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BROCKVILLE'S GREATEST STORE

OCTOBER BLANKET SALE

A sale of blankets that you can't afford to overlook. Lay in your winter supply now. For the Children's Aid Danation Day, Blankets are especially asked for.

- Fine Wool Blankets—With dainty pink or blue border, size 60 to 80 inches, 25 pairs only; regular price \$3.50 pair. Sale price \$2.98
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- \$1.25 Trousers clearing at \$.85
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A store full of bargains in Summer Wear for Men and Boys.
\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Straws all \$1.00

COLCOCK'S

Brockville - Ontario

VILLAGE COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the village council was held on Thursday evening. All members present, excepting Councillor Arnold. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by W. H. Jacob, seconded by E. Taylor, that account of Robert Ferguson for cedar, \$12.50, be paid.—Carried.

Moved by W. H. Jacob, seconded by E. Taylor, that the petition of Levi Wilson and Minnie Ackland for an extension of the granolithic walk on Wilkes street West be received and the prayer thereof be granted.—Carried.

A By-Law was introduced, given three readings and duly passed, providing for levying the following rates for 1912:—

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| County rate | \$428.29 |
| Village rate | 688.35 |
| Sidewalk rate | 842.57 |
| Town Hall debenture | 809.46 |
| High School maintenance | 714.00 |
| Public School debenture | 190.95 |
| P. S. maintenance | 2,422.00 |

Council adjourned until Tuesday evening Oct. 8.

G. F. Donnelley, Clerk.

FARM DRAINAGE

The important matter of farm drainage is being given attention by Mr. W. H. Smith, Athens, district representative of the Ontario Agricultural College, and he has arranged for a drainage demonstration to be given on the field of Mr. W. G. Parish, adjoining the station of the B. W. & N. W. Ry at Athens, to take place on the afternoon of Friday, Oct. 18, commencing at 1.30, by Prof. J. R. Spry, B.S.A., drainage expert of the Ontario Agricultural College.

The demonstration will be practical and will include the taking of levels and the planning of a complete system of drains. Explanations will be given of the best manner of laying tile and much valuable information imparted to all interested in farm improvement.

The direct financial profit that goes to the farmer as a result of proper attention to drainage is now generally known. Samples of grain from drained and undrained land, with a comparison of the yield of each may be seen at Mr. Smith's office on Main street.

There should be a large attendance at this demonstration.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

Many in Athens and vicinity, will learn with sincere regret of the sad bereavement sustained by Mrs. Wilbert Ripley (nee Miss Kate Parish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Parish) at her home in Anacortes, Wash. The following account of the death of her two boys we take from the Anacortes Citizen of September 25:—

Saturday afternoon Harvey and "Billy" Ripley, aged respectively 12 and 8 years, sons of Mrs. Kate Ripley, were drowned in Cranberry lake as the result of the overturning of a small raft on which they were rowing across the lake in company with some other boys. The bodies were recovered a short time afterward and brought to the city.

While Cranberry lake is very shallow the spot where the boys went down was nearly ten feet deep and none of them was able to touch bottom. It was also probable that the two boys were so thoroughly frightened that they were unable to help themselves.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon from the chapel of E. E. Hangen, undertaker, interment being in Grandview cemetery. Revs. J. D. Hudson and E. M. Calvin were the officiating clergymen.

The funeral was largely attended. The pall bearers were selected from among the playmates of the two unfortunate boys. There were many beautiful floral tributes, the caskets being literally buried in flowers.

No tragedy has occurred locally in some time which has elicited greater sympathy than the misfortune which befell Mrs. Ripley in the loss of her two boys. Her husband died about a year and a half since and she has experienced many difficulties in maintaining herself and children.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Mitchell*

DEATH IN BASTARD

On October 3, at the family residence in the township of Bastard, Rachel Bowser, wife of R. M. Stevens, departed this life, in the 81st year of her age.

Mrs. Stevens had been a life long resident of the township and news of her death brought sorrow to a wide circle of friends. She was the mother of eight children, four of whom are now living, besides her husband, to mourn the loss of a loving and tender mother and affectionate wife.

LOCAL OPTION CAMPAIGNS

The Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance has definitely decided to introduce local option campaigns this year in some fifty Ontario municipalities, more than half of which are large-sized towns and cities, including Peterboro Lindsay, St. Mary's Wingham, Clinton, Essex and Parkhill.

The Province has been divided into six parts and Field Secretaries will be kept busy from now until January 1 organizing committees and arranging for the introduction of by-laws for the suppression of the liquor traffic. Some of the municipalities which will be tried this year have been unsuccessfully contested before but the outlook is regarded as most favorable for the passing of by-laws next January.

The following is a list of places where contests will be held next New Year's Day.

Arthur township, Arthur village, Aurora, Bancroft, Bastard and Burgess Bayfield, Blyth, Brock township, Brussels, Burleigh and Anstruther township, Clinton, Drummond township, Dutton, Easthope, North, Easthope, South, Elma township, Escott, Front Exeter, Fergus, Fitzroy township, Glencoe, Kincardine, King township, Lindsay, Markdale, McKillop township, Meaford, Monteagle township, Morris, Mount Forest, Newboro Nichol township, North Gower township, Oshawa, Peterboro, Port Stanley Springfield, Stephen township, St. Mary's Tiverton, Turnberry township, Walkerton, Westport, Whitby, Wingham, Oakville, Orrville, Georgetown.

THE OTTAWA SHOW

The Eastern Ontario Live Stock and Poultry Show of 1912, will be remembered as one of the records, when we recall that in the Dairy Test, two world's records were made. Two Holstein cows, Maude Dekol and Rhoda's Queen, gave 276.8 pounds of milk testing 3.6 per cent fat and 802.8 pounds of milk testing 3 per cent fat, respectively. While these phenomenal records were made by Holsteins, the Ayrshire and other dairy breeds were well represented by excellent show animals of the heavy producing type, and the record number of 70 entries was pronounced by many prominent breeders as the best show of producing dairy cattle ever brought together in the Dominion.

The capacity of the dairy stable at the last show was over taxed, but the coming show, to be held in January 1913, will see an improvement in this department by the addition of a new wing to the present Howick Hall, which at present provides insufficient accommodation for the exhibits in the various classes of stock, which are increasing beyond expectations every year.

Prize lists, entry forms and other information regarding the next show, may be obtained from the Secretary, W. D. Jackson, Carp, Ont.

Greenbush Honor Roll

Sr. IV—Donald Smith, Arnold Lovrin.
Jr. IV—Roy Gardiner, Stewart Justus.
III—Andrew Campbell, Roy Davis.
II—Ruth Nickett.
I—Kenneth Maude.
Primer—Mabel Loverin, Wilma White.

Ethel M. Kerr,
Teacher.

Glen Buell School

Sr. IV—Lucy Gilroy, Harold Moore
Jr. IV—Susie Moore, Geraldine Percival.
Jr. III—John Forth, R. J. Kirkland.
Jr. II—Willie Baxter, Harry Kirkland.
Primer—Naomi Baxter, John Gilroy.

Anna Hall,
Teacher.

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Clerical Suits a Specialty.

3 Ways to Cook ROUND STEAK

MOCK PORTERHOUSE STEAK—Put one pound of round steak through the meat-hopper, and add a level teaspoonful of salt, a dash of pepper and two table-spoonsful of water. Mix thoroughly and form into a cake the shape of a sirloin or porterhouse steak. Put an iron pan on the stove and grease it, and when hot put in the steak. Cook the steak for a moment on one side, turn it with a cake-turner and sear the other, and then push it over a moderate fire, or put it in the oven to cook slowly for fifteen minutes, turning once or twice. Transfer it to a second platter, baste it with a little butter, and send it at once to the table. This may also be served with brown, sweet pepper or tomato sauce.

STANLEY STEAK—Make chopped round steak into round cakes and broil or pan them. While they are cooking rub together two table-spoonsful of butter and two of flour, add half a pint of milk, and stir until boiling. Add a table-spoonful of dry horseradish, or two table-spoonsful of horseradish pressed from the vinegar, and half a teaspoonful of salt. Pour this mixture in the bottom of the platter, stand the steaks in it, and put half of a baked banana on each steak.

SALISBURY STEAKS—Season one pound of chopped round steak with a teaspoonful of salt and the juice of half a lemon. Mix and form into round cakes half an inch thick. Broil or cook in a dry pan for eight minutes. Transfer to a heated plate, and baste with a little butter.

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OFF TO SCHOOL.

It doesn't seem so long ago that she was sittin' on my knee, And asking me for fairy tales, or telling one of hers to me. And all the world was wondrous then, there was no plain hard facts to learn. But full of childish poetry was every little nook and turn. Then gossamer was every wing and goddess to every stream and pool. But things are O so different now, to-day she's trudging off to school. Her world is full of letters now, and words to spell and sordid sums, And she has quit the pleasant values of gingerbread and sugar plums. Her rairies all have romped away to dance with other little ones. Hard facts have driven fancies off and left her with her first big-guess; She's face to face with life's stern rule, Her baby innocence departs, to-day she's trudging off to school.

It doesn't seem a month ago since we went strolling down the street. To pansy beds where fairies lived; then any place was fairy land. Then faith turned every shade to blue, and every ray of sun to gold. And every one was here to play and on - by grandpa's or grandma's side. Then life was riotous with joy, and every lane was sweet and cool. But things are O so different now, for she is trudging off to school. No more will fairies romp for her, the fairy bed will not retain. The charm that once it had for her, the honey bees will come again. But Little Prince and Little Queen forever she will cease to call. And there will be no shadow folk to play with at the garden wall. With facts - cold facts - she's face to face, with sordid sums and stern-fixed rule, She stands upon the edge of life, and bravely trudges off to school.

FOR INGROWN TOENAILS.

(By a Physician.) Ingrown toenails are not only extremely painful but sometimes very serious. Like many other ills, if taken in time they may be easily remedied. If left to grow worse, day by day, they are sometimes the cause of surgical treatment. To cure by prevention is by far the easiest and best medical advice a physician can teach any patient, whether it be toenails or cancer. The common causes of ingrown toenails are improper footwear and an improper method of cutting the nails. If the nail is cut too short, especially at the angles, while at the same time the skin on the toe is forced over the nail, consequently by the further growth of the nail, the flesh is pushed still further over until a point is reached where inflammation is set up. The preventive measures of the trouble are: First, in cutting of the nails. The

toenail should be cut in concave form, the outer angle projecting beyond the toe. Then, if there is a tendency for the flesh to grow over the nail, the flesh should be pushed back from the nail, and fastened in position with a strip of oxide of zinc plaster. A gauze poultice should be inserted under the edge of the nail. A saturated solution of boracic acid serves as an antiseptic dressing.

WALKING STICK HANDLES.

Some of the Things That the Handles May Contain.

The ingenuity of the Frenchman has not been confined to the making of weapons out of apparently harmless canes. In fact there is quite a variety of uses which the cane is made to serve.

One of the canes is fitted with a coin box and a match box, these being contained in the head, which is provided with a carefully concealed lid. The coin box is arranged to permit of depositing and easily removing the coin by a slight pressure of the thumb, thus obviating the necessity of fishing for coins in the pocket.

Another cane handle shows a complete outfit of the game known as Petits Chevaux. When the lid is open betting can begin and the horse crossing the wire first wins the stakes. One of the latest Parisian novelties consists in a ladies' parasol handle containing a roulette wheel, which can be used for gambling at any place or moment.

These handles have become very popular. They are of fine workmanship and generally of gold or silver. One handle contains almost everything that one would be likely to need. A long sheet of paper is wound around the rod, from which pieces may be torn off for taking notes. When the lid is opened penknife, pencil, nail file, combs and looking glass are disclosed. These objects are small, but large enough for practical use. -Scientific American.

THE STREET A STAGE.

(Bruce, in Vancouver Sunset.) The streets are a stage, set sometimes to melodrama, or to a pageant; more often to a comedy. As in some Elizabethan piece, we who witness it may be both spectators and players. In Vancouver the play is never dull, the scenery is often striking in color, and the players often picturesque in interest. In larger cities the play is more spectacular, with less of human interest, perhaps, and more emphasis on the "properties." The play is always improvised, and the street sends up accompaniment to the piece that is always playing; the comedy humors it. It is difficult to render the quick-shifting movement of the street types and scenes, and he would be a clever artist who could in his book catch the essence of the eternal comedy. It is the humanness of it all that has such interest and charm. The street has movement, not mere motion; the people who use are of the street, not merely in it. In Vancouver is little squalor, little slum life, little crime, little to be seen that is unpleasant or suggestive.

LOST THE BET JUST THE SAME.

A Kansas merchant, who had just paid a fine because his vegetable display box was not six inches higher than the sidewalk, ventured the assertion that a man can't go from morning till night without breaking some Kansas law, no man how careful he is. A hotel man thought he could; and a wager was made, and the next day was set for the test. "I'll win that bet all right," said the hotel man. "I'll stay in bed all day tomorrow." And he did, until just before dark, when an inspector came along and arrested him for not having a nine-foot sheet on his bed. -Kansas City Journal.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. 8, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your child troubles you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chance are that his mother has succeeded home treatment. This cure also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

MANY CITIES SPENDING MILLIONS.

(New York Herald.) A Kansas City citizen, after passing several months travelling in the East and in the West calls upon his municipality to help up and dole. He found that everywhere in the United States and States are spending millions of dollars for improvement. He called attention to the fact that Pittsburgh, at vast expense, is cutting "a hump" out of a business street. He spoke of the \$200,000 that Pennsylvania is putting into good roads. He mentioned civic betterments that are being made in Buffalo and in Cleveland. He might have referred to New York's subways, to this State's \$100,000,000 canal and \$20,000,000 road program. This observer informed his fellow citizens that Seattle is levelling hills at tremendous cost, and is spending \$30,000,000 on her harbor, that San Francisco is rebuilding lavishly and preparing for a great exposition, that Los Angeles has invested \$20,000,000 in a water power and irrigation enterprise and that San Diego is dredging and building piers to attract the commerce that is going to pass through the canal.

UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE.

Richard Harding Davis, during his Atlantic City honeymoon, according to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, said at a luncheon: "I confess I am not pleased with the modern trend of fiction. The newest fiction is nearly, if not a hundred per cent, in the mouth. It is full of a double entendre - like the parlor maid's remark. 'A gentleman came down to breakfast one morning with bloodshot eyes. He drank eight glasses of hot water hurriedly, then he muttered hoarsely to the pretty parlor maid.' 'Tell me, Adele, did I reach home last night very much under the weather?'"

TITLED PRIVILEGE.

"There's one thing I can't understand," said Mr. Sumfux. "What is that?" "How mother and the girls can approve so heartily of my marquis son-in-law's broken English and be so terribly annoyed at my occasional mistakes in grammar."

"I didn't see him shedding any tears at her husband's funeral." "That shows how much she really loved him; dampness always aggravated his rheumatism." -Houston Post.



Why doesn't she take NA-DRU-CO Headache Waters? They stop a headache promptly, yet do not contain any of the dangerous drugs common in headache tablets. Ask your Druggist about them. 25c a box. NATIONAL DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED, 122

IN CASE OF POISONING.

(BY A PHYSICIAN.) In case of sickness from eating poisonous berries or impure food, send for a physician promptly. While he is coming give the patient an emetic at once. Such cases cannot be allowed to go for any length of time without some simple, and quick remedy if the patient is to be cured without great suffering or a long illness. A teaspoonful of ground mustard dissolved in a cupful of warm water or lukewarm water, alone, in large quantities is also effective. After vomiting has taken place, let the patient swallow the whites of several eggs or some sweet oil to help absorb the poison. Also give a simple cathartic such as castor oil, and follow with a good emetic of warm water, after the cathartic has acted. Let the patient drink plenty of water and keep him on a diet of milk and toast for twenty-four hours.

Marvelous Relief for Corns, Bunions, Sore Foot Lumps

Five years on five toes for five years. Was he lame? You bet. That man was a chump - sure he was. One quarter spent on Putnam's cases 'em in good style - lifts them out quick - without pain, and never fails. This is why Putnam's is superior to the cheap imitations that afford the dealer more profit. Use only "Putnam's" Extractor. Sold by druggists.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

The light that proved to high, the heroic for earth too hard, The passion that left the ground to lose itself in the sky. Are mine sent up to God by the lover and the bard; Enough that He heard it once; we shall hear it by-and-by.

There shall never be one lost good! What was, shall live as before; The evil is null, is nought, is silence implying sound; What was good shall be good, with, for evil, so much good more; On the earth the broken are; in the heaven, a perfect round. -R. Browning.

Maypole Soap

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SLEEPLESSNESS.

(By a Physician.) Sleeplessness is due to the presence of too much blood in the head. Instead of taking a drug to induce sleep, employ a simple remedy to equalize the circulation. If the brain has been actively engaged just before bedtime, it is wise to take a short, brisk walk in the open air to put the blood into normal action. A cold bath or rubdown is equally good for some people, while a hot bath will be found to induce sleep in others. These must be tried to see which is the better for the individual case. Lettuce and onions are both sleep promoters. The lettuce fresh at supper-time. Take the onions sliced raw, or in a syrup just before retiring. Rubbing the extremities with a rough towel is another way of equalizing the circulation and inducing sleep. If a person is troubled with wakeful sleep in the night, after having been asleep, once it is wise to get up and eat a crust of bread. This has the same effect. It starts the stomach working, and that in turn draws the blood from the head. If it is difficult to sleep when the brain is overactive, a child should not be excited just before the bedtime hour. Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

"THE WIDOW SCHEME."

(The Montreal Star.) We are not all disposed to take up the proposal of the older wailer towards the attitude of the Salvation Army to encourage the migration of widows from the Old Country to Canada. The Dominion is in need of a larger female population. Our last census shows that in Canada there are half a million more men than women in this country. In a population of only seven million this is a great disparity, especially when it is considered that the normal condition throughout the world is a preponderance of the feminine element.

SAME SOFT OF TALK.

(Alban Journal.) All the "messages from the spirit world" are about as lucid as the remarks of a person talking in his sleep.



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SMALL FRUIT CULTURE.

The failure of many who occupy land to grow an abundance of small fruits, at least for their own use, is due to a mistaken idea that it requires too much time to look after a garden. This is the view taken by Mr. W. T. Macoun, the Dominion Horticulturist, and expressed in a paper read by him last winter before the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. This paper, which constitutes a pamphlet of thirty-five pages, is an exhaustive treatise, expressed in the plainest terms, on the culture of small fruits. The fruits dealt with are the strawberry, raspberry, blackberry, gooseberry, and the several classes of currants. Besides giving full instructions for planting and cultivation, notes are given on the relative merits of varieties. This pamphlet contains an interesting table on the cost of growing, and the returns from an acre of strawberries. At a selling value of five cents per box, a net profit of eighty-four dollars is shown. A section is devoted to the preparation and application of insecticides and fungicides that are useful in fruit growing. Having the information of this paper to guide him, there is no good reason why every farmer should not have a productive fruit garden. A large edition has been printed to be sent free to all who apply to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

FOUNTAINS.

Fountains are public and private; they stand for beauty, fertility and life; they are venerable, they are holy, they call forth worship. They reach back to the everlasting hills, their tinkling music tells of God. The running water has worn a channel in the marble lip, and the devout has kissed that lip in veneration. The fountain stands for motherhood, and the family who has a blessing, may spouse is a fountain sealed as in a garden, concealed from the stare of the vulgar, sweet in privacy, delicacy and modesty. God is a fountain; God in Christ is a fountain of life. O, the cleansing, the refreshing, the restoring, and be clean, drink and drink abundantly, beloved, Elisha poured water on the hands of Elijah, why? The copper pot with a long spout was an imitation fountain. Still water was counted dead, running water was counted living.

The human race is thirsty. "Whoso dranketh of this water shall thirst again, he who drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst," says Jesus to the woman at the well. What millions have been refreshed! The hunted martyrs of the first century, the hiding ones in the catacombs, did they not drink?

Down the ages, who can mention all? Augustine with his mighty heart, pouring out a flood of affection, dominating the Christian Church for thirteen centuries. Did not John Huss drink? Was not Luther refreshed? They all drank of this water and were made abundantly beloved. Elisha poured water on the hands of Elijah, why? The copper pot with a long spout was an imitation fountain. Still water was counted dead, running water was counted living. Their benedictions return, the waters run to the sea, are gathered up into the clouds, fall as rain down, run again in perpetual motion, bringing life and healing and salvation.

"The Word dwells in us to-day with a halo of mystic vindications about it that it could not possess in the beginning. It comes to us not only as a message from God, but tremulous with the countless "Amens" it has awakened in the heroic souls who have fashioned and inspired. The promise upon which God's servants in every age have hoped receive back into themselves sublime reactions from the spiritual unction they have kindled within the elect, and come to us vocal with new significance. The experiences of the devout and the believing in all ages are strewn back into the divine message, in which such souls were helped and sanctified, and through his living voice within us we realize the doctrine of the communion of saints. It is in this high spiritual sense that the church is the interpreter and the guardian of God's Word.

When the Word is passed, the men are away, the women have joined Mary to call her blessed, only the "Amens" remain. "Of the increase of His Kingdom and Government there shall be no end." -H. T. Miller.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

THE FATE OF THE "SQUEALER." The destruction of men who betray the guilty secrets of the police is nothing new in New York City. Rosenthal followed others who were put away for offenses similar to his own. There was "Big" McAuliffe, who a few years ago committed the deadly sin of informing on the police and their system of protection to pickpockets. His friends say that McAuliffe never drank, but he was arrested one night on a charge of more effective in keeping their figure girlishly lit and slender than a half day spent at heavier and less graceful forms of exercise.

THE REPORTER.

(Toronto News.) Energy must be the leading characteristic of every good reporter. Sixteen hours a day must not frighten him. He must have common sense, mental alertness and sufficient imagination to put two and two together. If he makes the sum five, he is unreliable, and unreliability makes him impossible. Summed up, he must be a gentleman. If he knows something about everything he is all the more valuable.

Marriage generally demonstrates the difference between the parental roof and the pay rental. If you are going to combine business and pleasure, be sure you don't lose the combination.

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HELP WANTED.

WANTED-A GOOD SECOND MILLER. Address, giving particulars, to Win. Scott & Co., corner Bank and Gloucester streets, Ottawa, Ont.

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BENCH MEN, FOR HIGH CLASS cabinet work; stair work; hardwood. State experience and wages required. Knight Bros., Burke Falls, Ont.

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VINES ON CLIFF SIDES.

It is said that the steepest vineyards in the world are those upon the seacoast between Levanto and Spezie, in Italy. The vineyards of certain districts bordering on the Rhine flourish upon very steep hills, but the loftiness of these is as nothing compared with the Italian cliffs.

When one has left Levanto, a town situated on a semi-circular bay, he proceeds, through a tunnel, to what are called the villages of the Cinque Terre. Each village is separated from its fellow by lofty cliffs; and the vines cover the face of these cliffs, which are at most perpendicular. Inasmuch as the vines can be reached only by means of ladders or of ropes, one can easily imagine the difficulty of working in such a vineyard.

Other striking features to be seen in the vineyard industry are to be seen in places where the vines are trained on wire where the vines are trained by the streams that cut the rocky coast. In short, this entire region presents a most unique viticulture. Only the intense love of the Italian for the industry can account for the excessive labor and trouble given to the working of vineyards planted upon the face of sheer cliffs.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

THE WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

(Toronto Star.) The white slave traffic, if not absolutely new, has been organized very fully in recent years, and this organization should be met and fought by the police authorities. The proposal to appoint women detectives is an excellent one. These officials could not only keep watch on the criminals, but give advice to the girls, and direct them to suitable boarding houses. As Toronto is much larger than Hamilton it is likely that we have to deal with the same problem here, on a much larger scale. Thousands of young women come to this city to work in stores, factories, and restaurants. They know nothing of the city, its safe and dangerous localities. They are usually removed from the care of parents and other guardians. The prosperity of the city is founded largely upon their daily toil. It is our duty to care for them; and the expense should be regarded as a minor consideration.

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NEWS OF THE DAY IN BRIEF

Abyssinia German Minister Kills Mistress and Self.

JOHN DILLON HURT

Big Raid on Tough Resorts in Chicago.

Str William Mackenzie has decided to build a street railway in Stratford.

The Miners' Federation of the United Kingdom passed a resolution in favor of a five-day week.

Baron von Rodan, the newly appointed German Minister to Abyssinia, killed his mistress and himself.

Mr. J. Atkinson, farm work superintendent at the Pergus House of Industry, dropped dead while binding a sheaf.

S. Alex. Westover, an aged Springfield man, had both legs severed by a westbound Grand Trunk train at 6.45 last night.

A fast train struck an automobile at a street crossing in Wilkinsburg, a suburb of Pittsburgh.

Dr. John Coulson Howie, son of Rev. Dr. Howie, Moderator of the United Free Church of Scotland, died at St. Catharines, aged forty-nine.

Orville Clark, the six-year-old son of David Clark, Chatham, was instantly killed yesterday by being run over by a tank attached to a threshing machine.

An early morning fire at Kankakee, Ill., destroyed many of the business houses in the downtown district and caused a loss estimated at more than \$300,000.

As the result of injuries sustained last Saturday morning while working on a city wagon, Edward Blair, of 304 Dufferin street, Toronto, died yesterday afternoon.

John Dillon, the Irish Nationalist member of Parliament for East Mayo, was thrown from his dogcart while driving to Swinford, in that county, and was injured about the head.

The death occurred at Flint, Mich., of Mr. William H. MacLean, a well-known Canadian, and a native of Kingston, Mr. MacLean was in the Canadian Customs service for more than thirty years.

Leaving four letters, all of which indicated that he intended to take his life, W. J. Gay drank a quantity of laudanum in his room at 156 St. Patrick street, Toronto, yesterday, and died shortly afterwards.

It was definitely announced yesterday that Rev. Dr. Liwyd, Vice-Provost of Trinity College, had been appointed to the position of Canon Residentiary and Vicar of the Cathedral of All Saints at Halifax, N. S.

300 bailiffs and deputies raided over 200 Chicago resorts and arrested over 500 keepers and inmates. The prosecutor said that he will secure 1,000 more warrants, and give Chicago the most thorough cleaning in its history.

VISITS OTTAWA

Daughter of Gov. Head in Canadian Capital.

Ottawa report: There is in the capital an exceptionally interesting visitor in the person of Miss Head, daughter of Sir Edmund Head, who was Governor-General of British North America in the middle of the nineteenth century.

It was while Sir Edmund Head was Governor that the choice of Ottawa as capital was made, and tradition has it that the selection of the site now occupied by the Parliament buildings was made by Lady Head.

This was Miss Head's first visit to Ottawa, the vicarage household in her father's time having resided in Toronto, Montreal and Quebec. She is visiting family friends in Quebec, the intimacy dating back to the period when Sir Edmund Head represented the Queen in Canada.

An interesting feature of Miss Head's stay here was her visit this afternoon to the archives, where Dr. Doughty, the archivist, showed her numerous reminiscences of her father's regime. She was extremely pleased, and promised to present to the archives numerous pictures, sketches and papers bearing on the history and development of the country.

APARTMENTS FOR FAMILIES.

Montreal, Oct. 7. The Messieurs de Saint Sulpice have secured complete plans for Eugene Payette, architect, for the purpose of constructing a \$200,000 apartment house on Otes de Neiges Road, to be run on a plan that is designed to encourage the growth of large families.

In a great many apartment houses it is said that the proprietors discriminate against married people with children. In this huge building the twenty-four apartments are designed for the special purpose of accommodating large families. Bachelors will not be able to obtain an apartment there.

QUEEN'S SUMMER SCHOOL.

Kingston despatch: The Board of Queen's Theological College is considering the question of holding a Summer school next year. It is felt that a two or three weeks' course of lectures would be most profitable to students and ministers. Prof. T. R. Glover, of Cambridge, and formerly of Queen's, who is now one of the leading theological lecturers in the Old Land, may be secured to give a course of lectures, as there is a possibility that he will take a trip to Canada next year.

MISSION ANNUAL

Methodist Dominion Body Meeting in Brantford.

Brantford report: The second annual convention of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church of Canada opened in Wellington Street Church here this afternoon, and two lengthy sessions were held. Delegates to the number of 75 are here from all over the Dominion, and include many prominent laymen. The chair was occupied by Rev. Albert Carman, D. D., assisted by Rev. S. D. Chown, D. D.

The afternoon session was taken up with the presentation of the report of Treasurer H. H. Fudger, and the report of the various departments of the Home Committee.

At the evening session, N. W. Rowell, K. C., gave a lengthy address on the work done by the Continuation Committee of the World's Mission Conference at Edinburgh last year. Mr. Rowell pointed out the need of co-operation in mission work if good results are desired.

Among the other prominent delegates to the convention are Rev. Dr. Shore, Rev. Dr. Briggs, Rev. Dr. Rankin and Rev. Dr. Ryckman. The convention will last all week, and on Sunday the visiting clergy will occupy pulpits in the city churches.

DYNAMITE TRIAL

Wide Scope Allowed in Indianapolis Hearing.

Indianapolis, Oct. 7.—Not only evidence of the alleged illegal interstate shipment of dynamite and nitroglycerine, but also evidence as to what was done with the explosives, will be admitted at the trial of the 46 men accused of complicity in the "dynamite plots."

Federal Judge Albert B. Anderson so ruled today. His decision, thus opening to the prosecution the right to show a motive by going into the details of many explosions, including that which wrecked the Los Angeles Times building on Oct. 1, 1910, following the empanelling of a jury and a severe arraignment of the defendants in the opening statement by District Attorney Charles W. Miller.

Mr. Miller, opening, said the Government would prove that the defendants, all of whom are former or present officials of labor unions, entered into a conspiracy to blow up the "jobs" of employers of non-union labor.

BUFFALO MURDER

Car Burglars Took Man for Railroad Detective.

Buffalo report: Howard E. Belles, 28 years old, of Reading, Pa., was murdered by car burglars in the railroad yards at East Buffalo early today. Belles and Roland Webber, also of Reading, were on their way to board a west-bound freight train. They were passing a string of cars on a siding when a man pointing a revolver at them, ordered them to throw up their hands. They obeyed.

"We had better kill them; they will get us going away," said the man with the gun.

His companion advised him not to shoot, saying the men did not appear to be railroad detectives.

"Well take no chances," said the man with the revolver, and placing the muzzle close to Belles' breast, fired. The bullet lodged in his heart.

FOREST RESERVES

Government Plans to Set Apart New Districts.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—Following investigations which have been made by officers of the Forestry Department, it is proposed to set aside this year a number of new forest reserves. The largest is on the shores of Lesser Slave Lake, and comprises 4,788 square miles. About 350,000,000 feet of lumber is available there, and the reservation is recommended because of the unsuitability of the land for agricultural purposes and the necessity of conserving a timber supply for the future.

North of Lake la Biche, Alberta, another reserve is suggested. In Saskatchewan a reserve has been recommended at Fort la Corne, while one in Manitoba is likely to be established. It is intended to extend considerably this year the pine forest reserve north of Prince Albert, and also those in British Columbia.

ARTILLERY CAMP OVER.

Bellefleur despatch: The thirty-fourth Artillery Battery, which was organized in this city a month ago, broke camp here today after being under canvas for twelve days. This was inspection day, and Col. Benson, D. O. C., of Kingston, was the inspecting officer. The men were complimented upon their efficiency, considering the brief period of organization.

After inspection, a parade of the principal streets of the city was made.

CALIFORNIA FREEZES OUT TAFT.

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—President Taft will be without representation from California in the electoral college, and not a vote for him can be cast in the State, unless it be written in, following a decision by the State Supreme Court today under which electors pledged to him cannot appear on the November ballot as Republicans.

MARKING TIME

IN THE BALKANS

Europe Asks Roumania to Maintain Peace.

DELAY ULTIMATUM

Powers Take Action for Macedonian Reforms.

London, Oct. 7.—While the Balkan outlook materially brightened in some directions yesterday, there are some features of the late news again tending toward pessimism, and consequently it is still impossible to say that the anxiety has lessened.

There is this to the good, namely, the allies under pressure from the powers have delayed the presentation of an ultimatum, or a quasi ultimatum to the Porte, and the text of the proposed note has apparently been modified or put in milder terms. There is also a pacific influence in the reports of impending, or actual, peace between Italy and Turkey.

On the other hand, Turkey is quitting the attitude of comparative calm which she has hitherto observing, and is beginning to show aggressiveness. The Porte has notified the powers that "in view of the manifestly aggressive attitude of the Balkan States it reserves full liberty of action, convinced that the civilized world will do justice to its moderate attitude, which, however, cannot exclude it from safeguarding its dignity and security, as well as its rights."

The London Daily Telegraph's Constantinople correspondent sends a rumor that Bulgarians are massacring Moslems in cold blood at Varna, Bourgas, Aides, Kikardji, and Agbababa. Such reports whether true or untrue will certainly have a dangerous effect in Turkey.

Other despatches report battles in Serbia and Bulgaria, one stating that the losses were 400 in one battle.

DELAYED UNTIL MONDAY.

Constantinople, Oct. 7.—The War Minister, Nazim Pasha, has been appointed in supreme command of the Turkish forces.

Reliable information reached here this evening that the Balkan ultimatum demanding autonomy for Macedonia will be delivered on Monday. In view of the gravity of the crisis, the Government contemplates adding to the cabinet two or three members without portfolio.

Abdullah Pasha, commander-in-chief of the Turkish forces in Albania, has been appointed to command the northern army to operate against Bulgaria and Serbia. Ali Riza Pasha, ex-Minister of War, will command the southern army against the Greeks.

POWERS DEMAND REFORMS.

Paris, Oct. 7.—The Petit Parisien, which never touches high politics except when well informed, says, editorially, that war in the Balkans can only be avoided if a formula of reorganization which is sufficiently liberal and favorable to the Macedonians can be found, for which pressure by the Triple Entente and the Triple Alliance on the Porte is necessary. Such a concert is subordinate to an accord of Austro-Hungary and Russia. The Petit Parisien says it is in a position to state that, as the result of the conversations between Premier Poincare and M. Sazonoff, the Russian Foreign Minister, the elements of an Austro-Russian rapprochement have been found, and on Thursday evening the representatives of France to the great powers were charged to take the first steps toward common action to bring about such reorganization.

Despatches received at the Quai d'Orsay today, and information exchanged at the diplomatic conferences, which followed one another in quick succession, have created a favorable impression in French official circles. It is believed that the great powers are getting a firmer seat in the saddle, and the announcement that the Balkan States have postponed the despatch of their ultimatum to Turkey is taken as a confirmation of this view.

POWERS CALL ON ROUMANIA.

London, Oct. 7.—The Daily Mail says: "We are informed that Rumania will mobilize to-day by desire of the powers, with a view to maintaining peace by checking any move on the part of Bulgaria."

PLANS A MASSACRE.

Athens, Greece, Oct. 7.—Plans to annihilate all the Greeks now in Albania have been laid, according to reports received this morning from the Greek-Turkish frontier.

The report says a Greek notable at Filiptade has been assassinated.

The Albanian Governor of Janina has created a force of armed military police consisting of 100 outlaws. These men he has sent out ostensibly to pursue Greek rebels, but it is alleged that the real object of the expedition is to annihilate all the Greeks in the vicinity.

HOPEFUL OF PEACE.

London, Oct. 7.—A more hopeful feeling prevails to-day concerning the Balkan situation, for diplomacy, which is seeking for peace, has made some little progress toward a solution of the problem. The arrival of the news that the powers had reached a complete agreement and that the Balkan states had modified their demands was, however, simultaneous with further reports of fighting on the frontiers.

AUSTRIA WITH POWERS.

Paris, Oct. 7.—Expectation of the maintenance of peace in the Balkans were strengthened to-day by the assurance given to the French Government that Austria-Hungary was ready to join in any concerted action of the powers to prevent hostilities.

QUOTE ACT OF 1862

As Legalizing Present C.P.R. Stock Issue.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—An official statement by the Government respecting the Canadian Pacific stock issue was not forthcoming to-day, but the facts in the case are as follows:

In August last application was made to the Government by the C. P. R. for authority to issue an additional \$60,000,000 of its capital stock. This application has not yet been dealt with by the Government, while no arrangement or agreement as to price or terms or conditions of issue was reached. The company no asserts that, under the legislation affecting it, Parliament has conferred the right to issue ordinary shares of capital stock in lieu of consolidated debentures.

The legislation under which apparently the company now proposes to issue stock is contained in chapter 35 of the Act of 1892, as follows: "The company being first authorized so to do by a vote of at least two-thirds of its shareholders, present or represented at a special general meeting, may at any time issue ordinary shares of capital stock in lieu of consolidated debenture stock, and whenever it shall do so then the right to issue consolidated debenture stock shall cease."

The section makes it necessary to obtain the consent of the Government for the issue of any capital stock in addition to that issued by authority of the section above quoted.

ONLY SEVEN DEAD

Westport Train Wreck Not Bad as Feared.

Westport, Conn., Oct. 7.—The death list from the terrible wreck of the second section of the Springfield express, westbound, over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, for New York, late yesterday, numbers seven. Of the several scores of passengers who were more or less injured, only ten remain at the Norwalk Hospital, to which they were taken with others last night. All are resting comfortably this morning, and are expected to recover.

Medical Examiner Powers, who began an inquest at the undertaker's rooms to which the bodies were taken last night, officially made the statement this morning that the list numbers only seven. It had been thought there was an eighth body, that of a woman, but this was quickly disproven at the inquest.

The cause of the wreck given by the railroad officials in the statement issued from the offices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad at New Haven, is that Engineer Clark had failed to regard the standing order of the road to bring his train to a slow speed in taking a cross-over, but instead had driven his engine at terrific speed, placed at fully sixty miles an hour, over this cross-over which was to place his train on track three from track one, and the engine, instead of swinging to the main track at the points, leaped off the rails, carrying the coaches with it.

THREE BROTHERS

To Hang in Nova Scotia for One Killing.

Halifax despatch: The three Graves brothers, accused of the murder of Kenneth Lea, were to-night found guilty, and sentenced by the Chief Justice to hang on January 15th next.

In June last the three accused brothers, Alfred, Fred and Harry Graves, came along the road near Port Williams singing, swearing and half drunk. They were asked to desist by Lea as they approached his house, and stopped in front thereof. Finally Lea said that if they did not stop he would shoot.

They came on Lea's grounds, and in a fracas which followed one of the men struck him with the butt of the gun, and as he did so the gun was discharged and Lea was badly wounded, dying two days afterwards. It came out at the trial that one of the men had threatened to kill Lea. The three Graves were arrested and tried for murder. A change of venue was made from Kentville to Annapolis in order that an unbiased jury might be secured. The trial continued for three days before Justice Townsend, and to-night they were found guilty of murder.

The Chief Justice sentenced them to hang on January 15. He told the prisoners that in setting the date so far ahead it was his intention to give them time to prepare for death.

The prisoners received the sentence very calmly. Two of the brothers maintained their innocence. They broke down, however, when placed in the cells. The Graves will be taken to Kentville tomorrow.

TO AID PEASANTS

Peer's Sister Forsakes Society to Help Them.

London, Oct. 7.—As a result of an appeal for financial aid received by the Lord Mayor, it has just become known that Hon. Albinia Brodrick, sister of Lord Middleton, has cut herself off from the luxuries of society and is devoting herself to the poor peasants of a large district in Kerry, Ireland. She is now living on five shillings a week in a tiny farm cottage at Ballinacuna, and writes from there asking help for a little hospital she has begun to build in the town. The walls and roof of the building have been finished, but she is without funds to equip and open it.

She describes the peasantry as being

LOCATE BY PROXY

Ontario Government Amends Homestead Regulations.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—In response to a pressing demand from organizations in Timiskaming district, the Department of Lands, Forests and Mines have relaxed the home-tending regulations to allow a settler to have his land cleared by another than himself until he is ready to take up occupation.

The change in the regulations, as explained by Hon. W. H. Hearst yesterday, is such that a man may locate land without going into personal occupation of it. He must, however, have an agent in occupation. So far as residency is concerned the regulation is not relaxed.

But if the prospective settler puts another party on the land, double the amount of clearing required by the regulations must be done, and not less than five acres the first year. The other conditions as to buildings, etc., are allowed to remain the same.

The effect of this, the Minister pointed out, is that a settler may not wish to take his family into the bush, but would prefer to have the place cleared and the buildings ready for occupancy before he moves in himself. The change has been advocated for many years by those in the Timiskaming district, and the Associated Boards of Trade have also memorialized the Government on the subject. The change was made by the department only recently, although it has been tacitly understood for some time.

BURNING UP MONEY

But It Is for Cleanliness Sake It Is Done.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—The Department of Finance has been burning much money of late in the work of cleaning up the currency. The circulation has been rid of a very large number of old bills this year, the figures of the department showing a large increase in the number of dirty bills turned in and destroyed. During the year 1911-12 there was destroyed \$9,506,832 in one dollar bills, and \$5,638,615 in twos.

This year the cleaning process has produced much greater proportionate results. During the period from April 30 to August 31, 1911, there was destroyed \$3,479,828 in ones, and \$3,250,136 in twos. During the corresponding period this year there has been canceled and destroyed \$4,432,177 in ones, and \$3,141,101 in twos. The old bills are redeemed at the offices of the Assistant Receiver-General in Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver. They are mutilated and forwarded weekly to the Comptroller of the Currency. The bills are then examined, checked, bundled, rechecked by the audit branch, and then burned.

The burning is done in a specially constructed furnace, and is carried out under the joint supervision of the currency and audit offices. There was a big burning yesterday afternoon. The bills thus destroyed are replaced in the currency by clean, new bills, in addition to which there are issued new bills to take care of the increase in the currency, amounting now to about 25 per cent. a year.

QUEBEC TRAGEDY INQUEST.

St. Bernard, Que., despatch: No blame was imputed to anybody at the coroner's inquest held to-day on the bodies of the ten children of Alexandre Gravel, who perished when their house was destroyed by fire.

Gravel, a blacksmith, testified that he twice entered his house and attempted in vain to save his children. He had his face badly burned.

By a first marriage Gravel had three children, who are still living. He had eleven children by his second wife, one of them dying recently. Mrs. Gravel is critically ill.

The remains of the ten victims have been placed in a small coffin at the residence of their grandfather.

OTTAWA LIABLE FOR TYPHOID.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—That the city of Ottawa is liable for damages for every case of typhoid fever in the two local epidemics is the opinion given by City Solicitor McVeity in an official communication to the city clerk to-day.

In the 1911 epidemic there were 1,100 cases and 83 deaths. In the epidemic this year the case numbered 1,150, and the deaths 60. The city's bill of damages will therefore be a colossal one if the courts uphold the interpretation the city solicitor places on the law.

STOLE TO WED.

Windsor despatch: A month ago Chas. H. Doss, aged 22, of Leamington, stole \$80 from his former employer in order to marry Miss Grace Dodge, of Leamington. The wedding took place and the young couple went to Detroit to live. A week after the ceremony Doss was arrested for theft, brought back to Windsor and committed for trial.

To-day he was arraigned before Mr. Justice Britton at the Sandwich Assizes, found guilty, and sentenced to two years in Kingston.

Many a man's only idea of happiness is not to be as miserable as he was yesterday.

TAFT EXPLAINS

Reason for His Plan to Settle Panama Dispute.

London, Oct. 7.—On another message through the Times correspondent on the Panama dispute, President Taft explains that his proposal to bring the matter before the Supreme Court was preferable because an adverse decision would be less galling to Americans than an arbitral award, and Great Britain would still not lose her legal right to demand arbitration.

In an editorial the Times considers here Taft's explanation very satisfactory, as removing apprehension that an appeal to the Supreme Court was being offered as a substitute for the right of appeal to The Hague, but that it still leaves the whole matter in a confused condition.

The Times asks: "Would not the difficulty be further aggravated in the advent of the Supreme Court upholding the validity of President Taft's reading of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, and The Hague Court giving a contrary verdict?" And, therefore, still hopes that the President will agree to a direct reference to The Hague should diplomacy be unable to solve the difficulty.

FOR SUNDAY CARS

Ask for Resumption of Port Stanley Service.

London, Ont., despatch: The Cleveland & Buffalo Navigation Company to-day closed a deal with the London & Western Trusts Company, of this city, for a year's lease of the docks at Port Stanley, formerly made use of by the steamers Forest City, which was operated until this summer between Cleveland and Port Stanley.

Announcement was made that early next Spring the company will inaugurate a daily service between Cleveland and Port Stanley, and through this it is hoped that the Sunday service formerly maintained on the London & Lake Erie Road between London and Port Stanley will be restored. The local management has asked the Government-in-Council to relieve it of a certain clause in the Lord's Day Act, and numerous petitions supporting such a proposition have been circulated by patrons of the road. It is thought that the restoration of the American connection by means of the boat across Lake Erie will be materially in the accomplishment of this end.

TO SUSPEND DUTY

Canners Want to Bring Supplies From States Free.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—It is learned that representatives of the canning industry have been in Ottawa petitioning the Government to allow the canneries to buy supplies in the United States, bringing them free of duty into Canada canned, and then to be allowed to put the labels of the Canadian companies on the cans for disposal to customers.

The petitioners declare that owing to adverse weather conditions this year they will not be able to get tomatoes and possibly some other lines of vegetables in sufficient quantity in Canada to fill their orders. Consequently, they would like a temporary suspension by order in Council of the duty on canned tomatoes and other vegetables, but so guarded that the consumer will not get any reduction in the cost of living.

The repeated petitions of the canning interest who have been here seem to think that they have a good chance of obtaining their request.

MAY REACH COURTS

To Test Legality of Ulster Covenant Signing.

Belfast, Oct. 7.—The legality of the signing of the anti-Home Rule Ulster covenant last Saturday may be tested in the courts. According to the Mid-Ulster Mail, published at Cookstown, summonses are impending against two magistrates who signed the document, Messrs. Graham and Anderson. The summonses are to be issued under an Act of George III, which makes it a felony to administer or take an oath to belong to a seditious society, or to disturb the peace. The punishment prescribed varies from two years' imprisonment to seven years' penal servitude. The summonses have not yet been issued.

Magistrate Graham says he will regard it as an honor to be chosen for prosecution.

PEACE AGREED ON

Turkish Cabinet Agrees to Italian Proposals.

Constantinople, Oct. 7.—That the Turkish Cabinet voted yesterday to accept Italy's latest proposals for peace, was the announcement to-day from an authoritative source.

The preliminary agreements are to be signed upon the arrival at Ouchy of a special Turkish emissary, who left Constantinople immediately after the cabinet meeting yesterday.

PARIS CONFIRMS IT.

Paris, Oct. 7.—Confirmation of the report from Constantinople that the conclusion of peace between Turkey and Italy is imminent is contained in a semi-official note issued here to-day on authoritative advice from Italy.

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WITTY REPLIES IN PARLIAMENT AND ON STUMP.

The Reparto of the Sons of Erin Very Frequently Enlivens the Debate of the British Commons—Mixed Metaphors of Speakers Also Contribute to the General Gayety From Time to Time.

More often than not it is Irish wit which scores in the House of Commons, and many a time during an exciting debate both Conservatives and Liberals have been nonplussed by the ready reparto of M.P.'s from the Emerald Isle. There was one memorable occasion, however—and it is recalled by George W. Smalley in "Anglo-American Memories"—when Irish members were for the moment stricken dumb by the retort of a member who could not afterwards be identified. Mr. Chamberlain, while speaking on the home rule question, said something regarding the Duke of Devonshire, whereupon a Nationalist member asked, "How long is it since the Duke of Devonshire has been in Ireland?" and from across the floor came the answer, like a flash of lightning, "Not since his brother was murdered in Phoenix park."

Mr. Smalley considers this retort worthy to rank with Col. Sanderson's answer to a demand for his reasons against home rule. "There are," answered the gallant colonel, promptly, "in this House sixty-nine good and sufficient reasons against home rule, and there they sit."

Against this one might set the retort of Major O'Gorman, a genial and burly Irish member, who is said to have been the only man who could be relied on to make "Dissy's" Sphinx-like face relax into a smile! "Why are the Irish always laying bare the wrongs of their country?" querulously demanded a member in the House. "Because," thundered O'Gorman, "they want them redressed."

And apropos of the great Irish question one might recall the retort to a speaker at a public meeting in Ireland in 1881, when Parnell and other Irish leaders were arrested. "How would you retaliate?" the speaker asked a crowded audience, and, after a dramatic pause, answered his own question thus: "I'll tell you. The landlords will never get a penny of rent from you until your brave leaders are released." "Well, may they never be let out, then!" cried someone who could conceive no better prospect than that of never paying rent.

It was the irrepressible Mr. Tim Healy who provided another illustration of his witty sarcasm during a debate on the South African War, when the Boers were winning battle after battle. There was much criticism regarding the capabilities of officers and leaders, and some member put the question to Mr. Brodrick (now Viscount Midleton), then Minister for War, as to how many horses he had despatched to South Africa. He gave an answer, whereupon Mr. Tim Healy got up and put a supplementary question: "Would the honorable gentleman kindly inform the House how many asses he has sent to South Africa?"

Mention of asses reminds one of the Irish M.P. who once interrupted the oratory of an enemy of his country by ejaculating "Ass!" "The honorable member," came the lightning retort, "fatter me too much in claiming me as kinsman." And then there was the occasion when a scion of a noble house, defending his order, asked, "Is it not right that, in order to hand down to posterity the virtues of those who have been eminent for their services to the country, their descendants should enjoy the honor conferred on them as a reward for such services?" "By the same rule," chimed in the late Mr. Labouchere, "if a man is hanged for his misdeeds, all his posterity should be hanged too."

At election times the strenuousness of political strife is considerably enhanced by apt retorts from the crowd and the platform. The heckler, of course, is much in evidence. Sometimes he scores, but usually the candidate comes off best in the bandy of words. The apt retort of Mr. Winston Churchill, who, during the first election he fought, was asked by one of the crowd, who intended to ridicule Mr. Churchill's youthful appearance, "Does your mother know you're out?" To which the future Cabinet Minister retorted, "Yes, and by Thursday she will know I'm in!" has often been quoted, and it reminds one of the retort of the Hon. Neil Primrose, who, when he was putting up for the Wiltshire division of Cambridgeshire, was heckled at one meeting by a man in the crowd, who suddenly reminded him that he was supporting Lloyd George's budget, which his father, Lord Rosebery, opposed. Ultimately the candidate was asked whether this action on the part of his father did not amount to hitting below the belt. "Exactly," said Mr. Primrose; "but when one's father does hit one, it generally is below the belt."

It was during an election, when a leading member of the Irish Bar was putting up as candidate, that, during an eloquent speech upon the woes and injustices of his native land, he sought to impress his audience still further by squeezing out a few tears, which trickled over his extensive cheeks. But the sublime was turned to the ridiculous when one of the gallery remarked, "Shure, boys, there's a fine field for hydraulics." This was as discouraging as the reply made to Sir Richard Temple, who on one occasion returned post haste from his duties in India to contest a seat. In the course of a speech he remarked that he had traveled 8,000 miles and surrendered \$25,000 "for the privilege of representing this great constituency," and the audience was impressed until a remark, in a loud voice, came from the crowd, "Oh, what a fool!"

Sir William Hart Dyke once said that "Mr. Lowther had caught a big fish in his net, and went to the top of the tree for it."

A LITTLE GUNNER.

Brown Spide: Causes Consternation In a Cape Town Castle.

The smallest creature ever known to become a gunner in the world came into prominence in Cape Town, South Africa, not so long ago. At the castle situated in that place there is a large gun worked by electricity and used for giving the midday and evening time.

All the military and civilians in Cape Town were astonished to hear the gun go off one fine morning at 10.30, an hour and a half before the proper time, 12 being the usual hour for firing.

Messengers came from the general commanding officers of each regiment and battery stationed in Cape Town, and from everybody interested, but the answer was that no person had been near the gun, nor had anybody interfered with the wires, battery or source from which it was fired.

All the officials were fearfully puzzled at the extraordinary occurrence, but could give no explanation whatever. The general in command of the station became furious and said that there was mismanagement somewhere and gave orders for a strict search to be made by the officials for the guilty party.

Search was made, but nothing resulted to throw any light on the extraordinary affair, although the greatest possible pains were taken to solve the mystery.

They had practically given the search up, when suddenly the news came from the officials stating that the culprit had been caught and arrested. It seems the electric current for firing off the gun is supplied by the Royal Observatory of Cape Town, and goes there by means of an instrument known as a relay that is in the central telegraph office of the station, the distance being about 500 yards.

The action of the current going through the instrument's main moves a sort of light tongue, which is very finely set—so fine that the least little thing would affect it. This forces the current directly into what they term the time fuses, which have the power of firing the gun at the castle.

On examining the instrument one of the officials found a big brown spider inside. It appears that while having an exploring trip around the instrument the unfortunate spider must have touched this tongue sufficiently to move it, and consequently it fired off the gun. The general commanding the station sent the spider to the Cape Town Museum, where he is now to be seen with a card underneath him entitling him the "Little Gunner," and giving a full account of his adventure with the Cape Town midday time gun, which proved his last adventure, however.

Women: Guests at the Commons.

The invasion of the House of Commons by women, writes "T.P." in T.P.'s Weekly, has gone on increasing with almost every year. I remember the smile of incredulity with which I heard from the daughter of a member, in the year 1880, that there was a room in which you could venture to ask a lady to take a sandwich and a cup of tea.

When she insisted, I went in search of this room, of the existence of which I had up to that conversation been ignorant, and, sure enough, there was such a room, but what a room! It was one of those dark, almost subterranean, chambers of which the House was then full, the furniture was scanty and squalid, and it reveals the attitude of the House at that time to the cause of women that this room was given up to them and, at the same time, to the messengers and attendants of the House. The ladies, like the musicians of an older epoch, were put into the servants' hall.

An Invisible Airship Invented.

Baron Adam Roenne, a well-known airship and naval engineer, has taken out a patent in England for an invisible airship. Invisibility is to be achieved by making the outer case or envelope of chromium, a metal capable of receiving a high polish, which will be permanently maintained by means of a covering of transparent varnish. The outer cover will thus, to all intents, be converted into a mirror, and the theory is that invisibility will be achieved by reflection.

The baron claims that there will be no recurring shade shown at the bottom of the keel, as it is proposed that the latter shall taper to a point. The airship will then always take the color of the surrounding elements, and though larger than the biggest liner, will be invisible at any height above twenty-five hundred feet. Special silencing devices are proposed for the engines.

Record Apple Shipments.

Complete Canadian statistics of the season's export of apples and their points of destination, together with comparisons for each season running back to 1880-81, have been compiled. A striking feature is the record, made by Halifax, N.S. That port, in the season of 1911-12, exported almost as much as did New York, Boston and Portland combined. Never before in its history had it come anywhere near exporting such a quantity of apples, the nearest approach being made in 1909-10, when the Nova Scotia shipments reached 682,513 barrels.

An Imprisoned Tailor Strikes.

The latest Australian strike is one of the Gilbertian order. A prisoner in Fremantle prison, a tailor by trade, refused to work on the ground that it would be contrary to his principles as a trade unionist. He sent a letter to the Tailors' Union officially notifying it of his action, but that body expressed neither sympathy nor disapproval, preferring silence.

Population of England.

The census of England and Wales for 1911, the first volume of a detailed report of which is just completed, shows a total population of 36,070,492, with 1,179,276 more females than males. The density of population is 318 to the square mile. It is, of course, the most dense in London, where the population is 33,680 to the square mile.

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2. The estimated cost of the work is \$1470.41, of which \$588.16 is to be paid by the corporation. The estimated annual special rate per foot frontage is 5.24 cents. The special assessment is to be paid in twenty annual instalments.

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E. H. Coon, Secretary

Rules and Notes

- All events are open to bona fide students of Athens High School.
- A junior shall be a student who has not passed his 16th birthday. A junior may enter all events.
- Events marked "open" are open to Senior and Junior.
- Juniors competing for championship shall not count points gained in Senior events.
- No students shall hold more than two prizes unless one be a championship medal, in which case he may hold two prizes in addition to the medal.
- There shall be four championship medals—Jr. and Sr. Boys and Girls—awarded to the competitor in each class winning the highest number of points; five being allowed for first, three for second and one for third place.
- Event No. 10 open to any amateur.
- All entries must be handed in writing to the Secretary, for the morning events not later than 9 a.m. and for the afternoon 12 noon.
- Decision of the referee shall be final.

Basket Ball Teams

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| FORWARD | | Marjorie Moore Marion Covey | |
| DEFENCE | | Anna Keyes Mildred Hickey | |

Programme of Events

- FOR GIRLS**
Morning Events at High School Grounds
- Tossing Ball into Basket..... Junior
 - Tossing Ball into Basket..... Senior
 - Throwing the Baseball..... Open
 - Throwing the Basketball..... Open
 - Basket Ball Game..... Open
 - Needle Race..... Junior
 - Needle Race..... Senior
 - Egg and Spoon Race..... Open
 - Shooting Contest..... Open
- Afternoon—at Race Track
- Running Race..... Junior
 - Running Race..... Senior
 - Wheelbarrow Race..... Senior
 - Potato Race..... Junior
 - Half-mile Bicycle Race..... Open

- FOR BOYS**
Morning Events at High School Grounds
- Tennis Championship of Athens High School..... Open
 - Putting the Shot..... Open
 - Standing Broad Jump..... Open
 - High Jump..... Senior
 - Running Broad Jump..... Junior
 - Running Broad Jump..... Senior
 - Shooting Contest..... Open
- Afternoon—at Race Track
- 100 yards dash..... Junior
 - 100 yards dash..... Senior
 - Hop, Step and Jump..... Junior
 - Hop, Step and Jump..... Senior
 - Half-mile Running Race..... Open
 - Three-legged Race..... Open
 - Hurdle Race..... Junior
 - One-Mile Bicycle Race..... Open
 - Combination Foot Race—Open to H.S. students under 14 and to Public School Students..... Open
 - Boxing Contest..... Sr. and Jr.
 - Two Mile Running Race..... Open to Athens and vicinity
 - Wrestling Contest..... Sr. and Jr.

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CHARLESTON

There are a great many guests at Foster's hotel at present, who are enjoying the fall fishing.
Mrs Hanson closed her cottage on Tuesday and left for home in response to a message that her mother was very ill.

The parishoners of Trinity church, Oak Leaf, have received announcements of the marriage of their form or pastor Rev. R. B. Patterson to Miss Edith Rand, Blackthorn.

SOPERTON

Mr and Mrs Roddick of Port Hope, who have been guests of their daughter, Mrs Wm Sheridan, returned to their home on Saturday.

Mrs E. J. Sufell is on the sick list.
Mr and Mrs C. Laforty were visitors at H. Irwins' on Sunday last.
Mr and Mrs V. Philips, Philipaville were guests at H. Howard's on Sunday. Silo filling is being rushed throughout the management of H. Howard and S. Singleton.

Mr and Mrs T. Johnson Frye spent Sunday at W. Fyres', Forfar

Sudden Death

Smith's Falls News.—Mr John Swayne, of the township of Montague, died suddenly Thursday, Oct 8rd, aged 51. He had not been feeling well for a few days, but thought nothing of his ailment until the day previous when medical aid was summoned but he was beyond help and passed away Thursday. The late Mr Swayne was well known throughout the township. He leaves a wife and son. Rev. Geo. Swayne of Athens is a brother

Mr and Mrs Brock Davis of Glen Buell have returned from visiting friends in the west. They visited Calgary, Edmonton and the sulphur springs in Banff. They report a very pleasant trip and good crops, also purchasing a farm in Elkhorn, Man.

Hon. R. A. Pyne, the Minister of Education, has called upon all the school boards of the province to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the death of General Sir Isaac Brock at Queenston Heights. The defender of Upper Canada died in action on October 13th, 1812. "As the anniversary falls this year on Sunday," says the minister, "the schools might hold the celebration either on Friday afternoon, October 11th, or on Monday, October 14th, as each board deems advisable."

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| 300 acres | 6,000 |
| 170 acres | 7,000 |
| 245 acres | 7,500 |
| 200 acres | 7,250 |
| 300 acres | 7,250 |
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| GOING WEST | | No. 1 | No. 8 |
| Brockville (leave) | 9.45 a.m. | 4.15 p.m. | |
| Lyn | 10.10 | 4.30 | |
| Seeleys | *10.20 | 4.37 | |
| Fortthorn | *10.33 | 4.48 | |
| Elbe | *10.39 | 4.53 | |
| Athens | 10.53 | 5.00 | |
| Soperton | *11.13 | 5.17 | |
| Lyndhurst | *11.20 | 5.24 | |
| Delta | 11.28 | 5.30 | |
| Elgin | 11.47 | 5.44 | |
| Forfar | *11.55 | 5.50 | |
| Crosby | *12.08 | 5.55 | |
| Newboro | 12.13 | 6.05 | |
| Westport (arrive) | 12.30 p.m. | 6.15 | |

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| GOING EAST | | No. 2 | No. 4 |
| Westport (leave) | 7.00 a.m. | 3.00 p.m. | |
| Newboro | 7.10 | 3.17 | |
| Crosby | *7.20 | 3.30 | |
| Forfar | *7.25 | 3.36 | |
| Elgin | 7.31 | 3.43 | |
| Delta | 7.45 | 4.10 | |
| Lyndhurst | *7.51 | 4.20 | |
| Soperton | *7.58 | 4.29 | |
| Athens | 8.15 | 5.00 | |
| Elbe | *8.22 | 5.07 | |
| Fortthorn | *8.27 | 5.13 | |
| Seeleys | *8.38 | 5.25 | |
| Lyn | 8.45 | 5.36 | |
| Brockville (arrive) | 9.00 | 6.00 | |

*Stop on signal



LESSON II—OCTOBER 13, 1912.

Clean and Unclean.—Mark 7: 1-13.

Commentary.—I. Scribes and Pharisees criticize Jesus (vs. 1-5). 1. Then came together—Not long after the work of healing the sick in Capernaum determined opposition to Jesus manifested itself. As Jesus did not attend the Passover feast, his enemies were disappointed at not being able to apprehend him there. The Pharisees of Galilee and the Scribes and Pharisees of Jerusalem (Matt. 15: 1) joined in their criticism of Jesus and his disciples. It seems likely that those who came from Jerusalem were officially or semi-officially appointed to attempt to find cause against him. 2. saw some of his disciples eat bread—The Pharisees and Scribes, in their persistent purpose to find occasion against Jesus, had evidently been secretly watching him and his disciples, and had seen them preparing to eat with defiled, unwashed hands. Reference is not made to soiled hands, but to hands that were, according to the traditions of the elders, ceremonially unclean. The traditions spoken of required that the Jews before eating must have water poured upon their hands, and in such a way that the arms above the wrists must not become wet. found fault—Jesus and his disciples had violated no law of Moses. They had simply disregarded requirements which the Jews had imposed upon themselves. 3. Except they wash their hands off, eat not—Their argument was, that because the custom had the sanction of the Pharisees and of the Jews generally, therefore the disciples were doing wrong in not conforming to it. The Jews of later times related with intense admiration how the Rabbi Akiba, when imprisoned and furnished with only sufficient water to maintain life, preferred to die of starvation rather than eat without the proper washings.—Buxtorf, holding the tradition of the elders—The Jews had an oral law, which they pretended was handed down from Moses by verbal tradition. Extravagant were the praises lavished by the Pharisees upon these traditions. "The written is water, said they; but the interpretation, and that which is added to it is wine." "If the scribes say higher right, than the law, they are to be obeyed." Thus the foundations of morality are undermined.—Whedon. 4. the market—The market-place was the place of concourse, and hence was where trade was carried on. It would be like the modern bazaar in the East, except they wash, they eat not—They might have come in contact with something that would make them ceremonially unclean, hence the requirement to wash or bathe. The requirement to hold other ceremonies were made obligatory by the traditions, the washing of cups, etc.—The law given by Moses prescribed certain ceremonies of purification, but the traditions required almost numberless ceremonies, tables (ouches upon which persons reclined at meals, are meant. 5. why walk not they worship Me—The very prayers offered in that spirit are a mockery and an abomination to God.—Whedon. Their professed worship was not true worship. Teaching for doctrines the commandments of men—The scribes and Pharisees of Christ's time were the successors and imitators of those of whom Isaiah spoke. They had more regard for the traditions of the elders than for the word of God. 8. Laying aside—Neglecting, casting aside. The commandment of God (vs. 19) cautioning ancient Israel over and over to observe and honor the law and to teach it to their children. That law was to be held sacred, but the Jews had nullified it, and made the traditions the important element in their religion. 9. Full well—Perfectly, fittingly. In keeping with their religious policy. They contended that the tradition was the all-important thing and they thought-fully practised their belief. 10. Moses said—Jesus proceeds to present a striking illustration of the cause they were pursuing. Honor thy father and thy mother—A part of the fifth commandment. See Exod. 20: 12. Whoso curseth father or mother—He that speaketh evil of father or mother." R. V. Let him die the death. See Exod. 21: 17. These quotations show the regard in which God designed parents to be held by their children. 11. But ye say—Again the word of God is rejected and the tradition accepted. Corban—A gift or a consecrated thing. According to the traditions of the elders, anything, whether service or property, that one desired to be relieved of the duty of aiding or providing for his parents, he simply pronounced the word Corban upon his possessions, and they could not be used for the purpose of caring for those whom the commandment declares he should honor. This was a specific instance in which the law had been superseded by tradition. 12. Suffer him no more to do ought for his father or his mother—Not necessarily that they actively forbade it, but their teachings virtually permitted him to neglect his father and mother altogether. This is the comment of our Lord, not the language of the Pharisees. Schaff. 13. Of none effect—The scribes and Pharisees had accused Jesus of disregarding the traditions of men. Jesus most emphatically showed his accusers that they were guilty of open and flagrant violations of the law of God. The word was made of none effect by the very ones who ought to have guarded it most sacredly. Their wicked, selfish hearts led

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them to substitute something they liked for the law which was displeasing to them. III. The source of moral defilement (vs. 14-23). Jesus had been speaking in the hearing of the people directly to the scribes and Pharisees, whom he had apparently silenced. He then turned to the people and addressed them upon the subject of moral pollution. The parable of what defiles one, which he spoke to the people, and the explanation which he made to his disciples show conclusively that sin has its seat in the heart. The vital part of religion is not that which

by "unwashed hands" What are the traditions of the elders? From what prophet does Jesus quote? What was wrong in the religious life of the Pharisees and scribes? How did the Jews make void the fifth commandment? What does one's duty to his parent include? What is the source of one's defilement? How does the accused in this lesson become the accuser? PRACTICAL SURVEY. Topic.—Pharisaism. I. Opposed Christ's standard of piety. The charge of the Pharisees implied that Jesus and his disciples were a company of defiled sinners. They accused Jesus of installing into the minds of his disciples erroneous and dangerous principles. They were small masters in the presence of the great Master, and false teachers calling upon the Judge and Saviour of the world, to rebuke his disciples. Had those Pharisees and scribes journeyed from Jerusalem to Galilee to be taught, their zeal would have been commendable, and to go so far to oppose Christ, and to attempt to check the progress of the gospel was wicked. The interference of the Pharisees and scribes served to bring out their religious belief, which consisted mainly of external observances. It put dishonor upon the sacred scriptures and made light of the moral law. It is characteristic of a false religion to exalt the traditions of men above the commandments of God. It was the duty of those learned and religious leaders to expose the law and to enforce it, but under pretense of using that power they violated that law and dissolved its bonds. No moral duty is more clearly expressed in the Bible than that of obeying, honoring, and ministering to parents. What Isaiah said of the hypocrites of his day was applicable to the Pharisees and scribes. Their sin was an unwarranted usurpation of authority to weaken the obligation of a divine law. Corban, that is, Pharisaism substituted washing with water for purity of heart; the tradition of the elders, for the commands of God; the worship of the lips, for the worship of the heart; and withal, a subtle evasion of filial duty. Jesus rebuked those false leaders for imposing on the people commandments of their own or traditions of their fathers, as of equal obligation with the precepts of the law. Men's actions were the things they took into account and not the individual, conduct instead of character. God was not pleased nor were they profited by their devotions. As hypocrites, they performed small duties to the neglect of great ones. They paid the tithe of mint to a fraction, but robbed God of his glory by their self-righteousness. They ignored the great principles of true religion, faith, love and reverence. It is the subtle artifice of the great enemy of souls to make the word of God of none effect by substituting man's devices. Jesus had the scriptures to be the sole rule of faith, thus making them exclusive authority over the judgment and conscience.

II. Interpreted by Christ as hypocrisy. Having rebuked the Pharisees, Jesus addressed the people, and laid down a great general principle, which related to daily practice and personal duty. It was designed to rectify a great mistake into which they had been led by their elders. His discourse on this occasion was evidently intended to prepare the minds of the people for the total abolition of all ceremonial rites, and to bring the standard of piety to the being and doing what God commands. True religion, faith, love and reverence. It is the subtle artifice of the great enemy of souls to make the word of God of none effect by substituting man's devices. Jesus had the scriptures to be the sole rule of faith, thus making them exclusive authority over the judgment and conscience.

corn in the corn belt districts is that the circumference at one-third the distance from the butt should be three-fourths of the length. After selecting as many good ears as there is time for, they should be stored in a dry place and protected from excessive cold. In the North, the seed should be put in the attic near a chimney so as not to be damaged by severe freezing weather. While the corn germ is dormant, it is not dead, and is liable to injury at any time. It is the unusual conditions in climate that make the forestalls. If the corn matures properly on the stalk before frost and there is no wet spell before gathering, it is possible to select seed at this time. However, you do not know that this will be the case, and hired help may gather the corn from the stalks or it may be husked with a shredder. But if the seed is gathered from the stalk as soon as mature and carefully put away, you are certain of good seed. Seed that when planted under proper conditions will produce good, strong, healthy, vigorous plants. If only a few ears can be selected, save them carefully and plant them together next year and from this patch carefully select seed for the following year. Such selection has given us the improved varieties of corn and other crops.

IMPROVEMENT IN HORSES. Improvement in the average quality of our horses rests with the mare owners and the sooner they come to realize and appreciate the value of, and to demand the services of, good, sound, pure-bred stallions, the more certainly and rapidly will the general average of our horses be improved. It is the intensified inheritance resulting from many generations of breeding best to the best, using no outcrosses, and always with the same ideal and purpose in mind, that enables the "pure-bred" to stamp his characters upon his off-springs. The "grade" with two, three or four topcrosses lacks this intensified inheritance of characters and his diversified inheritance preclude his use as a sire. These are facts, not theories. Practical illustrations may be seen on every hand if we will simply allow ourselves to see them. As an illustration, at a recent farm sale, colts rising three, uniform in quality, ready to do considerable work the coming season, sold at an average of \$76 a head. Colts rising two, over \$400.

The sires of these colts were ordinary grade stallions whose service fees ranged from \$6 to \$9. Weanlings from the same mares but from a very excellent, pure-bred stallion standing for \$15, sold at \$101, this being \$25 per head more than rising three-year-olds brought, due entirely to the influence of a good, sound, pure-bred sire. The services of a grade or scrub stallion is expensive even if given free of charge. On the other hand, do not breed to a stallion simply because he happens to be registered. HEREDITARY UNSOUNDNESS. Beware of stallions that are hereditarily unsound, for it is just as unprofitable to raise unsound horses as it is to raise scrub horses. You may ask what is meant when certain unsoundness are designated as hereditary. It means that such unsoundness are due primarily to a weakness of the part involved and that this weakness may be in the form of one or all of the following conditions: poor conformation, poor quality of tissue, or an indeterminate quantity of tissue.

These weaknesses are physical characteristics, and as such, are transmitted to the offspring. As such an offspring develops toward maturity and is required to do the ordinary work that a horse free from these weaknesses should do without disturbances of function or structure of any part, then the evidences of these weaknesses begin to appear in the form of one or more of the various hereditary unsoundness. Hence it is not the unsoundness itself that is transmitted, but rather the cause in the form of a weakness. Seek and patronize the stallion in which there is combined soundness, good individuality and good breeding. Never accept any one of these qualities alone; all three must be combined to insure success. The good, sound, pure-bred stallion is a public benefactor; the scrub stallion is a public nuisance.—C. W. McCampbell, Kansas.

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MARKET REPORTS

TORONTO MARKETS.

FARMERS' MARKET.

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| Dressed hogs | \$12.25 | \$12.75 |
| Butter, dairy | 0.28 | 0.32 |
| Reggs, dozen | 0.32 | 0.35 |
| Chickens, lb. | 0.18 | 0.20 |
| Ducklings | 0.16 | 0.19 |
| Potatoes, bag | 0.80 | 1.00 |
| Apples, bbl. | 2.00 | 3.00 |
| Celery, dozen | 0.30 | 0.35 |
| Cabbage, dozen | 0.30 | 0.40 |
| Beef, forequarters | 8.00 | 9.00 |
| Do., hindquarters, cwt. | 12.00 | 13.00 |
| Do., choice sides, cwt. | 10.00 | 11.00 |
| Do., medium, cwt. | 8.50 | 9.25 |
| Do., common, cwt. | 7.00 | 8.00 |
| Mutton, light, cwt. | 8.00 | 9.50 |
| Veals, common, cwt. | 7.50 | 9.00 |
| Spring lambs | 10.50 | 11.50 |

SUGAR MARKET. Sugars are quoted in Toronto, in bags, per cwt., as follows: Extra granulated, St. Lawrence \$4.95 Do., Redpaths \$4.95 Do., Acadia \$4.90 Imperial, granulated \$4.80 Beaver, granulated \$4.80 No. 1, yellow \$4.35 In barrels, 5c per cwt. more; car lots, 5c less.

LIVE STOCK. Toronto dispatch: Receipts at the City Cattle Market this morning were larger than for some time past, and the rate at Union Stock Yards cattle market was all-around in all lines. Trading was moderately quiet. Receipts—City Cattle Market: Sheep, 500; calves, 800; hogs, 300; cows, 70; cattle, 1,500. Union Stock Yards—720 cattle, 65 calves, 1,625 hogs, 100 sheep.

OTHER MARKETS.

WINNIPEG MARKET. Open High. Low. Close. Wheat—85 1/2a 85 1/2b 85 85b May 80 1/2a 80 1/2b 80 80b Nov. 87 1/2a 87 1/2b 87 87b Oats—37 1/2a 37 1/2b 37 37b October 37 1/2a 37 1/2b 37 37b November 35 1/2a 35 1/2b 35 35b December 33 1/2a 33 1/2b 33 33b

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET. Minneapolis—Close—Wheat, Dec. 88 1/2c to 93 3/8c; cash, No. 1 hard, 95 5/8c; No. 1 northern, 86 5/8c to 89 1/8c; No. 2, do., 83 5/8c to 87 1/8c. Corn—No. 3, yellow, 60c to 60 1/2c. Oats—No. 3 white, 30c to 30 1/2c. Rye—No. 2, 60c to 64c. Bran—\$10 to \$10.50. Flour—First patents, \$4.40 to \$4.60; second patents, \$4.20 to \$4.50; first clears, \$3.20 to \$3.50; second clears, \$3.20 to \$2.70.

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET. Duluth—Closing—Wheat, new, No. 1 hard, 80c; No. 1 northern, 88c; No. 2, do., 86c; Oct. 87 5/8c asked; Dec., 87 3/4c to 87 7/8c; May, 92c to 93 1/8c bid.

CHEESE MARKETS. Brockville.—Business was dull on the Cheese Board to-day and the only sale registered was one of 205 colored at 13c, 2,050 colored and 1,650 white were registered and most of these sold on the street at 13c.

Kingston.—At the Cheese Board here to-day 492 boxes of white and 533 colored were boarded, and sold at 12 7/8 cents. Brockville.—At to-day's Cheese Board meeting 4,300 boxes were registered. The highest bid of 12 cents, made by J. H. Cook, bought 205 boxes. The other buyers would not bid, and the salesmen refused to sell.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK. East Buffalo dispatch: Cattle receipts, 300 head; slow and steady. Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady; \$4 to \$12. Hogs—Receipts, 2,000 head; active and 15 to 25c higher; heavy and mixed, \$9.35 to \$9.50; yorkers, \$8.60 to \$9.40; pigs, \$3.40 to \$3.60; roughs, \$7.75 to \$8; steers, \$5.50 to \$7; dairies, \$6.75 to \$9.35; grassers, \$9 to \$9.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,000 head. Sheep, active and steady; lambs, fairly active and 10c higher. Lambs, \$4.50 to \$7.35; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$5.50; wethers, \$4.75 to \$5; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$4.50.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE. Wheat—Spot steady, No. 3 Manitoba, 8a 3d, futures steady, Oct. 7a 5 3/4d, Dec. 7a 5 7/8d, March, 7a 4 1/2d. Corn—Firm, American new kid dried, 7a 4 1/4d, futures, easy, Oct., 5a 1 1/4d, Dec., 5a 5 3/4d. Flour—25a 3d. Hops—Pacific Coast, new crop, 25 3a to 25 15a. Pork—Prime mess, western, 106a. Beef—Nominal.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 7 1/2 short ribs, 1a to 2 1/4 lbs., nominal, clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 65c, long, clear middles, light, 25 to 34 lbs., 7 1/2, long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 60c 6d, short clear backs, 65c 6d, shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 61c. Lard—Prime western in tierces, 59c. American refined in pairs, 59c 3d. Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 65a, do., colored, new, 66a. Tallow—Prime city, 32a 9d. Turpentine spirits, 30a 9d. Resin—16s 3d. Petroleum—95d.

LONDON WOOL SALES. London.—The wool sales were continued to-day with offerings of 1,068 bales, principally cross breeds. The tone of the sale was strong, with full prices realized. American buyers purchased medium fine wools. Good merinos sold 5 to 7 1/2 per cent. higher than the July sales. Following is the day's sale in detail: New South Wales, 1,000 bales, secured 1s 10 1/2d, greasy, 1 1/2d to 1s 9 1/2d. Queensland, 800 bales, secured, 1s 1d to 1s 1d, greasy, 8d to 1s. West Australia, 800 bales, greasy, 9d to 1s 1 1/2d. New Zealand, 600 bales, secured, 1s 1 1/2d to 1s 1 1/2d, greasy, 7 1/2d to 1s 2d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 800 bales, secured, 1s 6d to 1s 9 1/2d, greasy, 9d to 9d. Punta Arenas, 1,500 bales, greasy, 6d to 1s 4d.

SEPTEMBER FIRE LOSS. Toronto, Oct. 7.—The Monetary Times' estimate of Canada's fire loss during September amounted to \$885,949, compared with August loss of \$1,164,760, and \$1,123,550, for the corresponding period last year. The following are the details: Fires exceeding \$10,000, \$607,500. Small fires, \$161,151. Estimates for unreported fires, 115,298. Total, \$883,949.

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"Watch Lady Home; how delighted she seems at the prospect of so wealthy and beautiful a daughter-in-law," said spiteful persons.

"Look at the dear old face of Lady Home; so happy is she at her son's prospective happiness," said kinder ones.

It was true that Reginald Home seemed restless and ill at ease until Miss Roslyn came, and he most unwillingly resigned her to others. He felt for the life of him he could not help it. One night they had grown tired of dancing. They went into the conservatory to eat an ice and rest. There was no one in the great room to disturb them, and Lord Wedderburn intended asking her about his Dorothy. He had proven a traitor to his Dorothy, and for atonement he would ask her to listen to his end story; but some one interrupted them, and he asked her could he call the next day.

There was the slightest hesitation in her voice, and he saw it, but she thought of her aunt's advice and she granted the request.

The next day...

Call also, the Ladies Wedderburn shown in had talked the word. He could not say "I have said, sad if you can love, but I shall derburn loved." "That I said, and they, there so that he could be support. thy had ed and that her this, ed her to in the tell some ray heart had call. When herself in "Your D gasped. "You kn "I do" ment visit drawing almost w to love as was alive, his own b to Dorothy was his, a her."

He was and he carriage and left for home. not analyze his own feelings. He was both sad and happy. When he entered his study two men were awaiting him. They had been waiting several hours.

"We have come, my Lord, to confess a great mistake. We traced the wrong person. The person you wished to learn about was Dorothy Wynter—she did not die—the Earl of Dumruv's daughter died, attended by her school-mate and friend, Dorothy Wynter." They told all the story of Dorothy Wynter's life, omitting not the slightest act.

Lord Wedderburn was stunned.

"Where is Dorothy?" he asked.

"She is with her aunts, the Ladies Somerville, Drake, Moreton and Heathcote, and you, my Lord, know her as Miss Roslyn, which was her granddaddy's name."

"Miss Roslyn my Dorothy?" he cried. "Do not dare to trifle with me again."

"It is true," they repeated, and when they left him he sat for hours with his head bowed on his hands. She would never see him again, he was afraid, for she must have known him from the first. Then he remembered how gladly she had sought him out when he had entered the room, and the look of sympathy that had come into her face when he told his story. He was so nervous he could scarcely dress himself for the call he was about to make. He was afraid she would refuse to see him, when she remembered how he had left her that terrible night.

When he rang the bell the servant ushered him into the drawing room and took up his card. This was soon followed by Dorothy, his Dorothy. His face was sad; "I know it all," he said, "you are Dorothy, and how can you forgive me?"

"It seems that fate was fust to blame. It robbed me of every friend I had at one stroke almost."

"I was to blame that I did not help you to bear your grief," he said.

"You have had to bear grief alone, too," she said, touching with one delicate hand his silver-threaded hair. He knew now he had won her. He clasped her in his strong arms, and cried softly. God had given him love and Dorothy, what more could he ask.

The guests were to follow down to Castle Royal. Among the number were Dorothy and her aunts. How happy they were to see such happiness in Dorothy's face! They had given her to Lord Wedderburn, and he knew they gave up what was dearest to them on earth, but no one had as yet told Lady Alicia. She knew her son loved Miss Roslyn very dearly, but she did not know that fate had settled matters so nicely.

One evening Lord Wedderburn entered his mother's room. She was preparing to dress for dinner, but she could always grant Reginald a few moments.

"Mother, I want to introduce you to your daughter-in-law," he said.

"You mean the one I am to have. I shall be the happiest mother on earth to know my daughter-in-law."

Lord Wedderburn stepped into the corridor and led Dorothy in.

Lord Wedderburn told her the old secret, and she cried with them, as she clasped Dorothy in her arms.

"Mother, Dorothy is Uncle Robert's niece, and the last will is yet to be found," said Lord Wedderburn as they left the room together. "What does it matter if it is never found?" asked Dorothy, and they went into his study, where he took out a small bundle. We will look over these reminders of an unhappy past after dinner, said Lord Wedderburn, and the servants were amazed that dinner had to be served an hour late. When it was finished Lord Wedderburn went into the study, followed by Dorothy. He unrolled the little bundle of ragged clothing and from out of them fell a package of old yellow papers.

"Those are the papers John Boughtman gave me the day we left Castle Royal," she said. He opened one and read it. It was the last will of Sir Robert Home, whereby he left his vast estate to his only child, Dorothy Roslyn Home.

Lord Wedderburn handed it to Dorothy. "You are sole mistress of proud old Castle Royal," he said, and she, standing near the open grate, threw the will into the fire. Lord Wedderburn entered in close and thus keep water out. A chicken can stand on a rain all day and not get wet to kin.

ld the fowl firmly but gently, and it well down in the water. After it was somewhat wet and quiet you release the wings, holding it in the r with your free hands. As it gets wet turn its feathers back and work water through them. This must be w process, so don't hurry.

u will find that a little soap in this r, well dissolved, will soften the sers and allow the water to pene- trate better. When you have the bird to the skin let your helper hold it. cond vessel containing water about eadly, preferably a tubful of rather u water, in which a good deal of soap has been dissolved. This is is the real washing. Soap the well. Take plenty of time. Work soap in until the bird is a bundle uds. See that every portion of the e is thoroughly soaped. If you find the bird is getting too dry and the are getting too stiff, take a cup, more water and pour it over the from the tub beneath you.

is well to have at this stage a good brush, which is well wet. You can go over the bird, picking its feath- in clumps in the palm of the and brushing them thoroughly. If they are well wet and soaped ept through the turrets and towers, wet them thoroughly cleaned will find, if you never noticed it that a bird's feathers grow in and are not evenly distributed e body. Its hackle is one clump, another, there is a clump on e of its breast, and one running e about all the feathers of the has, except its wings and tail. By eginning at its head and washing each clump separately you can get it fairly clean. It hasn't many other feathers.

Be sure and take your time. When you think you have him clean, dip him in the tub, and do it all over again. You were not to be clean by a long shot. In fact, when you repeat the operation two or three times you will still find room for improvement when he dries out.

After you have washed him as long as you think necessary, the next step is to get all the soap out of the feathers. This is a most deceptive operation. You can dip him into a tub of cold water, draw him back and forth through it and take him up.

If you will put him in a second tub of clear water and repeat the operation you will find that it is soiled with the dirty water still in his plumage. At this stage a faucet of hot and cold water is especially convenient. The bird can be placed under it and turned over and over while the water is allowed to run through his plumage, starting with rather warm water and gradually making it cooler until at last it is quite cool.

All of the soap must be worked out of the feathers, or else when they dry they will be sticky and rough, and the bird will look worse than if he had not been washed. Before beginning to wash him you had prepared a receptacle for him, consisting of a coop in a warm place, and near a fire in late fall and winter.

This coop should be closed at the back and sides so that no draught can blow on him, and the front should be covered with poultry netting to allow the heat from the stove to warm him through and through. It should have enough straw in the bottom to prevent soiling the feathers during the five or six hours he should remain near it.

Before placing him in this warm coop dry him as well as you can by squeezing his feathers with your hands. One can get out a good bit of the water in this way. After that wrap him in a big, soft towel and gently dry his feathers. One will find that it will take several towels for each bird. It should be done thoroughly, for every drop that you get out in this way will mean so much time gained in drying him by the fire.

When finally dried before the fire take the bird out, rub them, and the bird is ready for the show room, if he is clean. He probably is not clean. If not, wait a day or two and go over it all again, taking more time and being more patient and thorough and trying still harder to get all the grime out of him.

Some fanciers claim that, however, white and clean a bird may look, when he is out of his first, it will be found that a second and third wash will help as much more; that however while he

she decided to spend that last season in town.

As soon as they reached home, Dorothy, clad in warm robes, slipped her arm through Lord Wedderburn's, and they started for a sight of dear old Lent-hill.

"Dear, old place! It was the scene of so much sorrow, but it gave me the crowning point of my life," said Dorothy.

"Shall I tell you what the reply of Lord Wedderburn was?"

"Perhaps if you ask the winds that swept through the ivy vines, sung through broken turrets and towers, whispered among the branches of trees, swept over the North Sea and kissed the white-crested waves so tenderly, then murmured around the towers of proud old Castle Royal, they may tell you, but I doubt it."

FINIS.

FOR PRIZE BIRDS.

Right Way to Wash Fowls for Exhibition.

The average beginner does not realize how important it is that birds shown in competition must be properly conditioned and washed, especially white birds. The amount of dirt and grime that a white fowl can get worked into its feathers without showing noticeably is remarkable. When it begins to show the bird is as dirty as a hog, and whether it looks as dirty as that or not, you will find that it is, and that washing it two or three times will greatly improve its condition, especially if you are going to exhibit at a show where competition is going to be strong.

The impression prevails among many beginners that washing a bird is an easy task before they have tried it, but if results are looked for one will find that washing is not easy. Of all the discouraging, profitless jobs connected with the fancy, washing a white bird is the worst to the beginner, that is not fully equipped to do it properly.

It is probably true that every genuine fancier, when he finishes the job, does so with the consciousness that at least it is only half done. There are great possibilities in properly washing. The first requisite is water, then more water, and after that a whole lot more water. One needs first a large vessel full of lukewarm water in which to soak the bird thoroughly, so the soapuds can work through the plumage.

The vessel ought to be deeper than the height of the fowl, so that you can place the bird in it without any trouble. Hold it down and work the water up in its plumage. You will find that there is not much difference in the matter of shedding water between a "duck's back" and a chicken's. The feathers are full of natural oil and the fowl's instinct

WOULD SCREAM FOR HOURS WITH ECZEMA

Baby Dreadful Sufferer. Could Not Keep Him from Scratching. Every Joint Affected. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and He Is Well.



"Enclosed find my son's photo and I feel by writing these few lines to you I am only doing my duty, as my son was a dreadful sufferer from eczema. At the age of two weeks he began to get covered with red spots on his legs and groin, which mother thought was red gum or thrush; but day by day it grew worse until every joint and crevice were affected and baby started screaming for hours day and night, such a thing as sleep was out of the question. I took him to two of Sydney's leading doctors; one said it was one of the worst cases he had seen, the other said it was serious; one ordered ointment for rubbing in, the other a dusting powder. I followed their prescriptions for over four months and still did not get better. I could not keep him from scratching so great was his agony. In June, 1911, when he was five months old I tried the Cuticura Remedies and I am very thankful that I did not think it serious; one ordered ointment for rubbing in, the other a dusting powder. 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Farmers should attend the drainage demonstration here on Oct. 18.

The students' Field Day—Friday next—help make it a success.

Mr R. D. Judson is in New York this week.

A new \$40,000 hotel is being erected in the local option town of Renfrew.

Mrs Morgan King went to New York on the excursion this week.

Mr W. H. Smart visited Athens on Monday in the interest of the Mineral Springs development.

—Live hens and chickens bought Wednesday afternoon at Willson's Meat Market. Birds must be fasted 24 hours.

Miss Ethel Osborne, of Glen Elbe, is a patient at St Vincent de Paul Hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

The field day sports of the A.H.S. take place on Friday. See programme in this week's Reporter.

The annual convention of Leeds County W.C.T.U. will be held at Gananoque on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, Oct. 16 and 17.

LOST—In Athens, on Tuesday evening, a lady's watch, gun-metal case. Finder will please leave at Reporter office.

The regular monthly meeting of Delta Women's Institute will be held on Saturday Oct 19th, instead of Oct 12. All are invited to attend.

Dog Astray—A little black and white dog—answers to the name of Rover. Finder please return to home of Mrs Watson, Isaac street

On Saturday, Oct 12, Sterns Ransom, Delta, will sell, without reserve, a lot of household furniture, vehicles, harness, etc. J. W. Russell, auctioneer.

In honor of her guest, Miss K. McLean, of Fall River, Mass., Mrs W. F. Earl, last week entertained a large number of friends at her home on Mill street.

On the evening of their Field Day, Friday next, the students of the Athens High School will give a concert in the town hall. Admission free.

The new A. O. U. W. rates came into force on Oct. 1st. There is considerable enmity among the older members, because they are the ones who are hit the hardest.

The thirty-fifth annual W. C. T. U. Provincial Convention meets in Renfrew this year the last week in October commencing on the 28th of the month and concluding on the 1st of November.

A Lansdowne correspondent says: Mr Percy Earl has purchased the store and dwelling house belonging to Mr George Redmond, and will in a few days be prepared to furnish his customers with the staples of the trade.

The project of bringing on electric power line from Lyndhurst to Athens has not yet been abandoned, but should it fail, then the ladies of the Women's Institute are prepared to at once establish the proposed kerosene system.

Mr C. D. Clow of Lisbon, N. D., sends the Reporter particulars of the great corn festival held in that town every fall, together with samples of the button that every loyal Ransom Countyite is supposed to wear. In the corn-growing contest, Harold Wittise, a boy, won second prize with a record of 119.5 bushels per acre.

Seriously Injured
On Thursday evening last, while passing through Cranesville, N.Y., on her return home from Charleston Lake, where she spent the summer, Mrs Walter C. Hanson, of Saratoga; her son, Walter C. jr and chauffeur narrowly escaped fatal injury. Something went wrong with the steering apparatus and before the chauffeur could bring their automobile to a stop it had turned turtle into the ditch. Luckily all three were thrown clear of the car. Mrs Hanson suffered a fracture of the right arm at the wrist and bruises about the body, while her son was slightly bruised. After receiving medical attention the party proceeded to their home.—Times.

Mrs W. T. Service returned to her home in New York after several weeks spent at the home of her parents here.

Canada gets 175,000 Americans this year. In a century at that rate they will have us all.—Boston Transcript.

The anniversary services of the Methodist church will be held on Sunday next.

At the sale of the Alguire farm last week, Mr Morgan King was the purchaser.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church meets at the home of Mrs W. F. Earl on Thursday at 3 p.m.

Epworth League on Monday Evening at 8 o'clock. Topic, "Home Missions". Leader Mrs Wm Towns.

Mr and Mrs A. N. Sherman left this week to spend the winter in California.

The full staff of workmen with a cement-mixer are now at work on the sidewalks and are completing about 2,000 feet per day.

Mr Fred Williams of Toronto spent a few days at Charleston Lake last week, but found that he was too early for the salmon.

There will be no service in the Baptist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday evening next on account of the anniversary services in the Methodist church.

LOST—A crocheted hand bag on Main street containing a considerable sum of money. Finder please return to the Reporter Office.

Arrangements are being made for a basketball match between a team representing the B. C. I. and the High School team.

Mr and Mrs W. G. Parish and Mrs E. Fair are among those from this section who go on the Montreal excursion this week.

"Wettest and coldest summer in twenty years" is the way the weatherman describes the season just past. There were only ten hot days during the year.

A Gananoque firm has just launched what is considered quite an innovation in the motor boat line, the outside sheeting being of aluminum plates instead of wood.

The Methodist people of North Augusta are to build a new church and the plans are now prepared. The building will have a basement and school room.

A petition has been presented to the council for a granolithic walk on the north side of Wiltse street, from Elgin street to the end of the present board walk.

Messrs. John Ross, jr., and Percival Empey underwent operations for appendicitis last Wednesday and both are reported to be now making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

An interdenominational meeting was held in the Presbyterian church, on Friday evening, when an address was given by Rev. Dr Hanna, of the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance.

Mr and Mrs A. J. Slack of Smith's Falls spent the week end here, guests of Mrs P. P. Slack. It is over a year since Mr Slack visited Athens which we are pleased to note he still calls "home".

The cheese market in Brockville on Thursday was dull and bids came slowly. A small lot was sold on the board at 13c and later on the street this price ruled. What the cheese market really needs is a Dominion selection every year.

On Brockville produce market on Saturday, eggs and butter ranged from 28 to 30 cents; chickens 75c to \$1.20 per pair; potatoes 40c and 45c; ducks \$1.20 to \$1.50 per pair; corn 10c; tomatoes 80c to 90c per bushel; apples 40c to 60c.

Death of Mrs Kerr
On Friday last, following an illness of several months, Mrs Joseph Kerr departed this life at her home in Athens, in the 70th year of her age.

Deceased was a daughter of the late William Saxon Washburn of Washburn's Corners and was widely and favorably known.

The funeral service, which was largely attended, was conducted in the Methodist church on Sunday morning. She is survived by her husband and other relatives in this district.

On Tuesday J. S. Dargavel of Elgin and Miss Lucille B. Cole of Brockville were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother by Rev. F. Deatry Woodcock.

Farmers are mixing oats and other grain that they have been unable to harvest with the silo corn and it is confidently expected that the combination will work out alright.

Mr George Hamilton returned last week from his trip through the West, which included visits to Tuxedo Park and other boom centres. He is of opinion that investors in the east should defer buying pending personal inspection of the land.

Mr and Mrs Irwin Wittes, Church street, Athens, announce the engagement of their daughter Winifred, to Mr Henry Clay Ward, youngest son of the late Mr Ignatius Bell Ward and Mrs Ward, Washington, D.C. The marriage will take place quietly this month.

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