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THE LOCAL BUDGET. John P. Hughson, Merlin, who was hurt last Saturday, is much better.

GOOD WORK The Kent Children's Aid Society Held Their Monthly Meeting—Receive Reports

THE FAST TRAINS To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours quicker to San Francisco than any other line.

GRAND FALL EXCURSION TO NEW YORK. On October 18th the West Shore Railroad will run a cheap excursion to New York from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo for \$9.00 round trip.

MURDER CASE IN KENT Crown Has Identified Man Wanted For 17 Years For Killing Miss

Has Returned to Neighborhood—Sentence of Death on Accomplice Was Commuted

After 17 long years of untiring watchfulness, it is probable that Sandy McDuff, alleged to have murdered the old miser, Wilson Holton, on the night of July 1, 1888, will be captured and brought to justice within a few days.

On the night of the murder, Wilson Holton, an old bachelor of 70 years, reputed to have hoarded a considerable sum of money, was attacked in his log cabin in Tilbury, where he lived alone, by two masked men, who clubbed him and then shot him.

Quick and McMahon came up for trial before Mr. Justice Rose in September, 1889, the late Mr. Justice Lount appearing for the Crown and the late E. B. Osler defending Quick.

The jury, however, disregarding the directions of the judge's charge, and utterly contrary to the public opinion on the evidence, found McMahon guilty of complicity with McDuff in the murder and acquitted Quick.

MEMAHON SENTENCED. Quick and McMahon came up for trial before Mr. Justice Rose in September, 1889, the late Mr. Justice Lount appearing for the Crown and the late E. B. Osler defending Quick.

APPEARS AGAIN ON SCENE. No trace was ever found of McDuff, although a big reward was offered for his apprehension. About a year or so ago, however, a man settled in Dover Township, and within the past three months the suspicions of the Crown have been active as to his identity.

We all make too much of our difficulties. Temperance is reason's girdle and passion's bride.

THE NEW SHOE FOR WOMEN SEE HERE LADIES!

TRY IT! \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00 EMPRESS SHOES

TURRILL THE SHOE MAN... Come Harbor Records Broken. Port William, Oct. 12.—Two harbor records were broken at the local docks yesterday.

Cattle Treated Cruelly. Philadelphia, Oct. 12.—The transportation of cattle was discussed at yesterday's meeting of the American Humane Association, in annual session here.

Canadian Apples. London, Oct. 12.—Nova Scotia apples are now arriving in quantities. The quality is somewhat below average, being spotty, especially Gravenstein.

Dies at 106. Winnipeg, Oct. 12.—Angelle Laliberte died at St. Norbert, a parish near this city this week, aged 106 years.

C. M. A. Enter Protest. Montreal, Oct. 12.—A deputation representing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association met Hon. J. C. McCorckill, the Provincial Treasurer, yesterday afternoon in the Government offices to petition for the taking off of the Provincial Government's tax on commercial travelers.

Sleep Walker Drowned. Tilsonburg, Oct. 12.—Miss Lenore Merrit, only daughter of Alvin Merrit of this town, during a fit of nightmare, fell into Tilson's race, which flows in the yard, and was drowned early yesterday morning.

52 Bushels to the Acre. Gladstone, Man., Oct. 12.—Phenomenal yields of wheat reported near here; one field on the farm of Mr. Lobb going 52 bushels per acre, and another 48 bushels; sample is good also.

Aged Woman Burned to Death. Watertown, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Mrs M. J. Milen, aged 67, of Pierpont Manor, was burned to death Tuesday night. She was found in the yard with her clothes afire.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. WANTED—Bandmaster for 24th Kent Regimental Band. Applicants will please state qualifications and salary.

DESIRABLE APARTMENTS TO RENT—A flat containing seven connected rooms, with modern conveniences, including bath room. Apply to the Chatham Loan and Savings Company.

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THE MARKETS. Liverpool Wheat Closes Unchanged, Chicago Higher—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Liverpool, Oct. 11.—Wheat, spot quiet; No. 2 western winter, 6s 5/8; 154 sheep steady; Dec, 6s 10 1/2; March, 6s 9 1/2.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET. East Buffalo, Oct. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 210; offerings, common, dull, prices, unchanged.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK. New York, Oct. 11.—Beef—Receipts, 2201; steers, active and generally 10c to 15c higher.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Chicago, Oct. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; market steady; steers, \$3.45 to \$6.15; stockers and feeders, \$2.25 to \$3.90.

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Facts of Interest About Our FALL JACKETS The popularity of Covert Jackets is the talk of every smart dresser, and Tweed effects crowd them closely for first place.

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District Doings

QUINN. Miss Ethel Pettit is very ill with typhoid fever. L. Kelly, of Regina, N. W. T., is visiting his parents here.

Northwood people are putting in a telephone system of their own. The Parish Council has had the road gravelled through the village.

SOME SEASONABLE ADVICE. It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

MIDDLE ROAD. The farmers are having fine weather for putting in fall wheat.

NORTHWOOD. The Northwood baseball team were disappointed last Saturday afternoon. They expected Darrell team to play a friendly game, but they failed to show up.

TALES OUT OF SCHOOL.

More Merry Mistakes Recorded by Henry J. Barker, M. A. It is a remarkable fact that children rarely or never make use of proverbs or "sayings" in their ordinary talk or conversation.

After a certain lad had correctly informed me that one of the most important coalfields of England was that of Northumberland and Durham, I asked the question: "When you hear people say as regards a certain action that 'it is like carrying coals to Newcastle' what do they mean?"

The Church's Feminine. The masculine and feminine genders of nouns and pronouns often prove a great difficulty with children. A certain inspector, after eliciting from a class of London boys that the feminine of "Jew" was "Jewess"; of "bachelor," "maid"; of "master," "mistress," etc., proceeded to give them some rather harder questions.

"What is the feminine of inspector?" he asked, pointing at a little ragged urchin behind him. "There ain't none," said the lad, thinking, possibly, that the inspector, was laying a trap for him.

"Why," answered the urchin, "a washerwoman, of course!" Another inspector informs me that in dealing with the genders of nouns, he asked (playfully laying a little trap for the boys): "Has the word 'church' a feminine?"

MADE BAD BARGAIN.

Queen Victoria and King Edward Lose on Hereditary Revenues. When Queen Victoria agreed to place the hereditary revenues of the Crown at the disposal of the nation Pier Majesty made a bad bargain for the royal family.

Among the properties thus assigned were considerable portions of the West End, including much of Pall Mall and St. James. Rents have risen greatly there in recent years, and as leases fall in the Commissioners of Woods and Forests will naturally raise their demands.

Making a Great Speech.

A lawyer, whose eloquence was of the spread-eagle sort, was addressing the jury at great length, and his legal opponent, growing weary, went outside to rest.

The Robber Robbed.

"I remember a long time ago," said a burglar, "going late one night into a room in which there was one man sleeping. His clothes were on a chair near the head of the bed. I was bending over these clothes and about to take them out to the hall when the man suddenly woke up. Without a moment's hesitation he threw his arms around me. I was young then and strong as I was. I think he could have crushed me to a jelly if he had wanted."

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THE GRAVE OF ELIA.

Hutton's Effort to Find the Tomb of Charles Lamb. Hutton's "Literary Landmarks of London" was largely a labor of love and was the result of years of hard work. Mr. Hutton gives this example of the difficulties that stood in his way: "Another Sunday afternoon I devoted to a pious pilgrimage to the grave of Charles Lamb at Edmonton. As usual, nobody at Edmonton knew anything. The churchyard is not a small one, and it is entirely filled. The sexton and the gravedigger and a few persons wandering about could give me no information. Most of them had never heard of Mr. Lamb, and I could not find the sacred spot. Naturally I applied to the rector, and as he left the vestry door after service leaning on the arm of a pretty young woman I approached him, raised my hat and asked politely if he could tell me where Charles and Mary Lamb were resting. Really he could not say! And I, forgetting the day, the place and his sacred office, cursed that rector for his criminal ignorance.

"Great heavens," I said, "you ought to be ashamed of yourself! In your care have been placed the ashes of one of the foremost men in the whole history of English letters. And you don't know where they are! They have made your churchyard and your parish distinguished all the world over. I have come 3,000 miles to visit Charles Lamb's grave, and you, the rector of the church, don't know where it is! You ought to be heartily ashamed of yourself. And I turned upon my heel and left him standing there speechless and confounded."

Half an hour after the above incident occurred and while Hutton was groping around the graveyard in the twilight the rector came to him, hat in hand, apologized most humbly for his ignorance, which he had corrected in the meantime, and conducted him to the grave of the immortal Elia.

A VOCABULARY TEST.

Some Words Strange to You That Are in the Dictionary.

The number of obsolete words that are to be found in Webster's Dictionary is considerably larger than people have any idea of. The following letter, written by an alleged poet to an editor who had treated his poetry with derision, furnishes some idea of them:

"Sir—You have behaved like an impetuous scrooge! Like those who, envious of any moral excellence, carry their unglory to the height of creating symphonically the fecund words which my pollymatic genius uses with liberty to abligate the tongues of the weel-less! Sir, you have crassly parodied my own pet words—as though they were trigrams. I will not conserve reproaches—I will oduce a veil over the atramental ingratitude which has chambered even my indiscribable heart. I am silent on the fecilitation which my condjvancy must have given you when I offered to become your fanor and admnicle. I will not speak of the lplptude, the obepsy, you have shown in exacerbating me, one whose genius you should have approached with mental disalcation. So I tell you, without supvacaneous words, nothing will render lgnoscible your conduct to me. I warn you that I would vellicate your nose if I thought that any moral diarthrosis thereby could be performed—if I thought I should not lmpgnorate my reputation. Go, tachygraphic scroge, band with your crass iquinate fancies: draw objections from the thought, if you can, of having synchronically lost the exlstimation of the greatest poet since Milton."

And yet all these words are to be found in the dictionary.

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Class III.—F. Cumming, G. McNaughton, C. Wilson, I. Peters, M. Wildgen, K. Vincent, M. Wilson, B. Bissell, O. Vandusen.

Class II.—W. Cumming, L. Hughson, K. Richardson, H. Wilson, J. Richardson, A. Richardson, E. Johnson, D. Solomon, M. Vandusen, F. Wildgen, M. Cumming, G. Richardson.

Class I.—E. Axford, M. Vandusen, W. Peters, E. Vandusen. Part I, Sr.—J. Forsyth, E. Wilson, V. Hughson, V. Richardson, C. Vincent, W. Bissell.

Part I, Jr.—G. Dauphin, R. Vincent, M. Forsyth, G. Cumming, J. Dauphin, S. Cumming, L. Wilson, F. Dauphin. M. E. Rowe, Teacher.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other powders, as it is both soap and disinfectant. 34

EAST BRANCH. The farmers are hustling out the grain beats this week. Several scow

loads have already passed down the Sydenham river, besides numerous wagon loads which are being conveyed to the factory. Mrs. J. Jenner, Sr., spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. S. Smith, south side of the river.

W. Pool is sparing no time this weather in hustling out the clover seed in this neighborhood. Many of the East Branch people took in the big fair in the 'Burg last week. They report a good time. Some from here attended Dresden fair on Friday.

D. Shaw has resumed his work in the beet sugar factory, Wallaceburg. Miss Ella Myers, of Shiloh, spent Sunday on the Branch.

Geo. Mickla underwent an operation in Harper's Hospital, Detroit, on Saturday, for cancer on the lip. Mrs. Teeter, Sr., who has been visiting in Marine City, was supplied taken with a paralytic stroke. She was conveyed to her home here on Sunday on the steamer "Comfort." At time of writing slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

The first step toward curing a crooked world will be to straighten your own glasses.

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