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Aggregate attendance, 476.
Average " 32.
Percentage, 94.

ETHEL TAGGART, Teacher.
KINDERGARTEN ROOM
Sr. Int.—George Purcell, Basil Connerty, Muriel Wilson, Marie Ripley, Bryce Bullis, Stanley Gifford.
Jr. Int. (A)—(Elsie Thompson, Merrill Mulvena, equal) (Jimmie Hawkins, Johnny Donnelly, Maudie Towrie, equal), Earle McChesin, Marguerite Hull, Lona Derbyshire, Otho Lott.

Jr. Int. (B)—Jennet Conlin, Lona Garrett, Ruby Wilson, Ivan Pierce, Kenneth Irwin, Hollace Cross.
Jr. I.—Marion Wilson, Jackson Kilborne, Henry Pipe, Hattie Hawkins, Gladys Churchill, Myrtle Cross, Gordon Forsythe, Eliza Hawkins, Manford Gifford, May Hawkins.
Aggregate attendance, 87.
Average " 25.
Percentage 72.

ROBERTA A. ROSS, Teacher
SUMMARY.
Total aggregate, 2,110.
" average, 142.
" percentage, 91.
CAMERON R. MACINTOSH, Principal.

Death of Mrs. Drummond Parish

After an illness of about five weeks, Mrs. Drummond Parish departed this life at her home, Elbe Mill, on Friday last. The news of her death was a sad surprise to many who had not heard that her condition was serious.

Mrs. Parish's maiden name was Roseltha Johnston, a daughter of the late Christopher Johnston, and she was born at Philipsville about 55 years ago. Her husband, the late Drummond Parish, died four years ago.

Mrs. Parish was of a particularly bright, cheerful disposition, and during her useful life, all of which was spent in this section, she gained and retained the esteem of a wide circle of friends. Seven children survive to mourn her loss, viz.: Edie (Mrs. Minor Bates), of Brockville, Eddie and Jessie (Mrs. James Dillabough) at home, Herb at Rockport, Eva (Mrs. J. H. Rowson) of Elbe, Charles of Watertown, and Grace (Mrs. W. B. Bradley) of Escott. Also, two brothers, Harry of Buffalo and Israel of Chilliwack, B. C. Her aged mother made her home with her.

To the sorrowing relatives the Reporter joins with their many friends in extending heartfelt condolences.

The funeral, which was largely attended, was held on Sunday afternoon. An impressive service was conducted in the Methodist church, Athens, by Rev. S. J. Hughes, after which the remains were interred in the cemetery.

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

The Council of the Rear Yonge and Escott met at the call of the reeve on Wednesday evening, 2nd inst. Members all present except Mr. Clow.

A requisition was made for the County Judge to appoint an engineer to examine the Farmersville Plank Road.

The county treasurer was authorized to proceed with the sale of lands liable to be sold for arrears of taxes, less accumulated interest.

Walton Sheffield was appointed road overseer in place of James Cughan, and Jonas Steacy in place of Albert B. Algire.

W. H. Osborne was given permission to do his statute labor in division 9. A grant of \$5 00 was given to St. Vincent De Paul Hospital.

Council adjourned until 29th inst. at one o'clock, then to meet as Court of Revision.

R. E. CORNELL, Clerk.

Loverin—Carpenter

On Thursday last, at the home of the bride, Morristown, N. Y., Mr. B. Loverin of Athens and Miss Emma Carpenter were united in marriage.

In the evening the groom brought his bride to his pleasant home in Athens and they were entertained to tea at the home of the Misses Kelly.

The Reporter tenders congratulations and best wishes.

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Jr.—Fred Trickey, Ada Brown, Mabel Jacob, Rae Kincaid, Erret Pierce, Nellie Earle, Austin Tribart, Bryce Willson, Jessie Weeks, Harold Thompson, George Foley, Claude McClary, Kenneth Wiltse, Keitha Purcell, Vera Gairford, John Ferguson, Arthur Campbell, Richard Layng.
Aggregate attendance, 391.
Average attendance, 26.
Percentage, 93.

FORM III

Sr.—Kenneth Rappell, Dona Thompson, Lulu McLean, Russel Bishop, Birle Gairford, Evalena Gifford, Muriel Kelly, May Danby, Lillie Gibson, Bessie Johnston.

Jr.—Bessie Cowan, Allen Bishop, Mina Donnelly, Kathaleen Massey, Carrie Robinson, Lloyd Earle, Marjorie Moore, Roy Mullen, Gertrude Weeks, Keith McLaughlin.
Aggregate attendance, 427.
Average attendance, 28.
Percentage, 98

FORM II

Sr.—John Kelly, Gladys Gairford, Fern Cross, Nellie Kelly, Walter Hawkins, Grant Darling, Winona Massey, Eric Dobbs, Marion Covey.

Jr.—Hazel Holmes, Archie Kincaid, Lyons McMachen, Hattie Rockwood, Mills Johnston, Paul Bishop, Clifford Rockwood, Pearl Hawkins, Clare Lillie.
Aggregate attendance, 441.
Average attendance, 30.
Percentage, 98.

PRIMARY ROOM

Sr. Pt. II.—George Cowan, Myrtle Conlin, Opal Purcell, Ira Mulvena, Sammie Scott, Irene Earle, Dany Hawkins, Marion Cornell, Mabel Pipe.

Int. Pt. II.—Norma Massey, Frances Clow, Frances Moore, Alice Patterson, Charlie McConnell, Gairden Thompson, Rose Stinson, George Whitford, Clarence Gifford.

Jr. Pt. II.—Jennie Tanner, Hubert Cornell, Charlie Pollan, Kenneth

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INTERNATIONAL LESSON NO. VIII. MAY 20, 1906.

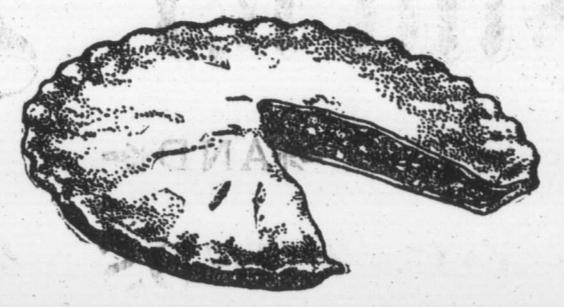
Death of John the Baptist.—Mark 6: 14-29. Commentary.—I. King Herod's terrible conscience (vs. 14, 16-18). II. Herod—This was Herod Antipas, one of the sons of Herod the Great, and the ruler of Galilee and Peraea. He had no doubt heard of Jesus before, but the preaching of the twelve apostles had stirred the whole country and his "fame" was increasing, so that it attracted anew the attention of the king. Risen from the dead—The place of John's imprisonment and death was Macherus, in Peraea, on the eastern side of the Dead Sea, near the southern frontier of the tetrarchy. Here Antipas had a palace and a prison under one roof, as was common in the east. For Herodias' sake—"This woman was a granddaughter of Herod the Great. She first married Herod Philip, her uncle, who was the father of Salome. Herod had put away his legal wife, the daughter of Aretas, king of Arabia Petraea, and had taken Herodias, though Philip, Herodias' husband, was still living." 18. John—John was the son of a priest and was born at Juttah, in the summer of B. C. 5. He was a Nazirite, who drank no wine or strong drink, and to let his hair and beard grow uncut as a sign of consecration to God (Num. 6). He was filled with the Holy Spirit from his birth. "He was a tower of strength which stood four-square to all the winds that blow." His active ministry continued less than two years. Had said—"The Greek verb is in the imperfect tense and implies that he repeatedly reproved him. John was bold and fearless. He faced the king personally. "When John reproved Herod: 1. Herod's course was bringing untold evils upon the people. 2. John could not effectively denounce the sins of the people if he lets sins in high places go unproved. 3. Unlawful crime in high places teaches, indorses and propagates crime among the people."—Peloubet. It is well when the ministers dare rebuke the sins of politicians and those in authority. Not lawful—Herod had put away his wife, had induced Herodias to forsake her husband's conscience accused him. "One who would keep an undisturbed peace must keep a clear conscience." This shows that Herod did not hold the Sadducean doctrine that there is no resurrection, but, bad as he was, he believed in the immortality of the soul and the resurrection of the dead. The doctrine of the resurrection was commonly accepted among the Jews. Mighty works—In consequence of his faith in the resurrection the dead he is thought to be possessed of miracle-working powers. This is a striking incidental confirmation of John x. 41; that John wrought no miracle while living. 15. Others said—To quiet the king's fears Herodias, some of his courtiers made these suggestions. Elias—"Greek form for Elijah. The people were expecting that Elijah would actually return to the earth and usher in the Messiah (Mal. 4. 5; Matt. 16. 14). A prophet—Some new, wonder-working prophet. 16. But—Herodias said—"His guilty conscience impelled him to hold to his first opinion. Whom I beheaded—What a bold confession of guilt was this! "No need for the Baptist now; conscience performs the office of ten thousand other accusers."—Josephus confirms the account of these forebodings when he tells us that after the utter defeat of Herod Antipas by Aretas, the people regarded it as a righteous retribution for the murder of John."—Macler. II. The faithfulness of John the Baptist; and had married Herodias, his niece and sister-in-law, contrary to the law (Lev. xviii. 11, 16). To have—To marry her. The force of the original bears out this interpretation. 19. Had a quarrel—In the margin this is rendered, "had an inward grudge" against him. The Revised Version reads it, "set herself against him." She hated John as an enemy because he had rebuked her sins. Would have killed—She desired to kill him. She saw that if Herod listened to her counsel she would be disgraced and ruined woman. The only way to close the preacher's mouth was to kill him. Could not—Herod would not yield to her murderous desires, but merely threw John into prison. 20. Herod feared John—He had respect for him and feared his words. The truth at first took hold of his conscience. Matthew tells us that when Herod "would have put him to death, he feared the multitude." Knowing that, etc. This makes Herod's sin all the more glaring and heinous. From this we see that holiness and justice command the respect even of sinners. Observed him—"Kept him safe."—R. V. Herod did not allow Herodias to accomplish her purpose. When he heard him—Herod went repeatedly to John's preaching. All the verbs here are in the imperfect tense, describing actions continued or repeated from time to time. Did many things—He was not only a hearer of the word, but was in part a doer of the work. Some sins which John denounced; but "he was much perplexed" (R. V.), not knowing whether to give up his sins fully or to continue in them. He "was almost persuaded" heard him gladly—"So near was he to the point of accepting the truth. III. Herod's birthday festivities (vs. 21-23). 21.—Convenient day—For Herodias, who was watching for an opportunity to kill John. Mace—a supper—This was done, probably at the Macherus palace with great display. 22. Daughter—Danced—"Female dancers in the East are a customary part of great entertainments." On this occasion the dancer was of high birth, being no other than the princess Salome, daughter of Herodias and Philip. "They who glide into the dissolute dance glide over an inclined plane, and the dancer is a sphere and swift, wilder and wilder, until, with the speed of lightning, they whirl off the edges of a ruined life into a fiery future." Talmage. Pleased Herod—They were probably half-intoxicated, reclining at the tables as the custom was. The infamous saloon system of to-day is only a remnant of the ancient revels that were so vile and corrupting in their effects. And yet the saloon is licensed, and thus permitted and protected by law. 23. Half my kingdom—A kingdom for a dance!—"Herod was ready to surrender half his kingdom for the pleasure of

witnessing the performance of a just-creating pantomime. How many are willing to sell not only their health, hope, virtue, prosperity, peace and purity, but heaven's eternal wealth of joy, for momentary pleasure—for the apples of Sodom!" This was the promise of a drunken man, revelling in senseless delight. "The Moloch of intemperance does not confine his work—Note degraded. He ascends the steps of the throne, mounts the platform, forces his way into the pulpit."

24. Mother—What a mother! Leading her own daughter into the vices of sin. What a ask—The husband was not long in telling her; she was waiting for this question; she saw that the hour had come for her to accomplish her fiendish purposes. 25. With haste—She hastens to have the deed perpetrated while the revel is on, probably in the night. "Herod drunk will do what Herod sober has refused to do." Give me by and by—"Forthwith."—R. V. Give me immediately. She took Herod by surprise and made her demand on the instant. Best Herod should change his mind. In a charge—On a large platter. The head—She is thirsting for his blood. IV. John the Baptist beheaded (vs. 28-29). 28. Exceeding sorry—His conscience was not entirely dead, and he was grieved and troubled. For his oath's sake—He cared more for his oath than his conscience, or John, or his God. He could murder, but he must not break a wicked oath that he should never have taken. Nazirite, man-to-day who for the sake of an oath which has no legal or moral binding upon them, will violate their consciences and imperil their souls' interests. Which sat with him—He was afraid of offending the great men of his kingdom. A slave to public opinion. Would not reject her—Note the steps that had led Herod to this: 1. Rejecting the truth. 2. Continuing to indulge in his sins. 3. A drunken feast; liquor is responsible for untold crime and misery. 4. An immoral dance; dancing can but result in sin. 5. A wicked oath, which never should have been taken, but, once taken, should have been broken immediately. 6. His fear of the people. 27. Beheaded him—But his prisoner was ready. John is not the only one who will be beheaded if the truth is upheld. 28. Brought his head—What a ghastly present! How inhuman these wretched women must have been. 29. His disciples—John's disciples. Took up his corpse—"It had been thrown out," and they buried it as the last kindness they could show to one they loved. Sorrows then brought them to Jesus (Matt. xiv. 12). Antipas and Herodias were afterwards banished by the Roman emperor to Lyons, in France, where they passed the remainder of their lives in disgrace.

1. Study Herod for warning. Mark Hopkins said, "A man may become of no use in this universe except for a warning." Let the example of Herod warn you. 1. Hear and heed (v. 20). Herod "heard John" with a relish; he enjoyed his instructions; he appreciated his bravery; but he would not put away Herodias, nor refuse the life of his teacher when it was unrighteously demanded. When Hugh Latimer presented Henry VIII. with a napkin on which was embroidered, "Whoremongers and adulterers God will judge," the king did not thrust him in prison, but said, "I am glad there is one man who dares to tell the truth." But Henry, like Herod, died a monster of iniquity. Are you glad for the promises, but careless for the precepts? Do you like the practical and eschew the doctrinal? Do you do "many things," but not the one thing which is a blot upon your life? Be careful; that is like Herod. 2. Love the word of God (v. 20). Herod heard John, but he never heard Jesus. He never looked beyond the man and his message to the Master. One may attend church, make much of the preacher, talk piously and give generously, yet stopping short of reverence for God and his word, go down to eternal death. 3. Beware of carnal pleasure. Salome "danced and pleased Herod" (v. 22). The first sin came through pleasure. The forbidden fruit was "pleasant to the eyes" of Eve (Gen. 3. 6). 11. Study John for well doing. 1. John was faithful. He dared to call a multitude a "generation of vipers" (Luke 3. 7). He dared to rebuke Herod, dared to tell a king that he was a criminal (v. 18). It is easy to reprimand a servant, it is hard to reprove a friend. It is easy to denounce a sinner, it is hard not to see to rebuke a rich reprobate. It is hard to rebuke "at the right time, in the right spirit, in the right manner." The holy Baptist rebuked Herod without making him angry, he must have rebuked him with gravity, even temper, sincerity and evident good will, but he spoke so firmly and sharply the rebuke cost him his life. 2. John was bold. Like Peter and John before the Sanhedrin (Acts 4. 19). "The apostles before the council (Acts 5. 29). Stephen before certain of the synagogues (Acts 6. 10, 15). Paul before Felix and Agrippa (Acts 24. 25, 26, 27). Jesus before "them of Jerusalem" (John 7. 25, 26). 3. John was fearless. He would speak the truth though his life should pay the penalty. A little slave boy in Halioun, Africa, was converted to Christianity. At a feast held in honor of a departed spirit he was bidden to drink beer. When he refused, the Chief, Chikulu, tied him up, beat him, and threatened to sell him to a cruel master. The lad was firm. He would not touch the beer. Some old men interfered, and he was released and ran to his mission. "Did they make you afraid?" asked the missionary. "No," he replied, "there was no fear in my heart. Jesus gave me strength. They may tie and beat and sell my body, but they cannot tie, or kill, or sell my soul." (Matt. 10. 28).

4. John suffered. He was bound and imprisoned (v. 17), and hated and plotted against (v. 19), and beheaded (v. 27). "All that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution" (2 Tim. iii. 12). That godliness is unworthy of the name which has not felt something of the prejudice, unkindness and bitterness of the enemies of Christ. Every John will have a Herod. They called Whitefield "a miserable mountebank." They said of Robert Hall, "The smile on his face is a reflection of his own vanity." John Wesley was ridiculed and hooted and caricatured. Bad men burned Sam Jones' buggy house and threatened the lives of his wife and children. All who follow the Lord closely know what it is to suffer.



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LAST MINUTE TICKS

CANADIAN.

Rev. George Bond may resign as editor of The Christian Guardian on account of ill-health. Arthur M. Manley, employed by John Macdonald & Co., Toronto, has been missing since Good Friday. Rev. W. R. Parker, a prominent Methodist minister, died at his residence, 41 Albany avenue, Toronto. The finger-print system of identification was introduced at the Toronto detective department to-day. No salute was fired in honor of Prince Arthur at Quebec, owing to the dangerous condition of the cliff. Searle fever and measles are epidemic on the Indian reserve at Fort Alexander, Man. About 150 cases have occurred. The amount of land within the limits of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, voted to railway companies is 56,989,600 acres. Dr. Alexander Allan Henderson, one of the oldest and best known medical practitioners of Ottawa, is dead of heart trouble. The Ottawa Public School Board has decided to adopt the system in vogue in Toronto of teaching music in the schools. The Grand Trunk is asking a cash bonus of \$300,000 from London, and it is thought the proposed improvements will be postponed. Rev. R. B. Grobb, M. A., a distinguished student of Wycliffe College, who will be ordained next June, has been appointed curate of St. John's Church, Port Hope. Ottawa is considering the advisability of closing up all Chinese restaurants, complaints of residents being frequent as to the character of some of these places. A sale of North Cobalt lots was held on Thursday night. Ninety-eight lots were sold at prices from thirty to seventy-five dollars each. Buyers were mostly Toronto people. The Presbyterian Church of Almonte was successful yesterday in securing Rev. Charles Daly, of Lynn, as pastor. He will preach his opening sermon in Almonte on Sunday, the 20th inst. St. Andrew's Church, Guelph, has called Rev. W. C. Wilson, of Smith's Falls, to succeed Rev. Thomas Eakin. The salary is \$1,800 a year. It is generally regarded that Mr. Wilson will accept. While walking on the railway tracks near Mitchell Station, an unknown man was struck by a train and received such injuries as to cause his death in Stratford hospital. He was about 65 years of age, wore a black suit, and did not appear to be a tramp. A farmer named Bellingier, living about five miles from South Mountain, near Brockville, lost his house and two children by fire. During the absence of his husband at the cheese factory, his wife went out to feed some calves. The house caught fire, and on her return flames had completely enveloped the place. A large revolving light has been installed in the lighthouse at Gull Light,

Market Reports The Week.

Toronto Farmers' Market. There were no deliveries of grain to-day. About 25 loads of hay were on the market, prices being unchanged at \$13 to \$15 for timothy, and \$9 to \$10 per ton for mixed. Dressed hogs are unchanged, with light quoted at \$10 and heavy at \$9.75. Wheat, white, bush, \$0 80 0 81 Do, red, bush, 0 80 0 81 Do, spring, bush, 0 78 0 00 Do, goose, bush, 0 75 0 00 Oats, bush, 0 40 0 41 Barley, bush, 0 51 0 53 Peas, bush, 0 55 0 00 Rye, bush, 0 75 0 00 Hay, timothy, ton, 13 00 15 00 Do, mixed, ton, 9 00 10 00 Straw, per ton, 11 00 12 00 Dressed hogs, 9 75 10 00 Apples, per barrel, 3 00 4 00 Eggs, new laid, dozen, 0 18 0 20 Butter, dairy, 24 0 27 Do, creamery, 0 27 0 33 Chickens, per lb., 0 14 0 17 Fox, per lb., 0 10 0 10 Turkeys, per lb., 0 18 0 20 Geese, per lb., 0 12 0 14 Cabbage, per dozen, 0 40 0 50 Cauliflower, per dozen, 0 75 1 00 Potatoes, per bag, 0 80 0 85 Onions, per bag, 0 75 0 80 Celery, per dozen, 0 40 0 45 Beef, hindquarters, 7 50 9 00 Do, forequarters, 5 00 6 25 Do, choice, carcass, 7 00 8 00 Do, medium, carcass, 6 00 6 50 Mutton, per cwt., 9 00 10 00

British Cattle Markets. London Cable.—Cattle are quoted at 10 3-4c to 11 3-4c per lb; refrigerator beef, 8 3-4 to 9c per lb; dressed, 14 1-2c to 15 1-2c per lb; lambs, 16 1-2c, dressed weight.

Toronto Live Stock. The quality of fat cattle was fairly good, considering the large deliveries. Trade was good when numbers are considered, but prices took a drop of 10 to 20c per cwt, for butchers and exporters, and many of the drovers were complaining of having lost money. Exporters—There were several loads of shipping cattle offered, one or two loads of which were of fair to good quality. Prices ranged from \$4.75 to \$5.15, with one load at \$5.20 per cwt. The bulk of exporters sold at \$5 per cwt. Export bulls sold at \$3.50 to \$4. Butchers—Owing to heavy receipts prices declined from 10 to 20c per cwt. Choice picked lots sold from \$4.60 to \$4.80; loads of good at \$4.40 to \$4.60; medium at \$4 to \$4.30; common at \$3.75 to \$4; cows at \$3 to \$4 per cwt. Feeders and Stockers—The receipts of light stockers were not large and the market is pretty quiet of this kind. Mr. Murby bought 275 head this week at the following quotations: Best short keeps, 1,100 to 1,200 lbs., at \$4.65 to \$4.85; best feeders, 800 to 1,050 lbs., at \$4.20 to \$4.50; best feeders, 800 to 900 lbs., at \$4 to \$4.25; best stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.75; common stockers, 3c per lb. Mr. Murby shipped out 11 loads to clients this week. Milch Cows—About 15 milch cows and springs sold at \$80 to \$85 each. More good quality cows are wanted. Calves—Deliveries of calves, especially of the "bob" class, were heavy. Prices were easy at \$3 to \$6 per cwt. Prime new milk fed veals are scarce and worth about \$7 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs—The run was light, and Wesley Dunn as usual took the bulk at unchanged quotations from Tuesday; export ewes at \$4.75 to \$5.25 per cwt.; bucks, \$3.50 to \$4.00; no yearling lambs were offered, but price range from \$6.75 to \$7.25 per cwt.; spring lambs are worth from \$3 to \$8 per cwt. Hogs—Mr. Harris quotes prices steady at \$7.15 per cwt. for selects, and \$9.00 for lights and fats.

Leading Wheat Markets. May, July, Sept. New York 88 1/2 85 1/2 83 1/2 Minneapolis 76 1/2 78 1/2 76 1/2 Toledo 70 1/2 78 1/2 76 1/2 Detroit 77 1/2 75 1/2 73 1/2 Duluth 79 1/2 77 1/2 75 1/2

The Cheese Markets. Napanea, May 7.—The Cheese Board met to-day at 2 o'clock for the first time this season. At to-day's board 144 white and 721 colored boarded. Magrath bought 89 white and 33 colored at 10-3-4. Thompson bought 55 white at 10-3-4; 10-3-8 offered for balances; no sales.

Bradstreet's on Trade. Montreal.—Trade conditions here and in the surrounding country continue satisfactory in all lines. Wholesale dry goods houses report a good movement in general sorting lines, and there has been some improvement in the city retail trade during the past week. Tweeds are advancing and prints are expected to go higher. Groceries are moving fairly well, a feature is the continued firmness in all lines of canned goods. The demand for heavy metals and hardware continues brisk, and for all kinds of building materials there is a steadily increasing enquiry. Ingot tin holds strong, and antimony is higher and scarcer. The demand for iron is moderate, and prices are steady. Light arrivals of wools are coming forward and the market is steady.

Toronto.—Trade generally continues active in all lines. Favorable weather throughout the country has attended seeding, and country retail trade is showing more activity. Wholesale dry goods ranges from fair to very good. Orders from the west are heavy, and from now on large shipments will be going out. The wholesale dry goods business is brisk. A big retail trade is springing up in carpets and furnishing goods generally. Values are firm. Travellers report a bright outlook for the retail dry goods trade in the country. Sorting lines of groceries are moving well and hardware continues exceedingly active. An enormous increase in the value of building permits here and in the west generally promises continued activity along the line of builders' supplies.

London.—The satisfactory trade outlook in the country has resulted in a better trade movement here. Ottawa.—There is some improvement to report in general trade conditions here.

AN EX-MAYOR GIVES UNSTINTED PRAISE

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are the Very Best Medicine I Ever Used for Kidney Trouble."

Robert Sheppard Ex-Mayor of Gananoque, Ont., Testifies to the Merits of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Gananoque, Ont., April 30.—(Special) "I suffered off and on for over four years from kidney trouble," writes Mr. Sheppard, of this place, "and though I tried many remedies and was under a doctor a long while I got no better. I had Bright's Disease slightly, Lumbago, pains in my joints and at times all over my body. My skin was dry, harsh and burning. I could not sleep, the least exertion made me perspire fearfully and my blood was so bad I broke out in boils, all over my neck and back. I was in this state when I started taking Dodd's Kidney Pills and in an incredibly short space of time the boils disappeared. I recovered my health and now I am quite cured."

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

MRS. MARGARET JONES WOUNDED HERSELF WITH A KNIFE.

Worrying Over Difference With Another Employee at the Toronto City Dairy George Porter Shot Himself at York Mills—Both May Die.

Toronto despatch: Anxious to die, Mrs. Margaret Jones, a woman probably 50 years old, inflicted terrible injuries to herself last evening with a knife, and it is feared she cannot recover. Her husband being an inmate of the House of Industry, and living alone in her apartments at 143 Adelaide street west, she became despondent. Borrowing an ordinary kitchen knife from another inmate of the place, Mrs. Jones, she went to her room, and locking the door, she plunged it into her side. The blunt point of the knife made a fearful wound, and little hope is held out for her recovery by the doctors at the Emergency Hospital.

Deliberate plans were also laid yesterday by George Potter, a bottle washer at the City Dairy, to end his existence. Worried by a slight altercation he had with another employee, he went to York street at noon and bought a revolver. Boarding a street car he went direct to York Mills, and hiding in a bush, he fired a shot into his left breast. Apparently the wound had no immediate serious results, for he was able to walk to a farm house, where Dr. Bond saw him. County Constable Tomlinson brought him in a street car to the North Toronto crossing and from there he was conveyed in the police ambulance to the General Hospital. He was partially insensible and in a very critical condition. The bullet had not been extracted. Potts lived at 102 Strachan avenue. He is 28 years old.

GROWERS BEATEN.

CANNERS WILL PAY ONLY 25 CENTS FOR TOMATOES.

The tomato growers of a large section of the Niagara district, who had such a strenuous fight with the Cannery, Limited, which owns most of the canning factories in the Province, confess themselves defeated, and notwithstanding the starting up of several independent canning factories the general price for tomatoes this year will be twenty-five cents a bushel. This was the price up to last year, and the growers' fight was for thirty cents.

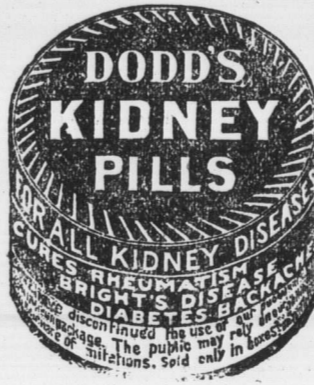
Last year many growers refused to grow any tomatoes rather than sell them at 25 cents. The majority held out against the combine, but the Jordan and Fonthill growers at last gave way and let in the thin end of the wedge.

The combine was able to get such large quantities of tomatoes from Jordan and Fonthill that they didn't care about the rest of the district, so the other growers simply had to sell at 25 cents or keep their product. This year the combine has made contracts at 25 cents around Jordan and Fonthill, and 30-cent tomatoes are things of the past. Canned tomatoes will not go up in price to the consumer this year, if the crop is up to the average.

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When you go to a drug store and ask for Scott's Emulsion you know what you want; the man knows you ought to have it. Don't be surprised, though, if you are offered something else. Wines, cordials, extracts, etc., of cod liver oil are plentiful but don't imagine you are getting cod liver oil when you take them. Every year for thirty years we've been increasing the sales of Scott's Emulsion. Why? Because it has always been better than any substitute for it.

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and he fell prone on the damp, profusely watered ground. The driver of a hansom could hardly draw up quickly enough to prevent his horse from trampling on the prostrate, which seemed unable to recover the perpendicular. Mona, by a natural impulse, bent down to assist him, and a burly policeman soon set him on his feet.

ECONOMIES Some buy inferior tea because it is cheap. Might as well buy a cheap tea because it is inferior. The same thing, but not economy either way. With Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea you have Strength, Flavor, Quality and Value—that's economy.

English Political Audiences Cherish Right to Heckle. If America is the paradise England is the purgatory of the political speaker. He is very far from being allowed in England to have things all his own way. It is an unwritten law of the country that he is liable to contradiction.

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WHAT WE EAT. Coloring Matters and Commercial Cheats. In the Delinquent's campaign for safe Foods, Mary Hinman Abel writes, in the May number, a chapter on Coloring Matters and Commercial Cheats of vital importance.

FACE MASSAGE FOR M. P.'S. New Source of Cheerfulness and Success. The attention formerly given to shaving and hair-cutting among members of Parliament has been to a great extent transferred to face-massage.

AN AID TO MOTHERS. Baby's Own Tablets is the very best medicine in the world for curing the minor ailments of babies and young children. It is the best because it never fails to cure.

Hog Fattening. "If a farmer has no more faith than some advertisers, he would become crazy at seeing good, sound corn going into a hog," observes Agricultural Advertising.

LIONS IN UGANDA The lions of East Africa appear to be watching the progress of civilization with deep interest, and nothing has done more to arouse their curiosity and wonder than the trains on the Uganda Railway.

URGENT. To Traffic Manager. A lion is on the platform. Please instruct guard and driver (engine) to stop carefully and to make no signals in the yard. Tell the guard to advise passengers not to get out here, and to be very careful himself when he comes into the office.

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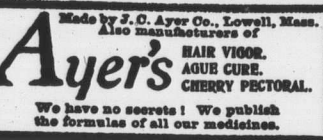
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It should convince any doubting one, that while the tablets cure headache, they do not, like the drug cures, affect the heart, nerves or stomach. No one would or could take such a number if they were not perfectly harmless. Mrs. Shurtleff herself had to discard the drug cures. Here is what she says:

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DISTRICT NEWS

GLOSSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Knapp of Plum Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Love on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Johnston and family of Frankville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Johnston.

CHARLESTON

Cedar Park hotel has opened and the guests are quite numerous.

The Vancliff party arrived on Saturday.

B. Loverin and bride are visitors here this week.

The teacher and pupils spent Arbor Day cleaning the school house and beautifying the grounds.

Mrs. William Plunket and daughter, Mrs. C. Slack, went to Leeds on Thursday to be present at the burial of Mrs. Plunket's sister, Mrs. Henry Berry who died at Gananoque in February.

WOLFORD CENTRE

No service was held here on Sunday last on account of sacramental services being held at Easton's Corners.

We are pleased to report that Miss E. Brown is improving in health under the skilful treatment of Dr. W. S. Murphy of North Augusta.

Miss Edythe Church, North Augusta; Misses Maude and Mabel Brown of Glossville; and Mr. E. Taplin, Addison, were guests of Mr. C. M. Moulton on Sunday last.

We advise the young men of this vicinity to beware when they travel abroad on Sunday evening to always look behind them when returning in case they are followed by their neighbor's dog, which is a sure give-away.

Mr. D. Lee spent Sunday with his parents near Addison.

Our school is progressing favorably under the able management of Mr. R. D. Kerr of Greenbush.

Mr. J. Turner spent Sunday at Smith's Falls.

SENSATION AT LANSDOWNE

Last December Henry Allen, a young farmer at Lansdowne, died after a few weeks' illness.

It is now said he was poisoned, his widow and William O'Connor, hired man, have been arrested on suspicion. It is alleged that the couple were in love and sought to put the husband out of the way. Since the death the widow has changed her mind and statements made by O'Connor, have led to the arrest of the pair.

The remains have been exhumed and the stomach, brains, etc. recovered and sent to Toronto for analytical review. The prisoners have long lived about Lansdowne. O'Connor is the son of a well to do farmer in Escott township. Mrs. Allen, formerly Margaret Blanche, was born in the old land but lived in Lansdowne section from childhood.

A Great Building

The new tin plate factory of Morrisburg is about completed. It is said to be the most modern plant in the world and when in operation will be the only one in the world exclusively operated by electricity. The building is 800 feet long by 160 feet wide and built almost entirely of structural steel.

The total cost of the "mill" will reach \$415,000, while the total expenditure of procuring and installing the plant necessary to carry on the work will be \$700,000. When completed the plant will have a capacity for turning out 30,000 tons a year. It is expected that when the plant is in operation 450 men will be employed.

Addison Honor Roll

V.—Walter Male.
Sr. IV.—Bernice Taplin.
Jr. IV.—Stanley Burnett, Helena Male.

III.—Gertrude Brown, Pearl Greenham.

II.—Emmett Stowel, Ruby Burnett.
Sr. I.—Leora Graham, Arthur Gray.

Sr. Intermediate—Harold Howe
Jr. I.—Lance Murphy, Clella Scott.
Aggregate attendance, 321.

Average attendance, 22.
ERIC L. JONES, Teacher.

"Milk Paint"

This recipe for "milk paint" is given in J. H. Monrad's Department of the New York Produce Review: To 10 lbs. of milk is added 2 7/8 lbs. of Portland cement, and enough Venetian red to give it a good color; of course any other color may be used as well. The milk holds the color in suspension, but the cement must be stirred well while using as otherwise it will sink to the bottom. Six hours after applying the paint is as firm as a month-old oil color, and is not affected by water. Wood has been kept well for twenty years under such treatment. The effect seems to be to petrify the wood. New milk is better than skim milk or buttermilk. Sufficient for one day's use only should be mixed at a time.

Apple Grafting

Now is the time to begin grafting the apple trees. There are many seedlings and soft-fruited trees that it would be economy to graft into hard winter fruit. Grafting is an easy trick and can easily be done by the average farmer. Any trees that have been grafted by the mice ought to be bridge grafted. A good wax is made by boiling two pounds resin, one pound beeswax, and eight ounces linseed oil or one pound tallow. Then pour it into a pail of cold water, and having greased the hands, pull and work until quite easily worked. Scions that have not budded can be taken from the trees yet and put in sand to be kept dormant.

C. P. R. Change of Time

Beginning last Sunday the regular summer train service on the Canadian Pacific Railway went into effect generally on the system. In so far as Brockville is concerned there is no change whatever in the time of arrival or departure of trains. Train 142 which leaves at 6.30 p.m. daily except Sunday will run through to Ottawa on the new bill and the same train due to arrive in Brockville at 1.00 p.m. daily except Sunday will come from Ottawa instead of from Carleton Junction as formerly. On the new bill there will be two trains each way daily between Montreal and Vancouver. Westbound connection is made with the fast Imperial Limited from Brockville at 7.15 a.m., and with the Pacific express at 6.30. This latter connection being daily except Sunday and the morning connection every day.

C. P. R. hotels will open for the reception of guests for the season of 1906 as follows: Banff Springs Hotel, May 10th; Caledonia Springs Hotel, June 10th; Lake Louise Chalet, June 15th; Algonquin Hotel at St. Andrew's-by-the-Sea, June 20th.

Morton School Report

MARCH

Sr. IV.—Anna Bell Dawson.
Jr. IV.—Bertie Taber, Hazel Wiltsie, Clark Henderson.

Sr. III.—Mabel Henderson, Anna Taber, Aldred Somerville.

Jr. III.—Amy Coon, May Timlin, Millie Stevens.

II.—Cecil Taber, Margaret McDonald, Luther Coon, (Harry Johnson, Florence Wiltsie, Gerald Somerville), equal.

Sr. P. II.—Johnnie Muchmore, Gracie Coon, (Johnnie Timlin, Tommy Timlin), equal.

Jr. P. II.—Addie Stevens, Jean Taber.

I.—Section C.—Vincent Timlin, Joe Muchmore, Maude McMaichen, Lucy McMaichen.

Section B.—Rose Tupper, Willie White.

Section A.—Mary White, Hugh Henderson.

Average attendance, 37.

APRIL

Sr. IV.—Anna Bell Dawson.
Jr. IV.—Bertie Taber, Hazel Wiltsie, Clark Henderson.

Sr. III.—Mabel Henderson, Anna Taber, Aldred Somerville.

Jr. III.—Amy Coon, May Timlin, Millie Stevens.

II. Class—Cecil Taber, Margaret McDonald, Luther Coon, (Gerald Somerville, Florence Wiltsie, Harry Johnson, equal).

Part II. Sr.—Johnnie Muchmore, Gracie Coon, (Tommy and Johnnie Timlin), equal.

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JENNIE EYRE, Teacher.

CHEESE AND CREAM

Toronto News: Cheese factories and creameries are being put in a proper sanitary condition, where this is necessary, as a result of the Government in providing for more strict supervision of them in that regard.

Reports received at the Department of Agriculture from dairy instructors show that factory owners are making special efforts to put factories and all buildings in proper condition, and are repairing them generally to that end. The May make of cheese in the early part of month will not be as large as usual, but indications are that the latter part of the month will see as large a production as ever. The prospects for a successful season were never brighter. Prices are high, very little fodder cheese is being made, and as a natural result the quality of first shipments will be above the average.

Assist Nature

You have been told to "hitch your wagon to a star"—that nature will assist you. That's all right. The stars are times, however, when you should assist nature, and the spring is one of these times.

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Every one of our United suits are made from old country Bannockburn tweeds (twisted wool), and not an inch of shoddy or cotton in a mile of the cloth.

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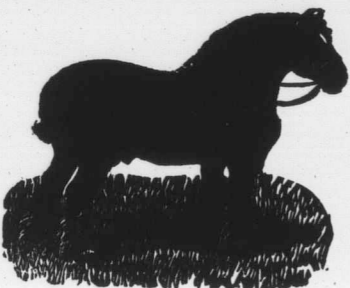
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Table with columns for No. 1, No. 8, and No. 4, listing departure and arrival times for various stations like Brookville, Lyn, Sealeys, etc.

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Keep the Balance Up.

It has been truly said that any disturbance of the even balance of health causes serious trouble. Nobody can be too careful to keep this balance up. When people begin to lose appetite, or to get tired easily, the least imprudence brings on sickness, weakness and debility. The system needs a tonic, craves it, and should not be denied it; and the best tonic of which we have any knowledge is Hood's Sarsaparilla. What this medicine has done in keeping healthy people healthy, in keeping up the even balance of health, gives it the same distinction as a preventive that it enjoys as a cure. Its early use has illustrated the wisdom of the old saying that a stitch in time saves nine. Take Hood's for appetite strength and endurance.

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VILLAGE COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the village council was held on Monday evening. Present, the reeve and all the members of the council except Mr. Taylor. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

A couple of small accounts were read and ordered paid. The question of how best to manage the town hall so as to make it a revenue-producer was discussed at some length, following the presentation of the proposition of a citizen to conduct it on a percentage basis. After carefully calculating the probabilities, the council decided that they could not afford to do business on a basis of 25 per cent of 40 per cent of the gross receipts.

Another matter that was discussed at some length was the proposal to put down a granolithic walk on the North side of Main street opposite the business houses. The cost of this will be quite heavy, owing to the elevation that is desirable, and the council will further consider the matter when presented with a petition duly signed by the necessary proportion of the property owners interested.

A Successful Pastorate

On April 22 special services were held in the Methodist church of St. Henri, Montreal, of which Rev. B. B. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Brown of Athens, is pastor. The services, which were to celebrate the liquidation of the church debt, were largely attended. The preacher of the morning service was the Rev. Dr. T. G. Williams. The Rev. Principal Shaw, D.D., of the Wesleyan College, preached in the evening. He paid a tribute to the St. Henri people for their zeal in all church matters, as evidenced by the present condition of their church. He recalled how thirty-eight years ago he had conducted a service in "The Tanneries," as St. Henri was then known. On Monday evening the Rev. Melvin Taylor, chairman of the district, and the Rev. C. T. Scott, of Douglas Church addressed the congregation, and interesting reminiscences of the history of the church were related by Mr. B. Z. Stevenson, Jas. Field and others. The

burning of the mortgage also took place

At the close of his address Mr. B. Z. Stevenson, on behalf of the congregation, presented Rev. Mr. Brown with a beautiful gold watch, accompanied by a large bouquet of roses for Mrs. Brown

B. D. B. T. OFFICERS

The annual meeting of Brookville Dairymen's Board of Trade was held on Saturday last. The Secretary-Treasurer, C. J. Gilroy, gave an excellent report of the finances for 1905, showing a balance on hand of \$67.02. The election of officers resulted as follows:— President—E. M. Bracken, Seely's Bay. 1st. Vice-President—John A. Webster, Gananogue. 2nd. Vice-President—M. K. Everts, Smith's Falls. Sec'y-Treas.—C. J. Gilroy, Glen Buell. Auditors—R. J. Jelly, James Biswell. Salesman—Geo. S. Johnston, Forfar. Mr. Webster gave notice of motion that next Saturday he would request that the regular weekly meeting day be changed to Thursday.

On and off the board over 5,000 boxes were sold, colored bringing from 10c to 10c and the greater quantity of the white bringing 10c.

Athens Statistics

In everything but population, Athens' assessment roll for 1906 shows a gain over last year. Following are the figures:

Table with columns for 1905 and 1906, listing Business Assessment, Income, Total, Population, Births, Deaths, and Dogs.

The Dutch Fete

Brookville's great spring event, the Dutch Fete, in aid of the General Hospital, will be held next week, 14 to 19, to be opened with a grand march of nations. A continuous programme each evening. Novel and attractive booths. Admission 25c; Book of tickets good for whole week. \$1.00. The cause sought to be promoted by the Fete, as well as the excellent entertainment that will be provided, should draw large audiences.

SOPERTON

It is regretted that the condition of Mrs. Johnston Frye is not improving. The services of a trained nurse have been procured.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Preston, Philipsville, spent Sunday here. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston S. Morris of Glen Morris visited at Lake Side on Sunday.

Mrs. E. Peer is visiting her sister at Gananogue. Mrs. W. T. Sheridan and daughter Lillian spent Sunday in Lyndhurst.

Mr. F. Herring has been added to the M. E. Church choir. His tenor improves the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Orr, New Dublin, spent Sunday the guests of Mrs. H. Whaley.

Mr. and Mrs. John McConkey of Brookville spent Saturday and Sunday at Maple Grove.

Mr. W. Cowan, Charleston, visited friends here on Sunday.

No license will be issued for a hotel at Morton this year.

The largest turnout of automobiles that ever visited Canada will probably pass through Addison, en route from Brookville to Smith's Falls, in June next. It will be composed of gentlemen from leading cities of New York State, who will start from Buffalo during that month.

During the last couple of weeks a government detective or inspector has made his appearance in a number of rural grocery stores in quest of information. It seems they are not allowed to sell carbolic acid, but it has been done. One or two merchants have been caught in the act and have had to pay the fine of \$20.

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THE CROPS.

What They Mean to the Country and Its People.

Early in the spring the country begins to ask, "How are the crops?" Our prosperity during the twelve months following the harvest depends in a very large measure on the answer to this question. Out of the ground comes our wealth. In these years of abundant prosperity the farmer takes from the earth each harvest season products of a value of \$4,000,000,000, and more than a third of this enormous sum represents the two great crops of the west—corn and wheat.

The question, "How are the crops?" becomes each year, therefore, as the harvest time approaches one of vital importance, and the earlier the knowledge of the size and quality of the crops the more valuable it is to the commercial community. Railway men need to know in advance the outcome of the harvest that they may prepare for the transportation of the crops to the markets. Bumper crops mean big tonnage not only of products from the farms to the consumer, but also of merchandise from the manufacturing towns to the farms, bought by the farmers with their produce. When railway men are assured of big crops they spend many millions of dollars for new locomotives and cars and rails and many millions more for the improvement of their roadbeds and the extension of their lines into new territory. The steel makers are jointly interested with the railway men in the harvest, for one-fourth of the enormous product of the steel mills of this country is purchased by the railways. When the crops fail the railways cancel their orders for rails and bridges and equipment, and steel descends from price to pauper. Then all the big manufacturers of the country, whether of wagons or plows, of shoes or clothing, must know whether their great customer, the farmer, is to have money to spend from harvest to harvest. So it is with the merchants all through the agricultural country. Even more important is early knowledge of the crop prospects to the bankers, who must not only finance the movement of the crops to market, but must also know whether the harvest is to cause expansion or contraction of capital ventures through the country. Then there are the flour millers and elevator owners, who are directly interested in the marketing of the crops. Finally there is the great body of men who speculate in the grain and fall in commodity prices and who risk many millions of dollars in backing their opinions as to the volume of the crops and the demand for them in the markets of the world.—Frank Fayant in Success Magazine.

NEW MEXICANS' PROTEST.

One advantage to the inhabitants of New Mexico from statehood when it comes with a changed name is the lifting of a cloud from the title of the New Mexicans. The Albuquerque Mining Journal protests thus: "In the whole territory of New Mexico there are at a liberal estimate not 300 Mexicans all told and mestizos practically none at all. Possibly two-fifths of our people are all of Spanish descent, but with very few exceptions they have been born under the American flag, on American soil and educated in American public schools, and to call them Mexicans is just as improper and unfair as it would be to call Theodore Roosevelt a Dutchman because his ancestors may have come from Holland. We do not ask or expect any special favors at the hands of our eastern neighbors, but we think we are entitled to fair play. Let us have a square deal."

THE RISE OF MAURICE BARRES.

Maurice Barres, recently elected to the French academy at the age of twenty-four, began his literary career with a magazine of his own, Les Taches d'Encre (Spots of Ink), chiefly notable, perhaps, for the audacity with which the young magazine advertised his wares. Even in this magazine, however, the future novelist and essayist showed signs of promise, and Jules Claretie, director of the French National theater, wrote to a friend: "I have just received a paper called Les Taches d'Encre, bearing the signature of Maurice Barres. The name means nothing to you? Then bear it in mind, for it is going to become celebrated."

HIS HAND A SUNDIAL.

Walter Nason, living in Newport, Me., has the mysterious ability of being able to tell the accurate time of day by simply looking in the palm of his hand as another would look at his watch. No one has been able to learn his method, and in fact he himself cannot explain the source of his power. Many of the people of the village who doubted his power and who looked upon it as a "fairy story" have by their own observation and experiments become convinced of its truth.—Thurs-ton (Me.) Journal.

THE FLYING MACHINE.

Santos-Dumont has constructed a flying machine with which he expects to win the Deutsch-Ardeacon \$10,000 prize for machines heavier than the air. This new machine is to be a "helicopter" or screw flyer, an apparatus which will raise, support and propel itself through the air solely by the power of horizontal and vertical propellers.

A BAD BARGAIN.

Forty years after the Bodleian library at Oxford had received a copy of the first folio Shakespeare—that is to say, in 1664—the librarian of that institution, clearing out some "superfluous books," dumped the first folio in the lot and accepted \$120 for the parcel. Now the Bodleian has a chance of buying it back again for \$15,000.

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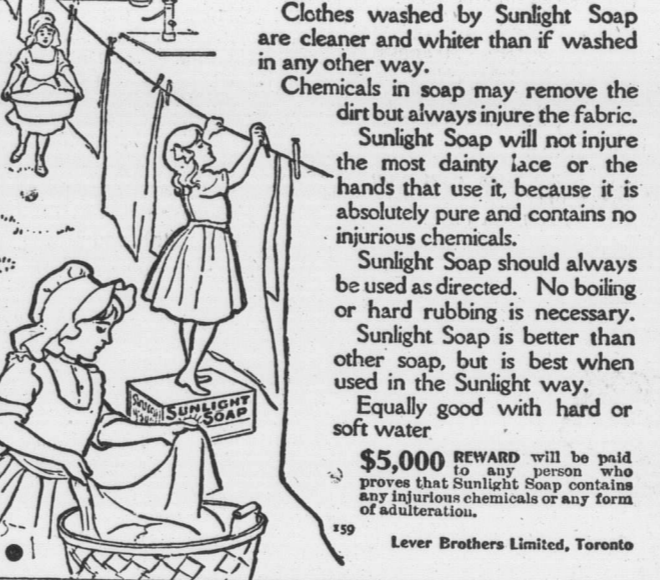
Alcohol in Medicine.

More than one newspaper in Canada has recently been pointing out to readers the danger of taking medicines which contain a big percentage of alcohol.

THE COW, A Creature of Habit, so Milk Her Regularly.

The cow is largely a creature of habit. A prominent dairymen recently said, at a dairy convention, "When you break in on a cow's habits, you disturb her whole milk-making machinery."

SUNLIGHT SOAP



Clothes washed by Sunlight Soap are cleaner and whiter than if washed in any other way.

Chemicals in soap may remove the dirt but always injure the fabric. Sunlight Soap will not injure the most delicate lace or the hands that use it, because it is absolutely pure and contains no injurious chemicals.

Teaching Political Economy. Two Irishmen were discussing pure socialism. "I'll tell you what socialism is," said one.

What the Dress Needed. Miss Angles—This new gown of mine doesn't give me the graceful figure the tailor claimed it would.

BETTER THAN SPANKING. Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble.

The Follies of the Rich. To the fact that all the fools are not dead yet, especially the rich fools, the newspapers of the day furnish abundant evidence.

Importing Sacred Cattle. The government has undertaken to superintend the introduction into this country of the sacred cattle of India for breeding purposes.

Capital Punishment. "He pleaded guilty to the charge of bigamy." "What was his sentence?"

Wireless Telegraphy in Mexico. Wireless telegraphy was put in public service on January 1, 1906, at Mazatlan and messages are now being sent and received from Guaymas and Santa Rosalia, Lower California.

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Where Will You Go This Summer? If you desire rest and recreation, why not "The River St. Lawrence Trip?"

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First Doctor—You're treating Jenks for insomnia, aren't you? Second Doctor—Yes.

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Through damp, cold and exposure many a brave soldier who left his native hearth as "fit" as could be to fight for country's honor, has been "invalided home" because of the culture of the battle ground—rheumatism.

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The Rise of a Revolutionist.

Nowhere outside of the pages of fiction would we expect such an incident as the following from the personal story of the Russian revolutionist, Narodny.

"I jerked a card from my pocket—to this day I do not know what it was—and handed it to one of the soldiers."

"Here is my card," I said rapidly. "I am a member of the Secret Police. One of these Revolutionists is trying to escape. I am after him. Quick! Give me your coat and hat!"

"He automatically obeyed. I slipped on his coat and hat and to all appearances was a soldier of the Czar. I walked past the guarded gate of the yard, out into the street. Before me were thousands of soldiers. I saw my friends being brought down from the hall and put into the black vans about which stood guards of Cossacks. I marched through my friends (all of that group are in prison to-day, save only myself and the friend that escaped with me) with the air of a soldier on a very important message, and pressed on through the mass of other soldiers that filled the street."

Where His Property Was.

Montagu Brown was full of military ardor, and he was endeavoring to enlist in the London Scottish Volunteers. Of course, he was asked if he were a Scotchman, according to Answers.

"No; not much," he replied. "Parents Scotch?" asked the staff sergeant.

"No; Bethnal Green," said Montagu. "Well, unless you have some connection with Scotland you can't join," he was told. And he pondered for a moment.

"I've got some property in Scotland," he said, at last.

"Ah, that will be all right!" said the sergeant, and he proceeded to enlist him. Before he left, however, the sergeant turned to him.

"Would you mind informing me in what part of Scotland your property is situated?" he asked.

"Oh, yes," said the recruit, "I've got a Scotch jersey in the Perth dyke works!"

Profit in Mexican Land.

Land in the arid portions of Mexico is still very cheap and can be bought in tracts of 1,000 to 1,000,000 acres.

The price is rising but not at the rate it will probably reach in the near future. Without any effort at improvement, investments made with reasonable carefulness will bring good returns by the enhancement that improved methods of communication, agriculture, etc., are bringing about.

There is a good chance to enlarge considerably the area of irrigable land in these tracts, aside from the gain in value due to improved methods, better stock and other improvements a progressive rancher can make.

The land investment offers a sure, perhaps even a larger, prospect for profit than investments in mining enterprises. Comparatively few Americans engage in the former, while nearly all who go to Mexico engage to some extent in the latter.

The American is prone to play for the highest stakes, regardless of the greater risk.

Some Needs of the Navy.

We have been "building up a navy" on the idea that ships alone are necessary. But we have neglected to provide additional sailors, gunners, engineers, and most of all, officers.

So that we have not a fully manned ship at sea and a large number of our vessels are laid up for want of crews. Every time a new vessel is launched some one of those in commission must be returned in order to furnish a crew.

Furthermore, the facilities at the command of our navy for docking large vessels are poor as to great hampers the operations of our fleet on occasions when quick repairs may be needed.

Superb Service to New York and Philadelphia.

Via Lehigh Valley R. R., through the Switzerland of America. Fast express trains. Double track. Block signals. Pullman sleeping cars from Toronto. For further particulars, address R. S. Lewis, 10 King street east, Toronto, Ont.

The Easter Bride.

Here's the old superstition which the Easter bride, who fortunately is always married in white, may take for what it is worth:

Married in gray, you will go far away. Married in black, you will wish yourself back.

Married in brown, you will live out of town. Married in red, you will wish yourself dead.

Married in pearl, you may live in a whirl. Married in green, ashamed to be seen. Married in yellow, ashamed of your fellow.

Married in blue, he will always be true. Married in pink, your spirits will sink. Married in white, you have chosen right.

TOO MANY PEOPLE DAILY WITH CATARRH.

It strikes one like a thunder-clap, develops with a rapidity that no other disease does. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder is the radical, quick, safe and pleasant cure that the disease demands.

I cured a horse of the Mange with MINARD'S LINIMENT.

CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS, Dalhousie.

I cured a horse, badly torn by a pitch fork, with MINARD'S LINIMENT. St. Peter's. C. B. EDW. LINTLIEF.

I cured a horse of a bad swelling with MINARD'S LINIMENT. Bathurst, N. B. THOS. W. PAYNE.

Cheap and Filling Food.

Now, these will be the virtues of the cereals, they are cheap, easily swallowed and of moderate nutritive value.

HOW DR. VON STAN'S PINEAPPLE TABLETS GIVE INSTANT RELIEF.

They're handy to carry—take one after eating—or whenever you feel stomach distress coming on—sufferers have proved it the only remedy known that will give instant relief.

Permanent cure—no long tedious treatment with questionable results—best for all sorts of stomach troubles. 35 cents—96

Sending Messages in Paris.

The telephone system of Paris leaves considerable to be desired and meets with constant complaint with the subscribers. One of the datter endeavored to test the speed of the various means of communication of the city, sending messages in different ways from his rooms in the Rue Richelieu.

None of Them Lost so Far. Pastor—Beware, young man, remember. "The wicked shall not live out half their days."

Rounder—Does the bible say that? Pastor—Yes. Rounder—Well, I'm all right. I've lived all my life so far.

Where Partiality is Shown. (Philadelphia North America.) Tobacco is a necessity and ice cream isn't; rules a Pittsburgh justice in passing on the Sunday laws. And yet the opponents of equal suffrage insist that women are adequately represented in the government.

Where Will You Go This Summer?

If you desire rest and recreation, why not "The River St. Lawrence Trip?"

Folders descriptive of the Thousand Islands, Quebec, Montreal, Quebec, Murray Bay, Tadoussac, the far famed Saguenay River, etc., on application to any railroad or steamboat ticket agent.

For illustrated guide, "NIAGARA TO THE SEA," send six cents in stamps to T. Post, Chaffee, Western Passenger Agent, Toronto.

Newspaper Auxiliaries.

In a lecture on objectionable publicity a Bostonian said the other night: "So far as billboard advertising is concerned, the advertiser must realize that the abuse has aroused such feeling that it no longer adds to his reputation, but is simply offensive notoriety."

This is putting it a little too strong. Repugnant as the billboard is to the aesthetic sense, like every other medium it has its value. It cannot be compared with the daily newspaper as a means of influencing purchasers.

No-body was ever persuaded to buy anything because he saw the maker's name on a poster. Billboards are useful merely as auxiliaries to newspaper arguments.

They are simply reminders serving to recall attention to what the advertiser has said in the daily press.

WONDERS OF THE SKIN

Curious and Interesting Facts About What it is and What it Does.

Did you ever consider the fascinating romance of the human skin? Next to the heart the skin is perhaps the most wonderful part of the human frame. If you were to take a small piece of skin and magnify it many thousand times you would see what is depicted in the accompanying sketch. The little holes marked "A" are the mouths of tubes or pores, and it is through these minute openings that the body ejects a great deal of its impure matter in the form of perspiration. There are about three thousand of these minute pores to every square inch of the skin surface, and the vital influence of the skin upon health may be imagined when it is pointed out that from these tiny tubes about two pounds of solid matter is extruded each day. These pores, moreover, lead to glands, as shown in the diagram, which are in contact with minute blood vessels. It is readily seen, therefore, how dangerous it is to rub into the skin ointments containing mineral coloring matters and poisons, and how equally detrimental ointments containing rancid mineral fats and oils must also be. Nobody would think of eating such ointments as these, yet to rub such ointments on to the skin is just as harmful, since they reach the blood just as surely if taken either way. Zam-Buk is a pure balsam specially compounded to meet the needs of Nature's needs. It is composed entirely of natural vegetable essences, and contains no mineral matter or any poisonous coloring matter whatever. Not only is Zam-Buk superior because of its purity, but because of its special refinement. Many ointments in common use are too coarse to penetrate the minute orifices referred to. Zam-Buk, on the contrary, is so specially refined as to be absorbed completely by the skin. Its healing qualities are thus utilized to the full. Zam-Buk has been tested by medical men, hospital nurses, and by the general public, and has been found unequalled for all diseases and injured conditions of the skin. In cases of cuts, burns, bruises, etc., its action is really wonderful. Whoever watches the healing of a wound, chronic sore or diseased surface of the skin by Zam-Buk is face to face with one of Nature's greatest wonders. The antiseptic substances



Section of human skin highly magnified.

contained in Zam-Buk first attack and kill all microbes or germs that are the cause of inflammation or disease. The healing ingredients contained in this unique balsam then proceed to build up new tissue to replace that which has been damaged or diseased. New cells appear underneath the old skin like a builder replacing an old foundation with a new and more lasting one until the whole of the wounded area is gradually overlapped. The old injured skin then falls off, and in a short time it is hard to say where the injury has been.

Wentworth Lascelles Scott, one of the leading analysts of modern times, has specially investigated Zam-Buk. From special bacteriological tests he discovered that the power which Zam-Buk has of destroying harmful germs is even greater than that of poisonous carbolic acid. Notwithstanding this excessive power to destroy harmful germs, Zam-Buk is so mild in its operation that it may be used, and is daily being used, on the delicate skin of young babies. In Zam-Buk power and healing power to destroy harmful germs which cause inflammation, festering, etc., and soothing, healing, properties are found in their fullest extent. Every sufferer from any of the following diseases or injuries will find in Zam-Buk an excellent cure. It is without doubt, the finest household balsam of modern times.

It cures cuts, burns, bruises, scalds, insect stings, pain in inflammation, diseased ankles, bad feet, ulcers, bad legs, swellings, piles, chafing, heat rashes, pimples, boils, eczema, sore breasts, sore necks, baby's sores, scalp sores, feasting sores, poisoned wounds, sprains, sciatica, neuralgia and nerve pains generally.

All druggists sell Zam-Buk at Fifty Cents per box, or it may be obtained post free upon receipt of price by the Zam-Buk Company, Colborne Street, Toronto. Six boxes will be mailed post free upon receipt of two dollars and fifty cents at the company's sent you if you cut out this article, write across it the name and date of this paper, and mail it with a one cent stamp (to pay return postage) to the Zam-Buk Company, Toronto. This offer should not be missed.

COUNT WITTE HAS RESIGNED.



GOREMYKIN NOW APPOINTED PREMIER OF RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, May 7.—The resignation of Count Witte as Premier has been accepted.

He will be succeeded by M. Goremykin, former Minister of the Interior. The official announcement of the changes in the Cabinet will be made to-morrow.

NIAGARA FALLS AND THE POWER QUESTION.

The Resolutions Agreed to by the Joint International Waterways Commission.

Safeguarding Our Waterways While Making Use of the Water Power at the Falls.

Buffalo, May 7.—(Special.)—The joint international waterways commission met here to-day and formally signed the reports agreed upon as to Niagara Falls. The following are the resolutions adopted:

- Moved by George Clinton, seconded by Mr. Wismer, and Resolved: That in the opinion of the Commission, it would be a sacrifice to destroy the scenic effect of Niagara Falls.
- While the Commission are not fully agreed as to the effect of diversions of water from more than 36,000 cubic feet per second on the Canadian side of the Niagara River and on the Niagara Peninsula, and 18,500 cubic feet per second on the American side of the Niagara River, including diversions for power purposes on the Erie Canal, cannot be diverted without injury to Niagara Falls as a whole.
- Your Commission are therefore of the opinion that such diversions exclusive of water required for domestic use or the service of locks in navigation canals, should be limited on the Canadian side to 36,000 cubic feet per second, and on the United States side to 18,500 cubic feet per second, and that treaty or legislation should be had to that end (and in addition thereto a diversion for sanitary purposes not to exceed 10,000 cubic feet per second be authorized for the Chicago drainage canal), and that a treaty or legislation be had limiting these diversions to the quantities mentioned.
- The effect of the diversion of water by the Chicago drainage canal upon the general navigation interests of the great lakes system will be considered in a separate report.
- Moved by Mr. George C. Gibbons, seconded by Louis Coste, that the following memorandum be embodied in the report of the Commission immediately following the resolution relating to the preservation of Niagara Falls: That the Canadian section, while assenting to the above resolution did so upon the understanding that in connection therewith should be expressed their view that

1. That any treaty or arrangement as to Niagara Falls preservation should be limited to the term of twenty-five years and should also establish the principles applicable to all diversions or uses of waters adjacent to the international boundary and of all streams which flow across the boundary.

The following principles are suggested:

- In all navigable waters the use for navigation purposes is of primary and paramount right. The Great Lakes system on the boundary between the United States and Canada and finding its outlet by the St. Lawrence to the sea should be maintained in its integrity.
- Permanent or complete diversions of navigable waters or their tributary streams, should only be permitted for domestic purposes and for the use of locks in navigation canals.
- Diversions can be permitted of a temporary character where the water is taken and returned again, when such diversions do not interfere in any way with the interests of navigation. In such cases each country is to have a right to

OUTSIDE AID.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT MAKES AN EXPLANATION.

An Implied Suggestion—San Francisco Would Not Refuse Generous Aid—President Speaks in Kindly Terms of the Instant Generosity of Canadian Government.

Washington, May 7.—A special message was sent to Congress to-day by President Roosevelt, in which he explained the attitude of the Government regarding the offer of contributions to the San Francisco fire and earthquake sufferers from foreign countries. The President says that where the contributions were made to the United States Government he did not feel warranted in accepting them, but where they were made to the Citizens' Relief Committee of San Francisco no official action was or could be taken in regard to them.

The message is in part as follows: "Immediately after the disaster at San Francisco many offers of assistance in the shape of contributions were tendered by foreign individuals, corporations, Governments and municipalities. The Canadian Government, with an instant generosity peculiarly pleasant as a proof of the close and friendly ties which knit us to our neighbors of the north, offered to pass a resolution appropriating \$100,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the earthquake and fire. With a generosity equally marked and equally appreciated the Republic of Mexico, our nearest neighbors to the south, voted to appropriate \$30,000, and the Republic of Guatemala voted to appropriate \$10,500 for the purpose."

The President refers to the offers of help from Japan, China and other countries, and concludes: "Appropriate expressions of gratitude to all these friends have been returned by the State Department or by myself, but it seems to me that the real depth of grateful feeling awakened in our people by all these evidences of genuine sympathy and friendship should be expressed also by formal action of the

KING AT PARIS.

DINED WITH PRESIDENT FALLIERES.

Paris, May 7.—King Edward dined at the Palace of the Elysee with President Fallieres. The President toasted the King, saying: "Your Majesty's frequent visits are a precious pledge of the cordiality of the relations between France and England. Both are happy to sincerely act together for civilization and peace."

King Edward expressed the pleasure his visits to France had afforded him, adding: "I am sure the entente cordiale will do more than anything else to safeguard peace."

BOUGHT THE POISON.

Man's Blabbing Said to Have Caused Arrests in Lansdowne Case.

Brockville, Ont., despatch: The interest in the alleged Lansdowne poisoning case is unabated. The arrest of Mrs. Allen and O'Connor was due to statements alleged to have been made by O'Connor recently. While on a spree he is said to have volunteered the information that he purchased poison for Mrs. Allen to dispose of her husband, she, in return for this, promising him a portion of Allen's life insurance. The truth of O'Connor's alleged statements is doubted in some quarters, and it is thought, if they were made, that O'Connor took this means of retaliation because of Mrs. Allen's resenting his attentions after her husband's death. She is said to have shown a decided preference for the company of a Rockport young man.

The prisoners, while in custody at Lansdowne, have practically the freedom of the village. Mrs. Allen is now showing the effects of the strain, and seems to feel her position more keenly than O'Connor, who is quite talkative.

WHO SHE WAS

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused It to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 24th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family. For some years she taught school, and became known as a woman of an alert



and investigating mind, an earnest seeker after knowledge, and above all, possessed of a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham, a builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daughter.

In those good old fashioned days it was common for mothers to make their own home medicines from roots and herbs, nature's own remedies—calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. By tradition and experience many of them gained a wonderful knowledge of the curative properties of the various roots and herbs.

Mrs. Pinkham took a great interest in the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bountifully provides in the harvest-fields and orchards vegetable foods of all kinds, so, if we but take the pains to find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure the various ills and weaknesses of the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effective medicines for her own family and friends.

Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herbs found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses peculiar to the female sex, and Lydia E. Pinkham's friends and neighbors learned that her compound relieved and cured and it became quite popular among them.

All this so far was done freely, without money and without price as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity were too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful depression, so when the Centennial year dawned it found their property swept away. Some other source of income had to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was made known to the world.

The three sons and the daughter, with

their mother, combined forces to restore the family fortune. They argued that the medicine which was so good for their woman friends and neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world.

The Pinkhams had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

In 1877, by combined efforts the family had saved enough money to commence newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of the enterprise were assured, until to-day Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and many tons of roots and herbs are used annually in its manufacture.

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but still she had provided means for continuing her work as effectively as she could have done it herself.

During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to preserve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick woman who applied to her for advice—and there were thousands—received careful study and the details, including symptoms, treatment and results were recorded for future reference, and to-day these records, together with hundreds of thousands made since, are available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collaboration of information regarding the treatment of women's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast correspondence.

To her hands naturally fell the direction of the work when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty-five years she has continued it, and nothing in the work shows when the first Lydia E. Pinkham dropped her pen, and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With woman assistants, some as capable as herself, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues this great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women benefited how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it.

Such is the history of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound: made from simple roots and herbs; the one great medicine for women's ailments, and the fitting monument to the noble woman whose name it bears.

CLEANING UP WRECK AT SAN FRANCISCO.

The City Gradually Assuming its Normal Condition and Business Being Resumed.

San Francisco, May 7.—Conditions of life are gradually becoming more normal in this city and the work of clearing up the wreck in preparation for re-building in the down town section of the city, is going on more rapidly.

Business is being resumed by retail tradesmen of every description throughout the destroyed section of the city.

The commission firms located along the water front are doing a thriving business.

Mayor Schmitz has announced that all the time restrictions as to the lighting of dwellings will be removed to-day with suggestion that candles be used until electricity can be resumed. Petroleum for lighting purposes is especially prohibited until the water supply is fully restored.

The united railroad has already operated seven lines of street cars and to-day will cover nearly all sections of the unburned district.

The work of inspecting chimneys is proceeding rapidly. The inspectors are all architects or builders and are devoting their services for the benefit of house holders. Every chimney in the city will be thoroughly inspected before any permits are issued to make fires indoors.

Many of the largest factories left unharmed are starting up work with all the rapidity possible under the circumstances. At the Union Iron Works, 2,300 men are now employed and the management expects within a fortnight to have the full complement of 4,000 at work.

No damage was done to the three new warships being built at these works for the Government, the cruisers California, and Milwaukee and the battleship South Dakota. The steamer City of Puebla which was sunk in the bay has been raised and is being repaired. Workmen are also engaged fixing the steamer Columbia, which was turned on her side.

The hulls of the new Hawaiian-American steamship company's liners were pitched about four feet to the south, but were uninjured and only need to be replaced in position.

San Francisco, May 7.—Locked in separate cells in the city prison, 100 prisoners, whose crimes range from plain drunkenness to brutal murder, knelt in prayer when the earthquake of April 18 shook the hall of justice from basement to tower top. Sin hardened men and women appealed to God to spare them. Their prayers for deliverance came only after it became apparent that the attendants could do nothing for them.

The earthquake had so lasted and warped the cell locks that not a door could be opened for nearly an hour.

"I never want to witness such sights again," said prison matron Ryan, of the Central station prison, who was on duty when the trembles came. "There was something like eighty men and 22 women in the cells the morning of the earthquake. In our department there was abandoned creatures charged with all manner of crimes, many of whom I deemed hopeless. They cried and shrieked for mercy when the shock came, and pleaded pitifully for release. Not one cell could

IS THIS TRUE?

Omaha, Neb., May 7.—According to the story told by O. K. Carr, an Omaha man who was through the San Francisco earthquake and fire, 350 wounded and injured people were chloroformed to prevent them from being burned alive when the Mechanics' Pavilion was vacated. Carr lived in Omaha for years, and is well known. He said: "I was with the Red Cross and still have my badge. We were in the Mechanics' Pavilion after the quake and when the fire came so close that we saw the building must go, all injured that it was thought could recover were first taken away. Those with mangled bodies and broken or burned limbs, begged to be shot to escape being burned alive. Three hundred and fifty in the pavilion were chloroformed by doctors and nurses and shot by soldiers. It was done, as an act of humanity."

"I was among the very last to leave the building and we did not leave a single person to be burned alive. I did not administer chloroform to anyone nor did I put anyone to death. Only the doctors and the regular nurses handled the drug and the soldiers did the shooting.

When official lists of the dead are published and show only a few hundred it is either from ignorance or willful suppression of facts. There were three hundred and fifty died in Mechanics' Pavilion alone."

UNHAPPY ROYAL WEDDING.

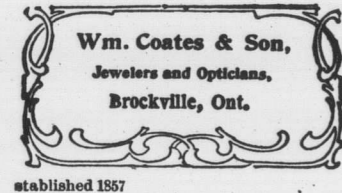
King Alfonso's Sister Married to a Drunkard.

Trieste, May 7.—A despatch from Madrid to the Piccolo states that the marriage of the Infanta Maria Theresa, sister of King Alfonso and Prince Louis Ferdinand of Bavaria, which took place Jan. 12, has proved unhappy, and the Queen Christina has drawn the attention of Prince Louis to the intemperate habits of his son. Unless his intervention should ameliorate the situation a divorce is probable.

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The Shop of Fashionable Harness We have a complete stock of all kinds at all prices. We manufacture all our own. Every detail in the manufacture is given the closest attention.

The Merchants Bank of Canada ESTABLISHED 1854 HEAD OFFICE - MONTREAL Capital paid up \$6,000,000 Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits, \$3,548,197

LOCAL ITEMS

The Choral Society concert takes place next Wednesday evening. Mrs. W. H. Merrick has returned home from her visit with friends in Toronto.

Mr. B. Loverin is this week taking his houseboat out of its winter quarters at Charleston Lake. Mr. M. C. Arnold returned home from Toronto on Friday last, looking rather pale after his recent illness.

Mr. Charles Peer of Phillipsville spent Sunday in Athens, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Scott. Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rabb and child of Portmore, P. Q., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Rabb, Main street.

Mr. Claude Gordon returned home on Wednesday evening last from Montreal from attendance at the Wesleyan Theological College, and is now progressing satisfactorily towards recovery from his illness. He was able to write on all but one subject of his examinations.

Henry Willis, township of Leeds (Seeley's Bay Post Office), is to be police magistrate for the electoral district of the county of Leeds, without salary. Through the medium of the Reporter over 800 names have been sent to the Secretary of the O'd Boys' Reunion, Brockville. The names of many absent friends of residents of this vicinity, we are sure, have not yet been sent in. There is yet time to do so.

The Railway Taxation Bill, just introduced into the Ontario Legislature, provides for the doubling of the tax on all railways over a hundred and fifty miles in length. The increase is estimated at between \$180,000 and \$190,000, which will make the railway tax in the province yield in the year close upon \$381,990.

On Wednesday evening next the members of the Athens Choral Society, who have been taking a course of instruction from Mr. A. H. Howell of Brockville, will mark the close of the term by giving a grand concert in the town hall, in which they will be assisted by Brockville talent. Proceeds in aid of stage furnishings for the hall. This worthy enterprise on the part of our local vocalists to confer a public and generous response from the villagers. The admission fee has been placed at 25c for all parts of the hall. No reserved seats.

Mr. E. D. Hunter of Riverside, Cal. in renewing his subscription to the Reporter says: "As a rule, every Tuesday I receive the paper and am always looking for home news and the current events of the classical village of Athens." Riverside is situated about 500 miles from San Francisco and only a slight tremor was felt there. Two of Riverside's physicians were in San Francisco at the time of the catastrophe, and from one of these he heard the story of the city's destruction - a calamity almost beyond comprehension. All in Southern California are very thankful for their escape.

Westport bakers have reduced the price of bread to 5c per loaf.

Born - In Athens, on Sunday, May 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson H. Wilcox, a daughter.

The assessment roll of Athens shows an increase of 100 per cent in the birth rate over 1905.

The Gansnoque Reporter thinks license commissioners give their services free to the dear public!

Next Sabbath the Baptist service will commence in Plum Hollow at 10.30 and in Athens at 7.30. Subject: "Seventh Day - First Day, which!"

The children of the Kindergarten department of the A.P.S. have been experimenting in Horticulture and are now speculating on what the harvest will be.

Mr. G. L. Compo is one of those from this section who passed safely through the horrors of the San Francisco earthquake. He is now located at Vallejo, Cal.

The Sunday service in St. Paul's church (Presbyterian) will be held in the morning at the hour of half past ten. The morning service is held the second Sunday of every month.

In the Baptist church last Sabbath evening Mrs. Treisdier of Ottawa sang sweetly the solo part of "Surrender all," and the Sabbath previous she rendered in good voice "Sweet Peace."

The members of the A. H. S. junior baseball team have been developing nerve as well as muscle and skill in their practices, and now would like to hear from any similar team desirous of arranging a match.

May is moving month. Mrs. Cowan has moved to Mr. E. Livingston's house on Elgin street. The premises she vacates over Karley's store will be occupied by John Poland, and his residence on Pearl street has been leased by Mr. S. S. Nevens of the B. W. & N. W.

In the town hall, Athens, on Tuesday evening, May 15, there will be a display of Moving Pictures and a Stereoscopic Exhibition by lime light, selections on the phonograph, etc. Two hours of refined amusement for young and old. Tickets, 25c; children 15c.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church who last week announced the coming of the Greene Bioscope Co., wish the public to understand that they are in no way connected with the show which is to be given by Mr. Stubbs on the 15th inst. in our new town hall.

Under interdenominational auspices, the Rev. E. S. Taylor, the Western Evangelist, termed by Western papers "The Dakota Cyclone," will hold a series of revival services in Athens from May 17 to 27. The announcement states that hundreds have been converted and baptized by the Holy Ghost in his great tabernacle and camp meetings in sixteen States of the Union. Everybody welcome.

The fees received by Division Court clerks in these counties for 1905 are officially reported as follows: Brockville, \$670; Prescott, \$233; Gananoque, \$403; Kemptonville, \$298; Merricksville, \$181; Delta, \$330; Toledo, \$86; Newboro, \$259; Athens, \$72; Spencerville, \$31; North Augusta, \$60; Mallorytown, \$42.

Ascog Chief, a well-bred draught horse comes to Athens every Wednesday evening in charge of Mr. Henry Joynt of Smith's Falls. It is greatly admired by many breeders in this section, who view with favor the introduction of a heavier class of horses than have been bred in this section for some years.

Henry Stevens of Smith's Falls, who was recently arrested on a charge of criminally assaulting a girl named Jennie Berry of Sweets' Corners, was given a hearing before L. N. Phelps, J. P., of Delta, who committed him for trial to the General Sessions of the Peace, which will be held next month in Brockville. Stevens was admitted to bail in the sum of \$4,000 himself in \$2,000 and two sureties of \$1,000 each given by J. H. Polk, and James Shanks, Smith's Falls. The prisoner is over 70 years of age.

To some so called degenerate sportsmen, there is beauty in a bullhead, sweet music in its bark, and a joy forever in its table qualities when nicely crisped and browned. We plead guilty to having a strong weakness for pouts. The season at Charleston Lake is now on. They have come to the shallows from their winter seclusion in the depths, full of fight and hungry as bears. On Monday evening Messrs. S. Macphard and Ross DeWolfe hooked and landed 455, and several other large catches have been made.

Mr. E. D. Hunter of Riverside, Cal. in renewing his subscription to the Reporter says: "As a rule, every Tuesday I receive the paper and am always looking for home news and the current events of the classical village of Athens." Riverside is situated about 500 miles from San Francisco and only a slight tremor was felt there. Two of Riverside's physicians were in San Francisco at the time of the catastrophe, and from one of these he heard the story of the city's destruction - a calamity almost beyond comprehension. All in Southern California are very thankful for their escape.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the matter of the Estate of Catherine Kilborn late of the Village of Athens in the County of Leeds, Widow, deceased: NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to "The Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, Section 38, and amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of the said Catherine Kilborn who died on or about the eighth day of April, 1906, on or before the twenty-fifth day of May, 1906, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned Solicitor for Samuel Sheldon, Executor of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

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