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**Thanksgiving DAY**

**FOWL DINNER**

Town Hall, Mildmay,  
5 to 8 P. M.

**Everybody Welcome.**

Next Monday will be Thanksgiving Day.

Commissioner Clubine is levelling off the foundation of the new concrete sidewalk in the East end, and is having the gravel put in, ready for the cement. The concrete work will not be done until spring.

**George Schoenau is Dead.**  
Mr. J. S. Milne has just received word that Mrs. Milne's youngest brother, George T. Schoenau, died suddenly of typhoid fever, at El Reposo Sanatorium, Sierra Madre, California. The family, however, were aware of his illness in that Sanatorium, as he had gone there for treatment on September 27th. Mr. Milne expects the remains to arrive at Mildmay about Tuesday next, in which case the funeral will take place on Wednesday, but the funeral announcement will be issued later.

**Communication.**

Mr. Editor.—

Kindly allow me space for a few words in reply to the article last week, as to raking the stones off the roads. It appears to me that all the local papers should take the matter up and remind the councillors of their duty to the travelling public. It is certainly a disgrace for townships such as Normanby and Carrick and others, to have their roads heaped up high, and left with deep ditches on either side to cause accidents and upsets. Stones nearly as large as a man's head are common, and the approach to nearly every bridge or culvert needs filling up to prevent breakage and damage to rig. What are the Councillors elected for, but to look after and keep our roads in repair. As the article suggested last week, the rolling stones should be raked off the roads at least twice a year.

The worst piece of road work that I have seen this year was the gravelling on the 10th concession of Carrick, near the Lutheran church. Instead of gravel being put on the highway, stones and sand were hauled on to the road, and the travelling is made much worse in consequence. Did you Councillors or path-masters ever stop to think what a burden it is to your horses to be pounded by the wagon tongue from one side to the other, caused by the incessant number of stones on the road, and the pitch holes. If our councils will not give us good roads, a strict law should be passed compelling them to do so.

A subscriber.

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It costs you nothing to let us examine your eyes.

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Walkerton

**Grand Trunk Time Table**

Trains leave Mildmay station as follows:

GOING SOUTH	GOING NORTH
Express..... 7:31 a.m.	Express..... 8:55 a.m.
Express..... 11:37 a.m.	Express..... 1:43 p.m.
Express..... 2:52 p.m.	Express..... 5:54 p.m.

The 7:31 a.m. and 1:43 p.m. trains carry mail.

Postmaster Murat is on the sick list this week.

We are offering the Gazette to Jan. 1st, 1912 for 10 cents.

John Hohnstein has drilled a well for E. Witter & Co., at the grist mill.

At Milwaukee a steer was killed, dressed and hung ready for market in four minutes and one second. A Record.

**LOCAL & PERSONAL**

Carrick Council will meet on Monday, November 13th.

A song service will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. Murat is spending a week with her daughter Mrs. F. E. Welker, at St. Jacobs.

Here the anvil soloist in "Jollities" Overture, in the Opera House, Monday, October 30th.

We regret to report that the condition of Mr. Hirman Schoenau of Buffalo, who has been ill for some time, is not as hopeful as his friends could desire.

The by-elections rendered necessary by Ministers of the Borden Cabinet taking office are dated for November 3rd; nominations, October 27th.

**Stray Sheep.**  
Aged ewe, came to the premises of Anthony Diemer, Lot 25 con. 4 Carrick about August 20th. Owner can have same by proving ownership, and paying expenses.

**FARMERS' Central Mutual Fire Insurance Company**

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**WM. HACKER, AGENT**  
MILDMAY, ONT.

**Stock For Sale.**  
G. H. Whyte, Lot 46, concession D, Carrick, has for sale a three-year old Aberdeen Angus bull, also three registered Clydesdale fillies, one and two years old. All are good quality animals.

**Auction Sale.**  
Walter Renwick of the Howick town-line, is holding an auction sale of farm stock on Friday afternoon of this week. Fifty young cattle will be disposed of, as well as a lot of pure bred sheep. H. Torrance of Clifford will wield the hammer.

**Obituary.**  
After an illness with heart trouble, extending over several years, Mrs. Theresa Rich, widow of the late Christian Rich, passed away on Monday morning of this week at the age of 66 years. Mrs. Rich has been living with her son Gregory, near Formosa, for some time. The funeral took place yesterday morning to the Formosa cemetery and was largely attended.

**Your Laundry.**  
Garfield Eickmeier, barber, has been appointed local agent for Pang John Lee's laundry, in Southampton. Patrons will leave their laundry not later than Monday evening of each week. Pang John asks that all his friends will continue their patronage to him, and guarantee satisfactory work.

**Bitter Lick**

What is it?  
Medicated Salt Brick, the great conditioner, Tonic, Digestor, etc. A great money-saver to those using it. Also a supply of the best flour made, together with bran, shorts, chop and whole barley, oats, wheat, oyster shells, grit, &c. All kinds of meals, Cream of wheat, Flaked Wheat.

Cash Paid for Butter, Eggs, and Apples.

**G. Lambert.**

**Accidentally Shot.**  
Last Friday a young farmer named Provelske was accidentally shot and killed while hunting rabbits with a companion on the fourth concession of Elderslie, a few miles from Paisley. He got up on a stump to get a better view of his quarry, when the stump gave way. In falling the gun exploded and, being pointed towards himself, the bullet entered the abdomen.

**The Fight is on.**  
The two candidates for the local legislature, J. G. Anderson and Dr. Clapp, are among the electors, and the fight is on in earnest. Dr. Clapp is spending the week in Walkerton and Brant, while Mr. Anderson is making the acquaintance of the Carrick electors. The writs have not yet been issued, but it is expected that the election will be held between the 5th and 15th of December.

**Fire Narrowly Averted.**  
What might have proved a very disastrous fire was narrowly averted on Sunday evening of this week. About 5:30 in the home of Mrs. Fedy, a fire broke out, caused by the upsetting of a kerosene heater, and matters looked very serious for a time. Mrs. Fedy threw the burning stove out into the hall, and then gave it a vigorous kick down stairs. This was perhaps the wisest course to pursue, although the oil which streamed from the stove, saturated the hall and stairway, which were instantly in a mass of flames. At this juncture every thing gave promise of a conflagration, and the fire brigade turned out, with the engine and hose reels. Fortunately, through the heroic efforts of Mrs. Fedy, and her brother-in-law, John Fedy, the flames were extinguished before any great damage was done. Two young ladies who were guests at the Fedy residence on Sunday afternoon, bolted down the back stairway and succeeded, by breaking several windows, in making their escape from the burning building. One of the ladies, however, had her arm badly cut while making her escape through a broken window.

**An Opportunity!**

To have an interest in "Vancouver"

Canada's Foremost City. The Gateway of the Pacific. Lots in South Vancouver from \$350 up. Cash Payment \$100. Balance over 18 months.

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—WRITE—

W. F. CURLE,  
350 Pender St. W.,  
Vancouver, B. C.

**Moving Week.**  
Many of the westenders are moving this week. Wellington Richards will inhabit the Harron property west of the village. John Devlin is moving to Mrs. Alt's residence, and Mrs. Hart will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Devlin, she having purchased same. Mrs. Geo. Duffy is moving from Carrigg this week to Mrs. Hooey's house, and Mrs. Ernewein is moving from Noeckerville to Jas. H. Thompson's house. John Weber is moving to the house vacated by Mrs. Ernewein.

**Charge Against Constable Maurer.**  
Constable Maurer of Clifford started out on Saturday to take a prisoner to Guelph from Palmerston. Seating his man on the inner side of the seat in the car, Maurer went to sleep, and the prisoner, Daniel Gillen, calmly stepped off at Drayton, the officer waking up when Guelph was called. The prisoner was captured by High County Constable Green, and brought to Guelph on Monday afternoon. Gillen is on the Indian list and was sentenced to three months because he would not tell where he secured the liquor. On being brought to Guelph by Constable Green, he told the Magistrate that the liquor had been supplied by Constable Maurer, and he was allowed to go. Constable Maurer will now have to face a charge of supplying liquor to a man on the prohibited list.

**Thanksgiving Rates.**  
On account of Thanksgiving Day, Monday, Oct. 30th, the Grand Trunk will sell return tickets at single fare, good going Friday, Saturday or Monday and to return on Wednesday.

**Auction Sale.**  
Auction Sale of Farm Stock, Implements and Household Furniture on Thursday, November 9th, at 1 o'clock p. m. at Lot 14, Con. A, Carrick. Thos. J. Kelly, Proprietor; John Purvis, Auctioneer.

**\$50 Reward.**  
S. A. Rife, mayor of Walkerton, has offered a reward of \$50 for the capture or recovery of Rudolph Misch of that town, who strayed away from his home about the 9th inst. He was last seen in the vicinity of the Evangelical Camp Grounds in Carrick.

**More Sheep Killed.**  
Last week we reported that several sheep belonging to Joseph Hundt of the 6th concession, had been worried by dogs. Since last issue several more sheep belonging to Mr. Hundt were killed by canines. After the dogs' first appearance Mr. Hundt set a trap for the animals in the hope of catching the offenders. On nearing the place where the trap was set, a day or so later, Mr. Hundt noticed an animal in the trap, but what he supposed was an entrapped canine, turned out to be a very large skunk.

**Dr. Clapp Nominated.**  
The South Bruce Conservatives, at the largest convention in the history of the organization held at Formosa, selected Dr. Clapp, of Mildmay, as their standard-bearer at the provincial election to be held in December. The hall selected for the meeting was found to be too small, and an adjournment was made to a larger one. Several complimentary nominations were made, but all rejected except John Joynt of Lucknow, and Dr. Clapp, of Mildmay. A vote was taken and the latter received two-thirds of the votes cast, after which Mr. Joynt moved that the nomination of Dr. Clapp be made unanimous. The choice of the convention once before carried South Bruce.

**Man Hunt.**  
Rudolph Misch, the man who mysteriously disappeared from his home here some ten days ago, is still at large and is believed to be hiding in the swamps near Karlsruhe. About fifty from town and an equal number from the country organized themselves into searching parties on Sunday and the woods and swamps around Karlsruhe were searched in vain for the missing man. Nothing was seen or heard of him until Tuesday afternoon, when it was reported that Geo. Fisher and John Becker while driving home, had seen him about two miles northeast of Decemerton, standing in a gravel pit eating an apple. He was described as having both his face and hands blackened his hat pulled down over his eyes and a blue handkerchief wrapped around his neck. The parties who saw him, hastily put away their horses and started back to capture him, but on returning to the spot, they found he had gone and no further trace of him, we understand, has yet been found. It is evident he is subsisting on apples and turnips secured probably from the adjacent fields, and although the weather has been anything but favorable for out-door life, he apparently shows no signs of wishing to return home or permit himself to be found by the searchers. Grief over financial loss which he sustained some years ago, is said to have affected his mind and to be responsible for his present unhappy condition.

**Carlsruhe.**  
The funeral of the late David Schwan, which took place on Tuesday morning of last week, was largely attended, a large number of friends and relatives from a distance attending, among them being: Wm. and Frank Schwan, Mrs. Alex Oberle and Mrs. John Hundt, of Hanover, Louis Schwan, of Fort William, Mr. and Mrs. Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. Herteis, and Mrs. Geierbiel of St. Clements, Mrs. Herrgott and son Albert of Waterloo. The deceased was born in Waterloo, and ran a brewery here for the past thirty years.

**Mrs. Martin Wojekowski** visited friends in Sullivan township last week.

Mrs. Karl Halter of New Germany is visiting relatives here.

Jos. Montag and John Lobsinger attended the conservative convention at Formosa last Thursday.

A Shooting Match will be held in this burg on Thanksgiving Day.

BORN—On October 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hundt, twins. One of the twins died shortly after death.

**Back From the West.**  
Albert Haslins returned home from Saskatchewan on Tuesday evening of this week after spending two months in the West. He went out on the harvesters' excursion, and secured a good job, although labor was very plentiful. He managed a threshing outfit, making \$7 per day, but he was compelled to give it up, owing to blood poisoning in his hand. It will take another month to finish up threshing in Saskatchewan, and there is still considerable standing grain in Alberta and Manitoba. On Sunday Regina and Winnipeg.

**Death of Mrs. Millen.**  
The death of Mrs. Clara Millen of the 7th concession of Carrick, took place on Friday morning of last week, after an illness extending over several months. Deceased was about seventy years of age, and suffered with a cancer of the bowels. Last Friday morning while taking her breakfast, she was taken suddenly ill with apoplexy, and expired half an hour later. She leaves to mourn her death, a sister, one son, John, at home, and three daughters, Mrs. John Weiler of Belmore, Mrs. Alois Gutcher of the 5th concession, and Mrs. Andrew Kempel of Riversdale. The funeral took place on Monday morning to the Formosa R. C. Cemetery.

**Miss Charlotte Kelly** spent a few days in Ashfield with her sister Mrs. Gilmore.

Mr. Henry Weber of Formosa, has commenced plowing on the Kelly farm, which he recently purchased.

Alex Becker has leased Louis Meyer's farm at the Ambelside Corner, at present occupied by Anthony Batte. Tony has purchased his father's farm, and gets possession of the same next spring.

W. P. McGee, the popular teacher at Separate School No. 10, Carrick, was fortunate enough to secure two racoons one evening last week.

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**AMBELSIDE.**  
Mr. Jos. Trautmann is now one of the largest land owners in this section, having purchased the 100 acre farm on the Culross townline from Frank Cronin. His lands now total up to 300 acres.

Frank Cronin left on Tuesday for his new home in Carrigg. Frank's pleasant smile and cheerful greeting will be greatly missed by his many friends and neighbors, who all join in wishing him the best of success in his new venture. We hope soon to hear of Frank enlarging his family circle.

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## Hints for Busy Housekeepers.

Recipes and Other Valuable Information of Particular Interest to Women Folks.

### CURING MEAT.

The methods of keeping meats the year around is well known to farmers' wives, but a mystery to most town housekeepers. A good sized piece of meat may be bought advantageously and corned, after cutting off a portion to be used in its fresh state. The rump is best to corn. Beef tongues, fresh ham, veal, or mutton are excellent when corned.

A pickle for corning meat in small quantities is made as follows: Four pounds of coarse salt, eight quarts of water, two pounds of brown sugar, one-half pound of saltpetre; stir until salt and sugar are dissolved; then boil and skim, letting the mixture become cold before pouring over the meat. Turn the meat in the pickle every day for a week, which will give it a fine color and flavor. During the summer this pickle may be boiled over with an addition of one cup of salt and one cup of brown sugar to one quart of water, when it will keep sweet for several weeks. A plate or clean flat stone must be used to keep the meat beneath the pickle.

A large beef tongue will have to be kept in the pickle fourteen days before it is ready for use.

**Dried Beef.**—Select a round of beef and divide in two parts through the middle, rejecting the bone. For twelve pounds of meat allow one-half pound of fine salt, one quarter ounce of pulverized saltpetre, and one-half pound of brown sugar. Rub this mixture into the meat every morning until it is all used up. At the end of this time hang up in the smokehouse for two weeks to dry. An excess of smoke will ruin the flavor.

Few town people have a smokehouse, and this method will be found a very good substitute. Drive nails around the top of a tight barrel, fill an iron pan or pail half full of ashes, build a fire on top of these. Hang the meat by a stout twine on the nails, place a board over the top of the barrel, and cover tightly with an old blanket. This method has been tried in the backyard of a city residence and found practical for smoking two hams, two pieces of beef, and two sausages.

If two or three families will club together and buy their meat wholesale they will find that their meat bills will be about one-third what it usually costs.

### GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

**Yellow Cucumbers.**—Take six large yellow cucumbers, peel and cut in half, remove seeds and cut in pieces about two inches; add two and a half handfuls of salt and leave stand over night. Next morning wash off and lay pieces on cloth to dry. Put one quart of vinegar on to boil and add three cups of sugar. Put in cucumbers, few at a time, have jars ready when cucumber is clear, but not soft, then put in jars; add some white mustard seed and seal.

**Pickled Onions.**—Take a half peck of little white onions, leave in water over night, peel and put in water again over night, adding a handful of salt. Next morning lay onions on cloth to dry. Boil three quarts of vinegar, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-third handful of round allspice, four or five bay leaves, one-half handful of whole black pepper. Put onions in jar and cover with the vinegar; add a half teaspoonful of ground red pepper. Tie cloth over to keep steam in.

**Dill Pickles.**—Take one-half peck of dill pickles, ten cents' worth of dill. Wash pickles and lay a layer of dill on bottom of a one-half gallon jar, then a layer of pickles, and so on until all is used, last layer being dill. Cover with enough salt water and a stone, so as to keep pickles well under water.

**Good Quince Jelly.**—Take half a peck of quince, wash and cut in quarters and add enough water to cover even, boil till soft, then put in bag and let drain all night. Add a cupful of sugar to every cup of juice. Boil until a little on saucer thickens. You can do the same with grapes, crab apples, and skins of peaches and pears. Do not add water when making grape jelly.

### MARMALADE.

**Orange.**—Select one orange and one lemon with a thin skin. Cut in slices and then in cubes. To this add six cups of water. Let stand over night. Next morning boil twenty minutes, measure liquid, and to one cupful of mixture add one cupful of sugar. Boil evenly for one-half hour, or until it jells. This will make eight medium sized glasses.

**Rhubarb.**—Six cups rhubarb cut in small pieces, six cups of granulated sugar, two large or four small oranges cut in thin slices, skin and all. Boil all together until thick, seal in pint fruit jars. This is delicious.

**Adapted Marmalade.**—Cut orange and red from rind of one

watermelon. Cut white rind into squares and lay in cold water over night. Next morning put through food chopper, cover with cold water, and let come to boil; then drain. Repeat twice, then boil until tender. Put pulp through chopper (and when the rinds are tender, put all into one kettle with five pounds of granulated sugar, boil for two hours, and put into jars. This marmalade is a beautiful golden color and delicious.

### CELERY.

**Celery and Cheese.**—Stew until tender celery cut into one inch pieces. Take one cup of water left after removing the celery and add it (the water) to a rich white sauce. Stir into this sauce enough grated cheese to make in a rich yellow in color. Put the previously prepared celery into a baking dish, pour the sauce over it, and cover thickly with bread crumbs that have been browned in melted butter. Heat in oven a few minutes.

**Creamed Celery and Almonds.**—Drop celery cut into inch lengths into boiling water. Stew until tender. Make a rich cream sauce and stir into it one-half cup of blanched chopped almonds. Add this sauce to the drained celery. Serve hot.

**Fried Celery Sticks.**—Cut celery into pieces four inches in length. Steam until partly tender. Take from water, cool, roll in egg and cracker crumbs, fry in hot fat. Pile in log cabin fashion on plate and serve hot.

### POPULAR RECIPES.

**Quick Coffee Cake.**—One tablespoonful butter, one tablespoonful lard, one pinch salt, one cupful sugar, one egg, beat all together; three and one-half cups flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, add enough milk to make a stiff batter. Put sliced apples on top, sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon. Sliced peaches are also nice.

**Sour Cream Cookies.**—Two eggs, one and one-half cups sugar, three-fourths cup butter, three-fourths cup sour cream, or milk, one-half teaspoonful cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful nutmeg, one-fourth teaspoonful cloves, one teaspoonful soda, a pinch of salt, three and one-half cups flour, one-half teaspoonful baking powder. This recipe will make about fifty cookies.

**Apple Snow.**—Boil about five apples to a pulp, sweetening to taste. When cool place in a large bowl, together with the white of one egg, juice of one lemon, and one cup of sugar. Beat the mixture about thirty minutes with a wire egg beater. The result is three times the amount you started with, enough to serve ten people.

**Tomato Relish.**—One peck ripe tomatoes, chopped and drained over night in a bag, two cups chopped celery, two cups chopped onions, three green peppers chopped, one quart strong vinegar, two pounds brown sugar, three tablespoonfuls salt, two tablespoonfuls cinnamon, two ounces mustard seed. Stir all together well, bottle and seal. No cooking. Keeps any length of time.

### GRAPES.

**Grape Juice.**—To two gallons of grapes put three quarts of water; cover and let boil until grapes break. Steam, and to six quarts of juice add two pounds of granulated sugar. Let come to a boil, skim, put into bottles hot, and seal.

**Grape Sherbet.**—Two pounds Concord grapes, two lemons, one quart water, one pound sugar; lay a square of cheesecloth over a large bowl; put in the washed grapes and mash thoroughly; squeeze out all the juice and add an equal amount of sugar, the lemon juice. Use sugar enough to make it quite sweet, then freeze.

### ATTRACTIVE RECIPES.

**Pumpkin Pie.**—One cup pumpkin cooked fine, one egg, one level tablespoonful of flour, two-thirds of a cupful of sugar or sweeter if desired, a pinch of salt, one-half teaspoonful ginger, one-quarter teaspoonful cinnamon or allspice, enough milk to fill one pie. Bake with lower crust only and brown slightly on top.

**Tart Filling.**—Lemon or orange paste for tarts: Juice of one lemon or orange and pulp, one egg, one cupful of sugar, one tablespoonful of melted butter. Set it in boiling water to thicken. Put on the tart crusts. If they are deep enough this can be frosted.

### HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Scrubbing brushes, if hung in the air, will last twice as long as they would if allowed to lie in a damp place.

When sticking labels on canisters add a little honey to the flour and water paste, and then the paper will not peel off.

After trimming a lamp turn the wicks down, or else when lighted the lamp will be found to be covered with oil.

Steaming is better than boiling for fish, fowl, or poultry. All the juices of the meat are retained and nothing is wasted.

**Larder Hint.**—If a ham, a piece of bacon, or some spiced beef is on hand, be sure to turn the meat daily and put it on a clean dish.

When buying apples select the heaviest, for they are the best, also take those which, when pressed with the thumb, yield to it with a slight cracking noise.

Stewing is the best and most economical way of cooking meat. It needs very little heat, and the vegetables, so necessary for the flavor, increase the bulk.

**A Discolored Teapot.**—If your pot is of rough china or pottery you may have some difficulty in getting rid of the stains. Stand ammonia and water in it, and then scrub well with crystal soap. Repeat till clean.

Difficulty is often met with in beating whites of eggs, when they absolutely refuse to froth. Do not be discouraged, but for every egg white add two drops of pure glycerine, then they will whip quickly to a froth light and stiff. The glycerine is harmless and merely has a drying effect, causing the evaporation of moisture from the egg. It is an excess of moisture which excludes the air from the cells of albumen. Also add the glycerine to fresh eggs and they will froth in half of the usual time required. The above has been proved by repeated experiments.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDY

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,  
OCTOBER 29.

Lesson V.—A psalm of deliverance,  
Psa. 85. Golden Text,  
Psa. 126. 3.

**A Psalm of the sons of Korah.**—There are two groups of psalms in this third book of the Psalter. The sons of Korah, who were responsible for those from 84 to 89, made up a guild of singers connected with the temple, and these psalms were collected by them for the temple service. The rest of the book, Psalms 73-83, were collected by the sons of Asaph, who held a similar position.

**Verse 1.** Thou has been favorable—The first three verses breathe a spirit of gratitude for the mercies of Jehovah in bringing home the captive people, forgiving their iniquity, and taking away his wrath.

**Thy land—Judah** was in a special sense the chosen territory of God for the working out of his redemptive purpose.

**The captivity of Jacob.**—Referring in particular to the period of seventy years in the land and under the sway of Babylon. Jacob is another name for Israel (Gen. 32, 28).

**2. Selah.**—This word occurs 74 times in the Hebrew Bible and 71 times in the Psalter. There is no uniform tradition as to its precise meaning. The most acceptable theory makes it a kind of musical interlude, the instruments at this point sounding forth loud, while the voices of the singers ceased.

**3. Taken away all thy wrath.**—All the prophets looked upon the calamities that befell Israel as sure signs of the displeasure of God. The smile of prosperity meant that the divine anger was averted, and had given place to favor. All these descriptions of passion in God are, of course, a human way of speaking. But they declare a great fact. The wrath of God is not a weakness in him. It indicates the intensity of his antagonism to all evil.

**4. Turn us.**—We have here a prayer for the restoration of God's favor (verses 4-7). "Turn to us" expresses this more accurately. A discouraging hour has arrived. It may be that hour just before the building of the temple, or, it may reflect the state of things in the troublous times of Nehemiah.

**5. Draw out thine anger.**—It seemed to the weary people, after their hard captivity that the tokens of Jehovah's displeasure ought now to cease, and not be dragged out for the coming generations.

**6. Quicken us again.**—Ezekiel's vision of the valley of dry bones, and the wonderful reawakening of life within them, may have been in the mind of the singer. The prophecies of restoration imply a belief in the spiritual and temporal resurrection of the nation.

**7. Thy loving kindness.**—A prayer for that particular manifestation of it which would be at once evident in prosperity attending the efforts to re-establish the nation. Salvation, in like manner, was, in this case, a deliverance from threatening evils. But in a deeper, inner sense, these words can even now be made a prayer of any humble heart seeking the evidences of God's loving regard.

**8-12.**—A delightful picture of the sure results of answered prayer.

**8. I will hear.**—He has been speaking to Jehovah; he now listens to what Jehovah has to say. It is a wise counsel that directs the wanderer not only to speak often with God, but to let God speak often to him.

He will speak peace unto his peo-

ple—There is sure to be peace restored in the hearts of the forgiven. And there is certain forgiveness for those who have no disposition to turn again to folly. Sincere repentance has its fruit in a stern refusal to turn back again to the old life.

**9. Salvation is nigh.**—He has prayed for salvation, and now he receives this message concerning it—that it is ever present to those who reverence Jehovah with becoming fear. The presence of God's salvation is like the glory of the Shekinah which abode in the tabernacle (Exod. 40, 34, 35).

**10. Mercy and truth.**—When God brings his salvation nigh, he shows mercy, but he does not compromise his character. So the Word came to dwell among men, full of both grace and truth (John 1). These attributes of the divine life, together with the righteousness which is the fruitage of the inward salvation, and the peace which abides in the heart of the upright, are to adorn the lives of men also. A new wonder is to appear; truth, a characteristic of the life of God, is to spring up out of the soil of earth (11). And righteousness (11), which dwells alone with God, is to descend to stoop from heaven to the lowly habitation of men's hearts. Thus a perfect harmony is to be effected between earth and heaven. This was in keeping with the most advanced ideas of the Jewish prophets. Their heaven was a rehabilitated earth.

**12. Yea, Jehovah will give.**—Not only blessings of a lofty spiritual nature, but everyday mercies as well, such as an increase in the productivity of the land. The psalmist speaks of our land with a peculiar and patriotic affection. The Messianic reign, to the Hebrew, meant outward conditions of peace and prosperity as a pledge of divine favor.

**13. Righteousness.**—It is represented as a herald going before Jehovah, opening up the way for the restored nation to walk in, that a bright and safe future may be assured God's people. All the ways of Jehovah are right ways.

### ELECTRIFIED CHILDREN.

Reports of Experiments in Sweden in Hastening Their Growth.

Interesting investigations into the effects of electricity upon the development of school children have recently been made in Stockholm says the Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette. The walls and ceilings of a schoolroom were lined with a coil of wires through which a high frequency current was passed. The children in the room were thus in the position of an iron core in the centre of a magnetizing coil.

Fifty children were kept in this room, while fifty others of the same average age, size and mental development were kept in an adjoining room without electrical treatment. It is stated that at the end of six months the children under electrical treatment showed an average growth of two inches, while those without electricity grew only 1 1/4 inches.

The electrified children showed an increase in weight in proportion to their height. The electrified children also showed an average proficiency in their studies of 92 per cent., and fifteen of them showed 100 per cent. The unelectrified children, on the other hand, were only 75 per cent. proficient on the average and not one of them reached 100 per cent.

It is added that the electrified children appeared to be much brighter, quicker and more active. They were prompter in attendance and much less subject to fatigue. The teachers also showed superior working capacity in the electrified room. While there was an odor of ozone in the room, it was held that the presence of ozone would not account for the results observed.

### CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL.

The consumption of alcohol is diminishing in France and the bigger the city the more marked is the diminution. Dr. Jacques Bertillon has just drawn up statistics showing the consumption of alcohol since 1900 in thirty-three French cities. The main factor in causing the decrease is the application of the law of 1807, which exempted wine and beer and greatly increased the taxes on distilled beverages. Formerly the consumption of alcohol was in all cities uniform at 7 to 8 litres a head, while it was only 2 litres 84 centilitres in the country districts. Since 1901 the consumption has dropped to 6 litres in towns of from 4,000 to 10,000 inhabitants and to 4 litres 23 centilitres in cities of more than 50,000 inhabitants. In the country districts there has been no change.

### GERM-PROOF HOUSE.

A doctor in Yokohama, Japan, has built himself a house that is proof against microbes. The walls are built of hollow bricks of glass, the interstices being filled up with a solution of salts and soda, which is intended to regulate the temperature of the interior. The windows are hermetically closed and air is admitted to the house only through filters.

## ROYAL CITY OF RICHMOND

THE BEAUTIFUL OLD TOWN  
NEAR LONDON.

A Favorite Place of Residence for  
the Kings and Queens of  
England.

The fact that King Manoel has been living at Richmond reminds one of the numerous associations with royalty which the old town possesses, says the English Lady's Pictorial. King Manoel really only followed the example of early Kings of England.

Edward I. and II. resided at Sheen, as Richmond was then called, and Edward III. died there in 1377. Richard II. after the death of his Queen at the palace partially demolished the building and Henry V. restored it. In 1498 the palace was burnt, but Henry VII. rebuilt it, giving it his own name of Richmond, and died there in 1509.

It is recorded too that a foreign King was entertained there in the sixteenth century, for Philip I., King of Spain, having been driven upon the coast of England by a storm, was entertained in this palace with great magnificence in the year 1506, and in 1523 Charles V., Emperor of Germany, was lodged at Richmond.

Henry VIII. was only an occasional resident, preferring Hampton Court, and when Wolsey's palace was transferred to the King the Cardinal received permission to reside at Richmond. Being accustomed to

**THE PRESENCE OF ROYALTY.**  
Richmond did not take kindly to the change and Hall says:

"When the common people, and especially such as had been servants to Henry VII., saw the Cardinal keep house in the Manor Royal of Richmond, which that monarch so highly esteemed, it was a marvel to hear how they grumbled, saying, 'So a butcher's dogge doth die in the manor of Richmond.'"

Queen Elizabeth was for a short period a prisoner at Richmond during the reign of Mary, and even forcible detention there could not blind her to the charms of the place, so that in her own reign the palace was one of her favorite residences, and a royal visitor in the time of Queen Elizabeth was Eric V., King of Sweden. Queen Elizabeth died at Richmond in 1603.

One may assume that the place was a favorite of Charles I., as he enclosed the Richmond Park. Lord Buckhurst and Edward Sackville in 1636 performed a masque before the King and Queen at Richmond, Richmond Palace suffered very greatly during the civil war; practically the whole place was pulled down and only a very small portion of the old building now remains.

Richmond, too, has many associations with the Georges, as has Twickenham, just across the river, Marble Hill, Twickenham, one of the estates in the neighborhood now devoted to public uses, was built by George II. for his favorite, Mrs. Howard, afterward

### COUNTESS OF SUFFOLK,

and the plain looking building is hardly perhaps so magnificent as one would expect from a place of which, according to Swift, "Mr. Pope was the contriver of the gardens, Lord Herbert the architect and the Dean of St. Patrick's (himself) chief butler and keeper of the icehouse." Mrs. Fitzherbert, the beautiful morganatic wife of George IV., whom he married when Prince of Wales, also lived at Marble Hill. Twickenham is associated with France's royal family and Orleans House received its name when the Duke of Orleans came to reside there in 1800. York House, Twickenham, where Queen Anne was born, was for many years the residence of the Comte de Paris and is now in possession of Ratan Tata, a wealthy Indian.

Crossing the river once more we can inspect the romantic Ham House, which is full of legends of the past. In its earlier days Ham House had royal associations until it came into possession of Sir Lionel Tollemache through his wife, Elizabeth, Countess of Dysart. Her second husband was the Duke of Lauderdale and it was at Ham House that the meeting of the Cabal took place. One of the most picturesque traditions—a tradition disproved, however—is that the iron gates have only been opened once since they were shut on Charles I.

Returning to Richmond, the shooting box of George III. is one of the evidences of how the park was used for sport from the days of Charles I. upward, and it is only in comparatively recent years that the numbers of plantations have been reduced, the opportunities for sport diminished and incidentally much of the wild life of the park has suffered.

The incidents which led to the enclosing of Richmond Park as a royal pleasure ground have resulted now in

### A LOVELY PARK

being opened to the public generally, the views from the

ground over the Thames Valley are matchless.

The chief associations of Richmond Park of recent years have been in connection with White Lodge, the residence for so many years of the Teak family, where the present Queen spent her early life and where the Prince of Wales was born.

Everything is royal at Richmond down to the ancient watermen's regatta, and even the humble cheese cake is there a "maid of honor." Remnants of royal barges quite recently lay in the boat yards and doubtless the surroundings induced a former M. P. to be discontented with ordinary modes of progression on the river and to make stately journeys upstream in a canopied barge rowed by gay coated watermen. But that has gone with the Maria Wood, last relic of ancient City procession upstream, and Richmond is now content to be modern, but not so modern as neighboring places which disguise their roadways with useful but inelegant and unromantic trams.

Richmond has its share of water-side men, who as King's Watermen show something of the old pageantry of the river on state occasions, among them the King's Bargemaster, who in private life is the host of

### A RIVERSIDE INN,

but on such a State occasion as a coronation fetes the regalia from the Tower and takes his place in quaint, old fashioned costume at the head of the sovereign's procession.

If rumor that a residence for the Prince of Wales may eventually be found in Richmond proves correct the town will rejoice greatly. Meanwhile it has this year welcomed as a resident not the heir to a throne but an exiled sovereign, and one may hope that the residence in the town of King Manoel may have some effect in making Richmond once more a fashionable centre, for of late years the place has suffered through the motor car making it "too near town."

In turning over old books of the Thames one is apt to muse over old masques, fetes and pageants and compare them favorably with modern efforts at the picturesque; but one must doubt if Pepps or Evelyn saw anything so brilliant as the Thames fetes which Richmond still gives us at times or if the dandies at Ditton offered to their guests anything more charming than the modern carnivals.

### TREE CISTERN OF SUDAN.

The Natives' Method of Obtaining Water in the Dry Season.

In view of the many suggestions made for the bringing down of rain it is interesting to note that in the Gezira district to the south of Khartoum whenever a drought is threatening all the children are sent into the fields and are made to clap their hands and shout vigorously, writes a Cairo correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette.

The idea is that rain will be brought down, and the little boys and girls are kept out in the open at this game until the wished for result has been obtained. This year there have been rainstorms in superabundance in the district, so the children's intercession has not been required, or perhaps the abnormal rainfall is due to their vigorous action in the past.

The latest Sudan Times gives a most interesting account of one of the means of which the inhabitants of Kordofan provide themselves with a copious water supply in that arid springless region. It is nothing more or less than the adansonia digitata, called by the natives homr, but commonly known as tcheldi. These tcheldi trees are from 10 to 25 feet in diameter; they grow to a considerable height, with trunks about 20 to 30 feet and fine branches, giving a vast amount of shade.

Strange to say, the trunks are naturally hollow and are thus used as cisterns for the storage of water. Should the cavities not be large enough the natives scoop them out further. An opening is made either in the side of the trunk near the top or right at the top where the branches start. In the former case the tree is filled with buckets from pools which are dug at the foot of the tree to collect the rainwater during the rainy season. In the latter case the tree is filled by nature when the rain falls, the branches acting as sort of gutters.

At times the trees crack, but this occurs very rarely, and the trunks are no longer of any use as reservoirs. However, lately the resourceful native has adopted cement as a means of stopping up the cracks and a large number of tcheldis have been repaired in this manner. Curiously enough the presence of such a large quantity of water in the trunk in nowise impedes its growth, and it is certainly one of the most ingenious devices of nature for circumventing a natural difficulty.

Every cultivator has his tcheldi tree, which is indispensable to his work. These trees are looked upon as personal property and on the death of a land owner his tcheldis pass as heirlooms to his sons.

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### LETTERS OF A SON IN THE MAKING TO HIS DAD.

—By REX McEVOY

[Mr. McEvoy will write for this paper a series of letters from the west. They will appear from time to time under the above heading, and will give a picture of the great Canadian west from the standpoint of a young Ontario man going out there to make his way. These letters should be full of interest for every Ontario father.]

No. 1.  
Vancouver, Oct. 13th, 1911.

My dear Dad,—  
I am pretty near ready now to turn my face home. It has been an eye-opening trip for me, and when I get back home again I shall probably never get through telling you of the places where I have been and of what I have seen. In letters, only the fringe of things can be touched.

Vancouver is growing wonderfully. While I write this I hear every now and then the boom of a blast where workmen are clearing away stumps or rocks either getting ready for building operations or in clearing and grading streets. The smoke of burning wood is generally between us and the mountains, and the scent of it hangs heavy in the air, like that of peat. Vancouver is rapidly eating its way out into the country that surrounds it, and waste land and frost is disappearing before the labors of the builders.

Uncle John and I went over to Victoria, as I said we were going to. We went by the C. P. R. steamer, "The Charmer," to Nanaimo. We had a fine view of the harbor and the shipping. Steamers from China, Japan and Australia come in to the wharves from which we started and unload their foreign burdens there. I noticed the Empress of Japan lying at the wharf with sheet metal disks hung over her hawsers to prevent the rats coming ashore from her, and bringing the bubonic plague with them. One of the things which I was surprised to learn comes in by boat from Australia is hardwood, as that is almost as scarce as hen's teeth in this province. They might import potato bugs, too, as I am told there are none here at all.

On our way to Nanaimo we passed tugs towing barges deeply laden with coal from the mines at Nanaimo. This stuff is dear in Vancouver. Though they say it costs only \$2.50 a ton to raise it to the pit's mouth, it is sold for \$7.50 a ton in Vancouver, and it is soft coal at that. Hard coal is \$10 a ton.

We stayed over night in Nanaimo. It is as ugly a place in brick and mortar as you can very well imagine, though there are one or two pretty spots. One of these was a rugged hill reflected in a placid pool. On the brow of the hill were growing gnarled arbutus trees, with their smooth red limbs. The bark of this tree boughs off, and leaves the red under-bark exposed to view. Altogether it made quite a picture. At night we visited a moving picture show, and found that this place is in the "thriller" age as regards moving pictures.

Next morning we ran down by rail to Victoria, and we saw a good deal of bush along the way. We were at Victoria shortly after noon, and directly after dinner took the street car out to Esquimalt, about twenty minutes, or half an hour, away. Here, in a beautiful land-locked basin among the rocks we found H. M. C. S. Rainbow. There is a dry-dock here, and a marine railway on which great boats can be drawn out of the water for repairs to their bottoms. There were quite a number of boats lying there at the time of our visit. We took a boat and rowed about the harbor, circling the Rainbow. We were very interested to see

it because it is the only Canadian man-of-war, which is still in commission, the Niobe having gone ashore. Another very interesting ship that was lying in the harbor was the "Restorer." The duty of this vessel is the repair of submarine telegraph cables. We were told that it has not been out of the harbor in three years, but it is always kept there with steam up ready to leave on a moment's notice if anything happens to any of the cables in the Pacific.

Next day we spent in and about the capital of British Columbia. I was very much impressed by the Legislative buildings, which are of noble proportions and are built of white stone. Their architect was a young fellow in his early twenties. They are on the margin of James Bay, and the C. P. R. boats tie up at the edge of the water that you always see in pictures of this pile. With the new Empress Hotel in park-like settings they make a notable group of buildings.

Victoria, as everybody says, has not the bustle of Vancouver, but it has a delightful charm as a place of residence. Its business streets are very fine, a couple of them being a hundred feet in width and flanked by modern structures. The Chinese quarter in Victoria is on a much better scale than in Vancouver, and while passing down the street that is lined with Chinese dwellings and stores, with Chinese things in the windows and strange Chinese vegetables in baskets on the sidewalk just at the doors, I saw quite a Chinese curiosity. This was a Chinaman with a white pig-tail. I had never seen a Chinaman with white hair before; neither had Uncle John.

Up towards the park in the residential section, there is a high cliff called Beacon Hill, from which a beautiful view over the strait is to be had. There was a big bush fire in progress over on the United States side while we were there, and the sight with its pillar of smoke was exceedingly grand.

Next day we took the Princess Charlotte, the C. P. R. steamer, and had a picturesque trip back to Vancouver. The first part of the voyage is through an archipelago of islands, densely wooded, then we came out into the open water of the Gulf of Georgia, and made a beeline for Vancouver. Just before we rounded Stanley Park into the harbor we passed the fishing town of Steveston, and saw the fisher fleet setting out to work. There are great canneries here, and we will see them some time.

Italian ships reported to be threatening the occupation of Mitylene, in the Aegean Sea.

The revolution in China is making headway. Many people are fleeing in panic from Peking.

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## THE RURAL POPULATION

### Last Year's Annual Report Showed a Gain the First in a Decade.

A despatch from Toronto says: The large decrease in the rural population of Ontario, indicated by an examination of the census figures issued at Ottawa, is no surprise for the officials of the Department of Agriculture, nor is it occasioning them any particular concern. The returns show that forty-seven cities and towns in the Provinces show an increase of some 344,000, while the Province generally had an increase of but 336,000. The decrease of eight thou-

and is probably considerably below the actual figures, since many towns under four thousand population must have shown gains. The reports to the Department of Agriculture have, until the past year, shown steady decrease in the rural population, but last year's annual report showed a gain, the first in a decade. "The increase was small—only about four thousand—but it looks like the turning point," said Mr. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, in referring to the matter.

### PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

#### REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

#### Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Produce at Home and Abroad.

**BREADSTUFFS.**  
Toronto, Oct. 24.—Flour—Winter wheat, 90 per cent. patents, \$3.55 to \$3.60, Montreal freight. Manitoba flours—First patents, \$5.40; second patents, \$4.90; and strong bakers', \$4.70, on track, Toronto.  
Manitoba Wheat—New No. 1 Northern, \$1.06, Bay ports; No. 2 Northern, \$1.06 1/2; and No. 3, \$1.04, Bay ports.  
Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, red and mixed, new, 86 to 87c, outside.  
Peas—Good milling peas, 92 to 95c, outside.  
Oats—Ontario No. 2 at 43 to 44c, outside, and No. 3 at 42c; car lots of No. 2, on track here, 47c. No. 2 Western Canada, 46c, and No. 3, 47c, Bay ports.  
Barley—No. 3 extra, 87 to 88c, outside, and No. 2 at 90c, outside.  
Corn—No. 2 American yellow, 75c, Bay ports.  
Rye—Car lots, outside, 77 to 80c for No. 2.  
Buckwheat—No. 2 at 55 to 67c, outside.  
Bran—Manitoba bran, \$23, in bags, Toronto freight. Shorts, \$25.

#### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Winter stock, \$3 to \$4 per barrel.  
Beans—Small lots of hand-picked, \$2.25 to \$2.30 per bushel.  
Honey—Extracted in tins, 10 to 11c per lb. Combs, \$2.50 to \$2.75.  
Baled Hay—No. 1 at \$15 to \$16, on track, and inferior at \$12 to \$13.  
Baled straw—\$6.50 to \$7, on track, Toronto.  
Potatoes—Car lots, in bags, 95c to \$1.  
Poultry—Wholesale prices of dressed poultry: Chickens, 12 to 15c per lb.; hens, 11 to 12c; ducks, 12 to 13c; turkeys, 17c. Live poultry about 2c lower than the above.

#### BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE.

Butter—Dairy, choice, in wrappers, 25 to 26c; do., medium grades, 22 to 23c. Creamery quoted at 27 to 28c per lb. for rolls, and 25 to 26c for solids.  
Eggs—Strictly new-laid, 28c, and fresh at 24c per dozen, in case lots.  
Cheese—Large, 15c per lb, and twins at 15 1/4c.

#### HOG PRODUCTS.

Cured meats are quoted as follows: Bacon, long clear, 12 to 12 1/2c per 100 in case lots. Pork, short cut, \$2.50; do., mess, \$20 to \$20.50. Hams, medium to light, 17 to 17 1/2c; do., heavy, 15 to 15 1/2c; rolls, 11 to 11 1/2c; breakfast bacon, 17 to 18c; backs, 19 1/2 to 20c.  
Lard—Tierces, 19 1/2c; tubs, 19 3/4c; pails, 11c.

#### MONTREAL MARKETS.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—Oats—C. W. No. 2, 48 1/2 to 49c, car lots, ex store; extra No. 1 feed, 48 to 48 1/2c; No. 3 C. W., 47 1/2 to 48c; No. 2 local white, 47 to 47 1/2c; No. 3 local white, 46 1/2 to 47c; No. 4 local white, 46 1/4 to 46 1/2c. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.50; seconds, \$5; Winter wheat patents, \$4.75 to \$5; strong bakers', \$4.80; straight rollers, \$4.25 to \$4.40; in bags, \$1.95 to \$2.05. Rolled oats—Per barrel, \$5.25; bag of 90 lbs., \$2.50. Corn—American No. 3 yellow, 78 to 78 1/2c; Millfeed—Bran, Ontario, \$23 to \$24; Manitoba, \$23; middlings, Ontario, \$27 to \$28; shorts, Manitoba, \$25; moullie, \$26 to \$32. Eggs—Selected, 26 to 27c; No. 1 stock, 21 1/2 to 22c. Cheese—Westerns, 14 to 14 1/2c; Easterns, 13 1/2 to 13 3/4c. Butter—Choice, 27 1/2c; seconds, 26 1/2 to 27c.

#### UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Minneapolis, Oct. 24.—Close—Wheat—December, \$1.10 3/4; May, \$1.14 5/8 to \$1.14 3/4; No. 1 hard, \$1.12 1/4; No. 1 Northern, \$1.11 1/4 to \$1.11 3/4; No. 2 Northern, \$1.09 1/4 to \$1.09 3/4; No. 3 wheat, \$1.04 1/4 to \$1.06 1/4. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 74c. Oats—No. 3 white, 45 3/4 to 46 1/2c. Rye—No. 2, 90c. Bran—\$2.50 to \$2.2. Flour—First patents, \$5.40 to \$5.70; do., seconds, \$5 to \$5.30; first clear, \$3.50 to \$4.25; do., seconds, \$2.80 to \$3.25.  
Buffalo, Oct. 24.—Spring wheat—No. 1 Northern carloads, store, \$1.15 1/2; Winter strong, Corn—No. 3 yellow, 78 3/4c; No. 4 yellow, 77 1/2c, on track through billed. Oats—Strong Barley—Malting, \$1.14 to \$1.22.

West steers sold at \$5.65 to \$5.75, but the bulk of the trading done in top grades was at \$5.50 to \$5.60, good at \$5 to \$5.25, medium at \$4.50 to \$4.75, and common at \$3 to \$4 per cwt. Good butchers' cows brought from \$4.25 to \$4.50 and medium \$2 to \$4 per cwt. The demand for milk cows is very good at \$55 to \$75 per head for good to choice milkers and at \$25 to \$35 for common and medium. Sheep, ewes, sold at 3 1/2 to 3 3/4c, and bucks and culls at 2 1/2 to 3 1/4c per lb. Lambs, weighing from 80 to 85 lbs., brought 5 to 5 1/2c per lb. Choice heavy calves \$15 to \$20 each, and the common ones at from \$3 to \$10 each. Sales of selected hogs were made at \$6.25 to \$6.50, and heavy lots at \$5.75 to \$6 per cwt., weighed off cars.

Toronto, Oct. 24.—The butcher cattle sold at from \$5.50 to \$5.75, but there were not many at that level. Good stock went from \$4.75 to \$5.25, with common as low as \$3.75. Good to choice cows sold for \$4.25 to \$5, and common to medium at \$3 to \$4. Heavy feeders are still wanted at from \$4.50 to as high as \$5.20 for something of exceptional quality. Canners brought from \$1.50 to \$2.00. The market for calves is stronger. The range of prices is from \$5 to \$8.75 each. There is little inquiry for poor stock. Sheep are steady. Hogs, \$5.90 f.o.b. and \$6.15 to \$6.35 fed and watered.

### MAKING SAFE INVESTMENTS

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Difficulty of Subdividing a Mortgage and Necessity of Examination of Property Makes Sale Difficult, if Not Impossible—All Right for Big Estates and Companies—More Suitable Investments for Those of Small Means.

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The question of distribution of risk is one that few mortgage investors bear in mind. As a rule, the average investor has but limited means, and, therefore, cannot buy more than a few mortgages at the most. These, too, are altogether likely to be in his own neighborhood. The result is that when a year like the present comes—severe drought in many places, perhaps causing a total failure of the crop in the particular district in which one has been loaning—there is a very good chance that interest, at least, will not be forthcoming. It is hard, if not impossible, for a person of small capital to get a sufficient number of small mortgages to enable him to distribute his risk properly. On the other hand, in the case of many bonds, one can buy denominations of \$100 and upwards. The farmer who is willing to place a mortgage for so small a sum as that on his property in all probability is in such strained circumstances that the security is very doubtful.

Of course, in the case of a very large estate the question of proper distribution of risk demands that a certain proportion of the money involved be put into sound mortgages.

As pointed out last week, the fact that mortgages are saleable only with difficulty, is a serious drawback in the case of many investors. The reason for this is quite obvious. In the first place, mortgages, that is, real estate mortgages, are usually made by private individuals. They are not divisible, so that it is impossible for a purchaser to buy part of a mortgage. In the case of a bond, on the contrary, the holder of a thousand dollar Wm. Davies bond, for example, can divide it into ten bonds of \$100 each, each of which is equally as secure as the whole, and it is issued by a company whose shareholders, in their desire for dividends, will see that its earning power is kept up, if at all possible. Then the prospective purchaser of a mortgage will have to go to the expense of a careful search of the title of the property mortgaged; he will have to go to the expense and trouble of having the property valued, he will have to worry about the question of insurance. In short, it is no

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A despatch from Parry Sound says: The body of Miss Violet Smith of Toronto, the nineteen-year-old school teacher at Dillon's Port, who disappeared from the home of Mr. Peter Ramsay, where she was boarding, on the morning of October 9, at 7.30 o'clock, was brought to the surface of the Shebashekong River at 11.30 o'clock Thursday morning by Captain Brook Patten of Port Arthur, brother-in-law of the deceased, after he had dragged the little river for some time.

her life was ended has, yet to be cleared up. Though suicide immediately suggests itself as an explanation, it is understood that no tracks leading to the place opposite the spot in the river where the body was discovered were discernible. There is then some uncertainty as to how Miss Smith got into the river. It was suggested that she jumped off the bridge over the Shebashekong River, but there is no current to carry the body midway between the bridges. Neither Captain Patten nor Mr. Beatty examined the body to find any marks of foul play or any note of explanation.

Though the mystery as to the fate of the missing teacher has been solved, the mystery as to how

great wonder that mortgages cannot be sold for their face value. If, on the other hand, the seller of a mortgage has to pay all these expenses when the purchaser demands it, he is that much worse off, as the expense adds to his loss.

In the case of bonds all this trouble is obviated for the reason that the legality and security of a bond issue are, as a rule, carefully examined and passed upon once for all by one or more of the most skilled lawyers in Canada. Except in the case of small municipal bond issues the issues are for large amounts and are therefore generally so well known that there is no need for more than the mere statement that one wishes to sell in order, at most times, to find a ready purchaser.

### C. N. R. DECIDES TO TUNNEL.

Will Apply for Authority to Pierce Mount Royal.

A despatch from Toronto says: At the forthcoming session of the Dominion Parliament the Canadian Northern Tunnel and Terminal Company will apply for authority to construct and operate a railway tunnel under Mount Royal, Montreal. The cost of the undertaking is conservatively estimated at \$25,000,000, and in addition the Canadian Northern Railway is likely to spend a large sum in improvement work around Montreal. It is understood that the application will be sufficiently comprehensive to allow the C.N.R. to construct and operate lines connecting its tracks with the C.N.O. and C.N.Q. railroads, and those of the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal. The tunnel will give the C.N.R. easy access to the city of Montreal and avoid the slow handling of trains around the mountain. The tunnel will be approximately three miles in length.

### APPLES FOR KING GEORGE.

Three Cases Shipped From Quebec for the Royal Family.

A despatch from Montreal, says: Last week Mr. R. W. Shepherd, of Quebec, has shipped three cases of famous apples to England. One case is for King George, another for Queen Mary, and the other for the Queen Mother Alexandra. This is in accord with Mr. Shepherd's custom ever since 1896, when the late King Edward first became acquainted with the superior quality of Quebec's famous apples, and gave Mr. Shepherd a standing order for two cases of them every year.

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#### The Gentle Liars.

There are liars who are cruel, there are liars who are kind, but the latter are the subjects of my song. They are making people happy and I truly cannot find that such gentle untruthfulness is wrong. For the gentle liar whispers what we dearly love to hear: If we're skinny he will tell us we are fat. And he works it vice versa, but it certainly is clear, that St. Peter wouldn't shut him out for that. When you broke and flabbergasted and you show it in your face, then the gentle liar bubbles up to you. And he says, "My boy your looking like a winner in the race, with others clear behind and out of view!" When you're sick he says you're better and he laughs your fears away. Entertaining with his most mendacious chat, and although to make you happy his veracity is astray, St. Peter wouldn't shut him out for that.

He tells the dumpy people that he likes 'em better small; He tells the ugly people they are fair, He has a merry fairy tale to fit them one and all. And he scatters gentle falsehoods everywhere. Our faults he makes them smaller, our virtues magnifies, (And surely none could take offence thereat) For his heart is over flowing with a kindly stream of lies. And St. Peter wouldn't shut him out for that.

#### An Old Wheat Stack.

What may probably claim to be the oldest wheat stack in the world may be seen in a farmyard at Aisby, South Lincolnshire. It has been standing there for 32 years this harvest. The reason it has never been threshed is not definitely known, but local tradition has it that the owner once made a vow not to sell the grain under a certain figure which it has never attained. Outside the stack is black with age, but inside both straw and kernel are of natural color, and the grain is in splendid condition. The owner is dead and now the stack will be sold.

#### The Value of Small Savings.

If a young man fifteen years of age were determined to save three car fares a week, and to pay the 15 cents thus saved every week until he was sixty to the Canadian Government for the purchase of an Annuity, the result of his thrift would be that from and after sixty he would receive \$25.18 every 3 months so long as he lived. If he died before he was sixty all that he had paid in with three per cent compound interest would be refunded to his heirs, and if he died just before his first instalment of Annuity fell due his heirs would inherit \$71.70. A post card sent to the Superintendent of Canadian Government Annuities, Ottawa, giving your age last birthday, will secure you information as to what an Annuity will cost.

#### Do You Do This.

When beating upholstered furniture in the house, place a damp cloth over the pieces. The dust adheres to the cloth. An alarm clock kept in the kitchen may be set to ring at the time the vegetables should be put over the fire or the hot bread or the cake or pudding is due to be done. Candles will last much longer if they are placed on ice and kept there for 24 hours before using. Before putting the stew pan on the fire, rub some laundry soap on the bottom several times, and when the pan is washed the black comes off like magic. The instep of a buttoned shoe makes a handy iron holder. It fits the iron perfectly. Rubbing rusty knives with a damp cloth dipped in ashes will make them bright and shining. To keep a fine gloss on your varnished floors, sprinkle with coarse salt; let remain for five minutes, then sweep off with a soft broom. When buying carpet for stairs get an extra yard, and turn it under at each end. When the carpet begins to wear on the edges of the steps, it can be slipped either up or down and equalize the wear.

#### Talking Too Much.

This truth is sound as virgin ore, so salt it down as such: The man who talks forevermore is bound to talk too much. The silent man has many friends, who think him smooth as grease, and if in season he unbends, and starts to speak a piece, they listen to his every word, as though he were a sage, and say: "He is a looloo-bird, the wonder of this age!" The talker has no friends at all; folks hate to see him come; they say to him: "Go hire a hall—address the deaf and dumb!" I know a hundred idle men who once were drawing pay; they limbered up their jaws and then talked their jobs away. I've known some dames, in other days, who talked their husbands blind, until they sought more pleasant ways, and jumped the beastly grind. I know a churchyard where the stones that dot the windswept heath are piled above the crumbling bones of fellows talked to death. If all the time we waste in talk were used in cutting ice, no homeless men the streets would walk—all men would have the price.

#### It Was Paid For.

"Refuse Notice." Every editor has received them, says an exchange. The postmaster sends them to the editor. For instance there is a man by the name of, we'll say John Jones, who refused to take his paper out of the post office. He did not want it any longer. We wondered what was the matter. Upon investigation of our subscription book we found John was short \$5.70. He has stopped his paper as a matter of economy to us. A few evenings ago we stepped into a church and John's melodious voice rang out loud and clear in the soulstirring song, "Jesus Paid it." We might have been mistaken, but his earnestness impressed us. The next day we sent him a receipt in full, begging his pardon for not knowing he had made an assignment of his liabilities to the Lord.

#### Choosing a Vocation.

It is very certain that no man is fit for everything; but it is almost as certain, too, that there is scarce any one man who is not fit for something, which something Nature plainly points out to him by giving him a tendency and propensity to it. I look upon common sense to be to the mind what conscience is to the heart—the faithful and constant monitor of what is right or wrong. And I am convinced that no man commits either a crime or a folly put against the manifest and sensible representations of the one or the other. Every man finds in himself, either from nature or education—for they are hard to distinguish—a peculiar bent and disposition to some particular character; and his struggling against it is the fruitless and endless labor of Sisyphus. Let him follow and cultivate that vocation; he will succeed in it, and be considerable in one way at least; whereas, if he departs from it, he will, at best, be inconsiderable, probably ridiculous.—Lord Chesterfield.

#### Smiles.

He hadn't been in this country very long and he was unused to some American expressions. In seeking a position he brought up at a big manufacturing plant where boilers are made. The foreman, to whom he applied for work, sized his breadth of shoulders and seemed to regard his application with favor. "Well" he said "you come around in the morning and I'll give you a trial. I might give you a steady job if I find you can deliver the goods." The young man from across the water gazed at the four-ton boilers lying about. "If that is what I've got to do I don't want the job," he said as he marched out.

#### Legal Question.

G.E., Toronto.—Qu.—What can a wife do if her husband makes good money but will not clothe her? (2) He buys food for the family, but keeps the rest of the money for himself. Can she go and work and earn money to clothe herself properly? Ans.—A married woman has the legal right to pledge her husband's credit for "necessaries." Clothing is a necessary. She has the right to go to any merchant and buy clothing suitable to her circumstances and condition in life, and to tell the merchant to charge the bill to her husband; he can be compelled to pay for it unless he can show that he has supplied his wife with necessities, or has made arrangements with some merchant to do so, and has forbidden her to deal with any other person. As the husband is under a legal obligation to pay for necessities for his wife, of course the law must allow him the right to say where those necessities shall be purchased. (2) There is nothing in the law relating to husband and wife to prevent a wife from going out and working for herself and earning money to support herself. Her husband cannot prevent her, nor interfere with her, and he has no legal right to take her wages or earnings. She has a right to collect her earnings, and use the money as she may see fit.

#### How Justice is Doled Out.

According to the list of convictions published for the county, there is little or no uniformity in the doling out of Justice in Bruce, the same offences meeting different punishments according to the locality in which they were committed. For instance in Walkerton the list shows that a man may be assaulted for \$1, while the person who attempts to swat a man in Kincardine pays \$5. The offence is the same in both places, but the penalty is different. Paisley, which is a place of high moral sentiment, strives to keep up the outward show by assessing heavily for sin, that burg being credited on the list with fining a man \$20 for being drunk on the street, while in Port Elgin, twelve miles distant \$1 is the usual levy for the same offence. The justice shop in Lucknow is run by Robert Graham, the village poet, who being sentimental rather than severe, gives the prisoners every chance to reform without a fine. The only man who does any kicking over there is the constable, who, it is said, finds it unprofitable pastime bringing prisoners before him. The list also shows that the village of Cargill is trying to banish the cow-bell from its streets, four of its citizens being fined for letting their cows run at large. Of 111 convictions recorded in Bruce for the past three months, the Warton police court alone was responsible for 51, or nearly as much as all the county put together. The biggest fine or damages levied on the list were recorded against Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Saunders of Walkerton, who were mulcted \$66.00 and costs for the alleged destruction of certain sheep by their dog. All told the past three months have seen a rather big legal grist gathered off the County.—Bruce Times.

#### Items of Interest

Agricultural Societies fared badly this year, the wet weather diminishing their gate receipts. Fifty societies have applied for a share of the \$10,000 voted by the Ontario Government for the purpose and it is likely that the entire amount will be used.

The secret of a happy life does not lie in the means and opportunities of indulging our weaknesses, but it lies in knowing how to be content with what is reasonable, that time and strength may remain to us for the cultivation of our nobler nature.

William Barber shot a silver-gray fox out in Puslinch township ten miles from Hespeler, on Thursday last. He is now the envy of all the sportsmen in town as the skin of the animal is considered worth \$450. The fox is a beauty weighing about 25 pounds, and is about seven months old with a fine pelt. It measures 53½ inches over body, and is nearly five feet from tip to tip.

The Dominion Parliament will probably be called for the despatch of business on Nov. 15th. This is on Wednesday, and the custom is for a new parliament to be called together for a Wednesday. The session will be short, probably running only a few days over a month, and will be devoted to the passing of supply. After the expiration of thirty days the members will be entitled to their full indemnity.

The "big head" is a popular way of expressing a common and very frequent ailment. It arises from various sources, but the real foundation is lack of sense. A little money develops it in some people. A few good clothes oftentimes give it to others. A little office where there is a chance given to exercise some authority is often the cause of it, while others get it by having a little better job than their associates. The truth is no sensible person gets the "big head." The one who becomes stuck up and stiff necked from sources of any kind, is weak in intellect.

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A peculiar case has come to light in Owen Sound under the Local Option law. W. S. Bradley of Little Current, is owner of the Pacific hotel, Owen Sound. A man named Kelly was the nominal lessee of the bar, and was charged with keeping liquor for sale, and before the trial, he disappeared. Later Inspector Becket found a quantity of whiskey hidden in the hotel stable, and then the occupant of the hotel swore that he did not own the liquor and had no jurisdiction over the stable. Inspector Becket then laid information against Bradley, owner of the premises, who was convicted and fined \$40. The later took steps to have the conviction quashed, but his judgment given recently, Justice Middleton refuses to interfere. "Undoubtedly," says his Lordship, there has been a flagrant breach of the law. Liquor has been kept for sale in the stable forming part of the hotel premises. The question is whether the accused, the landlord of the premises in question, who lives in the village of Little Current and who in no way authorized, nor was aware of the violation of the law taking place upon his property in Owen Sound is, by virtue of the statute, to be conclusively guilty of the offence. I have to accept the law as I find it, and it is no part of my duty to criticise either its wisdom or its justice."

## Barn and Contents Burned.

Yesterday at 7.30 a. m. Mrs. Charles Liefso's barn on 12th con. Brant was burned. In the building were about 1,800 bushels of grain and 60 tons of hay. The cause of the fire is unknown but it is supposed to have been from matches being thrown from the blower against the side of the barn. Mr. Gateman and all the hands at the threshing made a heroic effort to save the separator but in vain. Before they got out of the barn two men's coats, Schilling's and Schroeder's, were afire. The latter's was put out by a liberal application of cream as no water could be found convenient. There was no insurance on the separator but the barn and contents were insured for \$2,100. The machine had been running only 15 minutes when the fire was noticed in the mow. The loss to Mrs. Liefso is a heavy one.—Chesley Enterprise.

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## WALKERTON.

Mr. Matthew Hudson, one of the oldest employees at R. Truax & Son's mill here, had the second finger of his right hand taken off by the rip saw on Monday morning last. The third finger on the injured hand was also badly lacerated by the saw. Besides being a permanent misfortune, the mishap will lay Mr. Hudson off duty for a time.

The home of Mrs. Samuel Paul on Scott street here has been placed under quarantine for scarlet fever, three of her children having contracted the disease last week. As this malady is more contagious than serious, no alarm is felt in the community, and but for the exhibition of the red card on the affected home, the citizens would readily forget that any such disease had a foothold in the town.

The well known ank justly celebrated Polmatier Sisters, who need no introduction to Walkerton, will again be at the opera house here on Friday evening Oct. 27th inst. They are musical artists who specialize in every kind of brass, reed and string instruments.

Another of the old pioneers of Carrick has passed away in the person of Mr. Radel of the South Line, whose death took place on Sunday the 15th inst. in his 63rd year. Mr. Radel was one of the pioneers of the Township of Carrick, having lived on the farm west of the G. T. R. station on the Teeswater road for a great many years. He was well known and well liked throughout this community. Besides a wife he leaves to mourn his loss one daughter, Mrs. Procknow of Carrick, and two sons Barney of Seattle and William of Brant. The funeral which took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock was largely attended.

## WIT AND HUMOR

The husband arrived home much later than usual "from the office." He took off his boots and stole into the bedroom; but vain precaution, his wife began to stir. Quickly the panic-stricken man went to the cradle of his first-born and began to rock it vigorously.

"What are you doing there, Robert?" queried his wife.

"I've been sitting here for nearly two hours trying to get this baby asleep," he growled.

"Why, Robert, I've got him here in bed with me," said the spouse.

"What is that tall chimney for?" said a visitor to Kansas, pointing to a farmyard. "Is somebody putting up a factory in this lonely quarter?"

"No," was the reply. "That's just Joe Miller's well. Cyclone turned her inside out."

"He's the man of the hour."

"Isn't there ever a woman of the hour?"

"Yes; but it takes her an hour and a half."

## Expects a Long Life.

"When Lord Strathcona made a hurried trip across the Atlantic the other day, intending to remain on this side of the water less than a week, people wondered how a man of 91 could maintain the pace set by this pioneer of Hudson Bay. There are some Canadians, however, who do not believe that his age has been correctly recorded. They say he is nearer 97 than 91, and believe that he expects to live until he reaches 111. They tell this story about him, at least: When, they say, he reached 94 years, he renewed the lease of his London house, he always attends to the details of such things personally, and when he presented the lease to his secretary for filing the latter exclaimed:

"Why, my Lord, the lease runs for seventeen years!"

"O, that's all right" Strathcona replied, with a smile: 'we can easily renew it at the end of that time.'"

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## In The Carpenter's Shop.

"Life's a hard grind," said the emery wheel.

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"You haven't as much to go through as I have," put in the saw.

"I can barely scrape along," complained the plane.

"And I am constantly being sat upon," added the bench.

"Let's strike," said the hammer.

"Cut it out!" said the chisel. "Here comes the boss."

And the ail was silence.

## About Salt.

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## DIAMONDS FOR THE BRIDE

Or, a Proposal by Proxy

### CHAPTER XVII.

When Margaret stood at her bedside Dulcie was taken completely by surprise. It had not entered into her expectations that her sister would come to her. In what seemed the subversion of all her life, their relations must be wholly altered, and she had not yet considered what this should be. She looked up into the pale face of the other bride with wide, wistful eyes and parched lips fallen apart, like a hurt creature half alive. The first impulse was to repel the intrusion; the second reminded her that the tray was welcome, and that she was hungry and athirst.

A hurt child, that was what she seemed, looking so small in her bed, with all the finery put away which had turned her into a woman. Margaret's heart bled within her for the pity of it. In spite of the soreness of her own grief, she would make the effort to set herself aside, and minister if she could to this other, the little sister who had been so stricken, wounded by fate through her. Dulcie was grieving for her lover—that was her sole thought. It never occurred to her that here was thwarted ambition as well as gained love—that Dulcie's regrets dwelt on her lost position, on Grendon, on the diamonds. To Margaret the man was everything, these accidents of possession and environment were as feather-weights in the balance; and as to herself, so she imagined it must be to another.

Dulcie might reject and repulse her, jealous because she had been for those few happy weeks George Cullen's wife, because her claim stood for ever between him and this other love which was his deliberate choice; but it would have been incredible to her that jealousy could arise on this lower ground of loss. She was very tender in her compassion. "My darling," she said, "you must try to drink this, it will do you good. I should have brought it before, only I feared to disturb you." And then she raised her on the pillow, folding a shawl round the shoulders which had grown cold, and held the cup to her lips.

Dulcie drank from it thirstily, and the warm draught revived her. It was comfortable to lean so against Margaret, easy to be treated like an invalid; silence suited her best till she had resolved what to say. It was another minute or two before she spoke.

"I thought you would have gone away."

"Without saying good-bye? Did

you wish that, Dulcie? Is it too painful to you to have me here?"

"I meant—with George."

Margaret was surprised. Did the child really think that this could be, that one sister would be substituted for the other, and the wedding journey taken with no change but the change of bride? Was Dulcie so simple as this, when the lost memory and the altered love stretched wide between the husband and wife, a division salt as the sea?

"That would have been impossible. When I go from here—tomorrow, if you and my father wish it; at latest on Thursday—I go back to my lonely life at Barbizon. It will make no difference, the discovery of to-day."

"But why—why not?"

The faint voice took strength out of astonishment. With so much advantage at her feet, was it possible Margaret meant to put it by?

"Why should it make no difference, do you ask that? Because—were you not told?—the George Cullen I married was thrown into some strange state by an accident which occurred to him as he was leaving England. When this passed away, all memory of the intermediate condition passed with it. It is as if a man dreamed of—of love and marriage, and in his dream married a real woman. And then as if the dream came to an end, and he awoke without any recollection, going back to his ordinary life as it was before. George is no more to be blamed than a man is blamed who dreams. But I cannot expect him to regard me as a wife whom he has married awake. I was awake, but he—slept. Don't you see?"

"But—do you mean to say—he will not wish you to live—at Grendon?"

"It is not likely. Certainly he will not wish it now, in the bitterness of a disappointment as great to him as to you. Don't speak of it—don't think of it. I am going back to be Margaret Fielding again at Barbizon."

Dulcie signed for another draught from the cup. There would be at least an interval. Margaret would not step at once into the good things that were hers, would not drive her ponies with the white reins this week or next, or play on the grand new piano in the music-room. But she knew better than to believe such severance would be eternal. Gower would want a wife, and, if marriage with herself were impossible, why should not that wife be Margaret?

"You are chilled, Dulcie; your hand is as cold as ice. You will not wish to get up again to-day. Let

me help you quite to undress and go to bed; you will rest better so. Will you let me help you, or would you rather I called Stephens?"

No, Dulcie did not want Stephens—she shrank from the effort of speaking to a servant. As the ice was broken with Margaret, it would be easier to have her sister's hand about her than those of any other. She felt faint and weak, but there was no real disablement. She could, had she chosen, or under the pressure of sudden need, have got up from that bed and served herself in all the offices Margaret so tenderly performed; but the role of invalid was evidently expected of her, and it suited her to fill it. It would for a while postpone going back to the old distasteful life, and so taking the full measure of her loss.

Margaret undid the soft hair and brushed it out, disentangling from it the crushed chaplet, still fragrant, which was the wedding wreath. She brought water to the bedside, and bathed Dulcie's hands with it, and her aching brow. Then she was careful to convey away into the sitting-room the discarded gown, so that it would no longer remain in sight of the disappointed bride, to remind her, if she needed reminding, of what had gone before. Stephens would know how and where to fold it in safe keeping. She lowered the screens over the windows, lit a lamp and shaded it, and then sat down by the bed, withdrawn a little out of sight. If it comforted Dulcie to have her silent companionship instead of being alone, she would sit so through all the night. She was used to the watches of a sick room, inured to it during that long, slow fading out of life which had been Madeline's. And, under any conditions, it was hardly likely sleep would visit her. The strong excitements of the day were enough to banish any such easy oblivion; thought must still be active in the torture-chamber of the brain, her eyes must wake. She had mourned her husband as dead until, in that amazed moment, she saw him beside Dulcie at the altar, about to take her hand in his for the irrevocable vow. Twelve hours ago she had at least, safe in her bosom, the sacred memory of their love; now it seemed that even this had been stabbed through and slain. He did not remember her—hers was the unwelcome claim of a stranger. It was as if another soul had dwelt within him during the Lost Summer, had loved and won her, and now had vanished utterly into the inane. The law might well set free this body of George Gower, inspired again by his own spirit, to wed with Dulcie or with any other. Her link was not with him, but with the animation which had gone.

Such were her thoughts, sitting behind the curtain, when a summons called her to the door. There she learned for the first time, and repeated to Dulcie, the alarm about Ernest's loss. The house was being thoroughly searched, every chamber of it, and this room must be visited as well.

Search in the woods and fields, inquiry from house to house in the village, went on till late at night; and then a more tragic direction was given to the general fear, through a discovery made by the nurse. There was missing from the nursery toy-shelf a certain mimic yacht, which was a new possession of the child's. A gift of the week before, it was suggested that the toy vessel should be launched for the first time on his sister's wedding-day, and christened by her name; and Dulcie had amused herself and him by fashioning a colored pennon out of a scrap of ribbon, lettered with silk stitching. The yacht had been taken down, doubtless to display to the Winthrop children. The question arose, had the child gone down to the river edge to float his treasure, and there met with disaster?

He could reach the river without leaving the garden enclosure, which came down to the verge. There was a landing stage with a boat, and also a strip of open shore, sandy upon a shallow. Here the child used to play, but he had been forbidden to go thither alone. It was true he had gone down there with the boat, saving his conscience against forbidding, as he was with Lilla and the older Phyllis; and the launch had taken place with sails set to the wind. The little girls could have testified, if within reach of questions, that Ernest had come safely from the river edge, though his yacht suffered shipwreck. What else but disaster could befall a vessel named with the bride's name, and launched on that fateful day? The yacht set forth, her white sails brave in the sun, but the keel was ill-balanced, and she had no hand on board to guide the rudder. She turned over broadside on the water, and drifted against a rocky islet some thirty yards away, while the trailing packthread in her wake became entangled and broke in the young owner's hand. Here was grief, but he reflected that the wrecked Dulcie would probably stick where she was till the men were at liberty, or even till the morning, and then a boat pushed across would reclaim his treasure.

Such was the real incident, absolutely unimportant in itself, but a factor in tragic issues. The toy was missing, the child must have gone down with it to the river hours before. Could a doubt remain what

had been his fate? The river would be dragged in earliest daylight; in the hours of darkness which would intervene little or nothing could be done. Still Colonel Swayne insisted on going down to the water's edge, May with him, and a couple of the men.

May had been active and helpful, sincerely concerned for the child and for Annabel's grief; though a private hope of his own was beginning to grow unbidden, for, with the interruption of the morning, was not Dulcie free? It was a strange association of Colonel Swayne's with the man he believed to be so vitally his enemy; but in this new agony the former trouble for the time being was stunned and silent.

The two went by the river terrace, where Annabel and May had walked together, and where Hartopp had vainly searched the night before. The father shivered, hearing the flow of the water, and seeing it dark beneath him. What cry had echoed there out of peril when there was none to hear, no hand stretched out to save the young hope of his house and name? They came down to the edge, and there was some searching of the ground with lanterns. Here it was softer, and marked, without doubt, by the treading of a child's foot, but so crossed and effaced it was impossible to say whether there was a track which led away.

The lantern lights were feeble, flashing here and there and repeated in the water. It was the time of moonrise. Rounded now to full, the moon ascended behind the high bank with its crest of trees, lifting over them a cheek of silver, and shining out upon the river and the miniature island with its alders. And there, on the tiny strand, was a gleam of white.

(To be continued.)

### HINDUS IN CANADA.

Religious Congress at Chicago Started the Immigration.

The present Hindu population of Canada numbers about 5,000, all men, for no women are allowed to accompany them to Canada or to follow them after they have arrived and settled, says a writer in the Victoria, B. C., Daily Times.

These are resident entirely in British Columbia and chiefly in the cities of Vancouver and Victoria and on farms in the neighborhood, where they are industriously employed in the many forms of manual labor, for which they appear to have both special adaptation and desire.

I am indebted to Dr. Sunder Singh, the accredited agent for these people in Canada, for the statement as to how the eyes of the Hindus were first turned toward America and Canada and the first beginnings of modern emigration from India were inspired. He says that the visit of Hindu religious reformers to the great parliament of religions which was held in Chicago in connection with the World's Fair first aroused these people to an appreciation of the advantages of Occidental civilization and democratic institutions.

The educational work carried on by American missionaries in the high schools of India also prepared the way for a sowing of good seed in a ready soil, the fruitage of which turned the eyes of educated Hindus toward this new world. Economic conditions in India furthered a movement of emigrants to Canada in 1905, when and continuing until 1907 not a few came to this country.

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For some time past a band of notorious brigands has been devastating the District of Vallongo, Portugal. It is composed of 16 men, led by a Spaniard named Morera, who is well known for his ferocity.

The method of the plunderers has been to attack lonely farms during the night, and after carrying away everything of value the victims have been bound and gagged, and the building set alight, thus destroying all traces of the robbery. The other day a strong force of infantry surprised the brigands near their headquarters at Rapadas, adjacent to Ermesinde. A great fight ensued, the brigands defending themselves bravely. The chief of the band, Lola, a great beauty and a Spanish ex-actress, fought beside her lover's side, showing great courage and firing a revolver with the utmost coolness.

At last two brigands fell dead, and six others were seriously wounded. The remainder surrendered, including Lola. The losses of the military were insignificant. In a cave was found a great quantity of valuables, which will be sold for the benefit of the soldiers.

### LARGEST SAILING SHIP.

While the sailing vessel is gradually disappearing from the high seas, an exception is to be noted in the giant La France, about to be launched. This monster sailing craft will be 303 feet in length with a beam of fifty-two feet and will be the largest sailing craft in the world. She will carry 19,500 square feet of canvass upon five masts, which it is expected will give her a speed of seventeen knots. The ves-

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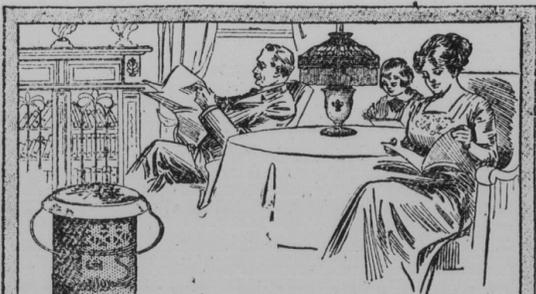
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All stories about the hardness of negroes' skulls were put into the background by two happenings which occurred at Philadelphia the other day. Following a quarrel, a negro, Henry Lewis, was shot four times in the head at a range of less than five feet. After penetrating the flesh, the bullets flattened and dropped to the floor. The man was taken to the hospital, but was permitted to go to his home. His assailant escaped. Another colored man, Wm. Puffen, while harnessing a mule, was kicked on the head and knocked down. Getting to his feet, he discovered the mule lying on the ground. Examination showed that its leg was broken. Puffen was taken to the Germantown Hospital, where six stitches were put in his scalp.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS TORONTO.

The railways reported 78 car loads of live stock at the City Yards, comprising 1177 cattle, 1199 hogs, 1698 sheep and lambs, 116 calves, and 3 horses.

A few fair to good cattle were on sale, but the bulk were common to medium quality.

Trade was quite active in comparison with last Thursday, but prices were not any higher.

Butchers—Geo Rowntree bought 290 cattle for the Harris Abattoir Co. as follows: Butchers' steers and heifers at \$5 to \$6; cows, \$3 to \$5; bulls, \$3 to \$4.85; Canners and cutters, \$1.50 to \$2.75.

Stockers and Feeders—Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs., sold at \$4.60 to \$5.10; feeders, 600 to 925 lbs., at \$4.25 to \$4.50; stockers, 500 to 750 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$4.

Milkers and Springers—Receipts of milkers and springers were moderate with prices high for choice quality. Good to choice cows sold at \$60 to \$80 each, and common to medium, \$40 to \$50 each. See sales given.

Veal Calves—Prices for veal calves ranged from \$4 to \$6 per cwt.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts of sheep and lambs were liberal, with prices about steady. Sheep, ewes, sold at \$3.50 to \$4; rams, at \$3 per cwt.; lambs, \$5.25 to \$5.60 per cwt.; selected lots, of ewes and wethers sold at \$5.65.

Hogs—Mr. Harris quoted selects at \$6 fed and watered, and \$5.75 to drovers, for hogs f.o.b. cars at country points. Occasionally 10c to 15c per cwt. more was paid for extra choice lots.

### An Eventful Journey.

Robert Miller, of Stouffville, had rather an unpleasant experience on Saturday last while going from Claremont to his home in his auto. He had been here loading a carload of horses for a gentleman in Quebec who was with him at the time. When about half a mile west of the village he attempted to pass a cow standing in the middle of the road. When he steered to one side the cow stepped in front, and when trying to avoid a collision by turning to the other side, the cow backed up in front of the auto. Mr. Miller then ran his auto to the side of the road, and going at a good rate of speed it struck a fence post, breaking it down, and then passed several rods into the field. In going thru the fence a wire caught Mr. Miller in his neck, cutting it somewhat and tearing his collar. His friend was thrown forward and sustained several nasty scratches on his wrist. The wind-shield of the auto, and the lamps in front were broken. Had the auto passed between the two posts, the men's lives would have been in great danger from the fence wires, as they were going at a rapid rate.—Pickering News.

### BORN.

HUNDT—In Carrick, on October 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hundt, twins—Male and female. The little girl died on the 16th.

### Born At The Wrong Time.

"Do you like the leg of the chicken?" "I've never been able to find out." When I was growing up the children always got the necks, so the old people could have the choice bits. But since I am grown, times have changed; now the children get the choice pieces.

Contractor Palm is finishing up the Wagner bridge this week, and the filling will be done at once. Fred Klages has the contract of the filling at the bridge.

In the Canadian West the harvest season of 1911 will go on record as one of the worst seasons in the history of the country. Cutting was completed early, but the weather has been so wet that few machines have got in more than ten days threshing in the past month.

### Constable Slept, Prisoner Escaped.

Guelph, Oct. 13.—That while it is unwise for any man to go to sleep on the job, it is particularly unfortunate when a policeman is claimed by Morpheus while he is in charge of a prisoner, was forcibly brought home to Police Constable Jacob Maurer, of the village of Clifford.

The Clifford officer started from Palmerston with a prisoner to bring him to Guelph and seated his charge on the inside of a seat while he took the position next to the aisle, and fell asleep. When the train stopped at Drayton, Constable Maurer was still sleeping, and the prisoner decided that the atmosphere of Drayton would be more congenial to him than Guelph and got off.

Maurer was aroused by the brakeman calling out the name of the Royal City. He sat up, rubbed his eyes and looked at where the prisoner should have been, but saw instead the place where he was not. When the train stopped Officer Maurer lost no time in getting into communication with Drayton, and it is hoped that the prisoner will again be in custody by night.

## Clifford.

John H. Taylor has purchased a Ford auto from G. B. Smith of Ayton.

MARRIED—Miss Emma Demmerling, daughter of Henry Demmerling of Howick, to Mr. Henry Schnarr. Pastor O. Weinbach tied the nuptial knot.

A couple of carloads of sugar beets are being shipped from here to Berlin.

Mrs. L. Dierlamm has returned from Stratford and New Hamburg, where she spent the past couple of weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Wells of Mildmay spent last week at the residence of Alderman Dietz.

We understand Mr. John Hillhouse of Clifford has made a deal disposing of his hardware stock and business block to Mr. S. N. Richardson, of this village, the transfer to take effect on the 1st December. This is one of the oldest established businesses of the village, Mr. Hillhouse having been in business here for upwards of 45 years. Mr. Richardson, we learn is quite conversant with this line, having for several years been the purchaser of hardware for a large supply company.

The plates in the chopper at Hazlewood Bros. mill burst on Wednesday afternoon of last week and injured three of the men who were working in the mill at the time of the accident. Mr. Moore, the miller, was struck on the right arm by one of the flying missiles, which broke his arm, and also inflicted a deep cut in his arm. The injured man was taken to the Fergus Hospital to have his arm examined with the use of an X-Ray machine. Oscar Lee, who was injured about the chest, and rendered unconscious, has recovered. John Lee, the engineer, escaped with a few minor injuries. How all three escaped instantaneous death, is truly a mystery.

### Items of Interest

Church once a week for six months is the sentence hereafter to be imposed by Justice of the Peace Peter McIver, Redlands, on all tipplers who come before him. Justice McIver decided the other day that jail did not do these unfortunates any good and imposed a church sentence as promising better results. He paroled several prisoners with the admonition never to fail to attend divine services on Sunday. If they feel that they would rather not go unaccompanied Justice McIver offers to escort them to church himself.

Although the heat has an enervating effect on honest men, it seems that in New York, at least it impels thieves to great things. From June 1 to August 26, 4,213 thefts were reported, and the police succeeded in recovering only 22 of the articles. Although the police have not done much in the way of capturing, they have been industriously circulating particulars of the thefts, from which we learn that 788 gold watches were stolen. Thefts of Jewels number 488, with a value of \$50,000; so, from the thieves' standpoint, the harvest was satisfactory.

### Farm For Sale.

Farm Lot number 27, concession 5, Carrick containing one hundred acres of first class land, is offered for sale on reasonable terms. Good hardwood bush, orchard, and good house and barn. One of the best farms in the township of Carrick. Good reasons for selling. Adolph Weigel, proprietor.

### Farm For Sale.

Lot 24 Concession 7, Carrick, containing 100 acres of first class land. On the premises are 10 acres of first-class hardwood bush, good orchard, comfortable stone house and good bark barn. Unfailing water supply in both barn and house. The property can be purchased on reasonable terms. Apply to Chas. Peter, Moltke P. O.

### Lightning Burns Barn And Crops.

Ripley Oct. 23rd—During an electrical storm about five o'clock Sunday morning the barn belonging to Mr. Allan McAuley, son of Mr. Archibald McAuley, of the fifth concession, Huron Township, about three miles from Ripley, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The stock in the barn, two horses, a calf and some pigs, was removed in time, but there was about forty tons of hay and all the season's grain burned up.

A new separator belonging to Mr. John Bell was put in the barn on Saturday for threshing on Monday, and it was completely destroyed with the contents of the barn. The cutting-box was taken out of danger. Mr. Bell lost a new separator just a year ago in the same manner, and with this new misfortune, he is a very heavy loser also. The first machine was not insured, but this one was carrying \$500 insurance.

Mr. McAuley had \$1,800 insurance on the barn and contents, but has a heavy loss, being a young man and just beginning on this farm adjoining his father's.

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