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Selected Literature.

A PRETTY GIRL'S WHIM.

It was a beautiful garden—a garden in which one might almost lose one's self among the heavy sweetness of the blossoming syringa bushes and the avenue of pink wisteria that wound irregularly here and there.

It was a July day. A girl lay idly in a wide luxurious hammock, her bright head on the soft tinted cushions, her deep brown eyes upraised to the whispering leaves above.

She looked the ideal of happy content as she lay there in perfect laziness one arm hand drooping over the hammock's edge. A great Newfoundland dog lay on the grass beside her as she swayed gently to and fro, toying affectionately with the dog's great, noble head.

Sometimes he would open his almost human eyes and look up at her silently, with a happy content that matched her own.

It was very pleasant there. The book she had been reading had dropped upon the grass and lay with crumpled leaves. A rosebud marked the place.

Wilma Pierce, whose summers were spent at her grandmother's quaint old country home, had come here a few days since, tired out in body and brain as only a young, hard working teacher can be.

Already the soothing quiet of the lovely place had done her good, and the brightness of complexion and the liveness of form, which had been impaired by the year's hard work, were returning to her.

A silvery haired, sweet faced old lady came out of the wide hall door with a light wrap in her hand. She approached the hammock with anxious solicitude in her kind, old face.

"Child, it is cool for thee here; but thou must be more prudent with thyself."

She wrapped the soft, gray shawl about the girl's shoulders with loving, motherly hands. Wilma looked up and smiled protestingly.

"It isn't chilly, grandmother, dear—don't I submit."

She took the wrinkled old hand in hers and held it gently against her warm cheek.

The old Quakeress bent her stately form and laid a soft, sweet kiss upon the girl's forehead.

"I must go in, dear heart; but had best fall asleep for a little if thee can."

The soft, gray gown swept across the grass, and the wearer stopped beside the door to pull a sweet, white rose that stretched temptingly toward her.

She went in, and the girl and her dumb companion were again alone.

By and by she felt asleep. The roses at her bare, white throat rose and fell with gentle regularity as her breath came and went. It was a pretty picture. Ronald Mitchell, coming quietly across the garden, thought so as he caught sight of it and paused involuntarily.

The dog raised his great, shaggy head and looked a silent welcome from his brown eyes. They were old friends—Ronald, the young farmer, and Rebecca Northfield's dog Don.

The young man stood breathless a moment looking at the sleeper, then with a softer light in his blue eyes and a warmer tinge on his smooth shaven cheek he went toward the house. He entered with the familiarity of a well-known and welcome friend, and sat down easily in a big, antiquated rocking chair.

Rebecca Northfield came into the room, her old face alight with welcome.

She came and laid her small hand on his shoulder. "Ronald," she said, "my grandchild, Wilma Pierce, is coming. Perhaps it is not news to thee? She is a good child, Wilma is, but I fear she loves the world too well. There is little of the Quaker about her, Ronald."

He smiled. "I saw her just now. She is unlike you in her dress, but her face has a likeness to yours."

They sat together in the quiet room and talked a little while. All at once a shadow fell across the bare, white floor, and they both looked up. Wilma stood in the wide doorway, her face a little flushed with sleep, her eyes dewy like a child's after a refreshing slumber. She held a yellow rose in her hand.

"Grandmother," she said, "all unconscious of a stranger's presence, as she looked half asleep at the flower; 'grandmother, what a lovely rose. Just see how—'"

"Wilma," the calm, sweet voice interrupted her, "come here. This is Ronald Mitchell, the son of my old friend and schoolmate, Eunice Sand."

Wilma advanced a little and held out her hand frankly, but when she met the intense gaze of the clear blue eyes above her a shy look came into her own and she withdrew her hand.

Ronald, watching her, wondered if her grandmother's remark about her had implied that she was a bit of a coquette.

She bent over the old lady's high backed chair and fastened the rich rose in the silvery white waves of her beautiful hair. And then she went away, with a murmured word of excuse, leaving behind her a scent of roses and a remembrance of a fair, fresh young face rising flower-like above her pale blue gown.

Selected Literature.

A PRETTY GIRL'S WHIM.

That was their first meeting. All summer the young farmer came and went at his own will and helped to make the old place pleasant.

They sang together in the garden. There was no musical instrument in the primitive Quaker household, but Wilma had brought her guitar with her. They sat together in the old summer house through long lovely afternoons, while grandmamma sat near with her homely knitting work.

They walked together in the great old fashioned garden and along the murmuring creeks, and sat idly on the little rustic bridge, watching the rhythmic flow of waters and the minnows darting in the cool, dark depths below. It was an idyllic summer. Both were happy. One knew why it was; the other only half guessed it.

Ronald Mitchell at thirty years had for first time felt his inmost heart stirred and thrilled by a woman's presence. He loved her with all the unwieldy strength of his perfect manhood, with all the tenderness of a true man's first love.

One evening he told her. They were sitting together on a mossy log beside the creek.

Wilma had thrown off her white garden hat, and the late rose in her dark hair gleamed whitely like a soft star in the dark.

What caprice seized the girl? She listened to his eager words with averted face turned toward the dying sunset light.

When he had finished she did not answer.

"He takes too much for granted," she thought; "he is too masterful, he asks as though my heart was some light thing to which he had a right. I will teach him it is not."

She rose and turned to go. He caught her hands and detained her.

"Wilma, are you not going to say a word? Are you then the coquette I almost thought you that first day?"

His words stung her. She tried to free herself, and the rose fell from her hair. He picked it up.

"If you won't say anything, Wilma, give me this rose. Let it be a symbol of hope to me."

She reached it from his hand.

"When I am ready to answer you," she said, "I will send it to you, and then she slipped away and hurried toward the house. A spice of romance had always been part of her nature. Now as she fitted away she touched the senseless flower with her lips that trembled.

"I do love him—I do love him," she whispered as she sped along the shadowy path through the garden.

But the girl's willful heart was slow to yield. A week passed.

Ronald Mitchell came not once to the farmhouse. Rebecca Northfield wondered at it in his absence, and looked searchingly at the quiet faced girl. One evening, she came into the quiet old room, with its sloping roof and lattice window, where Wilma sat reading.

"I thought I'd tell thee, Wilma, that Ronald is going away to-morrow. He is tired, he said when I met him to-day, and needs a change. He does look worn. I wonder why he keeps away from us."

She looked keenly through her gold rimmed glasses at the girl.

"I don't know, grandmother, I'm sure. He does act strangely of late. Will he stay away long do you think?"

"A month, he said," she answered.

The girl drew a quick breath. "A month," she thought, "in a month I shall be back in school."

Her heart beat quickly. After a while she took a little box from her bureau, and went down stairs and out into the garden.

She called to Don and wandered down to the mossy log beside the creek. She had been here every day since that time a week ago.

She sat down on the log, and Don sat beside her, looking gravely at the running stream.

She drew a little folded note from the box in her hand and opened it.

"Come to me," it said, and then in delicate tracery her name, "Wilma."

That was all.

The girl's eyes shone half mischievously as she fastened the tiny box to Don's silver collar with a bit of ribbon and a bright color plowed in her cheek.

Then she filled her small hands together and looked seriously into the dog's great noble eyes.

"Good old Don," she said, "take it to Ronald—to Ronald—do you understand? He looked up intently into her face and trotted off obediently.

Ronald Mitchell was in his room alone, one by one such articles as were necessary were being packed into his traveling bag.

A sudden patter on the stairs arrested his attention, and the next moment a familiar black head was thrust through the half open doorway.

"Why don't you follow? Come to say good-by? What's this?"

He unfastened the box and opened it. When he had unfolded the slip of paper and found the withered white rose he sprang to his feet. Then, to Don's amazement, he bounded down the stairs and out into

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METHODIST GENERAL CONFERENCE.

MONTREAL, Sept. 16.—In the presentation of home mission work, in referring to the condition of affairs at Oka, Rev. Dr. Sutherland said it was not necessary that he should rehearse the story of the persecutions to which the Indians at Oka had been subjected—destruction of their property by mobs, false arrest and the imprisonment of some of their number, and the fact that the government has not offered any adequate protection. He could not refrain from calling attention to the latest phase of this affair, which appears in a letter addressed to the Indians from the office of the superintendent general of Indian affairs, informing them that no further aid will be given to any Protestant member of the band, unless they remove from the home of their fathers to a new reserve in Muskoka. So far as the indigent members of the band are concerned, such removal may be said to involve only sentimental consideration, but to others it means the surrender of lands to which they believe they have a just claim for a mere fraction of their value. As the Protestant Indians of Oka are without exception Methodists, we submit that it is the duty of the entire church to stand by them in any just contention, and, as the matter respecting their claim to the lands has not been settled by any competent authority, we further submit that it is the duty of the Dominion government, whose wards the Indians are, to have the question finally decided without delay.

MONTREAL, Sept. 18.—The special committee on the use of tobacco reported—

That whereas the attention of this Conference has been called to the great and increasing evil arising from the use of tobacco, especially among the young people of the present day, and whereas our young people naturally and properly look to their leaders in the Church for advice and example on this and other important questions.

Therefore be it resolved: That the conference do its utmost to abstain from the use of tobacco, as destructive of the physical constitution and especially ruinous to the young. We emphatically and earnestly recommend every official in our church be urged to be total abstainers from its use, and alarmed by the growing use of tobacco among the youth of our country we earnestly recommend that no one shall have a place in our Sabbath schools or in the educational institutions of our church, or in our ministry who is not total abstainer from its use, and we further recommend that our people all use their influence to have the teachers in our public schools and higher institutions set the example of total abstinence from its use.

Geo. DOUGLAS, Chairman.

The report on Memorials was read by Mr. J. Rutherford, in which the matter of precedence was taken up as follows:

The order of precedence.—That whereas the constitution of the Dominion of Canada contains nothing of the union of church and state, but recognizes all Christian churches as standing on a ground of perfect equality; and, whereas, in the table of precedence we have the following order: The Governor-General, lieutenant-governors, archbishops and bishops, members of the Cabinet, etc., etc., thus ignoring the very existence of those Protestant Churches which represent the majority of the people of this Dominion, and whereas, in aforesaid order of precedence pre-eminence is given to archbishops, the appointees of the Private Office of Rome, thus degrading the clergy of all Protestant Churches; therefore resolve that the General Conference, representing the largest body of Protestants in the Dominion, records its emphatic protest against the aforesaid order of precedence, regarding it as invasive of the principles of religious equality recognized in the constitution; and (b) that this Conference memorialize the Governor-General-in-Council, Senate, and House of Commons with regard to the aforesaid obnoxious order, asking for abrogation of invidious distinctions implied therein.

MONTREAL, Sept. 19.—The report of the committee on the course of study called for long discussion. Rev. Dr. Burns's speech went to show the danger of admitting scholars and keeping out preachers if the examinations were too abstract. Dr. Burns wanted the admission of preachers to be in accordance with the law of nature rather than have classical knowledge as the test. A fallow might be 98 in Greek and Latin, and not be able to speak at all. The committee's report was defeated by about two to one.

Children Cry for

Pitche's Castoria.

A Warm and animated debate took place at the evening of the Bimenary question.

The report favored the election of a minister to remain in a circuit for four years. It being put to the conference, it was carried by 131 to 104 that there be no extension beyond the present period of three years.

MONTREAL, Sept. 22.—Conference went to work again this morning, committees of groups C and D being in session, each sitting with closed doors. A number of reports were brought in, adopted and are finally now to go before conference for final action, while a number of others were advanced a stage in the legislative slow march. The Committee on Temperance will report against the recommendations that came up from the Montreal Conference as being too cumbersome, and laying too great a burden on the pastor, who would have to superintend their enforcement. The committee on the state of the work have under consideration the deacons question and the memorials asking for the establishment of the order, the principal one coming from the Montreal Conference, and which has Dr. Douglas as mover and Dr. Alexander second. On the whole the report will be favorable to the establishment of the order, but it is thought that it will be some time before it is carried out. The consolidation of treasurership was another matter upon which a committee was working. At present the general church funds annually, are divided between nearly thirty officers and it is now proposed to consolidate the funds and place them in charge of a board of directors. The report, containing many matters of detail, will be in favor of the scheme. The Committee on Education met in the church parlour, Dr. Douglas, Dr. Burwash, Dr. Shaw, Dr. Inch and others being present. There was a Conference of the heads of the church colleges to arrange an equitable division of the Educational Fund, the claims of the Wesley College, Winnipeg, being recognized. Another subject under discussion was the time to be accorded to probationers who hold Canadian university degrees. Another important committee at work to-day was that on "Civil and Religious Liberty," having under consideration the Oka Indian question, especially in relation to their removal to Muskoka. A lengthy report has been drawn up and they were discussing it section by section. It is said to be opposed to the pretensions of the Indian Department, and will likely give rise to a lengthy debate in conference. At this afternoon's session at five o'clock Dr. MacVicar will be received as the fraternal delegate of the Presbyterian church, and this evening will be devoted to a reception of Dr. Siedel from the M. E. church of the South and also a delegate from the Epworth League.

MONTREAL, Sept. 23.—Dr. Sutherland gave long explanations concerning his negotiations with the government about the Indian schools, but no conclusion was reached. The committee on the consolidation of the treasurership reported, recommending placing all the financial business of the church under one management. An animated discussion followed. The report, the amendment and the amendment thereto were successively rejected and the present state of things allowed to continue.

Dr. Perry of Chicago, editor of the Epworth League Herald, was introduced and gave an interesting account of the progress of the Methodist Episcopal church. There are now 3,700 branches, with membership of 225,000. Some of these are in India, China, Japan, Norway, Sweden, Germany and Italy, with three in the city of Rome. The Epworth Herald when issued the ninth day had paid subscribers to the number of 26,000. In Canada there are 150 branches.

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EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

THURSDAY, OCT. 3, 1890.

Dear Advocate: In jotting down a few notes while on my annual trip from Newcastle around the coast to Bathurst and thence to Cape Breton, it is pleasant to the traveller to record that the roads are in a fair condition, and so far this is the case considering the recent heavy rains and continued wet weather. In driving through Douglstown, I noticed several fine looking buildings which have been erected within the past year or two which evidently show that in spite of the proverbial quietness said to reign in this village there is some enterprise among its inhabitants. We noticed also that Mr. W. Miller was adding a small addition to the rear of his store.

THE PREMIER AT HALIFAX.

One of the most remarkable men of the age is Sir John A. Macdonald, the veteran Premier of Canada. As a proof of the truth of this remark we need only refer to the length of time he has been in public life and the high and important positions he has filled during that period. When he commenced his public career, the present Dominion of Canada was a group of separate provinces that had little or no intercourse with each other, and as a natural consequence, had no interests in common. In bringing about their union he took the most prominent part, and with the exception of a few years that he was out of power, he has been the moving spirit that has brought about the great changes that have made this weak and insignificant Province a great Dominion, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean. This was a great work nobody will dispute. But when we consider the care, the anxiety and the difficulties he had to encounter in his efforts to accomplish it, his bitter political opponents must acknowledge that he is endowed with the abilities of a far seeing statesman that can see the gathering political storm in the future and be prepared at all points to meet it when it bursts upon him. During his long and brilliant political career he has not only encountered but safely weathered many of these storms, and it is a earnest hope of every true Canadian that the interests of his country at heart that so long as he has health and strength and is willing to do them to his country's service, he will remain Premier of Canada. The patriotic address which he delivered at the Liberal-Conservative picnic at Halifax the other day has a truly patriotic ring, and shows most clearly that no matter how gloomy the present may appear to the faint hearted, his political foresight can discern through the cloud a brilliant future for Canada, if—in the struggle of political factions and parties—her people to themselves keep true.

The following is a brief report of the speech of Sir John Thompson, Hon. C. H. Tupper and Sir John A. Macdonald at the political picnic held at Bedford Basin, four miles from Halifax, on Wednesday last. The first speaker was Sir John Thompson, who was greeted by the cheering of the thousands of people who had gathered to witness the occasion. He found Messrs John A. & George Morrison with other hands hard at work putting up this dainty. They are putting them up for W. S. Loggie, of Chatham, and will pack in one pound cans about 27 tons. About 500 cases have been shipped by schooner from the bridge and the balance will be loaded to Neguec and shipped by the steamer Miramichi. One of the steamers of Messrs J. C. Miller & Co., of Millerton, passed through the draw of the Tabusintac bridge about noon to day, with her last load of hemlock bark for this season. There is much more piled in some of the upper districts but the weather has made the roads too soft to get it hauled out to the river this season.

BARNS BURNED.—This Friday afternoon the barn of Mr. Docty Robicheau, a short distance from the Big Tracadie bridge was with its contents, destroyed by fire. It was crammed full of the crops of the season, hay, grain, implements two pigs, all a total loss, no insurance. Loss will be far short of \$1000. A youngster of five years old, a son of Mr. Robicheau and some matches was the cause.

As I approached the big Tracadie bridge about 8 o'clock this evening, I noticed a canoe with two men, and a fish man spearing some kind of fish. The thought struck me that surely they were not spearing salmon in so open a manner, but on enquiry, I found they were spearing eels.

W. C. A.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A recent issue of the New York Sun contains an appeal to the people of America from the American Committee for the relief of farming sufferers in Ireland. The information it is in possession of has been gathered from the most reliable sources and is to the effect that the complete failure of the potato crop in Ireland makes another great famine in that country practically inevitable. When it is taken into consideration that the American people are the most generous and open hearted upon the face of the globe we have every reason to believe that the Committee's appeal for immediate contributions of money, provisions and clothing will not be in vain.

The Convention of the Temperance men of the Maritime Provinces which was held at St. John last week is said to have been quite a successful one. J. T. Balmor was re-elected president and during his address to his colleagues he informed them that he had every reason to believe that the Prohibitionists would carry their men in every county in the Maritime Provinces, in Parish, Pictou, St. John and Dominion elections. The Scotch Act was thoroughly discussed and a number of resolutions were adopted. A considerable discussion it was decided to

per declared that the Liberal leaders had

both their patriotism and their manhood, when, to make a point, they had endeavored to fill the minds of the people with leprosy at the partial loss of the United States market, and they encouraged and induced the Americans to inaugurate a policy of excluding Canadian products. The dismal, doleful utterances of these Liberal traitors were, as they should be, severely criticized. Messrs. Cleveland, Hitt, Butterworth and Blaine had been all held up as the friends of reciprocity. Will Mr. Cleveland's party enact the retaliation bill and Messrs. Hitt and Butterworth both vote for the McKinley bill? Sir John Macdonald—the Hitt was a mission that. (Laughter.)

Mr. Tupper proceeded to charge the people of Canada to look not to Messrs. Hitt, Butterworth and Blaine, but to Sir John Macdonald and his party. Mr. Macdonald in introducing his bill, quoted Mr. John Chatham and Prof. Goldwin Smith to show that the critics he proposed would ruin the Canadian market and added, "Why need I discuss the matter further? Ben Butler had said the Canadians were in a bad way, but it is to them that they blubbered themselves blind. Mr. Stairs then read an address to which Sir John A. Macdonald was the following reply which completely captured his audience. He commenced by saying that the life of a politician is a very narrow way with losses. He was thankful for the address that had been read to him from the Liberal Conservatives of Halifax, and it was such things as such as that which had received that constituted the reward for all the sacrifices made in being in political life. The Grits were frightened at the fact that an appeal would be made although a year ago when there was a religious war in the Province of Ontario they dared the Government to appeal to the people. There was an active Government, and it was a good thing for the Government, as it kept them straight where they might go astray. He compared the condition of the country now and when Confederation took place. Money was borrowed then at six and seven per cent interest; now it could be had at three and a half per cent. He admitted the debt had increased, but the people should not look at the principal but at the interest. The principal need never be paid unless the Government were to pay it, and the payment of the interest would be borne by the generations to follow. The Opposition charged them with corruption and that they were corrupt in their railway and public works were corruption, then he would plead guilty. He would take good care to spend the money. He did not propose to take any more leave if for the Grits to spend. (Laughter.) The Grits had only been in power five years and in all that time they had passed no legislation of benefit to the country.

Referring to trade relations with the United States, Sir John related the history of his efforts to secure reciprocity, and declared that he had gone on as far as any self-respecting man or government could go to obtain fair trade arrangements with the United States. He said that he would have been glad to have left it to the Grits to spend. (Laughter.) The Grits had only been in power five years and in all that time they had passed no legislation of benefit to the country.

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Northumberland County Institute.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Northumberland County Institute will be held in the Grammar School building, Chatham, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 10th and 11th, 1890. Delegates who pay a full first class fare on any station on the I. C. R. to Chatham, will on presentation of certificates at Chatham, receive a return ticket free of charge. Delegates by the Canada Eastern Railway can purchase return tickets at one first class fare, good to return till 18th inst. The same privileges have been granted by the Miramichi Steam Navigation Company. The following is the Programme: Thursday, 1st session, 10 a. m. Enrollment of members; Election of officers. The best method of teaching composition before using the text-book—Miss B. U. Lock. 2nd session, 2.30 p. m. "Science Teaching"—Miss A. Miller. "Should reading lessons be long or short?"—Miss A. G. McIntosh. Friday—3rd session, 9 a. m. "Derivation"—F. P. Yorston. "The Kindergarten"—Misses Brown and Creighton. 4th session, 2.30 p. m. The teaching of Geometry to beginners—J. F. Owens, B. A., and L. J. Clark. The development of Character—P. Cox, B. Sc. Question box. G. H. Harrison, Secretary.

S. Andrew's Church.

The annual meeting of the Sunday School Teachers' Association for the Denary of Chatham was held in the school room of the above church on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 23rd. There was a large attendance, about 20 being present, including representatives from most of the parishes in the Denary. The Rev. Canon Forsyth, Rural Dean, presided. Reports from the various Sunday schools were presented; all showed good work being done in this particular department of church work. In addition to all the Clergy who are ex-officio, vice-presidents, the following three were elected by ballot from among the teachers and superintendents for the ensuing year—Mrs. A. Sweet, Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Hodgell. The Rev. J. H. S. Sweet was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer. Six teachers presented themselves for the annual teachers' examination comprising papers on Holy Scripture, Church History and the Prayer Book. On Tuesday evening a public service was held in the Church where instructive and interesting address bearing upon S. School Work were given by the Rev. W. J. Wilkinson and Canon Forsyth.

On Wednesday evening the Annual Choral Union Service was held in S. Andrew's. The principal choir presented was that of the St. John's and Newcastle. The surplined choir of Northumberland and the Clergy led in the St. Andrew's School room and walked in procession to the church. The Rev. E. B. Hooper sang the service, the lessons being read by the Rev. R. W. Hodgell and Canon Forsyth, and the sermon, a very admirable one, was preached by the Rev. H. W. Little, the Rural Dean of Sussex. Mr. Geo. Burdell, jr., presided at the organ, and it need not be said, performed his important part to the satisfaction of all. The anthem was, "O how amiable are thy dwellings." The singing was good and well sustained throughout, and elicited praise from the large congregation. Many thanks were tendered to the choir for the service the Association has yet held. It is only fair to add that the different members of the various choirs were entertained at tea in the S. S. room by the ladies of S. Andrew's Church. The Chatham choir and visitors returned to Chatham by special boat at the close of the service.

Flying Notes.

The monotony of my drive from Boleslawa to Donkton was broken by occasional visits along the way. I found my old friend John S. Pond hearty and vigorous, and as usual extended his welcome to me in a generous way. He attempted to draw your agent into a discussion on matters political, but your imperious orders I refused to entertain him in any way on that point. He however is very pronounced in his views and awaits patiently for the day of battle. He is a fine old gentleman and I was exceedingly pleased I had made his acquaintance.

Old Jim Hooper, one of the old residents greeted me grandly, and his fine old lady, one of the old stock, was persistent in her demands that I should enjoy the noon meal. What a fund of information could be obtained from them, and such a complete and happy life can be found in this old home. Grand lessons of domestic bliss can be found in our own country homes. I obtained a warm welcome and a warmer invitation to visit them again.

I was sorry to find Mr. Thomas Wilson seriously ill. He is an encyclopaedia of Northumberland's history. His recollections of the older times was a golden treasure. Notwithstanding railways and speedy means of locomotion, he has not lost the touch of the old times, and the famous trips to Gilmore, Rankin's Cove, at Douglastown, and the eight days spent in journeying is a treasure of sweetness to him. When he spoke of old places and scenes, and then the Dr. Hamilton House, and the days of fun in his life seemed to forget he was ill. You could write a history of the Miramichi and its surroundings. I obtained a warm welcome and a warmer invitation to visit them again.

A Visitor.

Whiteville Division No. 156, list of officers for ensuing quarter. W. P.—Robt. Adams. W. A.—Christina Dunnet. W. S.—Susan Russell. A. R. S.—Frank Hare. F. S.—John D. Goodfellow. Treas.—Geo. A. Goodfellow. Chap.—Geo. E. McLean. Com.—Chas. McKay. A. C.—Harriet Stewart. S. C.—Clifford Stairs. O. S.—Robt. Mann. P. W. P.—Wm. E. Stewart. Organist—Maggie J. Dunnet.

Personal.

Mrs. T. W. Crocker, of Newcastle left yesterday to visit friends in Boston. Miss Edith Troy, one of the pupils of the High School, left on Friday last for the female academy at St. Kevin's. We learn from our St. John exchanges that J. B. Snowball and Hon. L. J. Tweedie were on the platform at the reception tendered Sir John A. Macdonald by the Liberal Conservative party in St. John on the evening of Friday last.

The St. John Exhibition.

The World's fair which was formerly opened by Lieut. Governor Filly at St. John on Wednesday 24th September was closed on Friday last. From all accounts it was a great success not only on account of the variety and general quality of the exhibits but the vast number that visited the grounds. It was divided into two parts, the one on the one and agricultural products, manufactured goods, etc., in the other. The former was exhibited at the Moosepath trotting park and the latter in the building at Lower Cove.

Among the prize winners we find the following awards to Miramichi exhibitors: Heavy draft horses.—Canadian bred only.—Stallion, 2 years old.—Ed. J. B. Snowball, Chatham, District of Northumberland. Brood mare of fair of same breed by her side—L. Charles Sargeant, Newcastle; 2nd, J. D. Snowball, Chatham. Best foal of 1890—1st, J. D. Snowball. Best mare, any age—Charles Sargeant. Percherons.—Stallion four years old and upwards—3rd, James Falconer and John McKean, Newcastle, Victor Hago, Durham and Shortbush.—J. B. Snowball, Chatham, Josiah. Old Paints, Flowers or Fruit, produced in this Province, Messrs. Morrison and first class diploma. Croquet work in Cotton.—Mrs. W. B. Howard, Chatham, 1st. Foal of 1890.—Charles Sargeant, Newcastle, special diploma.

Westmorland Election.

It is reported that Mr. John W. Y. Smith, of Dorchester, and son of the late Mr. W. Y. Smith, is a candidate at the approaching election for the local legislature. And that he will run as a supporter of Hon. A. G. Blair. Mr. Smith is a mere youth, being just about 21 years of age. He is said to be very clever and being immensely rich, he would make a strong candidate. It is said that he will run with a Moncton man whose name is yet unknown.

Election in York.

The resignation of Mr. Blair and his three colleagues in the representation of the County of York will in all likelihood decide the fate of the present government of this Province. Messrs Blair, Wilson and Anderson will again offer but Mr. Bellamy will retire and Mr. Colter take his place on the government ticket. The opposition have not as yet selected their Candidates, but as they are well organized it is likely they will do so in a few days. Nomination takes place on the 16th October, election on the 25th, and declaration on the 27th.

The Governor General's Tour.

Our exchanges received during the week are filled with lengthy reports of the enthusiastic manner in which Lord Stanley, the Governor General and party were welcomed at Halifax, St. John, and the Conference and other towns in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick during his last weeks tour. During his visit to St. John the Governor General and party on Friday morning visited the schools and the leading industries of the City. In the afternoon they were taken for a sail round the harbor and left next day for Fredericton. During their stay in St. John the weather was beautiful and they expressed themselves as being highly pleased with their reception.

Damaged Sidewalks.

We learn from late exchanges that a verdict of \$1000 damages has been awarded to Miss Waters who brought a suit against the city of Ottawa for injuries sustained by falling upon a broken sidewalk. This should be a warning to the road commissioners of the towns throughout the Dominion to look sharply after the repairing of the streets and sidewalks, as there is every reason to believe that Miss Waters' success will induce others to bring suits whenever they have a reasonable excuse for doing so.

Parish Elections.

The election of Municipal Councillors took place yesterday. At the time we went to press, we were in receipt only of the returns from the following districts. Newcastle—Doyle and Woods. Chatham—Flanagan and Kerr. Nelson—Smith and Hayes. We understand that there is to be a Basket Social in aid of the Newcastle Driving Park to be held in the Masnie Hall on to-morrow (Thursday) evening. We have not the least doubt but that it will be largely attended by the youth and beauty of Newcastle.

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The Burchell Trial.

After a fair and impartial trial, Burchell has been found guilty of the murder of Benwell and sentenced to be hanged on the fourteenth day of November. To those who have read the evidence, much of which was prepared by the murderer himself, and considered all the circumstances of the case, cannot but agree that the verdict is just one. That Benwell was murdered is an undisputed fact and all the evidence goes to prove that it was Burchell who did it. Burchell could have an interest in his death. The following is the facts of the case. A young Englishman comes to the country to engage in farming with another Englishman who had made his acquaintance through the medium of an advertisement. A few days after his arrival his body was found in a swamp with two bullet wounds in his head. Sir John Macdonald was the assessor. He is arrested and after that, evidence against him begins to accumulate. It is found that he entered upon the business of swindling young Englishmen of means by entering into partnership with them to carry on farming operations, representing himself as a wealthy gentleman farmer and stock raiser, whereas he was not a foot of land in Canada or anywhere else. By his bogus advertisement he became acquainted with Benwell and Pelly, the former of which was a young man who had just arrived from England. He could not keep up the deception any longer, he to prevent exposure, made up his mind to murder Benwell. At the trial which has just terminated the chain of evidence against Burchell was complete. He and Benwell were traced to the entrance to the swamp in which Benwell's body was found. Burchell was seen to enter the place alone. Benwell's keys and other property were found in his possession. Possibly Benwell's body would never have been identified had not a clear case in his name upon it been found under his corpse. Burchell's career may serve to strengthen belief in the theory of "total depravity." Here is a young man, talented, thoroughly educated and well-connected whose whole life has been a scandal, and who will in probability die the world opinion on the scaffold.

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them thoroughly acquainted with the views of the general conference in relation to prohibition, North West permits, etc. A proposal to interview also the leader of the opposition was suggested, when several delegates called out who were they? Without hesitation the conference voted in favor of a petition against the order of precedence and in favor of raising the age of consent of girls in all cases to the age of sixteen.

MONTEAL, September 30.—Yesterday

to day have been occupied largely with discussions on discipline. An effort to add "in Canada" to the name of the church was abandoned in deference to the wishes of members of the former Methodist Episcopal church. The use of tickets of membership was discussed and they are to be retained. A report changing the ratio of representation at the next general conference from one in ten, as at present, to one in twelve, was adopted. The number of representatives will thus be about as new, henceforth two representatives from the official board of any circuit will have a right to appear before the stationing committee in reference to the appointment of a minister to that circuit. In view of this arrangement a certain section of the general conference will not press for the presence of laymen on the stationing committee, as expected. This afternoon the general conference gave the annual conference permission to employ delegates, although a committee has reported adversely to such action. They are not to wear any distinctive dress. In English, American and German Methodist the work of Christian womanhood has long been recognized of this kind. Already Roman Catholicism has long had an advantage over Protestantism in this respect. A great number of ministers and laymen have gone home, so that there are not many more than sufficient for a quorum. As the conference will at latest close to-morrow, there will soon be a general dispersal, the members only of the general board of missions being obliged to remain a day or two longer.

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New Advertisements.

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The Liver. When out of order, involves every organ of the body. Remedies for other organs are frequently taken without the least effect, because it is the liver which is the real source of the trouble, and until that is set right there can be no health, strength, or comfort in any part of the system.

METEOROLOGICAL. Reported for the Dominion Government by J. P. Connors. Table with columns for Date, Time, Barometer, Thermometer, Maximum, Minimum, and Direction.

Blumber (to his son) - "You are an un-faithful man, never leave your penny on the property, I would like to see you a success or a successor, sir."

SCOTT'S EMULSION. Of Pure Cod Liver Oil and HYPOPHOSPHITES of Lime and Soda. A REMEDY FOR CABBAGE WORMS.

German polish sails are better than wool-sheds, as they are no caustic, but for applying deck to the put the wool-sheds are much the best.

LIMITATIONS OF CLOVER. Clover is not a specific for every animal, case it would be like potent medicine, it is a food, and is recommended for every disease. It is bulky in proportion to its nutriment.

House, Villa, Roofing Paints, MAGNETIC PAINT, Lime, LIME, Frank Lazarus, Spectacles and Eye-Glasses.

SELLING OFF. As I wish to make a change in my business I now offer at greatly reduced prices my Stock in Trade, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Clocks, Watches, Silverware and Jewelry, Fancy Goods, etc.

Ayer's Pills. For loss of appetite, bilious troubles, constipation, indigestion, and sick headache, these pills are unsurpassed. For a long time I was a sufferer from stomach, liver, and kidney troubles.

Miscellaneous. "Save who can" was the frantic cry of Napoleon to his army at Waterloo. Save health and strength while you can, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE. A. Begg of Victoria is now in Great Britain, and the other day had an interview with Lord Salisbury.

FRUIT AS FOOD. From the standpoint of the chemist, who finds but little solid matter in them, fruits rank low as foods.

MANURING WEEDS. The failure of a crop is had enough, but it is greatly aggravated if, after manuring, ploughing and planting, the crop is filled and overgrown with weeds.

Preserve your Sight. BY WEARING THE ONLY Frank Lazarus Spectacles and Eye-Glasses. FOR SALE BY H. Johnson, Druggist, Newcastle.

"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine." It is an old proverb and it follows out through life much time, money and suffering may be prevented.

JOHN McKEEN. Newcastle, Aug. 17, 1890. Bartlett's Shoe Blacking. 100 GROSS No. 2 SIZE. For sale low to the trade.

Ayer's Pills. DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine.

What did you get for your pennies? "Well, that was at least something." "Yes; the editor returned it with thanks."

NEW GLASGOW CHRONICLE. There came very near being a soil poisoning case in town this week. On Tuesday night, Mrs. Grant, wife of David Grant, freight agent with Sir George Mackenzie, by mistake swallowed two table-spoons of carbolic acid.

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FOR CRAMPS, COLIC, and all Bowel Troubles, use PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. Used both internally and externally.

PATENTS. Careful and business account, Trade-Marks registered, and all other patent cases.

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UNDER TAKING. The H. W. Co. is prepared to attend to all kinds of work on any or all of the following: Coffins and Caskets, Bears Supplid.

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E. Lee Street. Physicians' Prescriptions carefully prepared day or night. Newcastle, May 6, 1890.

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ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM. For Consumption, Cough, phlegm, Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all diseases of the Lungs.

GUNS, GUNS. JUST RECEIVED AT THE Salter Brick Store. The finest lot of Breach & Muzzle loading GUNS.