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Thanksgiving Day!

Thanksgiving Day!
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Give thanks that things are as they are.
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Some woe, some weal—'tis always so;
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Thanksgiving Day.
—S. B. C.

LEGGETT—FAIR

The marriage of Mr Charles R. Leggett of Portland and Miss Lena Fair, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Fair of Athens took place last week, and on Tuesday morning the happy couple started for Edmonton, Alberta, where they will make their home.

The bride has spent nearly the whole of her life in Athens and is deservedly held in the highest esteem. The groom, as a student of the A.H.S. was also well and favorably known by many in Athens. Their many friends here and elsewhere join with the Reporter in extending heartfelt congratulations and best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity in the West or in any city that is to be their home.

EDUCATION AT GREENBUSH,

Editor Athens Reporter.

Dear Sir,—With your permission, I will give a short sketch of the schools and school houses of Greenbush for the last 70 years.

The first school house was a small, square building, erected on the site of the present one built of stone, but only about half the size. My first teacher was Miss Sarah Taggart, sister of the late Rev. Charles Taggart, a former Methodist minister of this circuit. My second teacher was Miss Lucinda Keeler, who boarded with her parents and only received \$5 per month, or \$60 per year. Those were hard times, with money scarce. The custom then was for the teacher to board around with the scholars, a week at each house, but Miss Keeler's parents living in the section she boarded with them continuously. During the years 1843 and '44, Miss Orpha Ellmore, who was termed the veteran temperance teacher, conducted the school. About the year 1845 the old school house was destroyed by fire and school was held in different places, one winter in the chamber of the grocery now owned by E. Jackson. It was taught by Miss Adeline Kilborn. One winter it was held in the dwelling now owned by Mr A. Root, taught by Mr W. Landon. One summer school was held in the dwelling now owned by W. G. Olds, taught by Miss Allison of Augusta, and one summer in an old log house where E. M. Smith's house now stands.

In the year 1848 the present school house was built. The late Edward Barry of New Dublin performed the mason work and the late Samuel Morey the carpenter work.

I will mention the names of some of the teachers up to the present time:—The late Dr S. S. Cornell of Toledo, Milton Blanchard, Thompson Blanchard, Rev W. Rowsom, Lewis E. Blanchard, Byron Haskins, Susie Hannah, Mrs H. L. Kerr, Mrs B. W. Loverin, Miss Armstrong.

The creditable number of 21 of our girls and boys have engaged in school teaching. Five of our girls are wives of Methodist ministers: Miss Louisa Moore, Miss Emily Blanchard, Miss Hester A. Kerr, Miss Ella Powell, and Miss E. Loverin.

Three of our boys have engaged in the honorable calling of preaching the Gospel, namely:—the late Rev. J. M. Moore, the Rev. M. J. Bates, the Rev. G. L. Kerr.

One of my schoolmates represented our riding in parliament for a term of years and afterwards became member of congress in the Western States, and a respectable number of our boys became M.D.'s.

Richard Kerr.

Owing to the absence of Police Magistrate Deacon, the Brockville election cases were postponed until next Friday.

ATHENS VICTORIOUS

The Red Rovers of Cardinal have been playing great football this season and with an unbroken record of sixteen victories were looking for fresh teams to conquer when they sent a challenge to the A.H.S. Our boys have played very little ball this fall, but they promptly accepted the challenge and met the redoubtable Red Rovers on the Fulford Athletic Grounds, Brockville, on Saturday last. The teams lined up as follows:—

Red Rovers	Position	A.H.S.
J. Bush	Goal	C. Sanderson
G. Bush	F.B.	R. E. Pariah
D. Lundy		J. E. Schlichter
J. Burchell	H.B.	F. Trickey
W. Redmond		C. McKinnon
C. Bush		J. E. Burchell
J. Redmond	Forwards	W. Page
J. Kearney		B. McGhie
F. Merkley		K. Raypell
H. Burchell		D. Spence
T. Williams		J. Wiltsie

It was a hot game, characterized by good team play and free from roughness. The combination work of the Athenians is what proved effective. The Rovers placing too much dependence on long kicks and swift running. At half time the only goal scored was by Rappell for Athens. In the second half the Rovers made a determined effort to even the score and in a few minutes succeeded in tallying one. Then the game was rushed by Athens and a goal claimed that was not allowed. The umpire's decision was so accepted, and shortly after Wiltsie made a score for Athens, which finished the tally for the day, leaving the result 2 to 1 in favor of Athens.

Mr Knight of Cardinal was referee, and for Athens Geo. Foley was goal umpire.

Adam Emmons

Last Friday many Athenians, including the Reporter, had the pleasure of meeting and greeting Mr Adam Emmons. He is one called back from the verge of the grave. Most of our readers are familiar with his case. About three years ago, while in an intoxicated condition, he left Athens for his home in the country, fell by the wayside and was so badly frozen that nearly all his fingers had to be amputated; one leg was cut off between the knee and ankle, and one foot nearly entirely cut away. In this condition he spent two years and nine months in the hospital and House of Industry. His case was regarded as hopeless, but Adam had appealed to the Great Physician, and feeling that he was cleansed from all unrighteousness, he became possessed of the conviction that he would again walk. He succeeded in inspiring with the same belief Christian friends who took an interest in his case, with the result that by popular subscription and a grant from the counties council he was fitted with artificial limbs. With these he is now able to walk about the streets, even without the aid of the crutches he carries.

He rejoices greatly, praises God continuously, and believes there is yet a work for him to do that will render him independent of the aid of friends.

Death of Mrs. Moore

Early on Saturday morning last Mrs James Moore, a highly esteemed resident of New Dublin, passed away, aged 72 years. She had been ill for nearly a year and latterly the serious character of her sickness was understood by her friends, so that her death was not unexpected.

Deceased was a native of Caintown, a sister of the late Adelbert Avery, and since her marriage has spent her long life of usefulness at New Dublin.

Mrs Moore is survived by her husband and three children: John S. Moore, merchant, of Athens, Ira of Kingston and Miss Libbie at home.

The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Sunday. Service was conducted in the church of the Holiness Movement by the pastor, Rev D. Anderson, after which the remains were placed in the vault.

All About A Horse

A law case that developed over a horse deal between Patrick Deir and Frank Chick of Caintown occupied two days before his Honor Judge McDonald, about thirty witnesses being examined. Action was on verbal warranty given by Chick as to the horse. Damages are allowed to the plaintiff for \$130 or defendant to exercise his option to pay that amount and take back the mare or pay the plaintiff \$105 the latter in such case to retain the animal. The judgement carries costs for the plaintiff.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON VII—NOV. 15, 1908.

The Lord Our Shepherd.—Psa. 23: 1-6. Commentary.—1. The shepherd and his sheep (vs. 1-4). 1. My shepherd—Christ is the great Shepherd and his followers are the sheep. As a shepherd, Christ leads the sheep. 2. Supplies every lack. 3. Guards and keeps them. 4. Supports them in times of trouble. Jehovah is often spoken of as the Shepherd of Israel, and Israel as his flock. The title of shepherd is also applied to rulers, and in particular to David. Christ applies the title to himself (John 10; 1; compare Heb. 13, 20; 1 Pet. 2, 25.) To appreciate the force of the image it is necessary to understand the difference between the modern shepherd and the Oriental shepherd of olden times. In that land there is a close attachment between the shepherd and his flock; the shepherd knows each sheep by name. Equally tender relations exist between the good Shepherd and his flock. On the one hand there is an unfathomable affection, and on the other a calm, unlimited confidence. In that land every flock of sheep is under the care of a shepherd, and in David's time the dangers were much greater than now, as wild beasts and robbers were more numerous. Shall not want—The language is partly of experience in the present, and partly of confidence for the future. No of Israel, looking back on the wandering in the wilderness they had lacked nothing (Deut. 2; 7), and looking forward to the promised land the promise was that they would lack nothing (Deut. 8; 9). Cam. Bib. "With Jehovah for my shepherd and guardian, whose hand rests on all the sources of supply, I can lack no temporal or spiritual good. When John Fletcher was asked by George III. if he would accept preferment in the church as an acknowledgment for an able and timely paper he had written on American affairs, he returned the respectful but characteristic reply, "Sire, I want nothing but more grace."—Watkinson.

2. He maketh me—The Lord enables us to see the preciousness of his truth, to feed upon it and rest in it. To lie down—The divine Shepherd gives rest to the weary. The wicked are filled with unrest (Isa. 57; 20, 21), but Christ promises soul rest to those who come to him (Matt. 11; 28-30). Green pastures—Pastures of budding or tender grass. The original word denotes the tender shoots (Deut. 32; 2) as distinguished from the ripe grass.—Whedon. What are these green pastures but the Scriptures of truth—always fresh, always rich, and never exhausted? There is no fear of biting the bare ground, for the grass is long enough for the flock to lie down in it. Sweet and full are the doctrines of the gospel; fit food for souls.—Spurgeon. From this we see that soul satisfaction is promised the one who follows the divine guide (Isa. 58; 11). He leadeth me—The Oriental shepherd never drives, but always leads his flock; so our Shepherd leads the way, and never asks us to go where he has not gone before us. The Holy Spirit will guide us into all truth. No one is wise enough to choose his own course in life. "When the shepherd has called his sheep, and is satisfied that none is missing, he starts forth for the pasture; but this is continually changing, for the hillsides and uncultivated plains are practically common land belonging to the village, and shared by all, so no one can retain the best pasture day after day." "But there are some sheep that are always straggling and so always getting into trouble. Sometimes they are torn by dogs and sometimes they lost their way. Those who kept nearest the shepherd are most contented and happy." Still waters—Literally, waters of rest; not gently flowing streams, but streams where rest and refreshment may be found (Isa. 32; 18).—Cam. Bib. But others think it has reference to the quietness of the waters. In either case the figure is most beautiful and suggests the quiet and peacefulness with which the soul is filled when it enters into communion with God.

3. He restoreth—He bringeth back my soul as a sheep that had strayed (Matt. 18; 12, 13; 1 Pet. 2; 25). "The word for 'restoreth' means 'to return,' 'bring back,' or, figuratively, 'convert.' (1) All animals the sheep is least able to defend itself, either by resistance or flight; is most given to wander away, and has the least sagacity in finding its way back to the fold.—Hilbard. my soul—The same Hebrew word is used for both soul and life. "The soul is the seat of life." He converts and cleanses and gives spiritual power and vigor. paths

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of righteousness—"Right paths are opposed to intricate and unsafe ways, and to ways of disobedience and perversity" (Psa. 125:5). "The sheep are led by many a way, sometimes through sweet meadows, sometimes limping along sharp-flinted, dusty highways, sometimes high up over rough, rocky mountain passes, sometimes down through gloom, but they are ever being led to one place, and when the hot day is over they are gathered into one fold, and the sinking sun sees them safe, where no wolf can come, nor any robber climb up any more, but all shall rest under the shepherd's eye." For his name's sake—"To display the glory of his grace, and not on account of any merit in me."

4. Shadow of death—Being so near to death that its shadow falls over him, for he is not far from the substance. For has come up with the shadow. The "valley of the shadow of death" seems to have been suggested by those deep mountain gorges through which David was sometimes obliged to walk his flocks, though at the hazard of death from the wild beasts. When the leads of duty lie in the midst of dangers which fall around like shadows, then, says the psalmist, I will fear no evil. Such confidence has he in his Shepherd. But the shadow of death may also mean the darkness of the region of the dead, as in Job 10:21, 22, and this gives an outlook of confident hope upon the dying hour and the future life. This entire psalm must be understood, not of the providential life of David only, but of his spiritual life and relations as well.—Whedon. fear no evil—"The soul fears not to enter the sunless gulfs of sorrow when assured of the supporting presence and protecting care of the good Shepherd. The darkness of death is but a shadow after all. The trusting soul enters the gloomy gorge only to emerge into the brighter day of immortality. The Christian knows that the hand which guides us into the dark valley will guide us through it and up out of it.—Hom. Com. rod and staff—"The emblems of the office of the shepherd and his protection of the sheep." The rod and staff seem to be two names for one instrument, which was used for a double purpose: 1. To drive away wild animals and to direct the sheep. 2. For the purpose of a staff on which to lean. The shepherd walked before his flock, ready to protect them from assault, and they followed gladly and fearlessly wherever he led.

1. The Host and his Guest (vs. 5, 6). 2. Prepared a table—"The figure is changed. Jehovah is now described as the host who bountifully entertains the psalmist at his table, and provides him a lodging in his own house, as Oriental monarchs entertained those to whom they wished to show special favor. Cam. Bib. Although the image is changed, yet we have substantially the same ideas as those given in the earlier portion of the psalm. There are, as before, the food, the guardianship, the peril, the journey. Jehovah is here regarded as a bountiful host and His people as guests at His banqueting table. The verses illustrate certain striking features in the royal banquet: 1. This banquet is provided in the midst of conflict. 2. It is promotive of abundant joy. 3. It will satisfy all the wants of a lifetime. 4. It is the type and pledge of the everlasting feast in the heavenly banquet.—Hom. Com. Mine enemies—Jehovah had prepared this banquet for David as a mark of special honor and favor, and this in the presence of His enemies who looked on but were not invited to partake. This was David's answer to those who in his affliction had said, "There is no help for him in God;" "God hath forsaken him."—Whedon. Special experiences of God's sufficiency are wont to come in seasons of special difficulty, as many a true heart knows. It is no scanty meal that awaits God's soldier under such circumstances, but a banquet accompanied with signs of festivity, namely, the head appointed with an overflowing cup. God's supplies are wont to surpass the narrow limits of need.—Expositor's Bible. Antoinette—"The reference is to the anointing oil which was an emblem of the baptism of the Holy Spirit. Cup runneth over—"The overflowing cup suggests a fullness of blessing. Jehovah is a bountiful provider and is able to abundantly satisfy."

6. Surely—"Only."—R. V. margin. "Nothing but goodness and mercy shall pursue me. What a contrast to the lot of the wicked man, pursued by the angel of judgment (Psa. 35; 6), hunted by calamity" (110; 11). Goodness and mercy—"Goodness and mercy are the staple viands of the feast, and give a flavor and virtue to all the rest. Man needs goodness to supply all his wants, and mercy to meet all his sins. The words are expressive of simple and unbounded confidence in God as to every event in our earthly future." Shall follow me—"This goodness and mercy of God shall follow him during his entire lifetime. "Through the changes, in shade and sunshine, its perils and deliverance, its sorrows and joys, to its close. His enemies had pursued him even to the presence of his host, henceforth grace and joy will pursue him and load him with blessings. The most indigent are rich indeed when encompassed with the divine blessing." "What, all this, and I am a poor cottager, as she broke a piece of bread and filled a glass with cold water. Will dwell—These words are to be understood figuratively. The psalmist expected to dwell in God's immediate presence forever. For ever—Here is a suggestion of the closest intimacy with God and the ceaseless enjoyment of his favor.

PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS. Soul transformation. "He restoreth my soul." At the very threshold of our study we meet with the doctrine of regeneration. Naturally we are goats (Matt. 25; 33), and He shall set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left. There are only two classes of characters known to God—"the sinner" and the "saint." We are either sheep, under the tender, constant care of the divine Shepherd, or hell-deserving, hell-bound subjects of sin. Now, to be a sheep requires something more than to have a sheep's skin thrown around one's body, conforming perfectly thereto, and being placed in a sheepfold. It is not the perfect obedience of Jesus the Father looks at and counts as ours, at the same time overlooking or ignoring our disobedience; or the righteousness of Christ thrown around us, while we remain a moral leper; but rather the impartation of the divine nature to our

own soul, by which it is quickened and made alive; or to carry out the figure, the nature is changed from that of the goat to the sheep. Then the life very naturally is that of a Christian. Soul rest. "He maketh me to lie down." This is suggestive of rest, and restfulness, which is assuredly what the soul comes to realize as its burden of sin, condemnation and guilt is lifted, and the peace that passeth all understanding is imparted (Matt. 11; 28; Heb. 4; 3). Soul satisfaction. "The pastures of tender grass" suggests a plentiful supply of nutritious food. Green pastures imply an experience in the grace of God which is ever new and hence always fresh. The business of the shepherd is to keep the sheep in the green pastures. In order to do this there must be variety as to scenery and location. This is true of our experience under the great Shepherd. As to circumstances, ecstatic emotions and environment there must be peace that passeth all understanding or less by outward causes. The criterion by which we should judge our spiritual condition is not how do I feel, but what is my relation to the great Shepherd? Sometimes to climb the mountain steep, at other times to descend into the valley of soothing gloom may be necessary in order to our being kept in "pastures of tender grass."

Soul leadership. "He leadeth me." The Christian life is not one of luxurious idleness. The reclining sheep illustrates one phase of salvation, namely, "soul rest." This part of our lesson emphasizes another phase, namely, the earnest activity and positive aggressiveness in spiritual life under the unerring leadership of our divine Guide. Notice, "He leadeth not 'driveth' or 'draggeth.'" It requires loving, prompt, earnest and continued obedience to keep close to our Guide in Christian living.

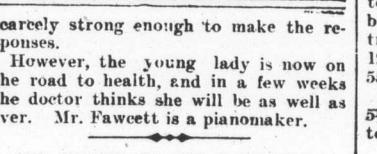
Soul instruction. What oil is as a lubricator to the machine, the Spirit's anointing in its gladdening effect is to the soul in its arduous labors for Christ. To be well anointed is to save wear and tear, and prevent cessation of operations. Lack of oil often occasions a hot box, which endangers life and property, retards progress, blocks the way and is in many respects hurtful and damaging. Truth in the hands of one who lacks the anointing may be as a razor in the hands of a mad man. A nail dipped in oil may be driven to the nail without damaging the board. Very many Christian workers break down prematurely because they are without the oil. Remember the face of Moses as he descended the mount whence in communion with God he had been anointed, also Stephen's face, which shone as an angel's while he was suffering violent assault from an angry mob. A missionary or the foreign field may be as a native what medicine he took that caused his face to shine. The soul's perpetual supplies, "I shall not want," "goodness and mercy shall follow me." The divine Shepherd has His hands on the supplies of the world. No matter how rugged our steeps, or how hot the conflict as the power of hell in cruel assault their fiercest rage do vent, "the supply wagon," laden with "ration" of viands rare, is always close at hand. My God shall supply all your need" (Phil. 4; 19). He is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think (Eph. 3; 20). The soul's triumphant exit. "Though I walk through the valley," Having lived in fellowship with Jesus, now, as the things of human life begin to recede from the Christian's view, God is eternal world looms in sight and the "real struggle" is on, there is sought for, "The good Shepherd" has fought and conquered death, its sting has been extracted, the grave has been robbed of its victory. This Conqueror is now the guide and defender of the soldier, and upon his strong arm doth he lean. It is a gentle walk clear through the fertile valley to the "sweet fields of Eden."



DOCTORS SAID CUT OFF! Zam-Buk Saved Odd Fellow's Finger

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MARKET REPORTS TORONTO MARKETS. Farmers' Market.

The receipts of grain to-day were small, with offerings of only 500 bushels. Wheat nominal at 92c for fall. Barley unchanged, with sales of 300 bushels at 55 to 58c per bushel. Oats about steady, with sales of 200 bushels at 43 to 44c. Hay offered more freely, while prices were steady; 35 loads sold at \$13 to \$15 a ton. Straw steady, two loads selling at \$15 to \$16 a ton. Dressed hogs are unchanged at \$6.50 for heavy and at \$6.75 to \$7 for light. Wheat, fall, bush . . . \$ 0 92 \$ 0 00 Do, goose, bush . . . 0 87 0 88 Oats, bush . . . 0 43 0 44 Barley, bush . . . 0 55 0 55 Rye, bush . . . 0 79 0 80 Peas, bush . . . 0 85 0 00 Hay, per ton . . . 13 00 15 00 Straw, per ton . . . 15 00 16 00 Dressed hogs . . . 8 50 9 00 Butter . . . 0 27 0 30 Do, creamery . . . 0 29 0 32 Eggs, dozen . . . 0 28 0 32 Chickens, dressed, lb . . . 0 11 0 12 Ducks, spring, lb . . . 0 10 0 12 Geese, lb . . . 0 10 0 12 Turkeys, lb . . . 0 15 0 18 Cabbage, per dozen . . . 0 25 0 35 Onions, bag . . . 0 85 0 90 Potatoes, bag . . . 0 60 0 75 Apples, bbl . . . 1 25 2 25 Do, hinquartars . . . 8 00 9 00 Do, forequarters . . . 4 50 6 00 Do, mutton, carcass . . . 5 00 6 50 Do, choice, carcass . . . 7 50 8 00 Mutton, per cwt . . . 6 00 8 00 Veal, prime, per cwt . . . 7 50 10 00 Lamb, per cwt . . . 8 00 9 00

Baled Hay and Straw. Prices in car lots on track, Toronto, are: Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$10.50 to \$11.50; No. 2, \$7 to \$7.50. Straw—Range is from \$6.50 to \$8, according to quality.

Seeds. Following prices are being paid at country points: Alsike—Extra fancy lots, \$7.25; No. 1, \$6.75 to \$7; No. 2, \$6 to \$6.25; No. 3, \$5.75 to \$6 per bushel. Timothy—Prices are from \$1.35 to \$1.75 per bushel, according to quality. Red clover—\$4.25 to \$5 per bushel. London—Calcutta linseed, November and December, 44 6d per 41c lbs.

Hides, Tallow, Etc. Toronto butchers are receiving for stock as follows: No. 1 green inspected steer hides, 60 pounds and up, in separate consignments 12c per lb.; No. 2 grade, 8c per lb. No. 1 green inspected cow hides, 8 1/2c per lb.; No. 2 grade, 7 1/2c; No. 3 cows and bulls, 6 1/2c. Calfskins, green, first and seconds, 12c per lb. Sheepskins, present kill, 55 to 65c. Toronto tanners are paying for cured country hides laid down here, according to conditions, 8c. The prices for stock being paid by Toronto dealers at country points, 7 1/2c; calfskins, cured, 11 to 12c; lambskins, present take-off, 45 to 55c; horse hides, No. 1, \$2.50. Tallow—Sold in barrels, No. 1 stock, 5 1/2 to 5 3/4c per lb.; cake, No. 1 stock, 6c to 6 1/2c. Horse hair—Farmer or peddler stock, 28 to 30c.

Wool. Prices paid to farmers in the country are nominally as follows: Unwashed, fine, 9 1/2c; coarse, 8 1/2c; washed, combings, 14 1/2c; washed, clothing, 15 1/2c rejections, 11c. LIVE STOCK. Receipts of live stock at the city market, were 88 carcasses, composed of 1,186 cattle, 124 hogs, 218 sheep and lambs, and 102 calves. Receipts of cattle were moderate, or which the bulk was of good quality, the bulk being common to medium. There was fairly good, prices being firmer than last week. Receipts of sheep were moderate, but inferior to common sold at about the same quotations as last week. Exporters—Export steers sold at \$4.20 to \$5 per cwt.; bulls, \$3.75 to \$4.50. Few were on sale. Butchers—A few of the best butchers on sale sold as high as \$4.75, but there were no many bought at this figure. George Stewart, tree brought a load of outsiders for Harris Abate, Co. at \$3.50 to \$4.25; cows, \$2 to \$3.50; calves, \$1 to \$2. Feeders and Stockers—Messrs. Harry and W. Murby report the market for feeders and stockers as steady to strong, especially for the better classes. They report the following prices: Best feeders, 90 to 100 lbs. live price, \$3.65 to \$4 per cwt.; best feeders, 80 to 90 lbs. each, at \$2.25 to \$2.50; best stockers, 80 to 90 lbs. each, common to medium, \$1.75 to \$2.25. Milkers and Springers—There was a strong market for the best milkers and forward springers backward springers are not wanted. Prices for good choice cows ranged from \$45 to \$50 each, common to medium cows, \$20 to \$25, and slow of sale. Veal Calves—About an odd choice calf bring in \$2.50 per cwt. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts of sheep and lambs are large, 218. Export ewes easy at \$2.25 to \$2.50; rams, \$2 to \$2.50 per cwt.; lambs fairly firm at \$2.40 to \$2.70 per cwt. Hogs—Twelve hundred and sixty-four hogs were brought to market from all sources. Mr. Harris, who got the bulk, reports prices easy at \$6 for select and \$5.75 for lights.

OTHER MARKETS. Cheese Markets. Woodstock—Offerings 600 white, 1,240 colored; 12 1/2c bid. Board adjourned for two weeks. Peterboro—At the last meeting of the Peterboro Cheese Board held here to-day, 2,601 colored cheese were boarded. Sales at 12 1/2c, 12 3/4c, 12 3/8c. Two factories unsold. British Cattle Markets. London—London cables for cattle are steady at 11c to 13 1/4c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 11c to 11 1/8c per lb. Winnipeg Wheat Market. Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures: Wheat—November 99 3-8c bid, December 95 1-2c bid, May 99 3-4c bid. New York Sugar Market. Oats—November 38c bid, December 36 5/8c bid. Sugar, raw, firm; fair refining, 3 1/2c; centrifugal, 90 test, 3 3/8c; molasses sugar, 3 2/8c; refined, steady. Montreal Live Stock. Montreal—About 1,000 head of butchers' cattle, 40 milch cows and springers, 150 calves, 1,100 sheep and lambs, and 1,250 fat hogs were offered for sale at east end abattoir to-day. There were

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only a few choice cattle on the market, and these sold at about 4 1/2c per lb. Pretty good animals sold at from 3c to 4c, and the common stock at 2 to 2 1/2c per lb., while lean canners sold at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4c per lb. Milch cows sold at from \$30 to \$50 each; grass-fed calves sold at 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c, and the good veals at 4 1/2 to 5 1/2c per lb.; sheep sold at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2c, and lambs at 4 1/2 to 5 1/2c per lb. Good lots of fat hogs sold at 6 1/2 to 6 3/4c per lb. Bradstreet's Trade Review.

Montreal—General trade here continues pretty well as reported last week. The volume of business moving is moderate and cold weather is wanted to open up the retail demand for seasonable lines. The wholesale dry goods trade say there has been some sorting demand for fall lines, but that winter goods have been slow to move. Merchants everywhere have been cautious in placing orders for these lines and it is expected that the arrival of cold weather will very materially affect business. Spring business is so far only fair. Toronto—Business conditions here continue to show the steady improvement reported last week. While retail trade in most directions is moderate on account of continued mild weather, there has been improvement in the wholesale demand for most lines. The marketing of the crops is progressing well and collections are coming forward more freely. There has been some sorting trade in dry goods, but retailers have proceeded just as cautiously in ordering winter lines, as they did in placing those for fall.

Hamilton—Little change has taken place in business here during the past week. Retail trade is still slow and will continue so until the arrival of colder weather and wholesale trade is only moderately active. Prospects favor a good holiday trade, and collections are showing some improvement. Local industries continue to show increasing activity. Winnipeg—All lines of wholesale goods are moving briskly, although the railways are so busy with the crop that supplies from the East are slow in arriving. The culmination of the election campaign has removed a disturbing factor. Vancouver and Victoria—General activity all along the Coast is well sustained. Quebec—During the early part of the week business conditions were somewhat disturbed by the elections, the latter being over, normal conditions will prevail. London—Business in general lines is moderate. Ottawa—Crops in this district have been only moderately good and trade will be affected accordingly.

THROW AWAY ALL YOUR FEARS

Backache, Gravel and Rheumatism Vanish Before Dodd's Kidney Pills. Proved Once Again in the Case of Mrs. Fred Krieger, Who Suffered From the Worst Form of Kidney Disease. Palmer Rapids, Ont.—(Special)—The thousands of Canadians who live in daily terror of those terrible forms of Kidney Disease known as Backache, Gravel and Rheumatism, will be deeply interested in the story of Mrs. Fred Krieger, of this place. "I was for years a great sufferer from Kidney Disease, Gravel, Rheumatism and Backache," Mrs. Krieger states. "It all started through a cold, but I got so my head ached, I was nervous, my limbs were heavy, I had a dragging sensation across my loins, and I was totally unfit to do anything. "Reading about wonderful cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills led me to buy some. After using a few I found they were doing me good and this encouraged me to continue their use. Eight boxes made me well. "I have been able to do my own work ever since and to-day I am completely cured. Dodd's Kidney Pills gave me health and I feel like a new woman. "If you keep your kidneys strong and healthy you can never have Backache, Rheumatism or Gravel. Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to make the Kidneys strong and well. Wonderful. Mr. Howard—Isn't it wonderful what force Niagara has? Mrs. Talkmuck—Marvelous! Do you know when I first saw it for a full moment I couldn't speak.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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

HIS LORDSHIP'S ROMANCE

He had spent the last three years on the continent, and was so improved by his travels, and so altered, that Agatha hardly recognized him. He had learned a great deal, but he had not learned to forget her. He had seen brilliant and beautiful women, but the calm, gentle face he loved had more charms for him than Venus herself would have had.

"The distance between them did not seem so great now, and Allan had returned to England, resolved to risk all, and woo and endeavor to win the girl he had loved so long.

He looked with surprise at the beautiful girl by Agatha's side. His father told him that Miss Lynne had been sent for to Lynnwood; and he had said nothing of what she was like, and Allan had pictured to himself a dark, foreign-looking girl, by the side of whom his beloved would shine like a star. He was not prepared to see the loveliest and most brilliant woman he had ever met.

It was a merry party, but that sat during those warm, sunny hours under the great cedars. Yet Inez smiled half bitterly to herself as she noted that both the gentlemen were devoted to her sister. She wondered if they were charmed by her childlike gaiety, or by the winning grace of her manner, so kind and thoughtful. She wondered half bitterly why her own magnificent beauty had not more power, why those cold English hearts did not warm to her; she felt almost alone, did this strange, gifted woman. Perhaps there was something too regal and queenly in the style of her beauty, for it was evident that both Philip and Allan stood rather in awe of her.

"I can give you the latest news of Spain, Miss Lynne," said Allan, "for I spent the last six months there."

"How happy you must be to have travelled and have seen so much!" said Agatha; "I would give anything to go to Spain."

"It was amusing to know that each gentleman, as he listened, mentally resolved that her wish should be gratified. "What makes you wish to go to Spain, Agatha?" asked Mrs. Lynne. "I think it is one of the most picturesque of countries," she replied. "I read the romance of the 'Cid' some years ago, and most of my ideas of chivalry are connected with Spain."

"I will not dissuade you," said Allan, with a slightly cynical smile. "You ought not to see Agatha; then I should like to see a Spanish lady in her mantilla, with a rose in her hair." Lord Lynne held a glowing diamond rose in his hand; a sudden thought seemed to strike him as he looked at it.

"If my mother would lend me her black lace scarf for a moment, Miss Lynne," said Agatha; "I might show your sister the dress of a Spanish lady."

Inez smiled as he handed her the rose. It was the first flower he had ever offered her, the first thing he had ever asked her to do, and she felt that for Lord Lynne was usually somewhat reserved with his beautiful cousin. Although it was merely to please Agatha, and not from any interest in herself, that he made his request, she was glad and happy to grant it.

"I shall want a fan to make the costume complete," she said.

"You shall have a bough from that lilac tree," said Allan; "three tufts of lilac will make a pretty fan."

"But the color is too tame; I must have white or deep crimson to make a picture," replied Inez.

"What an artist you are," replied Allan, gayly; and he made her a fan of dark, growing crimson flowers peeping between green leaves.

Inez was so pleased, but she knew the value of effects; she placed the black lace mantilla on her head, and fastened the flower in her hair. Then she rose and stood before Agatha, making a low, sweeping courtesy. She looked wonderfully beautiful as she stood there, holding the crimson flowers to her bosom with the inimitable grace known only to Spanish women, and her splendid eyes drooped before the admiring glances bent upon her.

"Good heavens!" said Lord Lynne to himself, "how handsome she is!" And for the first time her beauty seemed to reach his heart and his senses. Allan Leigh applauded loudly.

"You will make a capital actress, Miss Lynne, I am sure," he cried, eagerly.

"Could we not get up some sketches or tableaux?" "I do enjoy them so much. What do you say?" "I should like it above all things," replied Inez. "I will restore your scarf, Mrs. Lynne, as our masquerade is ended," she said; but Agatha called England for her, and Allan made her a throne of moss, and sat at her feet. Lord Lynne declared they only wanted a very brown gypsy, with a very old guitar, to make him think he was in Spain.

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"We do not want flowers and birds to distract us," replied Allan. "Let us remain here, if the ladies are willing, and settle the programme of our tableaux."

Miss Lynne, will you accept the role of prima donna, and tell us what scenes from 'the enchanted realm

of fancy" we shall enact?" Inez smiled, and bowed assent. She looked happier and brighter than usual. There was no doubt that that brilliant, beautiful face could express any passion or emotion.

"We had better arrange a proper programme," said Lord Lynne. "I think we will dispense with the dinner part of the business. My mother thought of a large party, including dancing and tableaux. I owe an invitation to nearly all my neighbors. We can have a grand supper, mother," he added, smiling at Mrs. Lynne, "and that will console you for missing a formal, ceremonious dinner."

"You will have the old ball-room fitted up, I suppose?" said Mrs. Lynne. "Yes, it shall be decorated in what the Barfordshire Courier calls a truly magnificent style," he replied. "We will have hangings and flowers such as never were seen in Lynnwood before."

"The drawing-room be the best place for the tableaux," said Inez; "they could be arranged in the small drawing-room, and the audience could be seated in the large one."

"That would do capitally," said Allan. "We can have a curtain fixed under the arch, and it will be a perfect little theatre."

"Let us have the tableaux first," said Agatha, "and then we can begin the hearts did not warm to her; she felt almost alone, did this strange, gifted woman. Perhaps there was something too regal and queenly in the style of her beauty, for it was evident that both Philip and Allan stood rather in awe of her."

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REFUSED TO BE DISCHARGED.

Scheme of Railway Brakeman Who Kept Himself at Work.

In Kansas the railroads have a good deal of difficulty in providing competent men to fill vacancies in the train crews and other positions which do not offer attractions that are especially inviting. At each division terminal there is usually maintained a "crew board" upon which is written in chalk twice a day a list of conductors and brakemen available for the following twelve hours. This list is posted by the "caller" or some other employe familiar with the situation and from it men are chosen to fill the various runs.

One day an accident happened which caused some dismay at headquarters for, aside from breaking up some cars and tearing up some track, it shattered the plans of the superintendent, who was about to start upon a vacation trip.

Investigation developed that a brakeman had forgotten to close a switch properly and the following train ran into it, with the result noted above.

The brakeman was dismissed forthwith. Six weeks later the superintendent boarded a freight train at a way station on the division and, mounting the "doghouse" steps in the caboose, was much surprised to find that same brakeman on guard.

"What are you doing here?" inquired the surprised official.

"Working," replied the culprit, with a dismal grin.

"Upon whose authority?" persisted the superintendent.

"Aw! I ain't lost no time a-tall," answered the brakeman.

Further questioning brought out the fact that the industrious one had been marking up his own name upon the crew board and in that way was being called regularly to go out on the run.

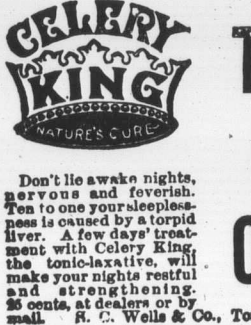
Asked why he had taken such a course to keep at work, he replied:

"Well, boss; my credit for grub is good as long as I keep busy, but when my pay stops me chuck stops!" He is working yet.—Kansas City Star.

MODISH NOVELTIES.

Rose-fringed Scarf—Waistbands—as to the New Skirts.

Upon some of the new scarfs, there's a deep fringe of little roses and daisies nodding from long stalks. Gold, crystal and silver fringes are also being used by the dressmakers as a completing touch of elegance upon tea-gowns, evening toilettes, and tail dress cloaks.

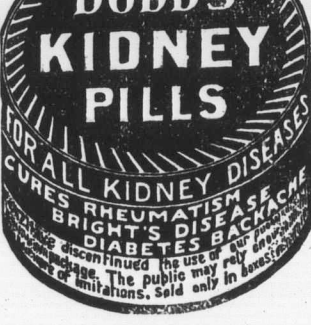


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J. W. GREENWAY,
Commissioner of Dominion
Lands, Ottawa

28th September, 1908.

Tender for Dredging

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the
undersigned and endorsed, "Tender for
Dredging Middle Channel, River St. Lawrence,
will be received until November
16th, 1908, at 4.30 p.m., for dredging, re-
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Tenders will not be considered unless
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Combined specification and form of
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Built in old Athens, the "Earl"
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The day of doubting is now past,
In all directions spread the news
That this dark world may come to use,
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And smile to find the e'er come to stay
A triumphant rival of the day,
As white as sumpkin's brightest light,
Making day of the darkest night—
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So do not heed the words you hear,
That fill the timid mind with fear,
That all is safe, you've already seen,
If you're burning from an "Earl"
machine—
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—Pard E.

District News

GLEN MORRIS

The many friends of Mr Rufus
Lincoln are pleased to hear of his safe
arrival in his new home at Niagara.

Mr and Mrs H. Prue, North Augus-
ta, are visiting their daughter, Mrs A.
Hawkins.

A handsome nine pound baby girl
arrived at the home of Mr A. Hawkins
on Saturday last. Congratulations.

Mr George Bradley paid a business
visit to Lansdowne recently.

DELTA

Mr Frank Stevens, son of Mr Lewis
Stevens, passed serenely away of
typhoid fever on Wednesday Nov. 5.
The funeral took place in the Baptist
church here on Thursday. Rev Mr
Dewey and Rev Mr Johnston con-
ducted the service.

Visitors: Mr and Mrs Frank Eaton
and daughter Violet of Frankville, Mr
and Mrs T. W. Wood and sons, Leon
and Shirley of Daytown, Mrs W. A.
Wood of Plevna at Mr Eli Wood's.

The funeral of Mr Bennet of Day-
town was conducted here in the Meth-
odist church by the Rev. Mr Johnston
last Tuesday.

Mr Rupert Stevens is home from
Queen's to spend Thanksgiving with
his parents, Mr and Mrs Alex Stevens.

Mrs Eli Wood spent over Sunday at
her son's, T. W. Woods of Daytown.

Mrs Thomas Connors is quite poorly.

Rev Mr and Mrs Dewey have re-
turned from Ottawa.

GLOSSVILLE

Oct. 30—Mrs Booth has recently
erected a new poultry house, which
adds much to the improvement of the
out buildings.

Mr S. Y. Brown has returned to
his home again after spending a week
with his niece in New York.

Miss Maud Brown spent last week
at Glen Buell.

Miss Anna Hall was the guest of
Mrs L. N. Brown on Wednesday
evening of last week.

Mr and Mrs Samuel Brown and Mrs
James T. Brown attended the funeral
of the Miss Johnson at Greenbush last
week.

Mr E. Stuart and sister Miss M.
Stuart of Frankville motored out in
his auto and spent Sunday with their
sister, Mrs Booth.

Mr and Mrs W. Johnston spent
Sunday last with their father, Mr Levi
Church.

Mr S. Y. Brown the guest of his
brother, Mr J. W. Brown, last Sun-
day.

Mr and Mrs George Booth spent
Saturday visiting at Mr M. Brown's in
Athens.

Miss May Parker of Oewego, N. Y.,
is spending a few weeks the guest of
her sister Mrs Jas. Wilton.

Nov. 3—Mrs J. Best of Addison and
Mrs F. Best of Soperton were the
guests of Mrs George Booth on Wed-
nesday of last week.

Mrs Jas. T. Brown spent Monday
and Tuesday visiting her sister Mrs J.
Dack of Smith's Falls.

PHILIPSVILLE

There has not been frost enough yet
to stop plowing but too much cold and
frost for laying brick and building
sidewalks.

Mrs J. Downey is the guest of
friends in Athens during thanksgiving.

Mrs Jas Bissell of Brockville spent
a few days last week here with Geo.
and E. A. Whitmore's families.

Miss A. Alquire paid her brother
Daniel a visit in Westport a few days
ago.

Quarterly meeting will be held in
the Methodist church on Sabbath next,
15th inst.

Another old resident, Mrs Farnham,
has passed over to the silent majority.
Her funeral was held in the Methodist
church on Sunday last. Rev F. F.
Chisholm preached the sermon to a
full house.

Maria Phillips is confined to her bed.
She has been very poorly for the past
two months.

The concert held by the side walk
combination was fairly well attended.
They had a very good program.

The cold weather put a stop to the
work on the Farmer's Bank.

Wm. Stevens has erected a windmill
and is going to carry the water in
pipes to his horse stable.

The united ages of the three old
ladies that have been taken from our
town since the 30th of June would be
239 years.

Mrs S. A. Snider of Addison has
been spending a few days visiting in
Glossville.

Mr and Mrs Edward Wilton of
Addison spent Sunday with Mr and
Mrs Jas. Brown.

Mrs S. Y. Brown spent a few days
visiting friends in Athens last week.

Mrs G. Mclean was the guest of
her sister, Mrs L. N. Brown, on
Thursday of last week.

Mrs M. Church and children spent
Sunday with her sister-in-law, Mrs W.
Johnston.

Mr and Mrs George Booth, Mr and
Mrs E. Wilton, Mr and Mrs D. Wilton,
were guests of Mr and Mrs Samuel
Brown on Sunday.

CHARLESTON

Nov. 2—Cedar Park Hotel closed
last week for the season. Messrs. Wil-
son and Hickey, proprietors, gave a
party to a number of friends on Wed-
nesday evening. Despite the unfavor-
able weather, quite a crowd assembled
and a few pleasant hours were spent.
Mr and Mrs M. J. Kavanagh and Mrs
Chas. Slack furnished sweet music for
the occasion.

Miss Celia Kennedy of Philipville
is visiting friends.

Mrs E. Wilson has been enjoying a
visit from her sister, Miss J. Pollard.

Miss Minnie Mulvena has returned
home after a pleasant visit with friends
at Seely's Bay.

Robert Foster purchased last week
from A. W. Johnson the property
known as the Bewes farm.

Chas. S. Yates of Brockville Busi-
ness College spent Thanksgiving at
his home.

Cedar Park hotel has closed for the
season, Mr Wilson going to his home
near Athens and Mr Hickey to his
home at Beales Mills.

On Wednesday evening last a party
of Athenians spent a very enjoyable
time at Cedar Park hotel, tripping the
light fantastic.

Mr Waldron Green of Caron, Sask.,
is visiting relatives in Charleston and
vicinity.

Mr J. H. Hudson is moving back to
the farm after a year's life in the
village of Athens.

The cheese factory at Beale's Mills
has closed for this season and some of
the patrons are drawing their milk to
Oak Leaf.

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be obtained from any good prescription
pharmacy at small cost, and being of
vegetable extraction, are harmless to
take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regu-
larly for a few days, is said to over-
come any case of rheumatism. The
pain and swelling, if any, diminishes
with each dose, until permanent results
are obtained, and without injuring
the stomach. While there are many
so-called rheumatism remedies, patent
medicines, etc., some of which do give
relief, few really give permanent
results, and the above will, no doubt,
be greatly appreciated by many
sufferers here at this time.

Inquire at the drug stores of this
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GOING WEST		GOING EAST	
No. 1	No. 3	No. 2	No. 4
Brockville (leave) 9.40 a.m.	3.40 p.m.	Westport (leave) 7.30 a.m.	2.40 p.m.
Lyn 10.10 "	8.55 "	Newboro 7.42 "	2.55 "
Seeleys 10.20 "	4.02 "	Crosby 7.52 "	8.06 "
Forthton 10.33 "	4.13 "	Forfar 7.57 "	8.12 "
Elbe 10.39 "	4.18 "	Elgin 8.08 "	8.22 "
Athens 10.53 "	4.26 "	Delta 8.17 "	3.41 "
Soperton 11.13 "	4.41 "	Lyndhurst 8.23 "	3.48 "
Lyndhurst 11.20 "	4.47 "	Soperton 8.29 "	3.56 "
Delta 11.28 "	4.58 "	Athens 8.45 "	4.25 "
Elgin 11.47 "	5.07 "	Elbe 8.52 "	4.31 "
Forfar 11.55 "	5.18 "	Forthton 8.57 "	4.38 "
Crosby 12.03 "	5.18 "	Seeleys 9.08 "	4.49 "
Newboro 12.12 "	5.28 "	Lyn 9.15 "	5.05 "
Westport (arrive) 12.30 p.m.	5.40 "	Brockville (arrive) 9.30 "	5.30 "

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THE RUMSELLER AND MOTHER

Written for the Reporter and addressed to my friend, John Eaton.

'Twas midnight and darkness had settled around
And nature was wrapped in the stillness of death,
I turned on my pillow but no slumber I found,
My heart it beat heavy and hot was my breath.

For mother had written with trembling hand,
My dear old mother, to her once wayward boy,
And it quenched the hot flames that strong drink had formed
As I thought of her love, her sorrow and joy.

She asked but one thing, 'twas enough you will say,
For she asked that when my ballot is cast,
Would I stand with the rum-seller and turn her away,
Or stand with my mother who loves to the last.

I struggled and turned till the night was most gone,
And fought with myself, and with Satan and sin,
And I wished in my heart that I might see the dawn
From the darkness without and the darkness within.

Since then at the bar I have never been seen,
And thank God I now sing the good song,
For I settled it once and forever between
The rum-seller and mother, the right and the wrong.

—Nemo.

A First Century Message to Twentieth Century Christians

Rev. 2:1; 3:22.
At the Baptist church next Sunday night the pastor will commence a series of sermons on "The Letters to the Seven Churches of Asia" and their bearing on modern church life.
The general outline will be:—
Ephesus—the Loveless Church.
Smyrna—the Faithless Church.
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League Officers

At the annual business meeting of the Epworth League on Monday evening, Nov. 9th, officers were elected as follows:—
Hon. Pres.—Rev. Read.
President—A. M. Lee.
1st Vice Pres.—Miss Klyne.
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Towriss.
3rd Vice Pres.—B. S. Cornell.
4th Vice Pres.—Mrs. J. Boddy.
Secretary—N. G. Scott.
Cor. Sec.—Miss C. Rappell.
Treasurer—Mr. B. McGhie.
Organist—Miss Nellie Earl.

Farm lands in the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry will hereafter be assessed in summer instead of winter as formerly. A by-law was passed at the last meeting of the Counties Council to this effect.

NORTH HAMMOND (N.Y.) NOTES

Editor Reporter.
Soon after meeting friends here I was abruptly asked, "How long can a man of leisure delay himself in Brockville till he is liable to arrest?" Well, it appears that a quiet young gentleman, who paid his way in advance, was arrested for vagrancy. I don't know the merits of the case or the law relating to such a case. Does Brockville have a vigilance committee to which one can refer for credentials? There may be a committee—I don't know—but I do know the city has been inundated, submerged, with an overflow of vigilance. It is rapidly subsiding.
So far as the countless industries are concerned, instead of being jarred by the presidential election, they remain undisturbed, which is a pleasing thought to the voters, pro and con, and it is hoped that anxiety for the growth of our trades may never arise as a result of our elections, because we have an abundance of experienced, talented, great and good men, and the good sense and intelligence of our voters will ever keep a majority of such to the front, irrespective of partisanship.
There are a few upright, religious, conscientious men on the surface of development. A very unselfish man says his religion will not allow him to take over 25¢ per lb. for butter. Now, reader, try it—you will find it takes a lot of self denial to drop 10¢ a pound. Then ramble off and say they have little or no religion over the river.
Mr. R. B. McGregor and son, Mr. Elmer, the well known Holstein men, have of late been receiving a reward due their unremitting attention and work, as Mr. R. B. has been selecting his animals from the very best strain of milkers he could discover, for many years, and has strictly avoided inbreeding.

W.S.H.

FRECHETTE A PATRIOT

QUEBEC POET WAS THOROUGH CANADIAN.

Was All His Life an Exile From the World's Literary Centres Which He Loved—Hugo and Lamartine Praised His First Work—He Was a Famous Recounter of Folk Lore, French Fairy Stories and Legends.

The death of Louis Honoré Frechette, French Canada's greatest poet, has drawn numerous appreciative references from English papers. Frechette, says The London Times, was all his life an exile from the groves and high places of European culture. There were times when the thought: "If I had only been born in France, I touched his mood with an emotion of regretfulness, and then he would shake his head and complain that posterity would never make allowance for his provincial birth and his long inability to free himself altogether from the centrifugal influences of Quebec. Nobody could deceive him on this point; he would not deceive himself. The crowning by the French Academy of an early work, "Les Fleurs Boreales" (1890), and many other honors—he was a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, a Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, Vice-President of the Royal Society of Canada—and the praise of two generations of French critics did not suffice to convince him that he was a poet of the centre or self-immortalized. In his heart he knew that the unanimous appreciation on either side of the Atlantic was a tribute to his people rather than to his poetry.

In some respects the man was more interesting than the poet. He was never one of the cloistered singers of which Mr. Swinburne is the living type. All his life he was as keenly interested in men and affairs as, shall we say, the Browning of tea-parties and after-dinner talk. Indeed, it was doubtful at one time whether Frechette would choose politics or poetry as the pursuit of his ripening years. At the age of seven he was a "rebel," a passionate champion of Paganism; it was not until his eighth year that he made up his mind to be a great poet, though his father—a shrewd, common-place citizen of Louis—warned him that fortunes are not won by those engaged in the trade. Eventually he took up the study of law, putting aside childish ambitions for what seemed to his relations—descendants of emigrants from l'île de Re, in Saintonge—the serious, sensible business of life. At the age of 24 he published his first political essay, "Mes Loix," which was praised by Victor Hugo and Lamartine, and, despite many faults of immaturity, was rich in promise for the near future. But he then gave himself to political journalism, and like so many young French-Canadians, came into collision with the hierarchy of Quebec. Forty years ago, when "Liberal" and "excommunicated" were synonymous terms in French Canada, he started The Journal de Lévis, an organ of political independence, which, as he said in later life, "a lighted match applied to a wasp's nest." The match flickered out, and the wasps chased him to the United States. He lived for some years in Chicago (where there is a large French colony) and founded L'Amérique, which did not long survive, and wrote "La Voix d'un Exilé," a bitter political satire against the conservative party in Canada, which became very popular with the young men of Quebec, and was an effective checkstone for what was called the "L'Amérique" which did not long survive, and wrote "La Voix d'un Exilé," a bitter political satire against the conservative party in Canada, which became very popular with the young men of Quebec, and was an effective checkstone for what was called the "L'Amérique" which did not long survive, and wrote "La Voix d'un Exilé," a bitter political satire against the conservative party in Canada, which became very popular with the young men of Quebec, and was an effective checkstone for what was called the "L'Amérique" which did not long survive, and wrote "La Voix d'un Exilé," a bitter political satire against the conservative party in Canada, which became 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FRIEND OF BRITAIN.

KAISER DENIES HE WAS EVEN A SECRET ENEMY IN BOER WAR.

Foiled Boer Delegates—Barred Them From Germany—Rejected Powers' Proposal to Humiliate England.

A London cable says: The Telegraph gives the greatest prominence to an interview between the Kaiser and a representative Englishman, who long since passed from public to private life.

The Englishman, who apparently was a diplomatist, writes: "Moments sometimes occur in the history of nations when a calculated indiscretion proves of the highest public service."

Reverting to his efforts to show his friendship for England, the Kaiser said they had not been confined to words. It was commonly believed that Germany was to be England's ally throughout the Boer War.

"Nor was that all. During your black week, in December, 1899, when disasters followed one another in rapid succession, I received a letter from Queen Victoria, my revered grandmother, written in sorrow and affliction, and bearing manifest traces of the anxieties which were preying upon her mind and health."



You can make richer, more fragrant, more delicious coffee if you use "Salada." One teaspoonful makes two cups. Use absolutely boiling water. Steep five minutes.

Cat Breeding as a Business for Women

Many instances illustrating the possibility of cat breeding as a business for ladies could be given, but I shall confine myself to briefly reciting the experience of one lady in New Jersey as showing what intelligent breeding, hard work and fair dealing will accomplish.

Giving Them Their Choice. "Maria, where do you and the girls want to spend the winter?"

MANY SMUGGLED DIAMONDS.

Once They Are Stolen at the Mines They Are Hard to Track.

Although the weight of diamonds and precious stone imported into the United States is never given in the official reports, yet some information on the subject is now being prepared by dealers in the Maiden Lane district.

A clandestine traffic in the De Beers gems is known to take place, although a most elaborate system has been devised to prevent thefts from the mines and the works in compounds under strict supervision.

Rest for the Weary Scribbler. It is not at all surprising that a colony of newspaper farmers is being founded in Colorado.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen,—I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT on my vessel and in my family for years, and for the every day ills and accidents of life I consider it has no equal.

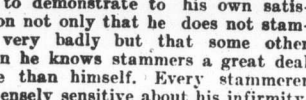
Cause of Stammering. "Stammering is often more the result of habit than from any defect of the vocal organs," says Prof. B. L. Payver.

His Marital Trouble. "On what ground," asked the lawyer, "does your wife want a divorce? Incompatibility?"

Not a Weighty Matter. "They say that Charlie has lost his mind." "Is that so? Does he know it?"—Boston Courier.

Free! Handsome Fur Scarf. Black fur OVER 44 INCHES LONG. It is cut in latest up-to-date fashion, and made from specially selected skin, with four full-furred black martens tails and neck chain and fastener.

THE FAVORITES EDDY'S "SILENT" MATCHES



"Silent as the Sphinx!" THE MOST PERFECT MATCHES YOU EVER STRUCK



Always, everywhere in Canada, ask for Eddy's Matches

Mrs. Gertrude McKiernan.

HE DID ONLY HIS DUTY.

But Still Some of the Automobile Tourists Might Have Got Lost. The Glidden trail up Main street in Saco was lost on Monday because of the agility displayed by Charles Schofield, head pusher of the refuse department.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER PRAISING PE-RU-NA. MRS. GERTRUDE M'KIERNAN, 216 Neebosh street, Emporia, Kas., writes: "I suffered very much with a severe cold in the head, and was always complaining of feeling tired and groggy."

Confidence in Pe-ru-na. Mrs. M. F. Jones, Burning Springs, Ky., writes: "We have been using Peruna for some time and have hesitancy in recommending it for the thousand and one ailments of humanity."

Suiting Meat to the Season. Prof. Barrell Wendell, of Harvard, was laughing the other day at the British censor's refusal to allow the "Aedipus Rex" of Sophocles to be performed in London.

Was Supplied Without Delay. Spurred on by newspaper taunts, possibly, a plain-clothes man of the Atlanta police set out one day to detect violations of the Georgia Prohibition law.

PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding Piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment; and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested.

Black Watch Chewing Tobacco

The big black plug.

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CORNS CURED

Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. On the Same Terms. Diner (who has run up a heavy bill)—You are manager here, eh? Well, six months ago I dined here, and, unfortunately, being unable to pay my bill—er—you kicked me downstairs!

Women Stricken With Worry. It is impossible of women not to worry, but whether they worry or not, it is every woman's duty to herself and family to save her strength and build up her system to meet any usual demands.

Ferrozone. No medicine is so beneficial as Ferrozone, which acts on the blood, the nerves the stomach and all other organs that need strength.

Asking Too Much. I believe there's a story told of Mark Twain that in youthful days, being sent out by his mother to weed a certain flower bed, and finding more weeds than flowers, he came back and asked if he might not "flower the weed bed."

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Not a Great Gopher. John D. Rockefeller, conversing amiably with a reporter, drove home a remark on inefficiency with a gold story.

The Comic Side of Crimes. It is a generally accepted fact that one can see humor in most things if one looks deep enough, and certainly Mr. Harry Furniss, in the second of his articles, which he contributed to the November Strand Magazine, under the above title, is able to find plenty of fun even among crimes and criminals.

A man was tried on evidence irresistible "to anybody but a jury" for a most terrible murder. He had slain his father and mother on testimony so clear that there could be no shadow of doubt as to his guilt.

The jury brought in a verdict of "Not guilty." It was an example of the comic jury—yes, screamingly funny comedians—a troupe of twelve led by a comic foreman.

The judge was furious and asked the comedians what they meant by such an outrageous verdict, "when they knew the culprit was guilty and ought to be hanged."

"That's just it, my lord," said the foreman of this distinguished body. "I assure you we had no doubt about the prisoner's guilt, but we thought there had been deaths enough in the family lately!"

The Wrong Name. A prosperous young Canadian farmer was deeply disgusted some time ago with a girl from the city, who gushed in an irritating fashion over everything she saw.

In the Vortex. The noises now increase; The hours of sleep diminish; But soon the woe will cease— This is the whirlwind finish.

Friendly Hint. Maud—Jack says I grow more beautiful every time he sees me. Ethel—You should have him call much oftener, my dear.—Boston Transcript.

A skeptic is a man who always puts meclage on the back of a postage stamp.

TRY TO ESCAPE BRIGHT'S DISEASE. Look Well to Your Kidneys—Keep Them Healthy and Thus Avoid Incurable Diabetes and Bright's Disease.

If you would avoid Bright's disease, take Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They are so effective about their action, which is swift and thorough. In every case complete cure attends their use.

Read the following symptoms:—they tell if your kidneys are sick or well—whether or no you require a medicine such as Dr. Hamilton's Pills:

WATCH YOUR WATER! Does it smell bad? Is it red, bloody? Painful and too frequent? Does it drip? Discolor the linen? After standing 24 hours, if the urine is cloudy, highly colored, stringy, contains sediment like brickdust, then YOUR KIDNEYS ARE DISEASED.

To protect your system against the further inroads of kidney complaint, rely on Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They give instant relief to the backache, those dragging sensations, desire to urinate too often or too seldom. You'll feel invigorated and braced, your appetite will improve, sleep will be restful. No medicine on earth will do you more lasting good. Price 25c per box, or five boxes for \$1, at all dealers.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

Giving Them Their Choice. "Maria, where do you and the girls want to spend the winter?"

"Well, you can have your choice between the Bermudas and the farm out on the Fox River; but I may as well tell you that there won't be any money to go for a trip to the Bermudas."

Work on the Campanile. The base and exactly half the tower of the Campanile of Venice have just been reconstructed.

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May Have 325 Votes When the Final Summing Up is Made.

Reports From Outside Places-- Senatorship For Bryan.

New York despatch: Maryland and Missouri held the centre of political attention when the Republicans and Democratic politicians, to say nothing of mere voters, began early to-day to look over the net results of the election.

At the opening of the day's despatches, leaving Maryland and Missouri out of the count, Taft was assured of 301 electoral votes. Bryan of 156.

Missouri with her big block of 18 votes was hanging in the balance, the first despatch to-day showing, upon incomplete returns, that Bryan had a lead of 67 votes.

Maryland with eight electoral votes was claimed for Taft with a margin of only 136 votes and few districts yet to be heard from.

The Democrats insisted that they would not yield Maryland to Republicans save on the authority of the official count.

At the beginning of the day this is the way the electoral table looked:

Table with 2 columns: For Taft and For Bryan. Lists states and their electoral votes.

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Indiana apparently has given the Democrats a majority of eight in joint ballot in the Legislature, which would assure the State a Democratic United States Senator in place of Hemmway.

There is an active rumor that John V. Kern, the defeated candidate for Vice-President, will be the new Senator from Indiana.

The State has elected Marshall, Democrat, Governor, by a plurality of about 15,000, while giving Taft a margin of about 10,000.

Colorado has apparently settled the question definitely in favor of Bryan, but the latter's plurality in that State seems to be less than half of that for Shafroth, the Democratic candidate for Governor, and the State Legislature will be held by Democrats.

West Virginia is evidently assured to Taft. First despatches to-day indicated a plurality of 20,000 or better; but Glasgow, Republican, for Governor, will have apparently less than half of that.

While Republican majority in the national House of Representatives has been but that Cannon will again be elected Speaker, and will have a Republican majority more than sufficient to continue his substantial control of the House.

Several of the leaders allied with him in that control were elected, however, by greatly reduced pluralities. On the other hand, the Republicans appear to have broken into the "solid south" by electing a Congressman in Arkansas, and to have increased their representation from Democratic Oklahoma by two.

Taft's plurality in New York State has gone well over the 200,000 mark, while Hughes for Governor has shrunk from 72,000 or better, accredited to him yesterday, to 70,000 or somewhat less.

Attention began to turn to-day to votes of the Democratic Socialists, Prohibition and Independence parties. It appeared early to-day that the Socialists had been disappointed in their widely avowed expectations of casting "a million for Debs," and in some States had even fallen below their vote of four years ago.

In general, however, their vote showed a material increase, justifying the claim of the advocates and the fear of the opponents of Socialism, that it has become a serious factor in American politics. As for the Prohibition votes, its total presents a great disappointment to those who expected that the "prohibition wave" which has swept a number of States and hundreds of localities into the "dry" column during the past two years would show surprising increases in the vote of the party, which makes its chief issue legal prohibition of the liquor traffic.

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New York despatch: Chairman Norman E. Mack, of the Democratic National Commission, said last night:

"I do not believe that Mr. Bryan will again be the candidate of the Democratic party for President. Should the Legislature be Democratic in Nebraska when a vacancy occurs in the United States Senate from that State, as will be the case in 1910, I believe Mr. Bryan will be selected to fill the office."

Mr. Mack was asked if he thought the south would be recognized in the next national convention and permitted to name a candidate from that section of the country.

"The most available man will be

nominated," he replied, irrespective of whether he comes from the north or the south, the east or the west. Everything will depend upon his availability and other conditions, of course, which we develop in the next four years."

Mr. Mack has no comment to make about the labor vote and said he did not believe Tammany Hall had been unfaithful to Bryan and the rest of the ticket.

SIGNS OF PROSPERITY

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy Returns With Good News From West.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—President Sir Thomas Shaughnessy of the Canadian Pacific Railway returned to Montreal this morning. The President has been making a thorough inspection of the whole of the company's lines in the west, and just before his return to this city he inspected the Toronto terminals, where alterations in the yards at West Toronto are expected.

In an interview the President expressed satisfaction at the evidences of the return of prosperity displayed throughout the west. "The general prosperity of the country was one of the most pleasing features of our trip," he said. "Everywhere there are evident signs of better times, and all departments of commercial and industrial life show good improvement."

In connection with his visit to Vancouver and Victoria the President said: "We have many improvements under way on Vancouver Island, and advance will be made with these as rapidly as is reasonable. Every effort will be made to aid the people in the development of the great resources of the Island."

As to the company's plans for next year in regard to the railway itself, Sir Thomas said the work of extension would go on in accordance with the plans that had been formulated, but as to a specific programme for next year nothing had been decided. The completion of the line from Saskatoon to Edmonton is now within sight. Sir Thomas had nothing to say regarding the new boats on the Atlantic.

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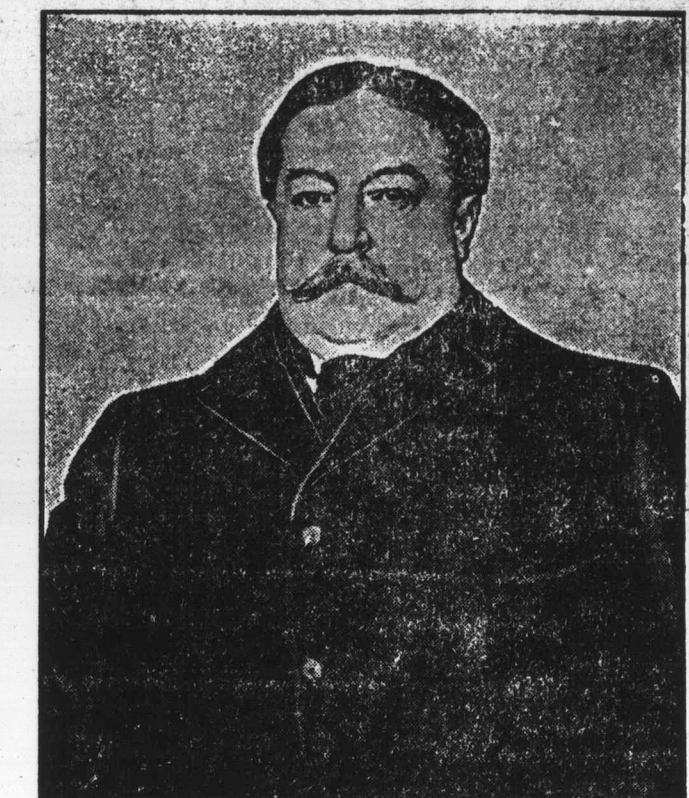
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Mrs. Brown complained that when a woman was a candidate for office the men supported her, but the women voted for her masculine rival, and another delegate referred to the statement that in Toronto only local-option content in Toronto only fifty per cent, of the women eligible to vote exercised their privileges.

The remainder of the afternoon session was mainly devoted to a discussion on the progress of the organ of the union, The Canadian White Ribbon Tidings. Mrs. McAllister and Mrs. Miller, the associate editors last year, found the paper \$1201 in debt. Under the new management the deficit has been cut down to almost half, or \$698.

Mrs. Thornley, of London, told how she evolved the scheme of advertising only one article of each class, and narrated how she had first failed to get any contracts till she resolved to take no orders from any but Christian men, and then how the tide had turned in her favor. She said that she did not so much pray that she should get advertisements as that the firms she dealt with were the right Christian firms and deserving support of the W. C. T. U.

At the morning session the best method of interesting girls in "Y" work was debated, and the most direct means of influencing mothers inquired into.

Mrs. Kerr, of Brantford, said they wanted more tactful Christian women. How not to do it she well illustrated by a story of a reform worker who went into the house of a woman and said: "Your children are on the street, and they don't look well. Come to our mothers' meetings and learn how." The woman told the caller to get out, and her action was quite natural.

The Toronto Parks Committee again recommends that Ald. Foster's \$30,000 palm house be built in the Allan Gardens.

The Canadian Northern Railway opened its branch from Brandon to Regina to-day.

WOMEN AND FRANCHISE.

Striking Demonstration at W.C.T.U. Meeting in Barrie.

Mrs. Stevens Shows What Women's Vote Would Do.

Complains Women Voters Support Men Against Women.

Barrie despatch: There was nothing militant or frenzied to-day in the appeal of the women of the Ontario W. C. T. U. made for the right to vote, but it was none the less enthusiastic and determined, and the men of Canada will undoubtedly hear more of it presently. The afternoon session of the union to-day was remarkable for the able exposition of the rights the women of the world had already gained and were fighting for.

At the close the following resolution was unanimously carried: Resolved, that we as patriotic Christian women, realizing the importance of the ballot for our sex, do hereby promise to exercise our own franchise powers on all occasions when possible, and to encourage other women to do likewise, so that the election of the best men in municipal and other contests may be secured and the liquor curse banished from our homes.

The demonstration was excellently managed by Mrs. Mattie Stevens, of Toronto. Representing every country in which women's suffrage had made some progress, the ladies from the audience advanced to the platform, carrying the national flag of the people they voiced, and then read a little statement of the rights that had been gained in public life by the weaker sex.

Mrs. Stevens introduced the subject. She said that when they considered what the women's vote could do for the country they must all concede that the fight for the suffrage was one of their most important spheres of labor, and should command the interest and attention of all. The almost immediate result of the partial enfranchisement of women was seen in a law for the better protection of women and children. Mrs. Stevens said she was proud that four of the six countries where equal suffrage privileges had been recorded to women were English-speaking lands. But now the European women were roused and they must look to their laurels.

Mrs. Thornley, of London, representing the United States, rejoiced in the fact that four States in the Union had granted full rights to women. In Wyoming, where full rights had been granted for many years, there were fewer divorces and less unmarried women than in any State of the Union, and statistics showed that 90 per cent. of the eligible women voted.

Mrs. Grey, of Toronto, for New Zealand women, pointed out that at the last election in the island 175,946 out of 212,250 women on the voters list cast their ballot, while only 2,211,611 men out of a total of 2,625,194 did so. A white ribbon army 1,500 strong was working for the overthrow of the liquor traffic. Mrs. Grey, of London, carrying the Australian flag, showed that only Victoria of all the states of the Commonwealth remained obdurate.

Mrs. Redmond, of Toronto, representing Finland, where all the women have equal rights, and intimated that there they had threatened to strike till the Diet had yielded.

Mrs. Russell, of Toronto, spoke for 300,000 women voters in Norway, and Mrs. Brown, of Picton, for the Isle of Man.

For England, Mrs. Wright, of London, claimed that the suffragettes had achieved something more than notoriety and adverse criticism, and called upon the convention to sympathize with the women of England in their valiant struggle.

Speaking for Canada, Mrs. McKee, of Barrie, reviewed the rights that women had gained in the Dominion, and praised the laws of New Brunswick, where every incorporated municipality must have at least two women school trustees. There was some discussion before the motion was put.

Mrs. Brown complained that when a woman was a candidate for office the men supported her, but the women voted for her masculine rival, and another delegate referred to the statement that in Toronto only local-option content in Toronto only fifty per cent, of the women eligible to vote exercised their privileges.

The remainder of the afternoon session was mainly devoted to a discussion on the progress of the organ of the union, The Canadian White Ribbon Tidings. Mrs. McAllister and Mrs. Miller, the associate editors last year, found the paper \$1201 in debt. Under the new management the deficit has been cut down to almost half, or \$698.

Mrs. Thornley, of London, told how she evolved the scheme of advertising only one article of each class, and narrated how she had first failed to get any contracts till she resolved to take no orders from any but Christian men, and then how the tide had turned in her favor. She said that she did not so much pray that she should get advertisements as that the firms she dealt with were the right Christian firms and deserving support of the W. C. T. U.

At the morning session the best method of interesting girls in "Y" work was debated, and the most direct means of influencing mothers inquired into.

Mrs. Kerr, of Brantford, said they wanted more tactful Christian women. How not to do it she well illustrated by a story of a reform worker who went into the house of a woman and said: "Your children are on the street, and they don't look well. Come to our mothers' meetings and learn how." The woman told the caller to get out, and her action was quite natural.

The Toronto Parks Committee again recommends that Ald. Foster's \$30,000 palm house be built in the Allan Gardens.

The Canadian Northern Railway opened its branch from Brandon to Regina to-day.

WOMEN AND FRANCHISE.

Strained Relations Existing Between France and Germany.

France Refuses to Release Deserters From Foreign Legion.

France Refuses to Back Down and Will Fight It Out.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—The relations between France and Germany are again disturbed through Germany seeking from the French Government the release of the Germans who deserted from the foreign legion at Casa Blanca, and additional satisfaction for an alleged assault made upon a subordinate official of the German Consulate at that place.

The French Foreign Office wishes to submit the matter to arbitration, and M. Jules Cambon, the French Ambassador, is endeavoring to reach an agreement with the German Foreign Office to this end, but so far without success.

Several of last evening's papers took up the subject, and declared that it is now necessary for Germany to insist upon her rights. The German Government made serious representations to France early in October with reference to this affair, which was prior to the controversy which arose from the publication of the Emperor's interview, but the raising of the controversy in the newspapers yesterday is regarded by some of Chancellor Von Buelow's critics as a device to divert public attention from the Emperor and the chancellor to a foreign quarrel.

France is resolved to stand firm. Paul Cambon, the French Ambassador in Berlin, has been instructed to notify Germany that France maintains her view that the whole question should be arbitrated and that in the meanwhile she declines to release the deserters, to reprimand the officers concerned, or to exchange regrets with Germany.

Premier Clemenceau declared to-day that he was ready to go before the Chamber of Deputies on the issue, and resign if he was not upheld. The press of every shade of opinion with singular unanimity voices approval of the Government's attitude, and declares that a backdown would be equivalent to the moral end of France.

WHOLESALE RAID.

Six Stores Were Entered by Burglars in Brockville.

A Brockville despatch: Burglary by wholesale was committed in Brockville during the night, no less than six stores having been entered on the main business thoroughfare. They included the shops of R. Davis & Sons, R. H. Smart, Thomas MacDermott, G. R. Quirnbach, C. W. Johnston and the Wm. Davies Co., Limited. It is supposed to have been an organized effort of local characters well acquainted with the several premises. This is shown by the location of the weak spots in the rear doors and windows.

Every cash drawer was rifled of sums ranging from \$2 to \$12. The safes were not tampered with, which gives color to the theory that it was the work of amateurs. At Smart's hardware store revolvers, razors, diamond glass cutters and watches were taken to the value of \$400, and at MacDermott's tobacconist store the thieves lined themselves with cigars. MacDermott was also the heaviest money loser. The coal sheds of the Geo. E. Shields Co. were also broken into during the night and a quantity of anthracite removed.

It is supposed the burglars had intended fleeing across the river to the United States as a boat house containing a motor launch was broken into. There were evidences of the launch having been tampered with, but neglect to turn on the supply of gasoline resulted in the craft being abandoned. On the floor was written in large letters, "We will come back again." The police have no clue.

CAPTAIN WASHED OVERBOARD.

Schooner Lorna Doone Arrives at Halifax Without Her Master.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 9.—The schooner Lorna Doone, owned by Dr. Grenfell, Labrador missionary, arrived at North Bay to-day minus her captain, who was washed overboard Sunday afternoon.

Captain Roberts was standing talking to the helmsman when a huge sea broke over the vessel, carrying everything movable in its wake. The Lorna Doone was bound from Boston with a cargo of supplies for Dr. Grenfell's mission at Antony.

"Captain Roberts was a native of Twillingate, Newfoundland."

FERNIE GROWING FAST.

Fifteen Hundred Men at Work on New Buildings.

Fernie, B. C., Nov. 9.—Some 1,600 men are at present employed in building about thirty permanent blocks and buildings, among them being the Provincial government structures, cost \$80,000; a new school, \$29,000, and city offices, \$30,000. No addition will be made to the fire equipment, with the exception of increasing the length of hoses. The city is taking over the telephone and lighting systems.

PALMA DEAD.

He Was the First President of Cuba Libre.

A Santiago despatch: Thomas Estrada Palma, the first President of the Republic of Cuba, died here to-night. Winning his first fame as a revolutionist in 1878, Palma, after a stormy career, was in 1901 chosen as the first President of Cuba and inaugurated on the same day that the United States formally relinquished all claim to jurisdiction over the internal affairs of the new nation.

Palma was born near Bayamo in 1838. He studied law in Spain, and upon the outbreak of the ten years' war (1868-78) joined the revolutionists, soon rising to the rank of general. Toward the end of the war Palma was proclaimed President of the Cuban Republic. Soon afterwards he was captured by the Spaniards and banished from Cuba.

In 1878 Palma went to Honduras, where he married the daughter of the President and was made postmaster-general. He next appeared at Cherry Valley, N. Y., and opened a school for Latin-American boys. He stuck to this peaceful occupation until 1895, when, the Cubans again rebelling, he hastened to get into the fight. As the head of the New York junta it was his duty to organize the collection and transmission of supplies from this country.

Inaugurated in 1902, President Palma began by issuing a proclamation, part of which reads: "Let the crimes of other days be buried; let us follow the example of Grant and Lincoln—let us have peace. Let us, in the brightness of to-morrow, forget the night and errors of the past. Let us think of our children, of the prosperity that is to be theirs to-morrow, and all will be well."

He was soon confronted by a revolution, which brought into the field an even larger force than had fought against the Spaniards. President Palma had no force to meet it, and appealed to the United States.

Investigation by Mr. Taft showed that the administration had been as much to blame as the rebels for the insurrection. In October, 1906, the United States took control of the Cuban Government, and has since administered it.

Mr. Taft hopes to be in Cuba on February 1st, when the evacuation of the island by the American troops is scheduled to come off.

AUTO RAN OVER EMBANKMENT.

One Woman Was Killed—Two Others May Die.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 9.—Seven persons in a big automobile en route from New York to Albany were hurled over a sixteen-foot embankment near Coeymans, Albany county, last night. All were injured, and Mrs. Mabel Oakford, one of the party, died later at the Albany Hospital, in this city. Owing to an accident to the steering gear, the chauffeur was unable to make a sharp turn at the approach of a bridge over a creek.

It was said at the hospital to-day that Mrs. Albee and Mrs. Gerson, both of New York, suffered serious injuries and may not live.

GET LAND CERTIFICATES.

Rewards for Men Who Fought in South Africa.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—A number of land certificates under the South African volunteers' bounty act of last session of the Dominion parliament arrived in Toronto yesterday. These certificates entitle the holders to select two adjoining sections of Dominion Northwest lands, available for homestead entry, amounting to 320 acres. Accompanying the certificate is a blank by which the volunteer may appoint a substitute to accept money script for \$100. At the prevailing rate of discount this script will be worth about \$140.



WILLIAM J. BRYAN, Defeated Candidate in Presidential Elections.

RELIEVING UNEMPLOYED.

Various Schemes to Aid the Hungry in Britain.

London, Nov. 9.—Put briefly, the British Government proposals for relief of the unemployed are as follows: War Office open to take 24,000 recruits in special reserve. This would cost \$1,000,000.

Admiralty to employ 2,100 additional men for repairing warships. Tenders for five new cruisers to be issued earlier than the routine time.

Central grant for unemployed increased to \$1,500,000, and restrictions respecting men who have received poor law relief removed.

Post office to take 8,000 men during Christmas season, at wages ranging from \$4 to \$5 per week.

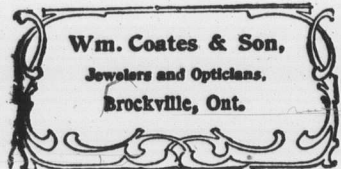
The various municipalities in Britain have decided on remunerative works of all kinds which had previously been decided on, and these amounts in the aggregate exceed \$10,000,000.

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All very suitable for presents, and not too expensive for your own home. Call and see these goods at the grocery store of

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**Special Values
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Buy your underwear from us and save money.
Choice natural wool at \$1.00. A splendid soft, warm, unshrinkable garment in all sizes for men, per garment \$1.00.
Men's heavy ribbed underwear, 75c. Extra quality, elastic ribbed, weighty and warm, per garment, 75c.
Ladies' fine natural wool, soft and warm, per garment, \$1.00. Other qualities in ladies' underwear upward in price per garment from 25c.
Flannelette—900 yds of wide width flannelette, a large range of neat stripe patterns, regular 12c quality on sale while they last for 10c.
See the extra heavy weight in plain, pink, blue and white, regular 12c goods for 10c.
Boots—We have 60 pair ladies Box Kip Bal boots, have been selling the same kind in large quantities at \$1.75 special while this lot lasts, for \$1.49
Special 30 pair men's heavy sole Box Kip Bals, just the thing for fall weather, regular price \$2.25, on sale now, all sizes 6 to 10, for \$1.75.

T. S. Kendrick

FIRE PROOF HOUSES

If there is any such thing as a fire proof house it is the house built of cement blocks or cement bricks.

In the recent fierce fire at Fernie, B.C., the only buildings left standing were those built of cement blocks, as the photo graphs of the disaster show.

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Local and General

A telephone line between Chaffey's Locks and Elgin is now being put in.

The Montreal Methodist conference will meet next June in Pembroke.

Chesterville is to have a Local Option vote.

Wood-furnace in good condition, for sale. Apply to T. Berney, Athens.

Mr Gordonier Maxwell of Seely's Bay spent the week end with friends in Athens.

Mr and Mrs A. Lee were this week guests of Mr and Mrs C. H. Smith, Plum Hollow.

Mr A. N. Sherman left on Monday last, for a trip to New York and Baltimore.

Misses Gladys and Eva Johnston of Charleston spent Thanksgiving Day with friends in Toronto.

The fall styles of football yells are reported to be somewhat louder than last year's patterns.

Miss Ada Quinn, of Lansdowne has been for a few days the guest of Miss Nellie Earl.

Miss Hales of Forfar and Mrs Graham of Portland were this week guests of Mrs A. Kendrick.

Miss Edna Fair has gone to Berryton to complete her sister's term as teacher in the school at that place.

Messrs Abel Kavanagh, Gord Lawson and Frank Gifford succeeded in harvesting seventeen black squirrels on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs Melvin Trickley of Lyn has been in Athens for a few days, assisting in caring for her mother, Mrs Thomas Henderson, who is seriously ill.

Mr Harold Thompson of St. Andrew's College, Toronto, was home this week and has entered on a course of study at Brockville Business College.

Chance of a lifetime—All-wool overcoats—made to order—for two weeks at \$14.50. Storm collar or Chesterfield.—A. M. Chassels.

A delegation from the W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs Sophia Stone on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day and presented her with a life-membership certificate from the society.

The annual Thank offering meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the Presbytery church will be held in the basement on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All the congregation are invited to attend.

Miss Connolly, a former popular pupil in the A.H.S., now teaching at Westport, spent the week end and Thanksgiving Day in Athens, the guest of Miss Empey.

Pembroke, Ont., suffered a half-million dollar fire on Wednesday. Many of the best business blocks were burned, including three hotels, the market, Oddfellow's and Orange halls, woolen mills and National Manufacturing Company's building.

Nearly 300 started in Montreal Herald road race on Monday. The Brockville Harriers Club had four representatives in the race, including M. R. Milroy of Athens. Ellard White, who won the Brockville Athens race, gained 4th place, a very creditable honor in such a large field.

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Through the kindness of Mr W. S. Hough, the Reporter has received a copy of the ballot used in the recent election in New York State, and it is evident that to the discriminating voter this ballot must have proved a pretty stiff proposition. The ballot is 28x18 inches and contains the names of 336 candidates for the various offices, besides 56 blank spaces in which the elector may vote for himself or some of his wife's relations. It is so arranged that a man desiring to vote the whole ticket of his party can do so by making

Mr John Cobey, Jr., has returned home from the West.

Miss Mabel Derbyshire of Harlem was home for Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Edna Davis of Addison went to Toronto for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr George Lee of Brockville was a visitor in Athens this week.

Mr Lloyd Willson of the Merchants Bank, Eganville, spent Thanksgiving Day at his home here.

Miss R. Morris accompanied her sister, Mrs M. Webster, on her return to Ottawa last week.

Mr George Shook, who has spent the summer in New Ontario, has returned home.

Mr and Mrs Hutton and two children of Smith's Falls are guests at the home of Mr W. W. Cross.

Live hens, chickens, ducks, bought every Wednesday afternoon. Crops must be empty.—Willson's Meat Market

Mr and Mrs Jas. E. Judson of Brockville spent Thanksgiving Day with friends in Athens.

Messrs. E. and J. McLean, students at Queen's, were home for Thanksgiving Day.

Senior students of the A.H.S. will shortly take part in one of the popular W.C.T.U. elocutionary medal contests.

Miss Mabel Slack of Montreal spent Thanksgiving Day at her home here in Athens.

Under the management of Capt-Tallman, a box social will be held in the town hall, Toledo, on Friday evening next. Everybody welcome.

The prize of a thoroughbred Jersey calf offered for the person winning the largest number of prizes at Lansdowne Fair was won by Mrs Abel Scott of Addison.

Kingston has a number of small-pox cases. The report that a case developed in the Whig office is entirely without foundation.

The greatest poultry fair in the county is to be held in Athens on (probably) Dec. 10. Leading Canadian and American buyers will be present.

You can get what you want in ready to wear clothing at H. H. Arnold's, Men's, Boys' and Children's suits in great variety, at special low prices.

Judson Cole, a well known citizen of Brockville, died at the general hospital on Saturday last. He is survived by his wife (formerly Miss Miriam Green of Oak Leaf) and two children.

The Morrisburg Leader says that Messrs Pruner & Winstanley have this season laid walks at Finch, Perth, Smith's Falls and Athens, which, in the aggregate, will amount to some \$24,000.

Ladies—Buy your Fur Coats, Furlined Jackets, Storm Collars and Ruffs at Arnold's. You can get the best goods in the market at the lowest possible price. A large stock to select from.

Mrs White of gravenhurst is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs W. B. Percival. Mr White's health has been greatly benefited by their sojourn in the Highlands of Ontario, and they contemplate returning to their old home near Caintown.

Reeve Holmes is in Toronto this week, attending the honey, fruit and flower show. Mr Holmes has been for several years prominently identified with the Ontario Beekeepers Association and has held the highest office in the gift of the membership.

Brockville merchants have been having rather more than their share of trouble with burglars. On Tuesday night of last week six places of business were entered and ransacked. As little money had been left in the tills the intruders did not get much in the way of money, and the safes were left untouched.

Following a pleasant social evening held by the Adult Bible Class of the Methodist S. S. at the parlourage on Friday evening, there was found to be left an abundance of sandwiches, cake, etc., and Mrs Reed very thoughtfully decided that such a supper as these would provide would be enjoyed by the inmates of the House of Industry. Accordingly the dainties were conveyed to the House and met with grateful appreciation on the part of the old ladies before whom they were spread.

Mr J. P. Lamb made a business trip to Ottawa this week.

Rev F. A. Read will conduct Jubilee Services in Algonquin on Sunday and lecture there on Monday evening.

Mr E. J. Purcell filled his old position in the railway office on Monday while Mr J. Myers was in Montreal.

Mr Lester Brown has returned home after a successful season at Metcalfe cheese factory.

Mr Frank Livingston has returned to his home in Eloida after spending dairy season at Lachute, Que.

Cheese dropped to 11c in Brockville on Saturday and the salesmen were very reluctant to part with their goods at that figure.

Next week's adv't of St. Regis Lumbago Cure will contain an important testimonial as to the efficiency of this remedy.

The trustees of Queen's University, Kingston, have decided by a vote of 16 to 3 to seek separation from the Presbyterian church.

Rev Dr Meyers will occupy the pulpit in the Methodist church in Athens Sunday morning and evening, and will preach at Lade Eloida in the afternoon.

The two men, Gray and Dorrington, who burglarized several stores in Brockville a week ago, were arrested in Ottawa with the stolen goods in their possession and brought back to Brockville for trial. They made full confessions.

The Recorder's War correspondent is again playing the role of private detective and is now hot-foot after the tramp suspected of having burned the Johnston barns at Eloida. The tramp has a long lead, but John feels sure of capturing his man.

A public rally in the interest of Local Option will be held in the town hall on the evening of Tuesday day, Nov. 24. An address will be delivered by the Rev C. T. Scott of Montreal and campaign reports will be presented by workers in Athens and Rear Yonge and Escott.

The Evolution of a Cent

At the B.Y.P.U. in the Baptist church on Wednesday night the pastor will speak on "The Evolution of a Cent," as he saw it in his recent visit to the Royal Mint at Ottawa. The public are cordially invited to attend and to learn this very interesting address.

NOTICE

By order of the Reeve, a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of the Rear of Yonge and Escott will be held on Saturday, November 14th, 1908, at 7 o'clock p. m. at the township town hall, Athens, to take into consideration the introduction of a By-law to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor, in the said township of Rear Yonge and Escott.

R. E. Cornell, Clerk.

Voters' List Court

Notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to The Ontario Voters' List Act, by His Honour, the Junior Judge of the County Court of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, at the Town Hall in the Village of Athens on Monday the 30th day of November, 1908, at half past seven o'clock in the evening to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Athens for 1908.

Dated this 10th day of November A. D. 1908.

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Clerk of said Municipality

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Farm for Sale

The Taplin farm, adjoining the village of Athens, consisting of about 35 acres. Farm and residence will be sold separately if desired. Apply to T. R. BEALE, Solicitor for Executors.

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Voters' List Court

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Dated this 4th day of November A. D. 1908.

R. E. CORNELL,
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