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"Brockville's Greatest Store"

VISIT THE BIG RUG SALE AT THE HUTCHESON STORE

Don't miss the great display of Floor Rugs at the Hutcheson Store. Nothing like it—in quantity, quality, or values has ever been attempted in Brockville before. \$8000.00 worth of Rugs—every kind—all at special sale prices.

Housefurnishing Sale at Main Store

- \$1.45 Brussels Carpet for 98c—60 yards two-tone red Brussels, best quality; regular price \$1.45, sale price **98c**
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- Floor Oilcloth—500 yds in floral design; one yard wide, also two yards wide; heavy quality reg price 30c sq yd; sale price **25c**
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- Linoleum—2 pieces in floral design with light ground, 2 yds wide; reg. 50c sq yd; sale price **39c**
- Linoleum 4 Yards Wide—1 piece light ground with floral design; regular price 50c sq yd; sale price **39c**
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WILL STAND THE HARD KNOCKS THEY ARE PUT TO.
ONE PAIR SELLS ANOTHER

KELLY'S

The Shoe Store of Quality
Next Door West of Robert Wright's. BROCKVILLE

SPECIAL We have just purchased 23 dozen Four-in-hand Ties in all the latest patterns in plain shades and Bias Stripes, including Coronation Blues in wide and Derby that would sell regularly at 50c. Special **25c**

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BRACKEN-BRYSON

On Friday evening, May the twelfth at 6.30 o'clock, the Rev. W. McLean, of St. Giles church, Winnipeg, united in marriage, Miss Jean Lois Bryson, of Lynn, and Dr. Jas. Edwin Bracken, of Saskatoon, Sask.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. George Bryson, and wore her travelling suit of sage green broadcloth, with black hat. A few intimate friends of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony at the church, and shortly after Dr. and Mrs. Bracken left for Reston, Man., thence to Saskatoon where they will reside.

DEATH OF DUNCAN FISHER

Duncan Fisher, a widely known and esteemed resident of Athens, passed peacefully from earth away at his home here on Monday morning last, aged 71 years, 6 months. For about three months Mr. Fisher had been very ill with paralysis and for several weeks it was known that the end was near. A short time ago his sons came home from the West to see him and under the inspiration of their presence he rallied and was able to enjoy their company. During his illness he was comforted by the uniring devotion of his wife and the almost constant attendance of his daughter, Mrs. Donovan of Toronto, and his eldest son, Judge Fisher of Pembroke.

Mr. Fisher was probably the oldest continuous resident of Athens. Coming here when a young man, he embarked in the carriage manufacturing business, which he successfully conducted up to a few years ago. Devoted to his business, he yet found time to interest himself in the civic life of the community and in church work, and particularly in the Methodist Sunday School, he rendered valuable service. For over a quarter of a century he was a Sunday School superintendent and many now at work in the Master's vineyard credit the upward trend of their lives to the instruction received under Mr. Fisher's superintendency.

His father, Donald Fisher and mother, Christina McNece, were natives of Scotland who settled in Bathurst, Lanark Co., where the subject of this sketch was born in 1839. Mr. Fisher was married in 1862 to Ellen, daughter of Mr. Alexander Mitchell of Kingston. She died a few years ago. By this union a family of four children are left. They are Lt.-Col. Fisher, recently appointed Junior Judge of the County of Lanark; Mr. Chas. Fisher, C.N.R. Superintendent at Saskatoon; Mr. Arthur E. Fisher, Principal of Regina Public School; and Mrs. Donovan, Toronto, wife of A. E. Donovan, M.P.P. Mr. Fisher was married twice. His second wife, who survives, was Miss Ada Lillie, a most estimable lady of this place.

The funeral took place this (Wednesday) forenoon, and friends from near and far assembled at the Methodist church to pay their last tribute of respect to the deceased. Rev. F. A. Read delivered an instructive discourse on the words: "I have loved thee with an everlasting love."—Jer. 31:3 The scripture lesson and hymns were all favorites of the deceased. At the close of the service the casket, covered with beautiful floral offerings, was borne by Messrs. W. H. Jacob, T. S. Kendrick, W. G. Paris, I. C. Alguire, G. W. Beach and H. H. Arnold to the grave, which had been lined with evergreens by the Sunday School pupils. In the burial service, Mr. Read was assisted by Rev. R. B. Patterson, rector of Christ Church.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

The Grand Trunk Railway has issued a circular authorizing all Agents in Canada to sell Homeseekers' Excursion tickets to points in Western Canada. This is interesting information for those desiring to take advantage of these excursions on certain dates from April to September 1910. The Grand Trunk Route is the most interesting, taking a passenger through the populated centres of Canada, through Chicago, and thence via Duluth, or through Chicago and the twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul. Ask Grand Trunk Agents for further particulars.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

GRANOLITHIC WALKS

The problem of what to do with the sidewalks on some of the streets is once more before the village council. To build new plank walks is generally regarded as out of the question, while to repair the old walks is simply to spend money for which no adequate return will be received. Of course, these walks will have to be kept in proper repair, but, sooner or later, permanent walks will have to be put down, and it is the privilege and duty of property owners on the different streets to take the initiative in solving the problem.

Petitions for granolithic walks on Elma street and Mill have been presented to the council and duly accepted. The Mill street sidewalk is in bad condition, but others in the village are little better, and it would be in the interest of all concerned to have such a number of petitions presented as would reduce the relative cost of each.

With the experience already gained in conducting this work, the council would probably be able to effect a considerable saving in the cost of walks put down this season.

A WESTERN LETTER

Keithville, Sask., May 6, 1911
Editor Athens Reporter.

Dear Sir,—Since coming here a year ago, I have been a constant reader of your valuable paper and have enjoyed it very much, as it is as good as a letter from an old time friend.

Spring is much later here this year than it was last, but many of the farmers are through sowing wheat and are preparing their land for oats and flax.

Much of the wheat that was sown this spring is up nicely and the fields look as green as a lawn.

It is a little early to sow many garden seeds, for as yet as there is danger of a late frost, but such vegetables and seeds as onions, beets, peas, radishes, lettuce and cabbage are already planted and are doing very well.

One can raise anything in the vegetable line here and most farmers raise an abundance of each so as to share with less fortunate neighbors.

The crops in this vicinity last year were very good. The dry weather did not have much effect on them as they were well put in.

This country is sure "on a boom" (allow the slang expression) this year. The contractors are very busy grading the railroad through my place and want to have it completed so as to haul this year's crop. As it is now, the farmers have to draw their grain from 25 to 50 and 60 miles to market, and still the profit has been enough to pay for the work.

The unbroken prairie is covered with many kinds of wild flowers at the present time.

We have a school, which is now in progress, church and Sunday School every Sunday, held at the school-building. During the winter months we had a Literary Society which met every two weeks. We now have a public library, although still in its infancy, as it was only started a couple of months ago. It promises to grow with this great country.

This is sure a great country, as every quarter section of any value whatever is taken from 75 to 100 mile from town by some one. The settlers here are all young, or comparatively so, and now listen, girls about three fourths of these settlers are bachelors, like myself, and many, yes, most of them, would make good husbands for you; if you don't believe it, come and pay us a visit. Nearly all of us own 320 acres of as good a land as there is anywhere.

At this place we have a grocery, a post office, blacksmith shop and an eating house. There is one steam, one kerosene and one gasoline plowing outfit here in this settlement now in progress.

We also have four feed grinders, as most of the farmers feed their grain ground. There are 3 threshing outfits here to. Land that 3 years ago sold for \$10 and \$12 per acre now sells at from \$25 to \$35 per acre.

Within a radius of 10 square miles, there will be something over 80,000 acres of crop put in this year, nearly all of which was raw prairie three years ago, so you can see that the farmer's watchwords have been "push on-ward."

This was written for the benefit of many inquiring friends who are readers of your valuable paper.

G. E. Purvis.

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White and Colored Dresses

Wash Suits

Separate Coats and Wash Skirts

ALL THE NEW THINGS ARE HERE.

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We want to show you the new styles.

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One Motor Boat, 22 ft. 6, and 4 ft. 6 beam, finished in oak with brass stem, equipped with a 3. horse power St. Lawrence engine. Cheap, if sold at once.

New Cedar skiffs, all sizes and prices.

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Brockville

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NEWS OF THE DAY IN BRIEF

Small Boy Badly Scalded at London, Ontario. Berlin Wants Publicity Commissioner Appointed. Ottawa Man Meets His Death in Gravel Pit.

The Toronto trustees may force a new election in ward 4 as a result of the report in the Levee inquiry. The Toronto celebration of the Coronation of King George V cost the city \$4,500, and this amount was voted by the Board of Control.

A young man named Clark, who resides near Havelock, met with an accident at Healey's Falls in which he lost his leg just below the knee.

Incidents around Bolton, Ont., are completely mystified by the strange disappearance of a valuable team of horses from the stables of Alfred Harper.

Because her husband, a son of deceased, signed as a witness to her father-in-law's will, Mrs. John H. Knapp, of Chatham, will lose a legacy of about \$1,000.

Rev. J. D. Morrow, pastor of Dale Presbyterian Church, Toronto, has gone to Montreal, where he will undergo an operation at the General Hospital there.

A party of two hundred and fifty British immigrants of the best class arrived in Toronto last night, and scattered to various points in Ontario and the west.

The Maritime Nail Works, of St. John, N.B., has been disposed of by R. L. Johnston to Toronto interests for about \$200,000. The transfer is to be made June 1.

While working a gravel pit at Britannia Park, a falling mass of earth struck Fred Rose, a workman, and he was killed. He leaves a widow and five children in Ottawa.

The body of Donald McDonald, who was a familiar figure in the Toronto police court, was found in a vacant lot at the foot of George street. Death was apparently due to exposure.

Port Fisher, the youth confined in Giesbreich jail for theft of a gun and some jewelry, was released after serving two days. The police secured a job for him on the grainer Wexford.

Fire, which broke out in the superintendent's office of the Grand Trunk Railway station at Richmond, Que., almost totally destroyed that structure. The damage is estimated at \$5,000.

A new system of electric lighting for roadway cars is being introduced by the C. P. R. on all its sleepers, and some of the cars running between Toronto and Montreal have already been equipped.

R. W. Riddle, of the Commercial Hotel, Wyoming, was convicted by Magistrate McKenzie of selling liquor in that local option town on April 14 and of obstructing an officer on April 19 and was fined \$100 in each case.

LEFT OVER \$500,000

The Great Lafayette Said to Have Made Over \$200,000 a Year.

London, May 15.—Friends of "The Great Lafayette," the illusionist, who lost his life in the fire in the Empire Music Hall at Edinburgh, on Tuesday night, estimate he left an estate valued at over \$500,000. It is figured out that he was making about \$500,000 a year, but the expenses of his company of 60 to 80 persons were very high and he lived here in the most luxurious style.

CARMAN'S VIEWS

Contradicts Dr. Workman's Testimony on Several Points.

Doctrine of Original Sin and the New Birth.

Montreal despatch says: Dr. Carman, General Superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canada, took the witness stand in the Workman libel case today and gave evidence on points of Methodist belief involved in the alleged assertions of Dr. Workman.

Dr. Carman claimed that from his position his testimony could be regarded as the voice of the Methodist Church. His statements on points of Methodist belief, he declared, were the interpretations of the Methodist Church courts.

On the question of the corporeal resurrection of Christ he differed from Dr. Workman, who thought the Gospel allegorical in this particular, while Dr. Carman held that it could be literally interpreted.

Whether the Admiral Farragut then returned to Philadelphia or proceeded on her course for Port Antonio is not known. The Hamilton left New York for Norfolk yesterday afternoon.

SUES EXECUTORS.

Late Manufacturer's Former Nurse Wants \$30,000 Mortgage.

New York, May 15.—The late Robert Hoe, of printing press fame, paid \$20,000 to Louis E. Brown, of Covington, Ky., to persuade Brown to drop a suit against Hoe for the alienation of the affections of his wife, according to testimony of Brown filed yesterday in the county clerk's office.

The trial of Rev. George Atlas, the Macedonian minister charged with subornation of perjury, was again delayed at Toronto. The defence has not yet named all its witnesses and desired further delay. Justice Clute consented to an adjournment until May 29.

Blahs—That blind girl says she is 22. She doesn't look it, does she? Blahs—Of course not. How can a blind girl look her age?

TWO STEAMERS IN COLLISION

The Admiral Farragut Rams Merida Off Virginia Coast.

Passengers and Crew of the Merida Saved Before She Sank.

Disaster Occurred in a Fog—Wireless Brought Relief.

New York, May 15.—The steamship Merida, of the Ward Line, with 207 passengers, from Havana for this city, was rammed by the steamer Admiral Farragut off Cape Charles, Virginia, shortly after midnight this morning.

The Admiral Farragut was somewhat damaged in the collision, but was able to proceed. Officers of both steamships went among the passengers and assured them that there was no danger.

The Old Dominion Line steamship Hamilton came alongside the Admiral Farragut, according to a wireless dispatch received here at 10 o'clock this morning, and took the Merida's passengers and crew off the Farragut.

LABOR AND CHURCH

Non-Attendance, Dancing, Card Playing and Horse Racing.

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GUILTY OF MURDER

Wm. Carroll Killed Joseph Tallion With An Axe in Lumber Camp.

Sault Ste. Marie despatch: William Carroll, aged sixty-five, who in 1902 escaped from the London Asylum upon the eve of his discharge as fully cured, was convicted of the murder of Jos. Tallion in a lumber camp near Blind River, at the Assizes here this afternoon.

SUGAR TAX.

Operated on for Appendicitis in London This Morning.

London, May 15.—Lady Decies, who before her marriage to Lord Decies was Miss Helen Vivian Gould, underwent an operation for appendicitis this morning. The surgery was done at the residence of her mother-in-law, Dowager Lady Decies, and according to subsequent announcement the result was most satisfactory.

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London, May 15.—The passenger list those who are urging upon the Government the remission of the sugar tax had an interview with David Lloyd George today and asked him to abolish this pro- vision for revenue from the forthcoming budget.

The Chancellor was sympathetic, saying that he agreed that the sugar duty was oppressive to the poor and interfered with a valuable industry. It was desirable that it should be remitted if he could extract the same amount of taxes from somebody else.

BOY KILLED.

Hops on One Engine to Escape Another and is Killed.

Toronto despatch:—Just a short distance from his home, Albert Hutchins, age seven years, of 35 Delaney crescent, was killed by being jostled from a G. T. R. shunting engine at the foot of St. Clares avenue at 11:20 yesterday morning.

QUEEN-MOTHER ILL

New York Paper Publishes Alarmist Report of Her Condition.

Ruling Rate Against Death in Three Months Ten Guineas Per Cent.

New York, Monday, May 15.—The American publishes a cable from London this morning which says that grave rumors are in circulation in regard to Queen Dowager Alexandra's health.

"Ten guineas per cent," the despatch continues, "for three months' insurance on Alexandra's life, is the present ruling rate."

The truth about Queen Alexandra is that she never recovered from her bereavement following King Edward's death.

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McNAMARA TRIAL

McManigal Won't Be Called as a Witness in Case.

Photo of McManigal to be Used as Evidence Against Him.

New York, May 15.—A Los Angeles despatch to the Tribune says: Ortic E. McManigal will not be called as a witness for the prosecution when the two McNamara brothers are brought to trial on the grand jury indictments charging them with murder in the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times. At a conference between District Attorney John D. Frederick and three of his associates yesterday this procedure was definitely decided upon.

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OUT OF DANGER.

Which May Shorten the Term of William Clushman.

Buffalo despatch: James E. Josselyn, the Buffalo billiard room proprietor, who was brutally assaulted last December by William Clushman, of Hamilton, Ont., and for which assault the Hamilton man was sentenced to Auburn State prison for a term of from five to nine years, is recovering from his wounds and last night he was able to be around for the first time since the assault.

TO TALK PEACE

Representatives to Have Interview With Madero, Jun.

All Quiet at Juarez—Talk of Student Uprising.

Juarez, Mexico, May 15.—Senora Obregon and Braniff, the voluntary go-between representatives of the federal capacity for weeks to bring about an end of conflict in their native country, will meet Francisco I. Madero, jun., provisional president at his headquarters in Juarez today.

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POPE NOT WELL

But Not Alarmingly Ill—Public Audiences Suspended.

Rome, May 15.—Pius X. is still feeling the effects of his recent attack of gout and the public audiences planned for this morning were suspended. Those who had obtained invitations were turned back when they arrived at the Vatican.

T H I S O R I G I N A L D O C U M E N T A L P O O R C O N T A I N S V E R Y P O O R C O N T A I N S V E R Y P O O R

The Queer Little Box
An Eastern Scheme of Vengeance

"Hello, my bold Ralph," cried Judge Josiah Marcolis to the young sailor who stood twirling his cap by the desk. "Back again, safe and sound, hey, from the glowing East? I'm glad to see you."

"That is truly said, even if not well said," said the emergency. "It is well said. The emergency is such that I must trust some one, and I know I can trust you."

"You are always too good to me, Judge," replied Cronkite with a genuine feeling. "Now then to business. You can take an important part, indeed a most important part, for we both earnestly wish, don't we, that that bedridden old man upstairs, that all those jolly young folks downstairs shall be free from even suspicion of alarm."

THE BRIGHTEST DAY FOR EVERY WOMAN

Comes With Good Health Through the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Her brightest day for every girl and every woman is the day when she looks well, feels well and is well, but with most of the fair sex such days are rare. Just as they suffer from a painful languor, have a terrible weakness in the back, headaches that make everything seem blurred, and a ceaseless aching in the limbs, these and other trials afflict girls and women through the lack of rich, red blood nature is calling for. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have given the joy of real robust health to thousands of women who are happy to-day because these pills actually make the rich, red blood that makes weak ones well and strong.

DAMNING EVIDENCE

"Madam," says the agent of the black hand, "we have a photograph of you and Count de Gayle's riding in an automobile. Send ten thousand dollars to us or we will publish the picture."

OPERATION HER ONLY CHANCE

Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lindsay, Ont.—"I think it is no more than right for me to thank Mrs. Pinkham for what her kind advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. When I wrote to her some time ago I was a very sick woman, suffering from female troubles. I had inflammation of the female organs, and could not stand or walk any distance. At last I was confined to my bed, and the doctor said I would have to go through an operation, but this I refused to do. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now, after using three bottles of it, I feel like a new woman. I most heartily recommend this medicine to all women who suffer with female troubles. I have also taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills and think they are fine."

HOW AUTHORS WROTE

Pope Thought Best When in Bed—Victor Hugo Wrote Standing. Alexander Pope, who was the literary pontiff of his time, thought best when in bed. Whenever a thought came to him he would jot it down on a scrap of paper. His servant often found bedclothes and floor covered with white bits containing aphorisms which have now become hackneyed quotations.

SAVING LIFE IN THE FAMINE

Rev. E. E. Lohentine, writing to The Christian Herald from famine-stricken China, says: "It is a constant surprise to see the fortitude of the people in the face of death. It is true that there has been much robbery and theft throughout the famine district, and that the country has been kept from breaking loose in rebellion only by the strong hand of the law. In one city alone the official has either decapitated or hung in wooden cages over three hundred people since last fall, and the number is not much less in other cities; still, in view of the fact that the suffering of the people, and of the additional fact that even the theft of a few loaves of bread is sufficient to cause a man to be hung, it is a constant miracle that the country is as peaceful as it is."

Are You Subject to Nervous Headaches?

In primitive days, when little or nothing was known about medicine, a favorite remedy supposed to have a virtue for headaches was Smelling Salts. Today we know smelling salts are useless. The cause of nervous headaches can always be traced to an unbalanced condition of the stomach, which is immediately reflected over the whole nervous system. Many prescriptions have more or less efficacy, but the one that can be depended upon to cure quickly is Nervine. Every drop in sweetened water gives immediate relief. To say it acts quickly fails to express the result. The minute Nervine strikes the stomach, its strengthening influence is felt. You feel better, brighter, free from oppressing nervous sensations. Nothing better to brace up when you come in at night tired and cold, nothing more certain to maintain you in perfect health. You can use Nervine inside or outside and in a thousand ways you'll find it invaluable in your home.

CHECKING BABIES

A fashionable Pittsburg church has established a complete playroom with reliable nurses where you can check your baby just as you do your hat and overcoat before going in. Experienced nurses that a baby is the finest thing in the world, and that he who goes through life without leaving one behind dies very poor indeed, a lady writes. But many women have felt that their hearts would grow much cooler if their babies if they could be absent from them occasionally, though ever so seldom. Manifestly, every family cannot have a nurse of its own, for then only half the world's women could be mothers, for the other half would have to be nurses.

MORE BARGAIN STOCK

Shops—My wife offered to bet me a box of cigars against a pair of gloves that she wouldn't get angry for a month but I refuse to bet. Shops—No, afraid I'd win.

THE POSTMASTER TELLS HIS FRIENDS

That they should use Dodd's Kidney Pills for Kidney Ills. He Had Backache For a Long Time But Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured It. That is Why He Recommends Them. Dymont, Ont., May 15.—(Special.)—John Oldberg, postmaster here, and well known throughout this entire neighborhood, is telling his friends that Dodd's Kidney Pills are the cure for all forms of Kidney Disease. And when they ask how he knows, this is the answer he gives: "I was troubled with backache for a long time and Dodd's Kidney Pills cured it. That's why I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from Kidney Disease."

LACE UBIQUITOUS

Sort and Manner of Using Proclaim Best Models. Filet lace is first, though the shadow laces and the finer meshes are found blended with work that is very foreign to them, and they make a background not only for trimmings, but for veils, jackets, caps and all the other accessories that the lace counters provide. Deep bands of filet or point Venise at the hem of a lingerie gown will raise it indubitably from the passe to a model of this season's style. Many beautiful variations of all the finest laces are on the counters, and some of them are very cunningly imitated. The filets are being used for linens, suits and gowns, and also the imitation point Venise bands which come in wide and narrow widths. Point Milan is a recent revival, and from its airy texture is suited to batistes and other flimsy materials. It might sometimes be mistaken by a passing shopper at a lace counter for Valenciennes. One of the modish uses for narrow and medium width lace bandings is as wired bows on summer hats. One very clever re-verse of soft filly lace, with the other re-verse of cloth or silk, is a finish seen in some of the handsome street costumes. The lace re-verse is always very wide at the top, running well onto the shoulder. Deep frills of lace are also beginning to be seen on sleeves. A novelty seen at one lace counter was a little jacket with wide turned back revers, very short fronts and long, straight Directoire tails.

MOTHER'S DREAMS

Every mother dreams of great things for her child. Never yet did any mother bend over her sleeping child but she dreamed dreams of strength of manhood, largeness of attainment, of some uniqueness of effort. Ever has come to her maternal sight the vision of a life strong, noble, helpful, good. No cloud of doubt has ever crossed the fair sky of her radiant dream. No one can rightly compute the subtle influence of the mother's aspiration for good and greatness in her child. It is a very faint of evolution, stimulating to diviner things. It is the power of the human mind to reckon the good that has come to the world by the wishing of mother-love. If mother-love could but have the willing as well, we might safely prophesy a speedy evolutionary culmination. But other influences have crept in, destroying the possibility of fulfillment. And with the removal of these, is to be found our best observance of Mothers' Day.

FOAM ON THE SCHOONERS

The strike in Munich over beer reminds us that, while we are worrying about reciprocity and marriage laws and that sort of thing, the people of the Bavarian capital are dealing with the realities of life. They have sent a man to prison for six weeks, and committed five of his waiters to keep him company for part of his sentence, leaving him free to go home as he pleased, but he did not fill his "steins" of beer to his beer; but an atrocious outrage, such as this fiend committed, does rouse it to the very centre of the Hofbräu.

THEY SCORE OCCASIONALLY

The story runs that a militant suffragist, while speaking in Yorkshire last summer, was interrupted by a farmer who said, "If the wor in this proper place, lass, 'th'd be up in the field you'd be helpin' 'a mak' 'in' instead of 'th' orin' there."

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FRENCH CHEF SUPREME THE RULES IN EVERY COURT BUT THAT OF KAISER Henri Codard, Who Prepares the Dinners for King George, is a Master of His Art and Receives a princely Salary-Cooks' Names Are Printed After the Dishes-How Emperor of Austria Got His Chef. The French chef rules supreme in the royal kitchens of Europe with one exception - that of Germany. The Kaiser must have one. German public opinion is against it. In fact, for years a grand culinary quarrel has been in progress in Germany. There are at least 400 French cooks in the houses in Berlin. Even the chancellor has a French cook, but the emperor, owing to the pan-Germanic idea, keeps to the native article and has his bill of fare written out in German.

OLIVER AND THE GALICIAN The Last Visitor Ever the Brunt of the Editor's Wrath. Out West they call him "Pa Oliver." At Ottawa he is known as "The Honorable," the Minister of the Interior. Both East and West there are many stories about him which are worth telling; none better, perhaps, than that which has to do with his adventure with the Tenth Galician. It was some years ago. Mr. Oliver, at that time was devoting much of his time to the editorial management of his paper, The Edmonton Bulletin. A member of his family seemed to resent the proprietor's intense interest in the writing of leaders, and determined to interrupt the paternal manuscript mill. Once conceived, this idea soon bore fruit. The mischief-maker waited upon a group of unemployed Galicians, assured them that "Pa Oliver" had jobs for a few good men, and left the plot to develop. The Galicians wanted to wait upon the editor in a body, but they were cautioned to go upstairs to his sanctum one at a time, at decent intervals. They went. Mr. Oliver hated to be interrupted, but the first two he dismissed with all the courtesy which is due to the citizen who will some day have a vote. Number Three had a harder time of it. When half a dozen had climbed clumsily and noisily up the steps, the writer was saying things which were very much to the point. Number Nine was so startled by the explosion which greeted his appearance that he merely stuck his head inside the door-and fled.

NERVOUS, LIFELESS DEBILITATED MEN YOUNG MEN AND MIDDLE-AGED MEN, the victims of early indiscretions and later excesses, who are failures in life-you are the ones who can restore to manhood and revive the spark of energy and vitality. Don't give up in despair because you have treated with other doctors, used electric belts and tried various drug store nostrums. Our New Method Treatment has snatched hundreds from the brink of despair, has restored happiness to hundreds of homes and has made successful men of those who were "down and out." We prescribe specific remedies for each individual case according to the symptoms and complications-we have no patent medicines. This is one of the secrets of our wonderful success as our treatment cannot fail, for we prescribe remedies adapted to each individual case. Only curable cases accepted. We have done business throughout Canada for over 20 Years. CURABLE CASES GUARANTEED OR NO PAY. DR. KENNEDY & KENNEDY Cor. Michigan Ave. and Griswold St., Detroit, Mich.

King George's new chef is a Frenchman, Henri Codard, who succeeds another Frenchman, M. Menager. The latter had a salary of \$10,000 a year and after twenty-five years in the royal kitchen has become head of the kitchens of the new royal Automobile Club in Pall Mall. The most highly reputed royal kitchens in Europe are those at Windsor Castle. They were established these seven centuries ago under the aegis of the castle and have been adapted to modern needs. They are very handsome. While those in Buckingham Palace are white tiled, the Windsor kitchens are paneled in black oak, a work carried out by George III. at a cost of \$50,000. Each kitchen is in charge of a specialist, a cook who is an expert in cooking soups or fish, entrees or roasts, vegetables or pastry. There are four serjeant cooks, if the term may be used, under the head chef. For the sweets and pastry there are two special chefs. In all about thirty principals are engaged. For cooking purposes there are about 800 pots and pans, for the most part in copper, and five men have nothing to do but keep them scoured. These pots and pans alone are worth \$40,000. Each service is presented in double, so that a choice is available, and each bears the name of the underchef responsible for it. This is an old custom due to the way cooks have sometimes had of claiming all the good dishes and repudiating any share in the bad ones. The Pope holds by the cooking of his native Venice and has an inordinate fancy for his own special plate, a complicated dish which contains rice, two dozen prawns, a pint or more of mussels, butter, cheese, white wine, saffron, pepper, parsley, salt, and so on, and a minute quantity of coffee. Although in Spain the cuisine of the court is in charge of a Frenchman, M. Capdeville, curiously enough German influence is strong at the royal table. Then there are also the national tastes to consider, these leading to the production of such specialties as the thick soup of capesium, dishes flavoured with oil, cream tart up with cabbage leaves and the famous gazpacho, a peculiar Spanish cold soup which contains tomatoes, onions, cucumbers, garlic, a glass of sherry, pepper and bread, to which before serving powdered ice is added. A queer story is told of how the emperor of Austria got his cook, Perski, who is a Hungarian. The emperor is not much of an eater. One day he was dining with the Count of Rheingau and was delighted with the way in which a wild boar's head was cooked. Two days afterward an enormous boar arrived at Schoenbrunn, where the emperor was in residence, sent with the homage of the count. When it was opened Perski was found inside, no worse for his experience, and the emperor, accepting the gift, made him his chief cook in the kitchen.

THE REPORTER AND THE "CHEW." Judge Morgan, who is very fond of plug tobacco, is not the only member of the Ontario Bench who has found chewing an intellectual stimulus. The late Justice Ferguson, known as an expert on the question of demurrers and special pleadings, was also an expert judge of the "weed," and was accustomed to use it extensively. A reporter who had formerly been employed in his law office and knew the judge well, dropped in one day, found a vacant desk, and incidentally noticed that a plug of tobacco was lying within reach. With a rapid glance around the room he grabbed the tobacco, took a stealthy but determined bite, and prepared to decamp. To his horror he saw Judge Ferguson regarding him over the top of a screen, behind which he had shortly before retired in order to wash his hands. But the judge saw the humor of the situation, and stopped the flight of the intruder by exclaiming, "Take a good chew, my boy. Take a good chew while you're at it."

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SETTING HIM RIGHT.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, the well known writer and lecturer, in an address in New York on woman's suffrage said: "A famous New York editor was arguing with me the other day."

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There is a new outbreak against the tips on the railways and especially in the Pullman service. The Pullman company is a million-dollar concern, and owns 5,000 cars, which in their lifetime make enough to pay back the entire cost of construction and the cost of three more cars.

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Advertisement for DYOLA dyeing product, including a small illustration of a woman.

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Advertisement for Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, listing various courses and programs.

A VALUABLE WITNESS.

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WAY OF THE WORLD.

Puck—Knicker—The early bird gets the worm.

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NO FAULT OF MINE.

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