he is so spoiled that he cares for no one else. She quite ruins him—even gets up at unearthly hours to take him out before breakfast." Here Mrs. Fane's courier brought in some letters, and Mrs. Bayley soon became absorbed in hers.

Though Morton stole many impatient glances towards Carrington and his hostess, good breeding forbade him to break in upon their virtual tête-à-tête—and so he kept himself usefully employed, as he imagined, by getting up a flirtation with Miss Onslow, rather to that young lady's astonishment.

"I suppose it is a great pleasure to you to sing!" said Carrington, rather abruptly, and looking at Mrs. Fane in the peculiar, searching, sombre way that always impressed her so much.

"I am fond of singing, certainly, but why do you think so?"

"Because you put your heart into it, or seem to do so, and for the pleasure you bestow, seeming suffices."

"That is a polite way of saying I do not feel at all."

"I did not mean it, and I would rather believe you do feel."

"Why? To ensure my suffering?"

"God knows, no! Must you suffer because you feel?"

and stiff as can be! So different from Sir Frederic, who really has birth and position!" cried Mrs. Bayley, as soon as she found herself alone with Mrs. Fane.

"I rather suspect he is a nobody; it is remarkably reticent about his family, which is not usual if there is anything to boast of."

Mrs. Fane smiled. "I could never imagine Colonel Carrington boasting; and pray remember I have more sympathy with nobodies than you can possibly have."

"My dear Mrs. Fane, I did not deserve that little sting. You know well that if Nature had not made you a perfect gentleman, no amount of filthy lucre, nor even the pressure of my miserable poverty, would have induced me to throw in my lot with you. I could not endure the hope of being with an ill-bred or a purse-proud person; but you know my independence."

"I do, Mrs. Bayley, and I am much gratified by your flattering opinion; but really I had no intention of stinging."

"I forgive you," said Mrs. Bayley, laughing; "but I refer to my opinion that Colonel Carrington is not thoroughbred, or he would not treat me with such scant ceremony. Oh, don't be afraid to laugh. I dare say you think me an exacting old woman; but a man's conduct to a person in the position he imagines I hold, is a very good test. He fancies, I dare say, that you pay me."

"No doubt he thinks I ought. Nor do I see why you should decline."

"No, no; I will never accept a salary. Freedom and independence is my motto, and equality is the soul of friendship. Why should you pay me for what is a pleasure to me to give?"

"Well, as you please; and so good-night. My head aches a little; I shall be glad to be in darkness."

Though Mrs. Fane soon dismissed her maid, and put out the lights, she did not go to bed. She sat long in an extremely easy chair, musing vaguely, first, with a slight smile, on Mrs. Bayley's independence, and remembering not in any niggard spirit, but with a certain sense of humor, that during the years in which she had given a salary of a hundred pounds to a lady for whom she had been considerably less than during the Bayley regime. This was merely a passing thought. The young grass widow was truly liberal; but whether from indulgence, or some reluctance of the heart to avail itself of its complete independence, she was not so liberal as she seemed.

Her depression of mind, however, was a shrewdness, as thus, in a way, she saw through the lively, impulsive Mrs. Bayley, and recognized that her independence was a sham. Nevertheless, she imagined, by getting up a flirtation with Miss Onslow, rather to that young lady's astonishment.

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"I suppose to sensitive people, sorrow is more sorrowful and joy more joyful than to ordinary men and women. I do not think I am peculiarly sensitive; my life has been tranquil enough." But a quick, half-suppressed sigh belied her words. "You are fond of dogs, Colonel Carrington?"

"Yes, I had a lot of dogs about me always in India. One was a special friend; I brought him home with me. He would have died of grief if I had left him behind."

"And you thought of that? So much consideration is surely rare in a man."

"Is it? Have women much more selfishness than men?"

"They have the credit of selfishness. I suppose it is some accident of constitution."

Carrington was silent for a moment, and then said: "Isolation tends to foster selfishness, at least. I have been a good deal in remote, lonely stations, and—"

"You have, contrary to your nature, grown a selfish man," interrupted Mrs. Fane, playfully.

# LIGHTNING AN ITS DANGERS.

## The Loss of Life is Greater Than Commonly Supposed.

In this country we have no means of ascertaining precisely what is the amount of mischief done by lightning. In France and Germany statistics on the subject are systematically tabulated by the Government every year. If complete statistics were accessible there can be little doubt they would show that the annual loss of life and property is far greater than is commonly supposed. In one respect the damage is often greater than it need be, even apart from any consideration of lightning conductors.

During five or six days in the summer of 1884 it was estimated by a competent authority that besides other mischief not less than six hundred animals of one sort and another in England were killed by lightning, most of them being sheep and cattle in the field. In all such casualties it is usual to regard the carcasses as unfit for human food, says the London Chronicle, and they are ordinarily buried. Mr. Atfield, professor of chemistry to the Pharmaceutical Society, has pointed out that this is often an unnecessary waste.

The carcasses are not in the slightest degree affected as regards their wholesomeness as food by the electric discharge, and if within a short time after being struck they were treated as in the ordinary process of slaughtering and the veins and arteries drained before the blood had coagulated there could be no reasonable objection to their being eaten.

This summer has been especially disastrous in various parts of the country thunderstorms have been frequent, and scarcely a week has passed of late in which the newspapers have not recorded the destruction of sheep and cattle.

But besides the killing of sheep and cattle there have been several disasters fatal to human life, to say nothing of a great deal of mischief to property of various kinds. Here, again the mischief is often quite easily avoidable. It is of course, very well known that a good lightning conductor properly fixed is an absolutely reliable safeguard against lightning; but a fact which is not so well known is that an efficient lightning conductor might often be set up at the cost of a few shillings by taking advantage of the conducting power of trees.

Everybody should be aware by this time that trees are a source of peril in times of thunderstorm, though from accidents which every now and again occur it would seem that there is still a great amount of ignorance on the subject.

Only a few days ago a lightning flash struck a poplar tree near Winchester and killed a man who had taken shelter at the foot of it, no doubt in ignorance of his danger. Such fatalities are exceedingly common, and it has not infrequently occurred that cottages and other buildings have been struck by lightning in consequence of the vicinity of some tall tree.

The casualties to animals are often due to the fact that with the commencement of a thunder shower they are apt to gather for shelter beneath the branches of some isolated tree. The explanation of the mischief is very well known. A tree is a conductor of lightning, but not a very good one. In the absence of a better channel the lightning will flash through it, but there is always a chance of its glancing aside to any medium that affords a readier passage. Now the body of a man or an animal constitutes a much better conductor than a tree does and consequently the electricity whenever it has an opportunity of doing so will leave the tree and flash through the animal body. The same thing will often occur when the lightning passing downward through the tree, reaches a point at which a readier passage is presented by some adjacent building. The full volley is deflected from the tree into the building.

It has been suggested that in all such cases if a metal rod were carried from the earth for a short distance up the tree there would be no such deflection. The metal conductor would afford a readier passage than the body of a man or the materials of a house and the tree, which otherwise is a source of danger, would become an absolute protection, even to persons or animals sheltering beneath it. Of course nobody would suggest that all trees should be thus dealt with, but it often happens that from its special position a tree during a thunderstorm is not only a source of some peril but is the occasion of much uneasiness and anxiety.

According to the lightning rod conference appointed a few years ago by the Meteorological Society of London to inquire into the subject and report on the best form of the thing there is nothing much better than a solid iron rod. On the newest of our public buildings, such as the new Law Courts, where it may be assumed they would act on the best professional advice, they have adopted flat bands of copper. These are made in sizes varying from a sixteenth to an eighth of an inch thick and from three-quarters of an inch to two or three inches wide. The copper is a somewhat better conductor than iron, and the flat bands adapt themselves more easily to the walls of a building than a thick rod. But the iron makes a very satisfactory lightning rod, and provided it is quite continuous and embedded well into the earth, going down, if possible, into a moist stratum of soil, it affords perfect protection.

The cost of such a rod up a house or a little beyond that of surrounding objects is really very trifling.

Many persons who are well aware of the protective power of a good lightning rod are not perhaps equally well aware that it may serve not only to direct harmlessly to earth an actual discharge of lightning, but may also prevent the occurrence of the flash by conducting the electricity in a silent stream so to speak. For this purpose electricians now recognize the fact that it is important that the conductor shall terminate in a sharp point, indeed the most approved form of lightning rod now has a corona of points, and a practical difficulty is to keep these terminals sufficiently pointed by preventing corrosion. When it is practicable to do so, they should be periodically examined, and should be repointed when they are found to have rusted away.

The notion prevalent at one time that a conductor should terminate in a ball is quite abandoned, and so also is the idea that a tube is better than a solid rod. It used to be thought that electricity passed only by the surface of the conductor, and as a tube presented more surface than a solid rod the tube was for a while the favorite form. This is now known to have been a mistake.

It is true electricity at rest distributes itself over the surface of a conductor, but when in motion it passes through the whole mass, and the efficiency of a metal rod of any given kind is to be gauged by its sectional area, only, as has been said, that sectional area must terminate in a point, the finer the better.

Without the point it will carry the most violent discharge to earth—or as, of course, it sometimes happens, from the earth to the clouds—if the rod or band be sufficiently thick, but with the point it may act as a sort of spout or pipe through which the electricity may rush without any violent explosion at all.

The Meteorological Journal for 1875 relates a very curious illustration of this action of conductors. A party of tourists in the Engadine had attained a height of about 11,000 feet above the level of the sea when they found themselves enveloped in mist and falling snow, and in silence broken only by a curious intermittent noise which they presently traced to a flagstaff on the mountain peak. The noise resembled the rattling of hailstones on a window, and close scrutiny convinced them that it was due to the passage of a current of electricity through the pointed flagstaff. At one moment the rattling was at the top of the staff, at another at the bottom and at other times it quivered seemingly all through it, but never for a moment ceased. The party ventured to hold up their iron-pointed awnings, and they all instantly experienced the familiar tingling of an electric current through their bodies.

It was evident to them that the clouds over and above them were in what electricians nowadays call a condition of high potentiality and that there was a sort of an electrical downpour through the flagstaff, which continued an outlet for a force which but for some such passage would probably have flashed out in lightning.

## MOTHER'S ANXIETY.

The summer months are a time of anxiety for mothers, because they are the most dangerous months for children. Stomach and bowel troubles come quickly during the hot weather and almost before the mother realizes that there is danger the little ones may be beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets will prevent summer complaints if given occasionally, because they keep the stomach and bowels free from offending matter. And the Tablets will cure these troubles if they come suddenly. The wise mother should keep these Tablets always at hand and give them occasionally to her children. The Tablets can be given with equal success to the new born babe or the well grown child. They always do good—they cannot possibly do harm, and the mother has the guarantee of a Government analyst that this medicine does not contain one particle of opiate or harmful material. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Vaccination for Blackleg and Anthrax in Cattle.

The disease known as blackleg in cattle, although entirely unknown in many extensive agricultural sections of Canada and not at all widespread in any district or province, annually causes quite extensive losses to cattle raisers. Anthrax, which is quite a different disease, although frequently confused with blackleg in the minds of many cattle raisers, is also the cause of serious loss of stock. The former disease is almost entirely confined to cattle under three years, and is generally fatal. The latter attacks other classes of farm cattle, and the human subject is not exempt from its infection, which generally results seriously.

By the aid of science cattle raisers are now enabled to protect their stock against these maladies. As the human family is vaccinated against smallpox, in the same manner cattle are rendered immune from blackleg and anthrax. The Department of Agriculture at Ottawa through the health of animals branch is now in a position to supply preventive vaccine for each of these diseases at the nominal cost of five cents per dose. Until recently, by special arrangement with extensive manufacturers in the United States, these products were secured at a reduced cost, and were placed in the hands of Canadian cattle raisers at ten cents per dose for blackleg vaccine and fourteen cents per dose for anthrax vaccine. It is due to the fact that these preparations are now being made at the biological laboratory in connection with the health of animals branch that they can be supplied at five cents per dose.

The vaccine for blackleg may be administered by any intelligent person by means of an instrument supplied by the department at fifty cents.

Anthrax vaccine, which is also supplied at five cents per dose, is more difficult to administer, requiring a qualified veterinarian to treat an animal.

Cattle raisers who have fear of an attack of either blackleg or anthrax would do well to apply to the veterinary director-general at Ottawa for the proper preventive treatment.

And Then He Ran.

"Did any man ever tell you," asked Mr. Herpeck, as he edged toward the door, "that you were the sweetest and most beautiful woman in the world?"

"No," replied his wife.

"Gee! Men are honest when I thought they were."—Chicago Record-Herald.

that the contemplation of misery in the keen sea air has an alarming effect on the appetite."

"I think I'll get old Morton to let me have his wife's ponies to drive you over, Mrs. Fane. She has been away all the summer, and the little brats are eating their heads off."

"How many will the carriage hold?" asked Mrs. Fane.

"Four, I think."

"The you can take Mrs. Bayley, Violet, and myself," said Mrs. Fane.

"And leave Dr. Methvin and me without a lady to escort!" exclaimed Carrington. "That is a most unfair division of good things."

"It is indeed too bad," said Mrs. Bayley. "I cannot countenance such an injustice. If the gentlemen will have me, I shall be delighted to go in Colonel Carrington's carriage and you had better come too, dear, to Miss Onslow, then Sir Frederic can take a groom."

"Well, you will see about the ponies, and we care arrange details afterwards," said Mrs. Fane, and the party rose from the table, dispersing soon afterwards. Mrs. Bayley declared her intention of finishing a novel in which she was deeply interested, and Mrs. Fane said she would return the visits of some old ladies—friends of Dr. Methvin—who had thought it necessary to call upon her.

Left alone, Mrs. Bayley found her novel and settled herself in the sitting-room, but she was not absorbed by her book. She laid it down at intervals, and went to the window, which commanded the approach to the hotel on one side; she looked at the clock, she compared it with her own watch. She took a note from her pocket and read it over, tearing it carefully into little bits, and placing the scraps in the wast-paper basket. At length the door opened, and Morton came in. He walked to the window, kicking a chair out of his way as he went. After a glance through the open sash he turned, muttering something—not a blessing, but a warning.

"What is the matter? You see me to be in a tantrum," said Mrs. Bayley. Her voice sounded harder, commoner than it did when she talked genially with Mrs. Fane.

"Probably I am. I am coming to the end of everything. I had a warning from Jephson that Moseenthal, the brute who holds nearly all my paper, is determined to smash me; and at the first breath of legal proceedings, the whole fabric of my fortunes, my present chances, will crumble to dust like the skeletons at Pompeii when exposed to light and air." He threw himself on a sofa as he spoke, his good-looking face completely changed by an angry scowl, and the sleepy blue eyes, which many a maid and matron considered irresistible, lit up with battle.

"This is bad, very bad," returned Mrs. Bayley. "What are you going to do? You have some time before you. No steps can be taken till Michaelmas."

"I must see Moseenthal. He is out of town to-day, but I can see him at Pompeii when he comes back. I must prefer getting his money without a row and an expose. I have told Jephson to let me know the moment theascal is in town. Meantime, I must make all the play I can here; if I could but see my way. That woman maddens me."

(To be continued.)

Tommy's Complaint.

Father got the fresh air craze and mother's got it, too.

And I don't know if I can stan' this bloom'n' winter throo; We haven't a furnace fire, cause father says as where A fire is unhealthy, so we warm with his hot air.

Sometimes I am very late—sometimes I get out before the cats, And then goes up in our spare room an' does some acrobats; The winders are left up all night, an' in the mornin' gosh! I have ter crack the ice up in the pitcher when I was hot.

An' mother, too, she's just as bad, she walks from two till four And then comes back an' pulls at some-thin' hangin' on the door.

And then she takes a big long breath— "I did not mean any hint," she said, coloring slightly. "If you care to walk with me to the wreck," and she pointed to it, "pray do, besides," laughing, "you must guard Midge and myself past the crust monster's haunt."

"True; must be of some use," he said, gravely, resuming his seat. "Suppose you let Master Midge run; he seems anxious to get down."

For a few minutes Mrs. Fane was occupied in observing that the little dog limped slightly and seemed stiff; but gradually these symptoms disappeared, and he ran about as inquisitively as ever.

Then his guardians fell into pleasant discursive talk on many subjects, Carrington's somewhat sombre views calling forth much bright and playful contradiction from his companion, whose keen, picturesque observations roused him to think before he replied. She was frank and thoroughly at ease, holding her own with infinite good breeding, and arbing her latent enthusiasm with graceful tact, yet through all her brightness sounded the echo of a minor chord, a subtle breath of resignation that suggested some loss, some bruised place in her full harmonious being.

Carrington listened and looked with all his soul, and thought that never again had an hour passed so awfully.

"I shall report your gallant rescue," said Mrs. Fane, as she parted with him when they reached the road. "Pray come in to luncheon and let Mrs. Bayley thank you in person."

"I shall be most happy," returned Carrington, as she stood aside to let her pass.

"I have got a footing," he muttered to himself as he turned back to the beach, and it will go hard if I do not make it a foothold."

As the luncheon party included Sir Frederic, Miss Onslow and Dr. Methvin, besides Colonel Carrington, Mrs. Fane took the opportunity of organizing an expedition to visit an old castle, which, with the adjoining fishing village and some caves, were one of the few excursion points available for visitors at St. Cuthberts.

The preliminaries were soon settled, and then o'clock the next day but one fixed upon as the hour of departure.

"There is a tolerable little inn at Craigtoun," said the ex-professor, "and I will write to the landlord to have luncheon provided."

"Pray do," cried Mrs. Bayley. "I find

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## District News

### FRANKVILLE

Aug. 8.—Mrs. Frank Pratt and son of Smith's Falls, are the guests of Mrs. M. Hanton.

Mrs. W. D. Livingston is spending a week with friends in Almonte.

Mrs. Alf Rudd of Toronto is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gallagher, and Mrs. W. G. Richards, spent a few days camping with friends at Portland.

Rev. Wm. Henderson, left for a three weeks' vacation to visit friends in Western Canada. His work will be supplied by the Rev. John Bell of Armprior. During the pastor's absence the church has been renovated by painting and otherwise improved.

Kilborn and Co. are improving the interior of their store by a thorough overhauling and a liberal supply of paper, paint and varnish.

### GLOSSVILLE

Mr. James Johnson has returned home after spending a few years in the North West.

Mr. Edwin Booth is very ill. We hope him a speedy recovery.

Miss Jennie Tweedy of Toronto is visiting her many friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Wm. Hewitt and daughter, Grace, were the guests of Mrs. Jacob Hewitt.

Mrs. L. Fox and daughter spent Sunday as the guest of her brother, Mr. James Love.

Mrs. George Booth, Mrs. Archie Lee and daughter spent Sunday at Smith's Falls.

Mrs. Lorren Brown is visiting relatives at Picton, Prince Edward.

Mrs. C. Godkin of Brockville is the guest of her brother, Mr. Edwin Booth.

### CHARLESTON

Mr. Walter Grant of New York was recently the guest of Rev. W. W. Giles.

A number of people in the vicinity attended the picnic at Delta Park on Monday last.

Miss Katie Burns returned to her home at Ogdensburg after a pleasant week with friends here.

B. Loverin has everything in readiness to build his cottage near the Hermitage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Berry, Sealey's Bay, were visitors here on Sunday.

Mr. Archie Mulvena, Brockville, visited his mother here last week.

Mrs. R. Steacy and children, Warburton, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. D. W. Edgar, Brockville, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Johnson.

A number of our youngsters took in the excursion to Ogdensburg on Saturday evening.

Mrs. L. Andrews and daughter, Madison, N.Y., are the guests of Mrs. Booth and Miss M. A. Hamilton.

### NEWBORO

Aug. 8.—Mr. Wilbert Ripley left this morning for Westport, where he will commence granolithic sidewalk construction for Messrs. Dolan and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Dusen of Syracuse, who have been guests of Mrs. A. Wallace, left on Saturday via S. Rideau King for Smith's Falls.

Mr. Geo. Murphy of Rochester, N.Y., is the guest of relatives in town.

A gentleman of leisure, who has been rusticated in this vicinity for some time, living on farm produce collected during the nights, appeared in police court on Saturday last and was sent by the magistrate, via B.W. & N.W. Ry., to Delta. Too severe a sentence for any crime!

Two gentlemen from the vicinity of Clear Lake, Earnest Perrin and Wm. Marten, appeared in police court here on Tuesday afternoon charged with breaking into Mr. Harry Mudford's home, about a mile from here, on the night of July 12th, and brutally assaulting Mr. Mudford. Both gentlemen pleaded that they were under the influence of liquor at the time and had no recollection of anything that happened. A fine of \$10 and costs was imposed on each. Mr. J. N. Knowlton appeared for the prosecution. A warrant has been issued for Wm. Perrin, who, it is claimed, was the worst offender, but who is now in the United States.

The fair grounds are being put in condition for the forthcoming exhibition.

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## MAPLE LEAF VALLEY

Misses E. and B. Green were guests of Miss B. Grey recently.

Mrs. Leggett of Crosby visited at Mr. James Hannah's last Sunday.

Mrs. John Morris and Mrs. J. James were guests of their grandparents, Frankville, on Sunday.

Mr. P. Cross and sister, Miss Gertie, visited friends in Lombardy on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Moulton and Mrs. J. Morris spent Monday at Charleston Lake.

Mr. George Cheetham is this week working on his farm near Motton.

Mrs. A. Parish of Athens was guest of Mrs. George Cheetham last Friday.

Mr. R. Cross and sister Miss Mabel and Mrs. Hutton attended Camp meeting at Long Point on Sunday.

Miss Irene Morris was the guest of her cousin, Miss Mabel James, Addison, last week.

Mr. Blancher has much improved the appearance of Mrs. W. Grey's house by building a new chimney.

Miss Effie Blancher, Athens, was the guest of Miss Belle Grey, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson of Glen Elbe spent Thursday with Mrs. Kervin.

Mr. John Morris and S. Johnston took a business trip to Brockville on Saturday.

### HARD ISLAND

Aug. 9.—The heavy rainfall on Wednesday was much appreciated by the farmers of this vicinity.

Mrs. G. Taylor of Boston, who has been visiting her parents here will return this week.

Mrs. E. Wilson and daughter of Delta were guests of her sister, Mrs. P. F. Yates, on Sunday.

Miss Bell Wiltse and sister and Miss G. Young of Athens were guests of Mrs. P. H. and Mrs. E. Robeson on Thursday.

Two enterprising women from the centre of our hamlet were lost in the woods here on Thursday and only succeeded in reaching home at night-fall.

We noticed an article in last week's issue of the Reporter, under the title of "A Farmer's Soliloquy" which aroused our political ire so as to induce us to offer the following uncoouth resentment.

Tell me not in mournful numbers,  
Oh, ye Editor, we pray,  
Of the vision of your slumbers  
And our scanty crop of hay;  
For the God who rules above us  
Long has clothed and long has fed  
All who will but wake up early  
And as quickly rise from bed;  
Getting then right in your trousers  
To go hustling down the stair  
Is much better and much wiser  
Than lie rolling, sleeping there;  
Then old Jake and good old Barney  
Will have plenty oats and hay,  
If you only keep a humpin'  
And a hustlin' all the day;  
Just to get a wiggle on you  
Is by far a better plan  
Than of feeding bread to horses  
When it's thirty cents a pan.  
A FARMER.

### PACKERS' PROFITS

In the last issue of the Weekly Sun, Mr. E. C. Bulford has the following interesting letter on the subject of "Hog, Bacon and Beef Prices":

It appears to me there must be something wrong with our packers again, as the London cables quote Canadian bacon at an average of \$14.40, which is much higher than it has been for a long time. While our Athens drovers are paying \$6.85, the Montreal market stands at \$7.35. Western drovers are paying \$6.65 at country points, while the Toronto markets stand \$7.20.

Packers claim they base the price of their hogs on the London cable. If that statement was true we would receive eight cents in Athens to-day. While packers claim it will be six weeks from now before the bacon would be on the market out of the hogs, they will know by that time the price might be down. But what about the bacon they have on the market now at those big figures, and which they made out of the hogs they bought about six weeks ago at 6¢? Perhaps you can give some light on the matter where the wrong is. During the past week, based, no doubt, by the miller on the London bacon cables of \$14.40, hog feed at our distributing points has gone up \$2 per ton.

This is the way the matter stands to day in Athens: Bacon, \$14.40; live hogs \$5.85. It appears to me that the packers are squeezing the man who carries the swill pail, and are fishing for another large supply of brood sows, which they will certainly get if they do not mend their ways.

It was only yesterday I saw the wire instruction from the Montreal Davis House, to one of our drovers to pay \$6.85 for straight hogs, but with a cut of \$2 on brood sows. This makes the farmer hold sows back, which, no doubt, many will do, and raise more pigs for the packers' profit. And that's where the dodge comes in.

E. C. BULFORD,  
Leeds County.

## An Appeal to the Public

The attention of the public is called, to the circumstance of Adam Emmons, Mr. Emmons has been deprived of both feet. These can be replaced at a cost of \$175.00, the company guaranteeing him to walk without crutch or cane. Contributions are solicited for the purchase of these. Any amount, however small, will be helpful, and appreciated. Offerings can be made at hand, or by letter, to the Reporter office at Athens. The Lord has dealt mercifully, thus far, with Mr. Emmons, in restoring him both physically and spiritually. He leaves now a part for his brother-men to do.

A friend, Brockville ..... 2 00  
A friend, Havelock ..... 1 00

## MATRICULATION RESULTS

Monday's Toronto dailies contained the record by counties of the results of the matriculation exam's throughout the province. A glance is sufficient to show that there has been a great slaughter of the innocents, and the low percentage of passes raises grave doubts in the minds of those who wrote on the Junior Leaving exams. Is the pass percentage required too high for a three years course? It looks that way.

The certificates containing the marks will be sent to the principals of the High schools and the inspectors, just as in past years. Candidates will apply to these officials, not to the department, for their reports in detail.

The examiners report that no one subject may be considered as having caused the failure of a greater proportion of candidates than another.

Following are the successful students in Leeds and Grenville:

L. E. Arnold, J. P. Allen, M. Briggshaw, L. Beehler, C. M. Briggs, H. W. Brownlee, F. Bennett, A. B. Carruthers, S. G. Cole, F. C. Curry, J. H. Christie, V. Driver, R. O. Earl, L. Fairbairn, L. E. Greer, J. R. Gibbins, I. Girardin, L. E. Harris, N. Hanna, E. L. Holmes, N. L. Jones, J. P. Kelly, J. W. Knox, J. Keys, L. L. Landon, J. E. McLean, R. G. Murray, A. K. Miller, E. E. Nelson, M. A. Nelson, A. H. O'Toole, E. Percival, R. Percival, N. M. Powell, R. E. Rogers, H. A. Russell, E. P. Robinson, M. G. Suffer, B. P. Stafford, J. Stack, J. A. Stewart, S. L. Spicer, F. M. Turner, E. D. Waterson, H. Wilson.

## STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

John A. Connerty, of Kitley township, brother of Mr. W. B. Connerty, Athens, lost nearly all his outbuildings by fire on Wednesday last. During the heavy storm that passed over this section in the afternoon his barns were struck by lightning and consumed by the resulting flames. The family were in the house when the lightning struck and some of them remarked that it seemed to be pretty close. On looking out the barn was found to be on fire. They immediately rushed to the buildings but were powerless to do anything. When the doors were opened the whole interior seemed to be in flames and no one could enter. Three valuable horses were in the stable but there was no way to rescue them and they perished. The barn and stable and other buildings were all completely destroyed, the only buildings left being a pig pen and a hen house. In the barns was all the season's hay as well as some old hay, fanning mill and some small implements, and all were burned up. Mr. Connerty, had an insurance of \$2,000 on his house and barns and contents but his house was unharmed so that only a part of this applies.

## ONTARIO SCHOOL BOOKS

Toronto, August 8.—For several reasons the Department of Education has not yet been able to secure what it would consider adequate reductions in the prices of the books now authorized for use in the high schools and public schools, except in the case of the Ontario readers. As stated in a circular issued by the department, the reasons for the delay are found in the facts that the report of the Text Book Commission has been received only recently; the several books on one subject are on the authorized list; the difficulties consequently connected with arrangements and copyrights and the necessity for giving due notice to the trade.

The Ontario Readers are now obtainable at the following prices:—  
For the First Reader, Part I., five cents.  
For the First Reader, Part II., seven cents.  
For the Second Reader, nine cents.  
For the Third Reader, thirteen cents.  
For the Fourth Reader, fifteen cents.

## High School Statistics

The Kingston News gives the following record of receipts from fees and expenditures of the high schools named:—

	Fees	Exp.
Almonte	\$261	\$4,277
Athens	419	4,200
Belleville	264	6,098
Carleton Place	185	4,277
Deseronto	184	4,404
Gananoque	89	4,872
Smith's Falls	244	4,188
Sydenham	409	3,215

## FRIENDSHIP

# WHAT DOES IT COST YOU

A few days ago two farmers off the B. & W. were seen comparing each others suits.—The taller man said, "You were beat out of \$8.00. Why don't you try Semi-Ready?" The other replied that he was a personal friend of this other merchant and did not like to go past him.

His friendship cost him \$3.00.—You say he was an easy mark, and so he was and yet the bush is full of such people.

Reader, if you buy your clothes at any old price because of friendship, you pay too much—the price is too high for what you get.

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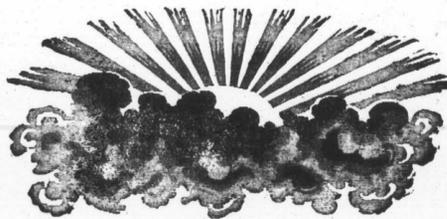
Style and fit we throw in gratis.  
Sir, will you hold on to your friendship, but purchase your next suit from the man that offers you the best for your money? Will you? Will you make up your mind right now so that when you purchase again you will give your money where it belongs, not to the man that can smile the broadest (friendship), but to the man that puts up the best bid for your custom. Do it now.—If not, why not?

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The Canada Carriage Works The Brockville Carriage Works is a great institution. It is holiday time there just now, and when the editor of the Reporter was piloted through the various departments on Saturday morning last, very few men were at work and these chiefly at making necessary repairs.

Official Board Meeting At the last meeting of the Quarterly Board of the Athens Methodist church the pastor was granted a month's leave of absence. In accepting the resignation of Mr. A. W. Blanchard, after 15 years as Recording Steward, the Board passed unanimously a vote of appreciation of his services.

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HYMENEAL The home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. White, near Lyndhurst was the scene of a very happy event on Monday, the 12th inst., when their daughter Ada was united in marriage with Mr. J. M. Somerville of Beamsville.

THE FALL FAIRS Brockville—Sept. 10, 11, 12, 13. Morrisburg—Sept. 3, 4. Parth—Sept. 4, 5, 6. South Mountain—Sept. 12, 13. Kemptonville—Sept. 17, 18. Prescott—Sept. 18, 19, 20. Lyndhurst—Sept. 19, 20. Merrickville—Sept. 19, 20. Ranfrew—Sept. 23, 24, 25. Delta—Sept. 24, 25. Frankville—Sept. 26, 27. Spencerville—Oct. 1, 2.

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RAILWAY PROSPECTS The Canadian Northern and G.T.R. are in a sense rivals for preferred position in respect to their proposed lines connecting Kingston and Ottawa.

Millions for Cars Montreal, July 24.—With the daily delivery of engines, passenger coaches and freight cars, the Grand Trunk Railway is rapidly approaching the day when the last of nearly \$7,000,000 worth of rolling stock will have been received by them during the present year.

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Great Britain's Customers. The London Economist says that in the quarter ended March 31 the United States was for once Great Britain's best customer...

What Whiskers Once Meant. "Whiskers" was a word formerly used to designate the hair on the upper lip...

SIO ATLANTIC CITY SIO AND RETURN. From Suspension Bridge, Niagara Falls, via Lehigh Valley R. R. August 9th, 30th, and Sept. 8th. Tickets good 15 days. Allow stop-over at Philadelphia on going and return trips...

Ether a Festive Drink in Russia. The habit of ether drinking is extremely prevalent in some parts of Russia, as of East Prussia, and all the efforts of the authorities to combat the evil have hitherto been almost fruitless.

Kendall's Spavin Cure. There is just one case out of thousands of spavins, March 10, 1907. This is the case of Kendall's Spavin Cure as a cure for spavin...

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Foreign Trade in Uruguay. Figures of the foreign trade of Uruguay for the first half of 1906, just issued, and the first trade statistics that have appeared of that year, show a decrease in Great Britain's trade with that country...

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen, - In June, '98, I had my hand and wrist bitten and badly mangled by a vicious horse I suffered greatly for several days...

Japanese at Home on the Sea. The Japanese are natural sailors and they swarm on the seas because the scanty economic resources of their country and their insular and contracted geographical position make the sea their birthright...

Mira. Should Give Aid to the Weak. Slowly and painlessly but surely humanity is supplanting greed and barbarism in dealing with the rising generation...

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Garment in Which He Had a Sort of Superstitious Reverence. At the 13 Vendémiaire Napoleon was in such a state of poverty that his clothes were all torn and he did not own a sword. He had to borrow one, and the day following his success he had to get a quantity of cloth from the State to have a suitable uniform made.

ROOF for the Years to Come. Just one roof is guaranteed in writing to be good for 25 years and is really good for a hundred. That's a roof. "OSHAWA" GALVANIZED STEEL SHINGLES. Put them on yourself - common sense and a hammer and nails does it. The building they cover is proof against lightning, fire, wind and snow...

Lost Race of Indo-China. The great mystery about Indo-China and one which must ever be insoluble is the story of the lost race and the vanished civilization of that strange country. The mighty walls of Angkor-Wat, rising in the midst of sparsely settled jungles, remain as the memorial of a great empire which has utterly disappeared and is altogether lost to history.

Electric Cars for a Funeral. A wealthy Burmese lady having died on April 3 in Rangoon, her relatives decided to have her body conveyed to the cemetery by electric tram. Six cars were hired, and with a band playing 'The British Grenadiers' the party merrily bowled along at twelve miles an hour...

His Useful Strong Head. "Ever take notice how much strength a negro has in his head?" said a man who is always looking out for unusual things. "Well, I had ample opportunity to test a certain negro's head carrying capacity while I was in charge of a large printing establishment in Texas."

ITCH. Mange, Pruritic Eruptions and every form of contagious Itch on human or animal surface is 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. Sold by druggists. Not Detrimental. Chicago News: The proprietor of a summer resort hotel had advertised for a clerk. "Are you good at figures?" he inquired of an applicant for the job. "Can't be beat for accuracy," replied the applicant, "but I must admit that I'm a little slow."

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CLIMBING THE TIAN-SHANS.

Difficult Task of Locating the Lofly Khan-Tengri. Almost in the center of Asia, on the border of Asiatic Russia and the western Chinese Empire, stand the Tian-Shan Mountains. From the midst of them flow out almost countless glaciers, which form rivers reaching to every part of the compass. Above these glaciers stand the peaks of the Himmalayas. And above them all, somewhere about the point from which the greater glaciers seem to flow, as if it were itself the fountain and origin of them all, stands the snow-capped summit of Khan-Tengri, a majestic pyramid.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc. Pray for Peace; Exalt War. That war, though sometimes inevitable, is always an evil, few will deny. If anyone doubts it he will probably be converted by the sight of the field after battle, of a hospital full of wounded, or of a country ravaged by an invader. That the war passion is the meaner passion is a fallacy abundantly confuted by the annals of the commissariat and the stock exchange. All the churches pray for peace, though some of them, the State churches especially, do not patronize the object of their prayers. That the citizens of a free country should be trained to arms and capable of taking part in its defense in case of need is very well. But the cultivation of the war passion in the minds of children, thus filling the veins of the nation with it and increasing the national proclivity to war, which seems now to be coming into vogue, is surely not so well.

Talks on... Banking by Mail. On "Easy Street". The saving habit is better than the legacy of a Fortune. It increases the desire to practice economy and thrift in man, woman or child - thus enabling the persistent saver in the autumn of life, when energy waxes on crutches, to live on "Easy Street". Money - Respect - Honor - Influence - Independence! What a family of splendid wealth! How every human heart hungers for those precious blessings!

The Ways of Women. A Laplander bold fell in love I am told with a maiden who lived near the Pole. Their engagement was a long one, and the girl was very capricious. Dip-candle (and went in the hole. For there tallow's expensive, and trade not extensive. Though some say the tallow he stole). Said he, "Oh, be mine! And this candle is thine!" And right away the real tale was begun. She gave one coy look and she said she took. And the man thought his wooing was done. She set down on the ice and she ate in a trice. His candle so greasy and yellow and nice. When he asked for the wick she said, "No, no, no, I'll have it!" For you gave it I took. That is Love." Then she shook. Off the tumb as she sees the real face. "Glad I met you," she said. "Can you get you your sled?" And she pointed the way down the street. Back to Lapland he went, indeed, he was sent. And he sulkily said as he said, "Of all the bold minnes! She's sharp as the foxes!" The man's next worth the candle. I'll skid! Which he did. - From the August Bohemian.

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Murder, Pillage and Fire Raged in Casa Blanca After the Bombardment.

French Newspapers Realize the Magnitude of the Job Before France.

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Needless Precipitancy.

The correspondent, while admitting that the whole story cannot yet be learned, and while making no direct accusations, nevertheless implies that there was at least needless precipitancy in the French action.

After describing the landing of the first French detachment and the preceding incidents, the correspondent says: "Immediately the first rifle shot was fired ashore, the French cruiser Galilee, as if it were the sign of resistance for which she was waiting, opened a furious cannonade and not until then did the Governor and soldiers take a hand, although it was a poor resistance they were able to make."

The despatch is somewhat vague, but implies that the Governor's surrender and appeal to the French consul to get the bombardment stopped were temporarily successful, but the shelling began again for reasons not stated.

It seems according to the story told by the correspondent that if the French had waited for the other ships to join the Galilee and landed an imposing force the slaughter and rapine would have been avoided, for he says: "Ever since the Galilee's arrival the British and other residents with large interest at stake, and with great knowledge of the people, had impressed upon the French authorities the extreme necessity for avoiding any premature action with an insufficient force."

Was It a Bungle?

This view with some difficulty, the French had been brought to accept. It was understood that nothing would be done until more ships arrived and were able to land enough men to take immediate and complete possession of the town and replace the Governor, who had hitherto been so successful in the preservation of life and property from the Arabs.

"Even the night before, in announcing the intention to occupy the town in the morning, the French apparently believed that the fleet would arrive in the meantime, and that it would be able to land an imposing force and resistance need not be expected."

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Bombardment May Mean Death of Foreigners in Morocco.

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The fear of an outbreak of Moslem fanaticism seems to be trying the nerves of foreigners in Tangier, where there are ten thousand Europeans. There is only one Italian cruiser off the port. This is regarded as totally inadequate for protection.

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France's Heavy Job.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The more serious newspapers are fully alive to-day to the heavy task that confronts France and Spain in Morocco and all the possibilities of its becoming greater.

The Journal calls attention to the magnitude of the operations that may have to be undertaken, this is the fighting of all the big Moroccan tribes who long ago threw off the yoke of the government and lapsed into barbarism.

M. Pichon, the Foreign Minister, has given up his vacation and will remain in the capital during the Moroccan crisis.

Fear Outburst of Fanaticism.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The official reports received here from Casa Blanca, on the west coast of Morocco, practically confirm the statements made in the press despatches regarding the bombardment of the town and its vicinity and the scenes which followed, but according to the latest advices quiet has been restored.

A large portion of the town is in ruins, and it is feared that the events at Casa Blanca will produce an outbreak of fanaticism throughout Morocco, though the government's representatives say that no undue effervescence has thus far occurred at Fez or other places in the interior.

In addition to the French squadron, commanded by Admiral Philibert, and the Spanish warships, which are off Casa Blanca, the squadron commanded by Admiral Jaureguiberry, consisting of the armored cruisers Leon Gambetta, Dupetit, Thourans and Admiral Aube, is being temporarily held off Cape Spartel, in order to meet any emergency.

Neither France nor Spain has yet officially considered the possibility of its being necessary to send a punitive expedition into the interior.

AN INTERNATIONAL FAMILY.

Tangier, Aug. 12.—French sailors are guarding the British Consulate at Casa Blanca, where the Consular agents of the United States, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Sweden have sought refuge.

French ships at the request of the Moroccan authorities. The latest news received here from Casa Blanca says the calm and order have been established.

SLAVERY FOR 400.

Five Thousand Yaquis Killed or Captured.

Mexico City, Mex., Aug. 12.—Advices from Guaymas announce that 400 Yaqui Indians, prisoners, are on their way to the "hot lands" of Yucatan, where they will be kept in slavery for the remainder of their lives.

Among the prisoners deported are many women and children. All are made to work upon the Henequen plantations. The change of climate from the high mountains of the north to the low, tropical lands of the South soon has a fatal effect upon most of the prisoners.

LAVISH SPLENDOR.

EXTRAVAGANT EXPENDITURE OF KING OF SIAM.

His Majesty, Now on a Visit to Europe, Has Purchased Jewels and Plate Valued at About Three Million Dollars.

Berlin, Aug. 12.—King Chulalongkorn I. will leave Berlin to-morrow for Gassel, where he will be the guest of the German Emperor and Empress. Stories of the extravagance of the Siamese King continue to excite and amuse Berlin.

The King is occupying nearly the entire floor of one of the principal hotels, several apartments of which have been given up to an exhibition of the jewels and precious metal work which were brought here from London, Paris and elsewhere by dealers expecting to sell most of the wares, and who were rewarded for their enterprise, as the King took about half of all that was offered to him.

His Majesty has shown unusual interest in the despatches in the newspapers referring to the delimitation of the frontier of Siam and Cambodia, and received with extreme consideration the newspaper representative who brought him intelligence on the subject and who arranged for a news service from the Siamese capital during the King's sojourn in Germany.

GUELPH ELOPERS.

FLED FROM ST. CATHARINES WHEN QUESTIONED BY POLICE.

Escaped Pursuers in Auto—Man Answered Description of Murder Suspect Wanted by Buffalo Police.

St. Catharines despatch: A man giving his name as Edward Hornbustle, of Guelph, was taken in charge this morning by the police. He had been offering a horse and buggy for sale for \$20 at the Power Glen Hotel.

Eloper a Horse Thief. Guelph, Ont., despatch: There is now a warrant issued for the man Ed. Hornbustle, who, according to Streeter, an English laborer, of Waterloo avenue, eloped on Monday evening with Mrs. Streeter, who left with her husband four children, the eldest only 7 years old.

A few minutes after the chief received a telegram from the Chief of Police of Buffalo, asking him to watch for a man wanted there on a charge of murder, and the description given answers that of the man who escaped here.

FOUR TRAINMEN KILLED.

Mistake in Reading Orders Caused Collision on Southern Road.

Dalton, Ga., Aug. 12.—Four trainmen were killed and three seriously injured, in a head-on collision between freight trains on the Western & Atlantic Railroad near here to-day.

Fireman Suddeth, who escaped by jumping, said that the collision was caused by the failure of his train crew to read their orders.

NO LONGER RAISULI'S CAPTIVE.

Kaid Maclean Handed Over to Khumas Tribesmen. London, Aug. 12.—The Tangier correspondent of the Times says the Moorish officials there have received a letter from the Governor of Tetuan stating that Kaid Sir Henry Maclean is no longer Raisuli's captive.

ASSAULTS IN NEW YORK.

WOMAN SEIZES MAN SHE SEES ACCOST A CHILD.

Sister Accuses Brother—Charges Him With Attacking Her Daughter, and Leads the Throng Which Threatens His Life.

New York, Aug. 12.—More attacks on women and little girls were reported to the police yesterday and in several instances they again had to combat crowds who offered violence to the accused men without waiting to learn whether they were guilty or innocent.

In one case in Brooklyn a man was charged with attacking his seven-year-old niece, and after fighting the police he had to rely upon them to save him from an angry mob.

May Kehoe, a comely young woman of slight build, proved herself a heroine of no mean quality by arresting John Ruck at avenue A and Sixty-seventh street. She lives with her sister, Mrs. Sackman, at No. 428 East Seventieth street.

Police Captain Devaney and half a dozen policemen from the Amity street station, Brooklyn, had to fight their way with drawn clubs in Hicks street, Brooklyn as they dragged along William Brown twenty-nine years old, charged with attacking his seven-year-old niece, Helen Gardner.

While a large squad of policemen were trying to disperse the crowd which gathered around the police station, Captain Devaney and several men inside had hard work keeping Mrs. Cadon from attacking her brother. With a hatpin she lunged at him, but all the blows were warder off by the police, except one, which inflicted a cut about two inches long in Captain Devaney's right thumb.

Struggling on the narrow iron perch between his captors for several minutes, but he was not to be landed on his heavy frame and he permitted the police to drag him back into the room. Still showing resistance Brown was dragged to the street and the crowd began to gather.

Isabel Enler, seventeen years old, of No. 420 East Seventy-eighth street, where she lives with her father and mother, walked into the German Hospital, at Seventy-seventh street and Lexington avenue, yesterday afternoon, and said that on Tuesday morning she was at the Manhattan end of the Brooklyn Bridge.

LIFE OR DEATH.

Efforts Made for New Trial for Italian Murderer.

Ottawa, Ont., special despatch says: Mr. Frank Keefer, of Port Arthur, counsel for Capelle, the Italian sentenced to be hanged for the murder of a man near Parry Sound last Christmas day and reprieved until Aug. 15, left Ottawa to-day for Prince Edward Island, where he will interview Mr. Justice Teetzel, the trial judge in an effort to secure an order for a new trial.

Three Bathers Suddenly Sink at Newton, New Jersey. Newton, N. J., Aug. 12.—James Johnson, aged 27, of Jersey City; Harriet Binkard, aged 16, of Brooklyn, and Helen Bloomer, aged 18, also of Brooklyn, guests at the Hunt Home, were drowned while bathing in the lake here.

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## Local and General

Mrs. R. Wood of Delta was a visitor  
 in Athens on Saturday.  
 Miss Jessie Taplin returned home  
 from Montreal last week.  
 The rate of taxation in Smith's Falls  
 for this year is 27 1/2 mills.  
 Mrs. A. Estes of Brockville is visit-  
 ing friends in Athens for a few days.  
 The corner stone of a new Methodist  
 church at Chesterville has been laid.  
 Mr. Ivan Greene spent Sunday at  
 Charleston Lake, guest of R. N. Dows-  
 ley.  
 Mrs. Geo. Taylor and little son re-  
 turned to their home in Boston last Fri-  
 day.  
 It is probable that Thanksgiving  
 Day this year will be the last Thursday  
 in October.  
 Mrs. W. G. McLaughlin and family  
 of Brockville have moved to Ham-  
 mond, N. Y.  
 Mrs. M. A. Everts and son, Alan,  
 left Athens on Tuesday for a sojourn  
 at Buttertut Bay.  
 The world is full of foolish people  
 who are unable to see things from our  
 point of view.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shipman and  
 daughter, Wilma, spent Sunday at the  
 home of G. A. McClary.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lander, re-  
 cently of Chilliwick, B.C., are now  
 located in Vancouver.  
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 ed is she can do all the things her  
 mother won't let her when she isn't.  
 The stock of R. Craig & Co. is being  
 moved into their new store on King  
 street, Brockville, nearly opposite the  
 office of the Times.  
 Mrs. C. and Miss Mabel Derby  
 shire, Miss Dora Klyne and Miss R.  
 Morris spent last week in camp at  
 Delta Lake.  
 Mr. J. Myers, station agent, is  
 spending his holidays at his home in  
 Westport and Mr. E. J. Purcell is  
 performing his duties here.  
 The stone crushers finished here on  
 Saturday and a lot of good macadam  
 was placed on the streets. Henry  
 street needed and received particular  
 attention.  
 Rev. Father Crawley of Trevelyan  
 and his congregations are going to hold  
 a big picnic at Cornwall's Grove, Rock-  
 port, on Wednesday afternoon, August  
 28th.  
 Turnstiles are being placed at the  
 entrances to Brockville Fair grounds,  
 which will register every admission,  
 and in other ways the management of  
 the exhibition is being placed on a  
 sound financial basis.  
 The latest motor craft to be added  
 to the Charleston fleet is a handsome  
 little launch built for his own use by  
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 At St. Catharines a lady not wearing  
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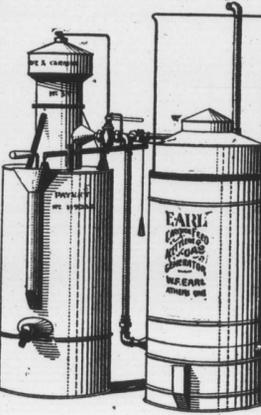
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Miss Jessie Taplin returned home  
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The rate of taxation in Smith's Falls  
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The corner stone of a new Methodist  
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Mrs. Geo. Taylor and little son re-  
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It is probable that Thanksgiving  
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A lawn party and entertainment is to  
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 first class programme will be presented  
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Among those invited to take part in  
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Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Massey return-  
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