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FROM the reports of the "Jubilee sermons" published in our exchanges we are led to believe that the large majority of the preachers paid more attention to the Queen of England than to the King of Kings last Sunday.

A LITTLE while ago, on the occasion of Lord Lansdowne's return to Ottawa, after his attendance at Toronto during the reception of William O'Brien, Mr Blake objected to have the House of Commons adjourn at 4 o'clock in the afternoon to meet him with a "hooray." For so doing Mr Blake was stigmatized as a disloyal man by some of the more wide-mouthed and narrow-brained of the Tory press. Well, Monday last the Speaker and others were desirous that parliament should adjourn over Jubilee Day, but Sir John Macdonald insisted that a meeting should be held as usual at 3 p. m. Here is a chance for the loyalists to howl against disloyalty. Listen to them howl, will you?

The Government has "thrown a sprat to catch a salmon," so far as Goderich is concerned. The estimates show that \$4,000 have been placed towards the erection of public buildings in Goderich, and last week there was intense jubilation over the event amongst our Tory friends. They are not so extravagant in their manifestations of joy now, for most of them have begun to see that \$4,000 would be merely a drop in the bucket, so far as the sum which would be required to put up suitable public buildings here is concerned. The real reason for the placing of the sum in the public estimates is that West Huron will shortly be an open constituency, and the Tory candidate will want the Government promise at his back in the contest.

The recent fatal accident in connection with cannon firing in Goderich on Jubilee Day should be a warning to many throughout the Dominion. It is not the first time that such a calamity has occurred, and we fear, notwithstanding the additional warning, it will not be the last. The inexperienced men who go fooling around cannons on gala days are not one whit removed from the idiots who "don't know it is loaded," until the shot-gun lays some fellow mortal cold and stiff in death. They should all be locked up, as a dangerous class to be at large. It's a very poor kind of loyalty that needs the roar of a cannon to make its presence felt, and it is to be hoped that the fatality of Tuesday will give the absurd custom its quietus in Goderich. Monday last, when the question was mooted, the editor of this journal opposed it strongly and warned one of the movers in the scheme that casualty was likely to result from inexperienced civilians taking upon themselves duties which required the most consummate skill of military experts; but the opposition was of no avail. Today there is mourning in at least one home, and deep sorrow and suffering in others because some would-be loyal people wanted to make a noise to show their devotion to Queen and country. We regret the disaster, and regret it the more that the victim and the other sufferers had nothing to do with the conception, of the folly.

LACROSSE.—The Hurons, of Goderich, went to Stratford Tuesday last to play the Beavers of the classic city. Owing to the heavy rain that prevailed in the morning, the game was declared off and president Williams and some of the other Goderich boys left on the noon train for Goderich. Before they reached Stratford, however the sky cleared, and there was every indication of a fine afternoon, and they returned to Stratford by the train that crossed at Dublin. The boys of both clubs were then looked up and the game brought on so late in the afternoon that a limited time had to be set. The first goal was taken by Stratford, but after that the Goderich boys had the matter practically in their own hands. They took the second goal, and when time was called Will Ellard had just obtained the rubber and was prepared to put it through between the flags a second time.

Belfast. W. A. Hackett returned from Toronto last week. We are glad to hear that he was successful in obtaining a second class professional certificate at the Normal School.

A grand picnic under the auspices of the Methodist church will be held in John Agar's grove in the afternoon of Dominion Day. A pleasant time is anticipated.

## WHAT'S UP?

### Things That Are Happening Around Us.

About the Literary Eclipse Last Week—The Jubilee Day Tragedy—The Folly of Burning Gunpowder on Holidays.

—Well, I never,—no, I really never did get so taken down in my life as I did last week when THE SIGNAL came out, and I put on my glasses to read the editorial and local matter, and to see what the intelligent compositor had made me guilty of saying. There wasn't the ghost of an editorial utterance, my own column wasn't visible this side of Salt Creek, and the locals looked as if the reporter had taken a vacation that had lasted about a full week. I wiped the glasses, but the missing links that bound me to THE SIGNAL didn't show up; then I thought John Butler had traded spectacles with me, and that I was looking at the great local Reform luminary from a strong Tory point of view; then I thought some fellow of a malicious disposition has pasted the name and date of THE SIGNAL on to a copy of the *Almanac*, but the patent plates with the "Joss" serial were not to be seen. After due consideration I came to the conclusion that none of the neighbors had played any pranks on me, and I began to look for a solution of the problem. And it didn't take me long to discover that the edition for that particular week was got out in the interest of the county councillors, the public school teachers, and the Sabbath school teachers, and that the esteemed editor and his able assistants, Webster Brown, Jo. Maywood, yours truly and other suns, moons and stars of the literary firmament of THE SIGNAL, were undergoing an eclipse for one week, at any rate. So I made up my mind if the other fellows could stand it for a week I could, and I didn't visit the sanctum with fire in my eye and mischief in my heart. I thought the neighbors, many of whom missed my able effusions last week, would clamor for an explanation. Hence these remarks.

—Since my last an event has occurred which has cast a gloom over more firesides than the one directly interested, and has brought pain to more hearts than those that dwell under the roof where the Death Angel spread his wings on the 21st. The day was the day of Jubilee—of rejoicing that Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria had passed the fiftieth milestone since the anniversary of her coronation. And many loyal British subjects rose with the lark that morning, despite the lowering clouds, and carolled from gladsome hearts, as a matin song, the glorious anthem, "God Save the Queen." I was up betimes myself, but whether it was my loyalty or my rheumatic twinges that caused me to forsake my couch in the grey dawn, it is not necessary for me to explain. I had made up my mind to seek some calm retreat and together with the neighbors from the back townships, loyally forsaking my accustomed vocation in celebration of the glorious anniversary which it has not often come to the lot of the British subject to participate in. In my absence the tragic event occurred. I will not recount the particulars further than to say that others undertook to celebrate the day, but in a louder way than I; that inexperienced caused disaster and death, that two men were cast from near the mouth of a cannon, wounded and thrown in a heap; and that a boy, younger and with apparently many years of usefulness yet in store for him, was stricken unto death by a cruel projectile—a young life was put out in a flash—without a moment's warning—in the twinkling of an eye, I was miles away when word came to me of the disaster, but my old heart almost ceased to throb, and my pulse seemed to suspend its functions for the time being when I heard the tragic news. I knew that, so far as that particular calamity was concerned, those near and dear to be by blood relationship were out of reach of harm; but I knew also that the Angel of Death had paid a swift visit to our town and blotted out a young life as unexpectedly as a lightning bolt from a cloudless sky; I knew that a father would sob, "My son! my son!" and that some Rachel would wail for a boy taken, and would not be comforted, because he was not. I did not hear at that time the name of the stricken family, but it was sufficient for me to know that Death had come

## DOMINION DAY.

### How Goderich will Celebrate Canada's Natal Day.

"Dian Ya Hear the Slogan?"—The Gathering of the Gains—They are Coming from all Along the Line.

The 1st of July in Goderich this year promises to be the greatest event that has taken place for years in this section of the country. Already the greatest publicity has been secured and from the towns along the Wallington, Grey and Bruce R. R., from Brussels to Kincardine; along the London, Huron and Bruce R. R. from London to Wingham; along the Buffalo and Lake Huron Branch and along the main lines of the Grand Trunk R. R. responses from cities, towns and villages have come of an invasion of Goderich on the occasion. The gravel roads and concessions will also be lined with vehicles that day, and the townships will send their quota to the sights and scenes of the great day of sport in Huron's county town.

A VISIT TO GODERICH on the day of the games, means one of the most pleasurable excursions that can be had during the summer months. The town is famous as the prettiest in Canada, if not the finest on the American continent. The streets are the broadest, and the drives the most pleasant; the men are reputed to be best fellows, and the maidens the most comely in the Dominion.

SPECIAL RAILWAY ARRANGEMENTS have been made with the G. T. R. company to and from all points, and everything possible has been done to contribute to the convenience of passengers. A great attraction on the day of the games will be that all from the interior will be enabled to avail themselves of the opportunity to

SAIL UPON THE LAKE, as the train will arrive in town several hours before the commencement of the games. The work of making the carrying out of the games a success is in the hands of a most energetic committee, and the manager on the occasion is none other than the well-known J. D. STEWART one of the most enthusiastic Scots that ever breathed, and perhaps the most competent man in Canada to fill the onerous position. The attractive bill and programs that have been got out to advertise the great event have proved that the manager and his assistants are willing to let the people know that the greatest series of games in Canada will be held in Goderich this year. Over a mile and one-eighth of programs have been placed in circulation, and some 1,200 feet of large posters have been put up to view; and last, but not least, the largest and best list of cash prizes offered in Canada so far this year has been placed for competition amongst ATHLETES PIPERS AND DANCERS.

Secretary Horton and D. McGillicuddy attended Stratford games Tuesday and secured the attendance of Robert Ireland, the champion piper of America, F. Beaton, the celebrated piper and dancer; Duncan S. Johnston, the well-known Scottish and character dancer, Toronto; Arch Scott, champion all round jumper; D. M. Sullivan, champion athlete of the world, C. Currie, champion shot putter; and others, together with such juvenile dancers as Frank (Little-Tug) Wilson, Johnnie Rattray, J. Campbell, Helen Taylor, and Katie Ash, of London, Annie and J. Rankin of Woodstock, and J. Ballantyne, of Brussels. Additional entries are also constantly coming to hand at the Secretary's office, and the greatest field of athletes and dancers ever brought together in a Canadian park is confidently looked for.

THE TUG OF WAR between Ashfield and Goderich townships promises to be an event of great importance. Last year Capt. J. R. Holmes of Goderich township, got together a fine team to pull against Colborne, but owing to the team from the latter township failing to connect there was no draw. This year Capt. J. Macdonald, of Ashfield, has taken the matter in hand, and promises to place a team on the ground that will "pull any ten men of Goderich township out of their boots. However, the Goderich township men will have something to say about it, and we believe they can put a team in the field that will make it interesting for the staidwits from the north.

THE CONCERT IN THE EVENING promises to be a grand exposition of the songs and dances of Auld Scotia. Manager Stewart will introduce the members. Vocal music will be rendered by Mr. Gavin Spence, the greatest exponent of Scottish song since the days of Hamilton Corbett, Miss McNeil, of London, the peerless Scottish lady singer, Miss Maggie Rankin favorably known to many Scottish audiences, Mr. R. S. Rankin also a general favorite in this section, and Miss Wynn, of Goderich, has kindly promised to assist. The prize winners at piping and dancing during the day will also repeat the selections at the concert in the evening.

At New Dundee on Saturday night burglars entered Bolland, Schiedel & Co.'s store, blew open the safe and got \$8 in cash.

## A TRAGIC EVENT.

### Terrible Accident at the Jubilee Celebration in Goderich.

A Premature Explosion Causes the Death of a Boy and the Wounding of Two Men—Full Account of the Disaster.

When it was mooted Monday afternoon that the old Russian cannon down at Light-house Point would be called in to requisition by some loyal people of Goderich, so that the customary 21-gun "Royal Salutes" could be fired on the day of Jubilee, the wiser and more experienced members of the community shook their heads and deprecated the idea. Despite all warnings, however, those who had conceived the scheme, went on with the necessary arrangements, and on Tuesday the attempt was made to carry out the program laid down; but a tragedy occurred and the program was not completed. The following from an eye-witness is a graphic account of the disaster:—

The firing started sharp at 12 o'clock, about 200 people having assembled on the ground. John Roberts, of the Big Mill, was firing. W. L. Pennington and his brother, Oliver, loaded the first six or seven charges, when the former changed off at the ramrod and Richard Parker took his place. The accident occurred while the thirteenth charge was being rammed home, and it was about half way down the gun. Roberts, who had his thumb on the vent, was forced by heat and pressure to raise his hand simultaneously with the explosion. Parker was close up to the ramrod and consequently got the most powder. The charges used were two pounds each, the full charge for the gun being five pounds. The boy, James Coult, was about 25 or 30 feet in front of the gun, and, although warnings had been given to keep away from before her, had run over suddenly to place a piece of crockery on the bench on the edge of the bank, to see if it would get blown off. It seems he was noticed by very few, as no danger of premature explosion was apprehended by any one. Mr. Coult, father of the boy, and three of his sons were on the grounds during the firing. The ramrod was about nine or ten feet in length, and about two and a half inches thick. The boy had placed the broken crockery, and must have turned partly around facing the gun when the explosion took place, a child just 6 years and 4 months old, and carried him home, hardly realizing what had occurred. Dr. Whiteley was on the spot at the time of the accident, and immediately set to work to relieve Parker, who was burnt with the powder from the lower part of his chest on the left side up to his right shoulder, including his head and left arm, the clothing being torn completely off that portion of his body. At first it was feared he was blind, but by an effort he was able to open his eyes and see. He was taken into the lighthouse, where all was done for him that could be, while the doctor went up town to procure what was necessary to relieve the sufferer. Pennington was badly burnt about the right hand and arm, his wrist having the appearance of being almost roasted; a good deal of powder was also lodged in his neck. His clothing was badly torn and damaged. When the effect of the powder began to be felt upon the system the sufferings of the men were terrible, Parker at times being quite delirious. Inside of a minute after the accident the place where the tragedy occurred was nearly deserted. No one cared to ask questions. The place where a few seconds before the cannon belched forth flame and smoke in tones that could be heard miles away, was now silent. A look of blank amazement was the only expression noticeable, save upon a few strong hearted men who ran to aid the wounded and to tenderly care for the dead, while the faint-hearted turned from the place, hardly daring to look back. No more shots were fired, and the balance of the ammunition was sent to place of safety. Parker and Pennington were conveyed to their homes as soon as it was possible. The swab used for cleaning the gun, was on a stick similar to the ramrod, and was kept wet in a puddle of water near the gun.

On Wednesday and Thursday Pennington was able to be around, although still bearing sad evidence of the terrible accident. It is feared that Parker's case will be a harder one, as in addition to the injuries caused by the explosion, he sustained the fracture of a rib in falling to the ground.

The Canadian Pacific Railway bridge at Lachine will be completed next month.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

### What Has Transpired at the United States Capital.

Hot Weather—The National Drill left a Soft Spot or Two—The Grand Army of the Republic's Work.

From our Special Correspondent. Washington June 20th 1887. More than likely the sultry summer heat of the past few days, has not been an unmitigated evil. Personal comfort is very apt to rest aside every other pursuit which does not aid in its attainment. The recent topics of ordinary conversation and of news paper discussion have not tended to alleviate, but rather to irritate the natural excitability of men when their sentiments are touched upon. The St. Louis episode, where the municipality and the Grand Army of the Republic both seemed inclined to disclaim the responsibility for the invitation of the President of the United States to that city, during the period of a celebration which belonged peculiarly to the latter, was instrumental in stirring up considerable feeling. More recently, the battle flag controversy, over-shadowed the first topic, and with the electric qualities of both speed and heat, was likely to have assumed a decidedly angry look, but thanks to the timid wave, the multitude spontaneously sought some less heating diversion. When the thermometer is indicating ninety degrees, suffering and desiring humanity forgets all else save a desire to mop its face, fan itself, divest itself of superfluous raiment, and administer cooling decoctions to the interior department. The politicians will, however, manage to keep these topics alive for a while longer, in the hope of making capital for their respective parties; but the promise of the era of good feeling which all patriots hope for and expect, grows brighter and nearer fulfillment every year, and no one thoughtfully considering all the circumstances of the case will be discouraged by these incidents. The action of the President in promptly and sensibly abandoning the proposed return of captured flags, when he discovered what its effect would be upon the minds of a large class of people, and that a doubt existed as to the legality of the transfer by him, unauthorized by Congress, should end the matter. Although, doubtless intended to promote the good feeling which was so conspicuously displayed here at the National Drill, and is now being exhibited by the entertainment at Boston and Lynn, and elsewhere, of Robert E. Lee, Camp of Confederate Veterans, by Grand Army of the Republic's posts, it had the effect of reopening the not entirely cicatrized wounds, but the balm of better acquaintance with the persons and motives of each other, will eventually heal these tender spots, until a complete reconciliation of the sections will be effected.

These two questions, referred to having occurred almost simultaneously, and the prominence which the Grand Army of the Republic has taken in each, has had the effect of attracting considerable attention to that organization here and elsewhere. Having no political meaning, from a partisan standpoint, this organization is but a kindred one to those that have existed in most countries, and notably in that of France. It is a power in the nation, but a power exerted in behalf of loyalty to country, and of beneficence toward the Country's defenders. In this city, the order has some peculiar features, such as the Department Employment Committee, which sees to the enforcement of the provisions of law respecting the preference to be given to soldiers and sailors, other things being equal, both for appointment to and retention in office; a Pension Committee which aids the soldiers, his widow and orphan, in the establishment of proofs necessary to place them on the pension rolls; a Relief Corps, which comes to the succor of comrades who are brought here in the hope of obtaining either pension or employment, and whose means have become exhausted; and, lastly, the important part taken in all parades and ceremonies of a national character.

These features necessarily place this department of the G. A. R. in the foreground, as a representative one, and a glance at its present condition here, may be of interest. The new building known as G. A. R. Hall, is one of the most imposing, on the most prominent thoroughfare of the city. It is directly opposite one of the first hotels, and is a welcome improvement over the old dilapidated buildings, which stood upon its site so long, to the wonder of strangers looking from the hotel front. It is four stories in height, all but the ground floor being used for Grand Army purposes. On the second floor is a splendid ball with ante-rooms, etc. and the third and fourth, is devoted to the uses of the different posts of the department. The organization here is in a prosperous condition, and numbers upon its muster rolls, our most prominent and influential citizens of private and of official life.

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A HAPPY OCCASION.

"Do not come too late." That was the wording of the telegram which Captain Richard Irton held in his hand as he sat, in a temperature of 100° in the shade, on the verandah of his Indian bungalow.

"Do not come too late!" he muttered to himself. By Jove, as if it were probable that he would dwindle now! It was just like Mrs Lennox to send such a chaffing wire as this. He might have been a long time making up his mind, but it was made up now, and he meant to go home and marry her. It was her last letter that had settled the matter—the letter in which she hinted that Lord Shorthorn was awfully "mashed." No, he wasn't going to stand by and see Dorothy Lennox married to a cad like Shorthorn. He had been a whole year, he reminded himself, in this infernal station with its furnace heat, its insane gossip, and its eternal tennis and polo. How he loathed the very sight of his major's wife, with her white eyelashes, her malicious giggle and her flirting manners!

And then he thought of Mrs Lennox. He remembered the first night he had met her—in the ballroom of a great house in London—and how he had seen her surrounded by a dozen other fellows, and how he had "made the running," and had cut out all those outsiders. And he recollected the call he had paid next day at her tiny house in Park street, when she had been so sweet and graceful, and had talked to him as no woman had talked before. He didn't go in for brains, or any of that rot, but, by Jove! Dorothy Lennox made him feel another fellow. He thought of the cool amber-tinted room where she always sat, with its drooping palms, its masses of azaleas, its Rajon etchings, and its blue and white Naukin. It was always cool and cozy in Mrs Lennox's house, and she had a way of taking a fellow's hand and looking him seriously in the eyes that was quite irresistible. He remembered how it had become almost a habit to drop in of an afternoon, to lounge on her soft divan, and listen to her half-chaffing talk and her low delicious laugh. And when a woman is deuced good looking as well as clever, why what a fellow to do? Perhaps it was wrong to make love in quite such a serious way as he did, but, hang it! she wasn't a kitten, and she might have known he wasn't the marrying sort.

All that was a year ago, but he hadn't forgotten her a bit—worse luck. And her letters—how awfully nice they were! how like herself! Not spoony, like those he wrote to her; but frank, humorous, and thoroughly *bon comrade*. Hang it all! it was much easier to keep heart-whole in London than in this sultry and monotonous hole. He managed to evade compromising himself definitely even when he had gone to bid Mrs Lennox good-bye, although he had been perilously near proposing to her that last evening; but he had got away, and nothing had been said which would have tied him down to an engagement.

Dick, in his roving life, had committed every folly except that which he considered the hugest folly of all—the folly of trying yourself to one woman for life. He remembered how he had congratulated himself on all this when he went on board the Junna. Was he, the best looking fellow and keenest sportsman in the One Hundred and Fiftieth Hussars, to knock under like any speony young sub, the moment he met a pretty woman? But now things were changed. He had never bargained for her marrying again; he had got to look on her more or less as his own. When she had written that letter with all the allusions to Shorthorn in it, his blood had fairly boiled. He didn't regret a bit the letter he had written in reply, telling her that he was leaving India the very day he could get leave, and asking her to be his wife. After all, why shouldn't he marry? He was over 30, and he had, as he remembered with a smile, his "fling." The other fellows in the regiment used to chaff him and call him "casual," and said he never did today what he could put off till tomorrow. But that was all nonsense. He could make up his mind like other men, even to matrimony. And here was her answer in his letter: "Do not come too late." Well, he had got his leave, and would be with her in three weeks.

Mrs Lennox was about the sort of woman about whom people's tongues are always wagging. Hardly was her late husband borne beneath nodding plumes to Kensal Green than she was married in perspective, to at least a dozen admirers. She was a great success in society, for besides being a charming woman, she was a fashionable poetess, writing words for Tosti's songs, and publishing small volumes of verse, bound in white parchment, and printed on extra thick paper. Tall and slight, with smooth dark hair and liquid eyes, she had a face full of character and determination. To look at Mrs Lennox was to know that she was a woman who rapidly made up her mind, and who, once having done so, was not likely to alter

it. But two years had passed away since her husband's death, and this nineteenth century Sappho had not consoled herself. And then had come the Dick Irton episode.

It was a bright morning in June when Captain Irton arrived at Charing Cross station, thoroughly fagged and wearied with his long journey. He had come as fast as P. and O. steamers and mail trains can bring a man from Bombay to the Strand. But in a couple of hours he hoped to have rid himself of all signs of travel, to have got inside a decent coat, and to be in the shady drawing-room in Park street, with Dorothy Lennox's soft arms around his neck. He felt very sleepy and somewhat agrieved, for he had increased the unreasonable hope of seeing her at the station, although she could not possibly know exactly when he would arrive. He had started by the very next mail from Bombay, so that writing would have been useless. He felt, indeed, that he had answered her telegram in a very practical fashion. How overjoyed she would be to have him back! He hoped it would not be too much for her—seeing him suddenly again like this. So, throwing himself on the bed in his room at the Grand hotel, he fell asleep.

When Dick awoke it was three in the afternoon. Tubbing and unpacking took an hour, and then he had to go out and buy a tail hat. After this he directed the cabman to the house in Park street. The shady mayfair street looked bright and pleasant as his hansom rattled along, the houses smartened up for the season with new blinds, and window boxes full of daisies and spiraea. A light breeze blew in his face, and a couple of fair-haired girls in pink cotton made a bright patch against the gray-toned houses. By Jove! how awfully nice it all was, after India. A man might be very happy in London, with a charming wife who would know how to give little dinners, and the club, and the theatres, and the park.

Pulling up at the house, Dick's jaw fell. There was an awning from the door to the curbstone, with a crowd of nursemaids andurchins gaping on each side. The street was full of carriages, too. What did it mean? Then Dick remembered that Mrs Lennox gave a great many afternoon parties. Well, it was deuced disappointing, he said to himself, when you had come all the way from India to see a woman, to find she was giving one of those infernal kettle-drummers the very day-you arrived.

Inside the house there was the usual elbowing, well-dressed crowd that you see any afternoon in the season in Mayfair. Boys in gray coats with pink carnations in their buttonholes jogged old club-men in brown coats and white gardenias. In the dining-room book-nosed dowagers were foraging for ices, while on the landing frisky matrons loitered with their temporary swains.

On the stairs Dick met a woman he knew, an enthusiastic girl of forty-three, who was dressed in more juvenile garb than when he had last seen her. "Murmuring 'Charmed to see you back—happy occasion?' she tripped past him.

"Happy occasion, was it?" said Dick to himself, wishing his gushing acquaintance and the rest of the guests at the bottom of the sea. It would have been a happier occasion still if he could have found his Dorothy alone in her amber-tinted room.

When Captain Irton reached the door, he could see Mrs Lennox standing in the midst of a small crowd of people, who all seemed to be talking at once. By Jove! how "fetching" she looked in her silver-gray gown, with a huge bouquet of orchids, and that gray tulle she had on her head! Was that a new fashion, Dick wondered, for women to wear bonnets of their own "at home"? And there was that ass Shorthorn close beside with a particularly fatuous expression on his face! It was high time he had written, Dick thought; it was high time he had come. Why, the fellow was fargone—over head and ears; Dick could see that by the way he appropriated Mrs Lennox with his eyes.

Then one of the circle moved away, and Dorothy turned and saw Captain Irton at the door. She looked as if she had seen a ghost. Coming forward, he took her hand, and then he saw that something was wrong. Without a word she motioned him into an adjoining room, which for the moment was empty. "Good God!" she whispered, "why have you come now? I wired that you were not to come, that it was too late. I wrote, too, but you cannot have got my letter."

"Too late, Doherty, what do you mean? Your telegram said 'Do not come too late.' Well, I started the next day."

"Poor Dick," she said at last, "what a dreadful mistake you have made. 'Do not come. Too late, was the message I sent. Did you not remember that there are no full-stops in telegraphy? I was married an hour ago to Lord Shorthorn. Come in and let me introduce you to my husband."

And this was Dick Irton's little mistake. There are no full stops, in telegraphy, but when, ten minutes later, Dick saw Lord and Lady Shorthorn

drive off amidst showers of rice and aliphors, he knew that he had had a moral full-stop which he would remember all his life.

The Stolen Cow.

Ben. Perely Poore, who seems to be as good at telling stories about animals as men, tells in an exchange the following remarkable anecdote about a stolen cow:

A man stole a cow from Morristown, N. J., and drove her to Philadelphia for sale. She was a common cow enough except that she had lost her tail but about six inches. Thief, fearing that by the shortness of her tail he might be traced, had produced in some way, probably from the slaughter house, another cow's tail, which he fastened so ingeniously to the short tail that it was not to be known that it had not regularly grown there. As soon as the Jerseyman missed his cow, he set off for Philadelphia, thinking she would probably be carried there for sale; and it happened that when he came to the ferry he got into the same boat that was carrying over his cow and the fellow who stole her. As it was natural that he should have his thought very much upon cows, he soon began to look at this one with very great attention. She was indeed very much like his cow, he thought. Her marks agreed wonderfully, and she had exactly the same expression of face, but then the appearance of her tail was so very different.

It must be supposed that the new owner of the cow felt rather uncomfortable during the examination, for he soon saw that this was the person whose property he had stolen, and he was very uneasy lest he should take hold of the tail which he looked at so continually. Upon the whole he thought it best to divert his attention in some way, if possible, and therefore steps up to him and says, "Neighbor that is a fine cow of mine, won't you buy her? you seem to know what a good cow she is." "Oh, dear, me said the other, 'I've just had a cow stolen from me.' 'Well,' says the thief, 'I'm sorry to hear they've got to stealing cattle, but I'll sell off, and you could not better replace your loss than by buying this cow; I'll warrant she's as good as yours.' 'Why,' says the Jerseyman, 'she was exactly like this one, only that she had no tail to speak of, and if this one had not such a long tail, I'd swear it was my cow.'"

Everybody now began to look at the cow's tail, but the thief stood nearer to it than anybody, and taking hold of it so as to just cover the splicing with his left hand, and with a jack-knife in his right, pointing to the tail he said: "So if this cow's tail were only this long, you'd swear she was yours." "That I would," says the other, who began to be very much confused at the perfect resemblance of his cow except in this one particular, when the thief, with a sudden cut of the knife, took off the tail just about an inch above the splicing, and throwing it overboard, bloody as it was, turned to the other and said, "now swear it's your cow!" The bewilderment of the poor man was now complete; but as he had seen the tail cut off, and saw the blood trickling from it, he could, of course lay no claim to the animal from the shortness of her tail. Indeed, here was proof positive that this was not his cow; so the thief, going over with him, sold him the cow without any further fear of detection.

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He Tumbled.

A west side lady has been much annoyed the last six months by the driver of a laundry wagon who insisted on ringing the front door bell and receiving the dirty shirts from the servant girl at that door. The lady had asked the girl to tell the laundryman to go to the back door for the clothes, but the man would not do it, and every Monday morning the clang of the bell announced the arrival of the dirty clothes man, and shirts were hurried into a paper and delivered to the great man. The lady could not see why the laundryman should be more of a society gentleman than the butcher's young man, or the grocer's driver, so she would investigate. Last Monday when the door bell rang the lady went to the door in her morning wrapper, and told the laundryman to walk in. He came into the hall, when she invited him into the parlor with a quiet dignity, and he could not fail to obey. He seated himself in the parlor, blushing, and looking towards the hall for the servant with the shirts, and acting as though he had got his foot into it clear up. The lady did not seem to notice his embarrassment, but acted as though he was a caller that it was her duty to treat pleasantly.

"It is a beautiful morning," said the lady, seating herself on a small sofa near the laundryman. He said it was, and then he looked for the girl to come with the shirts, and great drops of perspiration appeared on his brow. "Do you know," said the lady, appearing embarrassed, "I am at a loss to remember your name. Your face is familiar, but we meet so many people in society that it is no wonder we can not place them all. Let me see, did I not meet you at Mrs. S-and-so's reception? Why, yes, I remember now. Strange that I should have forgotten you. What a lovely time we had. But, may I ask what happy circumstance I am indebted for this early visit?" The man stammered, colored up, and just then the girl came in with the shirts, and he grabbed the package and went out without a word.

The lady laughed and said to the girl: "He will come to the back door after this."—Peck's Sun.

A Business Letter. Tilsbury, March 15th, 1887. T. Milburn & Co., Sirs.—Please ship at once three dozen B. B. Bitters. Best selling medicine in the shop. Sold seven bottles to-day. Yours truly, C. Thompson.

The above sample is but one of a hundred of similar expressions regarding the popularity of B. B. B.

There is a growing feeling in healthy communities against journals which make it their object to minister to a perverted taste by seeking out and serving up in a seductive form disgusting and licentious revelations. There is a good reason to believe that the clean newspaper is more highly prized to-day than it was four or five years ago. It is also safe to say that as people in all ranks of life, who protect their own, at least, from contamination, become more conscious of the pernicious influence of a certain class of journals, which are called enterprising because they are anxious to serve up dirty scandals, they will be careful to see that the journals they permit to be read in the family circles are the class that never forget the proprieties of life. Already men and women of refinement and healthy morals have had their attention called to the pernicious influence of bad literature, and have made commendable efforts to counteract the same, by causing so und literature to be published and sold at popular prices. These efforts are working a silent but sure revolution. The best authors are more generally read to-day than at any previous day. The sickly sentimental story paper and the wild ranger and pirate story books are slowly but surely yielding the field to worthier claimants. In praise of the decent newspaper it may be said that where it has a place in the family and has been read for years by young as well as old, it has developed such a healthy tone and such discriminating taste that the literature of the alums has no admirers. Fortunately, the number of such families is increasing in the land, and as they increase, the journal that devotes itself to sickening revelations of immorality will be compelled to find its supporters solely among those classes who practice vice and crime, or are ambitious to learn to follow such ways.—Printers' Circular.

A Professional Opinion. Rev. F. Gunner, M. D., Listowel, Ont., says regarding B. B. B.: "I have used your excellent Burdock compound in practice and in my family since 1834, and hold it No. 1 on my list of sanative remedies. Your three busy B's never sting, weaken or worry."

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Day and Night

During an acute attack of Bronchitis, a ceaseless tickling in the throat, and an exhausting, dry, hacking cough, afflict the sufferer. Sleep is banished, and great prostration follows. This disease is also attended with Hoarseness, and sometimes Loss of Voice. It is liable to become chronic, involve the lungs, and terminate fatally. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral affords speedy relief and cure in cases of Bronchitis. It controls the disposition to cough, and induces refreshing sleep.

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is decidedly the best remedy, within my knowledge, for chronic Bronchitis, and all lung diseases.—M. A. East, M. D., South Paris, Me. I was attacked, last winter, with a severe Cold, which, from exposure, grew worse and finally settled on my Lungs. By night sweats I was reduced almost to a skeleton. My Cough was incessant, and I frequently spit blood. My physician told me to give up business, or I would not live a month. After taking various remedies without relief, I was finally

Cured By Using two bottles of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I am now in perfect health, and able to resume business, after having been pronounced incurable with Consumption.—S. P. Henderson, Salsburgh, Penn.

For years I was in a decline. I had weak lungs, and suffered from Bronchitis and Catarrh. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral restored me to health, and I have been for a long time comparatively vigorous. In case of a sudden cold, I always resort to the Pectoral, and find speedy relief.—Edward E. Curtis, Rutland, Vt.

Two years ago I suffered from a severe Bronchitis. The physician attending me became fearful that the disease would terminate in Pneumonia. After trying various medicines, without benefit, he finally prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which relieved me at once. I continued to take this medicine a short time, and was cured.—Ernest Colton, Loganport, Ind.

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 Cow Stray—Thos. Healey.  
 Help Wanted—J. J. Wright.

**TOWN TOPICS.**

**A child's memory, taking notes.**  
 It was Geo. Stewart who took the admirable photographs of the pipes and canoes after the last Caledonian games.  
**A Bad Mrs.**—If you fall to see McCormack's spring stock. Varied, elegant, durable and cheap. Be sure to examine and save money.  
 There will be thousands here Caledonian day, but you'll be able to tell all who got their clothes at F. & A. Pridham's by the fashionable style of the goods they wear. Look and see.  
**For drugs, dyestuffs, chemicals, and insect destroyers,** don't fail to call at Rhymer's drug store. He keeps the purest of drugs and the latest and best patent medicines. Corner of Montreal St. and Queen.  
**The boom in Goderich** has struck Salloway photograph gallery, and the proprietor is kept at work making and taking to supply his customers with first-class photographs. You have to go early to get attended to.  
 That last lot of German's moves sold so rapidly that Saunders & Son have ordered another stock, which will be to hand in a few days. Come in and see the bargains they are offering at the cheaping house under the sun.  
**THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION** will meet regularly for the transaction of business every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in Knox church. Every woman interested in the work is cordially invited to attend.  
**At the Black Cherry Cough Balm** in working wonders. July 25. Our own condition powders at 15 and 25c per package are also giving great relief. First class dispensing a specialty. V. C. Goode, Drug Store, Albion Block.  
**THE HURON AND BRUCE LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY**—Depositors in this company have the best possible security for their money, all being invested in mortgages on first property. Depositors have a first lien in all the company's assets. Rate of interest paid from 4 to 8 per cent, according to amount and duration of deposit. Farmers having surplus means should call and see the manager.  
**Mrs. Vizzard, of Petrolia,** is visiting her parents.  
**Mrs. W. Swaffield of Clinton** was in town visiting her parents last week.  
**On Friday the dredge broke down,** the result being a stoppage for some days.  
**Colin Campbell** is painting the house recently purchased by him on West-st.  
**J. H. Bell, wife and two children,** of Fort William, are the guests of Mr. Bell's mother.  
**Mr. and Mrs. A. Bishop, of Athens, Georgia,** are the guests of Mrs. George Acheson.  
**The man with the lawn mower** has been beautifying the Square during the past week.  
**A little child of Capt. Green's,** had its leg broken on Saturday last by an elder sister falling over it.  
**Dr. Taylor** was elected Vice President of the Ontario Medical Association at the recent meeting in Toronto.  
**Honore Horton** has sold his property on the Square, occupied by Mr. George O'Lea, to Mr. Wm. Acheson.  
**Our fishermen** who remained here to fish off the port have taken up their nets, and are preparing to sail north.  
**The W. C. T. U.** intend giving a cold dinner in the store next to the post office, on July 1st. Admission, 15c.  
**Mrs. D. M. Hosker, nee Evans,** and children arrived from British Columbia last Wednesday, on a visit to her parents.  
**Miss Georgia Martin** returned from the Ladies, Wesleyan College Thursday last, and will spend vacation in Goderich.  
**Godwin Campaign** who had been employed on the Empire, left her at this port on her last trip, suffering from a scalded foot.  
**Mr. and Mrs. Imrie** were in town last week, and after shipping their furniture to Toronto, left for their future home on Tuesday last.  
**Dr. McDonough** will be in Goderich for consultation on Saturday, the 2nd of July, and afterwards on the first Saturday of every month.  
**SHOT OFF THE TIE**—In shooting off the tie for the gun club medal last week Mr. William Latham came out ahead beating Messrs. E. R. Watson, and W. T. Walsh.  
**BURKS UNITED SHOWS**—Burks united shows exhibited at Goderich, Tuesday afternoon and evening. There was a fair attendance at the afternoon performance, and in the evening the large tent was crowded in every part. The performance throughout seemed to give satisfaction to the show gazers present on the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston, are spending a few weeks visiting friends in Hamilton and Toronto. Mr. Weston is a faithful G. T. R. employee, and well deserves his present holiday term.  
 Dr. M. Nicholson, the West street dentist, makes the preservation of the natural teeth a specialty. Gas administered from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. for the painless extraction of teeth.  
 Gregor McLean, returned home from Woodstock college Saturday last to spend his vacation. Greg. will take a head of fun out of the good wheeling in Goderich, during the days of his relaxation.  
 W. C. T. U. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are requested to make an effort to be all present at the meeting next Tuesday, as special business will come before the meeting in connection with Dominion Day.

At the "SHOOT"—E. R. Watson and James Nesbit attended the shooting matches at Toronto during the week. E. R. thinks the "big end of the log" at any of the matches could be taken by a team from Goderich.  
 A MAN WITH A HEAD AS LEVEL AS A BILLIARD TABLE—Frank Siddal, the Philadelphia soap man says "I have confined my advertisement entirely to newspapers. The man who does not read a newspaper does not use soap."  
 NEW LIMEKILN.—Messrs. Bechler and Backer have just finished a new limekiln on the Goderich side of the Falls Reserve, which is capable of turning out 300 bushels per day. They are busily engaged setting up the poles for the new commercial line. The Goderich agency will, we understand, be carried on by R. Radcliffe, the C. P. R. local agent.

HE WAS BOOMING THE GODERICH GAMES—Stratford Daily Jacob says: "Mr. McClelland, the celebrated editor of the Goderich Signal, attended the Stratford games yesterday, and helped to make things run smoothly. He is an enthusiast in out-door sports and is always a welcome visitor at such games."  
 RETURNED.—James Strachan, teller in the Bank of Commerce, has returned from a trip East. He took in the Thousand Isles, Lacrosse Rapids, and the beautiful scenery of the St. Lawrence. At Montreal he had good by to his brother, Rev. John Strachan, who after a year's sojourn in Canada, returns to the old land, much benefited in health.  
 THE TEACHERS OF KNOX CHURCH Sabbath school will hold their annual strawberry festival and annual entertainment on Tuesday evening, June 28th, in the lecture room of the church, commencing at 8 o'clock. A good program is being prepared, and a good time may be expected. Admission, including refreshments, which will be served at 9 o'clock, 20c. Children, half price.

THE MANAGER WAS IN TOWN.—J. D. Stewart, manager of the Caledonian games at Goderich on July 1st, was in town Wednesday giving the finishing touches to the arrangements for the holding of the games. Dominion Day in Goderich promises to be the greatest gathering held in the town for twenty years. The people are coming from all directions, and they'll have a good time.  
 WHAT'S LIFE HIM?—Since the days of Hamilton Corbett, no better exponent of Scotchness than Gavin Spence, who appeared before Canadian or American audiences. His voice is full, fine toned and of good register, and his expression and dramatic power is unexcelled by any living Scottish male singer. Mr. Spence will sing at the Scottish concert in the Grand Opera House on the evening of Friday July 1st.  
 A CANDIDATE FOR THE WHEELPOOL RAPIDS.—A. McKay, Goderich's well known deaf mute, is a noted swimmer and diver. Saturday afternoon he performed the remarkable feat of jumping from the top of the Big Mill elevator, diving into the harbor, and taking therefrom a piece of silver that had been thrown in. The "Dummy" is a diver of the first-class order, and in his special line has few equals and no superiors.

PUBLIC SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.—The examinations in connection with Goderich public schools will be held next week, as follows:—Miss Margach's room, Tuesday morning; Miss Fletcher's room, Tuesday afternoon; Miss Langstaff's room, Wednesday morning; Miss Sharman's room, Wednesday afternoon; Miss Blair's room, Thursday morning; Mr. Embury's room, Thursday afternoon. The parents and friends of the children are cordially invited to attend.  
 Y. W. C. T. U.—Mr. McWilliams, student of Montreal college, who is at present assisting to the Rev. Dr. Ure, will deliver an address on temperance and Band of Hope work to a mass meeting of children, in the lecture room of Knox church next Thursday, June 30th, at 7 o'clock. There will be members of the Y. W. C. T. U. present to circulate the pledge cards among the children and organize their Band of Hope. If all necessary arrangements can be made, the Y. W. C. T. U. will also hold their business meeting after at 8 o'clock of the same evening, and will continue to meet fortnightly.

THEY HAVE FORMED AT LAST.—At a meeting of the Goderich Board of Trade held in the council chamber last Friday evening the following were elected officers for the current year—President Mr. Jos. Williams Secretary, Mr. Jas. Mitchell Treasurer, Mr. R. Radcliffe Council Messrs. Hutchison, Drummond, C. Seager, Jas. M. Sheppard, Jno. Butler, T. C. Dellar, A. S. Chrysalis, Wm. Campbell, I. H. Colborne, G. A. Nairn, C. Craib, Jos. Kidd, Jr., E. Campion, Jas. Saunders, F. B. VanEvery, Rees Price, M. Nicholson, D. C. Strachan, H. W. Ball. The board then adjourned. The next regular meeting is the 2nd week in July. Of the officers appointed 9 are charter members, and 14 recently elected ones.

**JUBILEE SERMON.**

An Eloquent Discourse by Rev. G. R. Turk.

"The Year of Jubilee"—The fiftieth year of a nation's reign.—"The Queen of Queens, the Womanliest of Women."

The following is a full report of the eloquent discourse preached in North St. church Sunday evening last by Rev. G. R. Turk. We offer no apology for its production in full—  
 "Jubilee shall that fiftieth year be unto you.—Lev. 25-11.  
 Our text refers to the great jubilee year among the Jews. When they entered the promised land the country was distributed among the different tribes, and from the tribes to the several families. Through mismanagement and misfortune a family might lose its inheritance, and even personal liberty, and be made slaves. The design of instituting the year of jubilee was that every 50th year, upon the great day of atonement, and from the tribes to the several families. Through mismanagement and misfortune a family might lose its inheritance, and even personal liberty, and be made slaves. The design of instituting the year of jubilee was that every 50th year, upon the great day of atonement, and from the tribes to the several families. Through mismanagement and misfortune a family might lose its inheritance, and even personal liberty, and be made slaves. 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OUR SHOULD BE SEEN.  
THE STOCK IS VERY COMPLETE, AND THE PRICES ARE RIGHT.  
THE RANGE OF NEW SHADES IS LARGE. THE COMBINATIONS ARE ELEGANT.  
FRENCH WOOL DRESS GOODS, WITH HANDSOME COMBINATIONS.  
BLACK AND COLORED MERVS, IN PLAIN, STRIPE AND BROCHE.  
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WE SEND SAMPLES AND PAY EXPRESS CHARGES ON ALL PARCELS OF \$5.00.  
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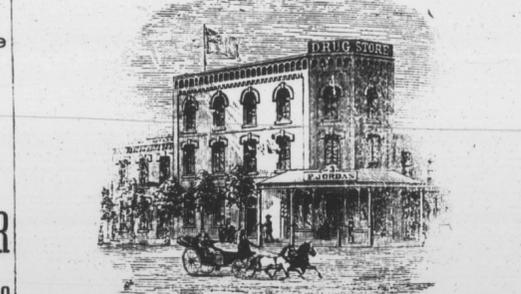
We are clearing out a lot of 12 cent Prints at 8 cents and Dress Goods less than cost.  
We are buying WOOL, and paying TORONTO prices in Cash, and 2 cents higher in trade. You will find it to your advantage to deal with us.

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WONDERFUL VALUE  
IN  
**DRESS MUSLINS!**  
AT  
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**-NEW-YORK-**  
WAUKENPHAST or  
**COMMON SENSE SHOES.**  
Our Stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes is Complete, and comprise the Latest American and English Styles.  
WE TAKE NO SECOND PLACE FOR CUSTOM WORK.  
**J. DOWNING & CO'Y.**

1887 **NEW SPRING GOODS** 1887  
I greet the public with the announcement that I have opened out a Choice Assortment of NEW AND  
**STYLISH DRESS GOODS**  
Suitable for SPRING AND SUMMER Wear.  
The range of Textile Fabrics are so varied this season that even the most fastidious can be SUITED.  
**PLAIN AND BROCADED SATINS,**  
Black and Colored, Plain and Striped Plushes and Velvets,  
Buttons from a 5c. Size up to a Trade Dollar.  
Metal, Pearl and Jet Clasps for Dresses and Mantles.  
**Gloves & Fine Hosiery**  
Full range, and at prices unprecedented in the annals of the Hosiery and Glove Trade.  
ALL DEPARTMENTS WILL BE FOUND WELL ASSORTED.  
An unusually large stock of Canadian and Imported KNITTING YARNS—Best Makes.  
KEY NOTE—Goods sold on their merits, no misrepresentations made, and strictly one price.  
**A. MUNRO.**  
Goderich, April 7th, 1887. 2064-Draper and Haberdasher.



**Drugs, Perfumery & Fancy Goods**  
Just Received at the Medical Hall by F. JORDAN, and will be sold at Prices to suit the Hard Times. Call and see them before making your purchases.  
**F. JORDAN, Medical Hall, Goderich.**

**PURE PARISGREEN, HELLEBORE, INSECT POWDER**  
AT  
**RHYNAS'**  
THE DRUGGIST.

**Dungannon.**  
Mr Walker is visiting friends here. Mrs Gay has gone to Exeter. Mrs B. J. Crawford is visiting friends in Goderich.

A social in connection with the English church will be given in the drill shed June 22nd.  
Rev. A. McKibbin preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening to a large congregation in the Methodist church. He carries with him the best wishes of many friends, as he goes to his new field of labor.

Some of our young people visited Point Farm during the week.  
A strawberry social under the auspices of the Y. P. S. will be given at A. Pentland's on the evening of the 28th of June. A good time is expected.

**Lesour.**  
We were a little astray with reference to the well-being of A. Clutton, and should have stated 10 ft in diameter instead of circumference.

O Brown of Clinton was the guest of Mr. Foley last week.  
Statute labor was done on Thos Carney's beat last week.

Miss Jessie Morris, of Garbraid, is visiting here.  
Mr. Thos. Carney went to court this week to answer the call as a jurymen.

Communion will be held on 1st Sunday in July. It is expected that a number of members will partake of it.  
Miss Horton was in Clinton this week.

**The Audience would Not Wait.**  
The Fall Mill Gazette tells this story of Miss Mary Anderson: While she was rehearsing the part of Juliet, an eminent physician, an intimate friend, was present. The performance delighted him till the conclusion of the play, when his countenance wore a troubled expression. When it was over he went up to the actress. "My dear young lady," he said, "You are wrong in one of your effects. Don't you know a corpse doesn't stiffen for at least six hours after death?" "My dear doctor," responded Mary, slowly, speaking in deep, rich tones, and adopting a strong American twang, "do you think I am going to keep my audience waiting for six hours while I stiffen."

**Sunlight.**  
No article of furniture that will not stand a sunlight should be put in a room for every room in a dwelling should have the window so arranged that sometime during the day the sunlight may enter freely into the apartments. The importance of admitting the light of the sun freely to all parts of our dwelling cannot be too highly estimated. Indeed, perfect health is nearly as dependent on pure sunlight as it is on pure air, except when so bright as to be uncomfortable to the eyes. And walking should be in bright sunlight. A sun-bath is of more importance in preserving a healthful condition of the body than is generally understood. It is a well established fact that the people who live much in the sun are generally stronger and more healthy than those whose occupations deprive them of sunlight.

Robert J. Burdette, who has more friends and fewer enemies than any living writer in his peculiar branch of historical literature, has been elected a deacon in his Baptist church at Lower Marion, Pa.; and he will not be a mere figurehead in the office either. When Mr. Burdette was summing in the Adirondacks last year he was hunted down in his retreat by the trustees of a little Baptist church about four miles from his camp, who insisted that, in the absence of any regular pastor, he should fill the pulpit. With his customary good nature he complied, and for several successive Sundays the voice that had many a time roused the mirth of crowded halls as he told the story of Tom and Laura in the "Rise and Fall of the Moustache" was heard in the pulpit of the little church. He preached not only a full but a free salvation in every sense of the word, for he charred the good brethren nothing whatever for his services.

**BOBY.**  
In Goderich, on the 19th inst., the wife of Wilmer Smith, of a son.

**STRAYED FROM**  
subscriber Sunday, June 19th, a cow with horns a little rope around head when any person giving information to her recovery will be THOMAS HEALEY, Quebec-st., Goderich.

**HOUSE TO RENT**  
MONTHS—A furnished 5 rooms, with lawn and initial part of the town. Box 149, Goderich.

**TWO LOTS FOR SALE**  
on Palmerston-st. Near one good stable. All in orchard. For particulars WATSON, Painter, Goderich.

**SALE—IN THE**  
OF GODERICH, Huron 3rd and 11 in the 4th con best 80 acre farms in the town flow through. Near 3 miles from the Town For particulars address CHAS. PROPRIETOR, Goderich P.O.

**TO RENT—GOOD**  
E on Nelson-st., opposite hill—10 rooms. Thoroughly repaired, ready for occupancy for a smaller house. D. Goderich. 101-4t

**OF LAND—CLAY**  
acres free of stump—6 on Lake Huron. To excavate or saw mill in a well on very easy terms. For full particulars EO. NEIBERGALL, Goderich.

**CLASS FARMS FOR**  
to township of Ashfield, and one in East W. W. acres. For particulars Holt & Cameron, Goderich.

**62 Arthur Street, with**  
acres. 106, 211, 245, Elgin Ward.  
a and Britannia Road, so on Keays Street, lot 1 Survey, opposite view 1. 52, 54, 56, 61, 65, at LOW RATES.

**ISON & JOHNSTON.**

## A FEW Pointers

If You Want a DINNER SETT,  
Look at NAIRN'S Stock  
If You Want a BEDROOM SETT,  
NAIRN has them at all prices  
If You Want a TEA SETT,  
NAIRN has a full assortment  
If You Want Anything in CHINA,  
NAIRN has the finest display  
If You Want Anything in GLASS,  
Try NAIRN'S before purchasing elsewhere.

For Pure, Unadulterated FRESH GROCERIES!  
CHAS. A. NAIRN  
HAS THEM—  
EVERYTHING WARRANTED  
YOUR TRADE SOLICITED  
Goderich, April 28th, 1887.

**HURON AND BRUCE**  
LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY  
This Company is Lending Money on Farm Security at Lowest Rates of Interest.  
MORTGAGES PURCHASED.  
SAVINGS BANK BRANCH.  
3, 4 and 5 per Cent. Interest Allowed on Deposits, according to amount, and time left.  
OFFICE—Cor. of Market Square and North Street, Goderich.  
HORACE HORTON, MANAGER  
Goderich Ave. 5th 1885. 1994

## THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST.

New Fruits,  
New Nuts,  
New Teas,  
**NEW GOODS**  
OF ALL KINDS.

EVERYBODY INVITED  
TO COME AND SEE THE  
Finest Collection  
OF  
**CHINA**  
ever opened out in Goderich.  
**C. A. NAIRN,**  
Court House Square, Goderich  
Dec. 2th, 1886.



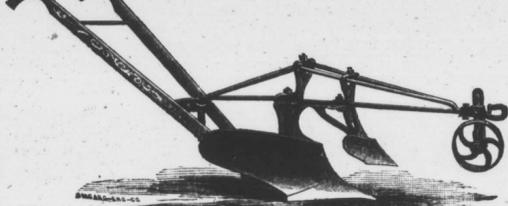
**TO WEAVERS!**  
Colored & White Carpet Warp at Mill Prices.  
**C. CRABB,**  
April 7th, 1887. 12000-1m | Goderich.

## Clearing Cash Sale OF MILLINERY!

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, LACES, GAUZES, BONNET SHAPES, HAT SHAPES, &c., &c.  
This is a Genuine Sale, as I intend going out of the Business as soon as Stock can be disposed of.

**MISS GRAHAM,**  
The Square, next to Cheson & Cox's Dry Goods Store, Goderich.  
June 2nd, 1887. 2101

## FARMERS & OTHERS



A FULL LINE OF  
**PLOWS, REPAIRS & CASTINGS**  
KEPT ON HAND, AND AT  
REASONABLE PRICES  
—IN—  
**C. A. Humber's New Warehouse,**  
St. David-st., near Victoria-st. Church.  
A CALL SOLICITED.  
CAST AND WROUGHT IRON BOUGHT.  
**C. A. HUMBER.**  
Goderich, 25th May, 1887. 2100

## THE LARGEST STOCK, GREATEST VARIETY, AND BEST VALUE IN TOWN, AT E. DOWNING'S.

Cor. East Street and Square, Goderich.  
ALL THE LEADING STYLES IN  
**LADIES', GENTS' AND CHILDREN'S WEAR**  
AT VERY CLOSE PRICES A LINE OF  
Ladies' Genuine French Kid Button Boots, at \$2.00  
SPLENDID VALUE.  
Ladies' and Gents' Tennis Shoes, at \$1.00 and \$1.25  
Give me a call, and we will show you our stock with pleasure, whether you buy or not.  
**E. DOWNING,**  
Crabb's Block, Cor. East-st. and Square.  
N.B.—TO THE TRADE—Leather and Findings in any quantity, at Lowest Prices.  
Goderich, June 2nd, 1887. 2101

**FOR SALE.**  
Lot No. 668, on Victoria-st. in the Town of Goderich.  
Occupied by THOMAS McBRIDE.  
This lot is situated in a good part of the Town. It has erected thereon a 1 1/2 story house, with kitchen attached, which has been painted lately, and is in a good state of preservation.  
TERMS OF SALE—Half cash, and balance on mortgage to suit purchaser. For further particulars apply to the undersigned.  
**GARROW & PROUDFOOT,**  
Agents for Owner.  
Goderich, Sept. 9th, 1885. 2064-1f

**GODERICH PLANING MILL**  
ESTABLISHED 18  
**Buchanan, Lawson & Robinson**  
MANUFACTURERS OF  
Sash, Doors & Blinds  
DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF  
Lumber, Lath, Shingles  
and builder's material of every description.  
SCHOOL FURNITURE A SPECIALTY.  
A Order promptly attended to.  
Goderich Aug. 2, 1883. 2-17

**Startling**  
**FALL**  
**WALL PAPER**  
AT  
**SAUNDERS VARIETY STORE.**

SEE OUR PRICES:  
Former Price, 12c to 15c, now 8c.  
" " " 10c to 12c, now 6c.  
" " " 8c to 10c, now 5c.  
These are last year's styles, but for Hotelkeepers, Landlords or Tenants THEY ARE JUST THE THING.  
A Fresh Stock of American Papers Now on View.  
**The Cheapest House UNDER THE SUN.**  
West-st., next door to the Post Office, Goderich, March 10, 1887.

The Poet's Corner.

How sweet is the reward. 'Tis but a little thing to do To lend a helping hand...

A Living Miracle.

"My infant daughter was taken ill with cholera infantum, the doctor said she could not live...

Household Hints.

The best way to put lamp-wicks is uncut at 3 cents per yard. To ventilate and dry a damp cellar run a four-inch tin pipe...

MOTHERLY FIRMNESS.

A Trustful Little Sketch Taken From Real Life. Two boys in bed. Jim (to Tom): "Take your old feet away, now..."

Worth Knowing.

Drain pipes and all places that are sour or impure may be cleansed with Lime water or carbolic acid.

In the history of medicines no preparation has received such universal commendation for the alleviation it affords...

Hay fever is a type of catarrh having peculiar symptoms. It is attended by an inflamed condition of the lining membrane of the nostrils...

Home Rule.

In Great Britain the question of Home Rule is commanding attention. To the man with a cold in the head or chest the safest way to ensure Home Rule over a cold is to have on hand a bottle of Dr. Harvey's Red Pine Gum...

Don't Speculate.

Run no risk in buying medicine, but try the great Kidney and Liver regulator, made by Dr. Chase, author of Chase's Receipts...

A Profitable Life.

Few men have accomplished the same amount of work and good in this world as the celebrated Dr. Chase. Over 500,000 of his works have been sold in Canada alone...

B. B. B.—In Working Order.

"My husband was troubled with dyspepsia for more than four years. Two experienced physicians did him no good. We got discouraged, until we read of Burdock Blood Bitters...

A Free Gift.

Around each bottle of Dr. Chase's Liver Cure is a medical guide and receipt book containing useful information, over 200 receipts, and pronounced by doctors as draughts as worth ten times the cost of the medicine...

Be on Your Guard.

Don't allow a cold in the head to slowly and surely run into Catarrh, when you can be cured for 25c. by using Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure...

How a Duet Caught Cold.

"A slim young man in the height of fashion was violently sneezing in a street car, when a companion remarked, 'Aw, Charles, dear boy, how'd you catch that dreadful cold...'"

GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY

CURES ALL HUMORS. from a common Blotch, or Eruption, to the worst Scrofula, Salt-rheum, Fever sores, Scaly or Pimples, Skin, in short, all diseases caused by bad blood...

CONSUMPTION.

which is Scrofula of the Lungs, is arrested and cured by this remedy, if taken before the last stage of the disease is reached. From its marvelous power over this terrible fatal disease, it has become the most celebrated remedy to the public...

\$500 REWARD

is offered by the proprietors of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure for a case of catarrh which they cannot cure. If you have a discharge from the nose, offensive or otherwise, partial loss of smell, taste, or hearing, watery, dull, pain or pressure in head, you have Catarrh. Thousands of cases terminate in consumption. Dr. Chase's CATARRH CURE cures the worst cases of Catarrh, "Cold in the Head," and Catarrhal Headache. 50 cents.

"More Trouble May be Expected. If you do not heed the warnings of nature and at once pay attention to the maintenance of your health. How often we see a person put off from day to day the purchase of a medicine which if procured at the outset of a disease would have remedied it almost immediately..."

Merchants can get their Bill Heads, Letter Heads, etc., printed at this office for very little more than they generally pay for elsewhere, and it helps to advertise their business. Call and see samples and get prices.

Teacher—"What do you understand by an unclean spirit?" Juvenile Commentator—"A dirty devil."

Have you Toothache? Use Fluid Lightening. Have you Rheumatism? Use Fluid Lightening. Have you a Stiff Joint? Use Fluid Lightening.

Have you Neuralgia? Use Fluid Lightening. Have you Lumbago? Use Fluid Lightening. Are you troubled with Headache? Use Fluid Lightening.

Have you any Pain? Use Fluid Lightening. It will cure you the instant it is applied. Try it. 25c per bottle at G. Rhynas' drug store.

A Wonderful Organ. The largest organ, and one that plays a controlling part on the health of the body is the liver. If torpid or inactive the whole system becomes diseased.

Dr. Chase's Liver Cure is made especially for Liver and Kidney diseases, and is guaranteed to cure. Recipe, book and medicine \$1. Sold by all druggists.

The best regulators for the stomach and bowels, the best cure for biliousness, sick headache, indigestion, and all affections arising from a disordered liver, are without exception Johnson's Tonic Liver Pills. Small in size, sugar coated, mild, yet effective. 25 cts. per bottle sold by Goode, druggist, Albion block, Goderich, sole agent.

To the Medical Profession, and all whom it may concern. Phosphatine, or Nerve Food, a Phosphate Element based upon Scientific Facts, Formulated by Professor Austin, M. D. of Boston, Mass., cures Pulmonary Consumption, Sick Headache, Nervous Attacks, Vertigo and Neuralgia and all wasting diseases of the human system. Phosphatine is not a Medicine, but a Nutriment, because it contains no Vegetable or Mineral Poisons, Opium, Narcotics, and no Stimulants, but simply the Phosphate and Garter Elements found in our daily food. A single bottle is sufficient to convince. All Druggists sell it. \$1.00 per bottle. Lo wen & Co., sole agents for the Dominion, 55 Front Street East Toronto.

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Phosphate. Is a safe, sure, and effective destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

HARVARD'S YELLOW OIL

CURES RHEUMATISM. FREEMAN'S WORM POWDERS.

BEWARE OF WORTHLESS IMITATIONS

As there are many inferior goods, corded with just, but not the reputation of our genuine Coralline, we warn the ladies against such imposition by drawing their attention to the necessity of seeing that the name 'CROMPTON CORSET CO.' is stamped on inner side of all Coralline goods. Without which none are genuine.

THE KEY TO HEALTH. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the sections; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness, and General Debility; all these and many other similar complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

To the Citizens of Goderich and Surrounding Country. Having purchased the good will and business of our well known townman, H. Glass, we are prepared to meet the lowest prices going. Soliciting a fair share of your patronage, we are yours to command.

ELLIOTT & PRETTY. N. B.—We make a specialty of Paper-hanging and Kalsomining. Goderich, Jan. 27, 1887. 204-3m

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The undersigned beg most respectfully to inform the inhabitants of Goderich and surrounding country, that having bought CHEAP FOR CASH in the best markets of Canada and the United States, a very superior stock of...

FRESH GROCERIES!

Consisting of FRESH TEAS of this season's importation, comprising Young Hysons, Gunpowders, Japans and Blacks, amongst which are to be found some of the very choicest imported, and desire to call special attention to the same. Also a Superior Blend of COFFEE, French Broken Loaf, Granulated and other Sugars, Syrups, Molasses, Raisins, Currants, Figs, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Assorted Peels, Extracts, Flavorings, Sauces, Pickles, Jams, Jellies, Canned Goods of all descriptions, Biscuits, Pure Ground Spices, Hominy, Maccaroni, Vermicelli, Tapioca, Sago, Rice, Brushes, Tubs, Pails, Brooms, and other useful articles usually kept in a first-class city establishment.

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REES PRICE & SON, Store on the Square, Between E. Downing's and C. Crabb's. Goderich, April 21st, 1887.

SPRING GOODS HUGH DUNLOP, FASHIONABLE TAILOR.

Takes pleasure in announcing that he has now on hand a full supply of TWEEDS, WORSTEDS & OTHER CLOTHS SUITABLE FOR SPRING AND SUMMER WEAR.

Excellent Fits. First-Class Work. Leave orders early, owing to the spring rush of patronage. Satisfaction assured. Remember the Place—West street, next door to Bank of Montreal. Goderich, March 31st, 1887.

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Parties wishing to purchase Pianos, Organs, or any other Musical Instrument, will do well to see PROF. CLARKE before doing so, as he keeps nothing but the very best makes.

MASON & RISCH PIANOS, BELL ORGANS, Triumphant Organs!

A present, the value of from \$12 to \$50, will be made to those purchasing either of the above. Violins and Mouth Organs, Violin Strings, Music Books, Sheet Music and all Musical Instruments. The Cheapest House in the Province. Lessons on Pipe Organ, Cabinet Organ and Piano. For terms, &c., apply at the Music Warehouse, West street, Goderich.



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Words of Wisdom.

-If you hit the mark you must aim a  
little above it.  
Affliction, like the iron-smith, shapes  
as it smites.  
We count words as nothing; yet eter-  
nity depends upon them.  
One knows the value of pleasure only  
after he has suffered pain.  
When we are most ready to perish  
then is God most ready to help us.  
Sunday is the golden clasp that binds  
together the volume of the week.  
Moderation may be considered as a  
tree; of which the root is contentment  
and the fruit repose.  
There is a power to make each hour  
As sweet, as heaven designed it;  
Nor need we roam to bring it home.  
Though few there be that find it;  
We seek too high for things close by.  
And lose what nature found us;  
For life hath here no charms so dear  
As home and friends around us.

A holy act strengthens the inward  
holiness. It is a seed of life growing  
into more life.  
Some one asked Coleridge if he could  
prove the truth of Christianity. "Yes,"  
said he, "try it."  
The passions are the winds which urge  
our vessel forward and reason is the pilot  
which steers it; the vessel could not ad-  
vance without the winds and without the  
pilot it would be lost.  
Whoever would be Christ like should  
be willing to wear Christ's crown; and  
the crown in which he was revealed to us  
was not silver nor gold, studded with  
gems. The crown which Christ wore was  
worthy of Him. He came by suffering  
to redeem this world from suffering.  
Shall the servant be greater than the  
master? Shall Christ suffer and you  
not?

THE SIN OF FRETTING.—There is one  
sin which is everywhere and by every-  
body underestimated, tolerated with un-  
due tolerance, and quite too much over-  
looked in our valuation of character. It  
is the sin of fretting. He who frets is  
never the one who mends. Most men  
call fretting a minor fault—a foible and  
not a vice. There is hardly any vice ex-  
cept drunkenness, which can so utterly  
destroy the happiness of a home.

A few Words to Wives.  
Encourage strict confidence with your  
husband; withhold nothing from him,  
and be patient in hearing all he would  
confide to you, that he may always fly  
to you as his counsellor and best friend.  
Be punctual to a second in all engage-  
ments with your husband, and he will  
be the same with you, and in thus do-  
ing you will avoid much that is unpleas-  
ant.  
Practice economy in taking care of  
what you have, keeping a strict account  
of what you spend, buying nothing but  
what you need, buying nothing but  
what you pay for immediately, and  
making your account of each month's  
expenses show you have more than you  
are spent. This is a great way to win  
a man's respect, to make him think he  
has a little savings bank upon which he  
can rely in time of sickness and financial  
difficulty.  
Rule only to love. Strive to call out  
the best feelings of your husband's na-  
ture with continual loving attentions,  
which, though they may be small in  
themselves, make such a strong chain  
around his heart in time that he cannot  
turn carelessly aside from you.  
Go out always with your husband, but  
manage to make home so attractive that  
he finds no place so dear.  
Dress better for your husband than  
for any one else. Take a pride in his  
appearance, that he may judge your  
heart by his own. Never allow him to  
see you slatternly dressed. Even be  
tasty in a kitchen dress or looking pretty  
over a kitchen board.  
Be strong in your determination never  
to gossip, to harshly criticize. Nothing  
men so much despise as gossip; nothing  
makes a woman rise so much in a good  
man's estimation as to see her charitable,  
particularly with her own sex. For  
large charity does never soil, but only  
whitens soft white hands.

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Whiskers Are Half the Battle.  
Don't you know that if I could raise a  
beard my practice would be twice, and  
possibly three times, as large as it is?  
I have tried everything to bring the hair  
out on my face, but it will not come,  
and I have about given up all hopes of  
ever adding whiskers to my numerous at-  
tractions. Although I am 29 years of  
age, and have been practicing several  
years, I find the greatest difficulty in  
making people believe I am not a minor  
just starting out in business. I tell  
you, in our profession whiskers are half  
the battle. Everybody pictures the  
physician as an old, sage-looking  
individual with long, full beard. "Phy-  
sician" in the Globe-Democrat.

THE SIGN PAINTER'S BUGBEAR.—The  
term "B.C." and its Latin equivalent  
"etc." are great stumbling blocks to  
the illiterate sign painter. A Swan-  
street sign reads, "Groceries, provisions  
&c." Another east side sign has it  
"etc." Still other forms noted are "and  
&c." and "et cetera," "et cetera," and "et  
cetera." A Black Rock man who believes  
in giving his customers their choice from  
a large stock, hangs out the sign, "Dry  
goods, at cetera, etc."—American  
paper. [The misuse of this term is on a  
par with the combination, "New Nov-  
elities."]

VISITING DAY.

A Scene from the Rural Districts of Merry  
New England.

A visiting day in some rural districts  
is a day of perfect pleasure to people  
whose amusements are limited, and  
whose lives run in narrow channels. To  
"go visitin'" takes the place of opera,  
concert, lectures, social gatherings and  
all the other enjoyments, open to resi-  
dents of cities and towns. A teacher in  
a backwoods region thus describes the  
arrival of visitors one Sunday morning  
at his boarding house:  
They came about nine o'clock in the  
morning, in a large wagon, father, moth-  
er and eight children all seated on  
straight-backed wooden chairs, painted  
green, with sheep skin or rope seats.  
The wagon was a rickety, unpainted  
vehicle, and the horses were real "baze-  
of-bones."  
"Well, good land o' massy! Is this  
reely yow?" cried my landlady, rush-  
ing out to meet the visitors.  
"Looks like us, don't it?" gurgled the  
mother of the visitors. "Hain't our  
sperits nobow."  
"How do yeow do? Git out, and come  
right in. All well?"  
"Well's common; how's all the folks?"  
"Oh, so's to be 'round' but pap ain't  
feelin' right peart. I'm tickled to death  
to see you! Here's Loocindy."  
"Loocindy" grinned.  
"And her's Alciny."  
"Alciny" grinned.  
"And Mary Emmeline."  
Mary Emmeline also grinned.  
"And all the rest of you."  
"All the rest" put their fingers in their  
mouths, and giggled.  
"How do you come on, Mister Jlnk-  
ins?"  
"Oh, middlin', middlin'."  
"Ain't seen any of you fer a coon's  
age. Didn't know but you'd all dried up  
and blowed away."  
Everybody giggled or roared over  
this.

"Well, all of you walk right in, and  
set down and take off your things and  
I must fly round and get dinner. Here you,  
Jack, go out and kill four chickens; and  
you bring a ham and tatters up from the  
cellar, Harriett Jane; and bring a jar of  
plams, and one of gooseberries, too.  
You ain't goin' to git much dinner here  
folks."  
"La, Mis' Simmons, an' ye the best  
cook in the country."  
"Now, Mrs. Jinkins."  
"Deed you air."  
"Land o' massy, an' cozn't make a  
thing fit fer a pig to eat!"  
Loud protest from Mis' Jinkins. "Pap"  
Simmons puts in an appearance.  
"Well, I do vum! How air ye, Jin-  
kins, an' Mis' Jinkins, an the hull ca-  
boodle of ye! Glad to see ye, all look  
natchrel as an old shoe."  
The "company" stays all day, and an  
incessant chatter is kept up. The trif-  
ling affairs and incidents of the neigh-  
borhood are discussed in every possible  
light.—Youth's Companion.

Be Careful of Your Company.  
And above all, be careful into what  
society you go, and what kind of com-  
pany you keep. You can not draw  
too carefully the line of distinction be-  
tween those with whom you are acquaint-  
ed. Many a young girl ruined bright  
prospects for future comfort or happiness  
by mingling with wrong-minded com-  
pany. Remember that you are gauged  
by the company you keep. Your manner  
of life, your conversational power, the  
purity of your imaginations, your feel-  
ings, your aspirations, your desires, your  
general demeanor, depend very much  
upon your associations in life.  
Your character is very much moulded  
by your daily companions; and a girl  
sinks or rises in the scale of society ac-  
cording to the company she daily keeps.  
Brush away the glittering externals,  
and discover, if possible, the undertone  
of the social circles into which you are  
casually invited. Seek pure-minded com-  
pany. If you can not find such, do a  
thousand times rather without; live a  
recluse life among good books rather  
than mingle with those whose morals are  
not of the best. But look around you,  
and depend upon it you will find the  
right sort of company.—Brooklyn Maga-  
zine

How Many Hours for Sleep?  
There is an old saying that has  
frightened a great many people from  
taking the rest that nature demanded for  
them. "Nine hours are enough for a  
fool. They may be, and not too many  
for a wise man who feels that he need-  
ing nine hours. what is better he took  
them. We presume it is conceded by  
all thoughtful persons that the brain in  
very young children, say 3 or 4 years of  
age, requires all of twelve hours in rest  
or sleep. This period is shortened  
gradually until at 14 years of age the  
boy is found to need only ten hours.  
When full grown and in a healthy con-  
dition the man may find a night of eight  
hours sufficient to repair the exhaus-  
tion of the day and new-create him for  
the morrow. But if he discover that he  
needs more sleep he should take it.  
There is surely something wrong about  
him; perhaps a forgotten waste must be  
repaired. His sleep, evidently, has not  
been made up, and until it has and he  
can spring to his work with an exhilara-  
tion for it he should sensibly conclude  
to let his instinct control him and stay  
in bed.  
"What can I use to clean carpets?"  
Use your husband.

Table Lines.

There is a sort of fascination among  
most women for fine table linen, and its  
satisfying lustre and graceful patterns are  
like pins to the household eyes. If it  
is beyond the housekeeper's means to  
possess fine, heavy damask, she can con-  
sole herself by thinking of the havoc the  
laundryman would make in it with his  
chemicals, soda and lime. If nice table  
linen can be carefully laundered at home  
it may even pass through several stages  
of usefulness, before being put away for  
bandages, list, etc.  
Small patterned table linen wears best  
and shows staining less than that having  
showy designs, therefore it is more econ-  
omical for every day use. When well  
worn such linen may be cut up for chil-  
ren's napkins, and portions too much  
worn for napkins may be made into  
cloths for wrapping round bread and  
cake; but be sure to hem them nicely or  
they will soon be spirited away among  
the rags, especially if within reach of  
"help."  
Do not buy cheap thin table linen; it  
will wrinkle and soil easily and it would  
be wiser to economize in something else.  
An under cover for the dining table  
will make table cloths last longer and appear  
of a better quality. Hand made hems  
should finish all table linen because they  
look more neat and iron better. Select  
pure white damask and seven eights nap-  
kins for dinner use; color is admissible  
in breakfast and tea cloths with five-  
eights napkins. Lunch clothes and nap-  
kins are fringed.  
In repairing linen use ravellings of the  
same or a linen thread and, here is an  
opportunity to display your skill as a  
needlewoman, for it is considered quite  
a fashionable accomplishment to be able  
to do such work well.  
When rearranging the linen closet  
wash the shelves and drawers with soap  
and water, then with alum water and  
lastly blow a little insect powder into all  
the crevices. Among the reserve stock  
of linen place little bags of dried rose  
leaves or sweet geranium leaves as your  
grandmothers used to place bunches of  
lavender and sweet clover among the  
home made linen, when she laid aside  
the great chests with ponderous lids,  
which served them in place of the  
modern linen closet.

Rest for the Tired House-keeper.  
With many women it seems to be a  
matter of pride to see how much work  
can be compressed within twelve hours  
of the day. They will sew, bake and  
brow, do no end of work for charitable  
purposes, make calls, and then wonder  
why it is that they are worn out, old and  
forlorn and unable to keep up with  
their children, who are approaching the  
age when the mother's companionship  
would be their greatest pleasure. In  
resting it is not necessary always to  
sleep. An hour in a comfortable easy  
chair with a good book will often be a  
greater service to the tired housekeeper  
than sleep for the same length of time.  
It is a rest sometimes to sit at one's  
writing table and commune by letter  
with one's absent friends.

A Scalable Wife and Mother.  
The writer has in his acquaintance  
a beautiful, bright woman whose hus-  
band has for years been a political factor  
in his state. They began life, these two,  
with small financial resources, and up to  
the last year have had an increasing  
family, which now numbers five chil-  
ren. The wife looks, possibly, a shade  
more mature than when she laid aside  
her orange blossoms, but has not yet de-  
teriorated into a mere nursemaid. As  
years came prosperity came also, and  
the woman, unwilling that the energetic  
man should go ahead of her, kept even  
pace with him. "My children will need  
me more when they are larger, than  
they do now, she once said, when she  
she relinquished some maternal duty to  
other hands.  
Always a devoted mother she did not  
spend her days flouncing and tucking,  
but so improved her mind that the chil-  
ren always found her just a little ahead  
of them, even when they began to un-  
tangle the mysteries of the sciences and  
struggle with the languages at school.  
Writers, fond of flowing rhetoric, are  
given to dilating on the fashionable  
mother who neglects her children for  
the ball room and opera house, but is  
not the stupid, ignorant mother who  
makes a boast of washing her children's  
faces and tying up their bruises just as  
bad? Certainly it is of infinitely more  
value that a woman should strengthen  
her boy's intellectual and moral nature  
than that she should embroider his  
baby frock.—Kansas City Journal.

Performance and Pretension.  
An English writer pertinently puts  
the question, "Would not the world  
be much wiser and happier if we were  
to lay it down as a general rule that per-  
formance is inversely proportioned to  
pretension?" Certainly to be convinced  
of this, and to know that others also  
were convinced of it, would be a most  
salutary lesson to those who now waste  
so much of their energy and life in try-  
ing to appear what they are not. Insin-  
cerity of this kind is not only wrong, it  
is also so foolish, so impotent, so short-  
sighted a policy that we wonder how any  
reasonable and intelligent man or woman  
can adopt it. It prejudices persons  
against the one who practices it, so that  
they are unwilling to admit his actual  
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S. S. CONVENTION.

The Delegates Spend Two Pleasant Days in Goderich.

What came up for discussion at the Fifteenth Annual Convention. The Next Meeting to be held at Exeter.

Wednesday evening, June 15. The fifth session was opened at 7:40 p.m. by the singing of the 100th hymn, and prayer by the president, Mr. Wilson. Minutes of afternoon read by I. Taylor and confirmed.

Report from the committee on resolutions was read by Mr. J. C. Stevenson, of Clinton, as follows:

Resolved, that whereas the delegates and friends of the Huron County Association promised the sum of \$100 at the last convention, held in Blyth, the secretary was instructed to send a circular to every Sunday school in the county asking at least \$1 from each school. In answer to the call a number of schools have responded, to the amount of \$50, which amount has been sent to the Provincial Association. But, whereas, the amount of \$50 remains yet to be collected, beside the expenses of the county association, we would respectfully ask the remaining schools of the county to bring the matter before the officers and teachers, and send it to the treasurer, Mr. J. C. Stevenson, Clinton, at an early date, amounts not less than one dollar for each school.

Resolved, that we learn with regret that W. J. Clarke, of Exeter, who has so long and ably filled the position of minute secretary to this association, is no longer able, owing to other pressing business engagements, to continue in said office, and we assure him of our appreciation of his kindly services, often rendered at great inconvenience to himself, and that he retire with the best wishes of our entire body.

Resolved, that this convention desires to place upon record its appreciation of the past services of the retiring president, Rev. W. Johnson, and the assurance of its prayers and good wishes for his future welfare, and the prosperity of the cause to which he has so earnestly and faithfully devoted his life.

Resolved, that the thanks of this convention are hereby tendered to the various Goderich churches for services rendered; to the friends for their kind hospitality; and to all those who have contributed to the success of these meetings; the local committee and speakers, and the various choirs of the town.

Report from committee on nominations was read by Mr. Heuston, Hensall, as follows:—

Your committee on nomination regret that Mr. Geo. Stevens, Goderich, declined office of minute secretary. We therefore beg leave to nominate, Mr. Israel Taylor, Clinton, to the said position. Carried unanimously.

The question of whether it was best to have more than one teacher in the primary department was briefly discussed by the president, R. W. McKenzie and Jas. Mitchell, the speakers all agreeing that the matter should be left entirely to local circumstances.

Song service by the choir:—"God is the Refuge of His People," "Song of Trust," "Rock of Ages," "Like as a Father pitieth his Children."

The president then announced the topic for discussion to be, "How shall the church best develop a missionary spirit in the Sunday school? Should the church support the school financially, and the school devote its funds to missionary purposes?"

The Rev. G. R. Turk led the affirmative in a five minute speech. He said he thought he had the best side of the question, and that the mind of the people were already made up. He pointed out that all other religious schemes were local, Christianity alone was for the world. The Sunday school was one of the great factors of the church, and the question was, how can we get the greatest good from the Sunday school. He thought it was time we began a new system, and had the church support the school, and the school devote its entire funds for missions alone.

For the negative, the Rev. J. H. Frizzell took the place of the Rev. G. R. Turk. He was at a loss to know whether the question was to be debated and a decision arrived at, or if it was only to be discussed. He thought the wording was not definite enough for debate, that the subject was the most important one that had come before the convention, and was the great problem for the Christian church to solve. To the first part of the question, how shall the church best develop a missionary spirit in the Sunday school? He thought the church must have the missionary fire within itself first. He pointed out the number of young men ready to go to the field, if the church could only send them. Education is required. Every officer of the Sunday school should be a missionary. He thought the Sunday school supporting itself, cherished a spirit of independence and infused life and energy.

A. H. Manning was the next speaker for the affirmative, and handled the subject well and exhaustively until the president rang the bell. As to the wording of the matter for discussion, he said if there was any fault to be found, it might be from the fact that three or four minutes were devoted to themselves as to the best part of the question, he thought it was not encouraging a missionary spirit or self sacrifice for them to collect money for Sunday school papers and other things for which they were to have a full return; again, but the church should supply all those things necessary for the working of the school, as it was not now looked upon, as in days gone by as a separate institution, and very often with antagonism. He referred to the power of the Sunday school papers and other things to show that where the Sunday schools increase the standing armies decrease. The great mission problem was not to be solved unless it was done by the children. He referred for example to the power the children had with the High Priest before Christ's crucifixion.

Jas. Mitchell closed for the negative in a few well chosen remarks.

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The residence of Mr. Bain, M. P. Dundas, was entered by burglars Saturday night. The thieves secured a gold pocket watch and other valuables.

Travelling Guide.

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Report from committee on nominations was read by Mr. Heuston, Hensall, as follows:—

Your committee on nomination regret that Mr. Geo. Stevens, Goderich, declined office of minute secretary. We therefore beg leave to nominate, Mr. Israel Taylor, Clinton, to the said position. Carried unanimously.

The question of whether it was best to have more than one teacher in the primary department was briefly discussed by the president, R. W. McKenzie and Jas. Mitchell, the speakers all agreeing that the matter should be left entirely to local circumstances.

Song service by the choir:—"God is the Refuge of His People," "Song of Trust," "Rock of Ages," "Like as a Father pitieth his Children."

The president then announced the topic for discussion to be, "How shall the church best develop a missionary spirit in the Sunday school? Should the church support the school financially, and the school devote its funds to missionary purposes?"

The Rev. G. R. Turk led the affirmative in a five minute speech. He said he thought he had the best side of the question, and that the mind of the people were already made up. He pointed out that all other religious schemes were local, Christianity alone was for the world. The Sunday school was one of the great factors of the church, and the question was, how can we get the greatest good from the Sunday school. He thought it was time we began a new system, and had the church support the school, and the school devote its entire funds for missions alone.