



THE BOOTS AT NO. 40

All down the long corridor of the hotel the boots stood in rows or pairs. Sometimes large and small together, betokening matrimonial couples, sometimes only a single pair of either size. At one door the small boot of a child stood eloquently beside the guardianship of a No. 4 woman's. (Very few modern women take anything smaller than No. 4 nowadays. Two and three have gone out of fashion since hockey and golf and sport came in.) A man wandered down the dimly lit passage, with his room key in his hand. His eyes roved carelessly over the waiting ranks of shoe leather. Yet not so carelessly as to be unobservant, even to the noting of apparent uniform increase of size since youthful manhood had been his portion in life and all the world had lain before him as an unexplored land of romance and hope.

He gave a short laugh as he turned away. "So like me," he reflected. "Making tragedies out of pure pathos! Well, well, I wish her relief poor soul, if only for the sake of those pretty feet!"

There came no sound from the door was unlocked. He was conscious of a vivid light, a woman's terrified face. He pushed her within his own room and rushed into hers. A mass of paper was burning on the floor. They seemed to have fallen out of the grate, and in doing so had set fire to the window curtains, which were of hanging flimsy muslin. The proximity of fireplace to window was partly responsible for the accident. With the readiness of one of whom danger is quickly realized, and resource an instinct, Julian Gray tore down the flimsy muslin, crushed it into the grate, and snatching up the woolen hearthrug, threw it on the top of all and stifled the flames. In another moment all danger was over and the fire extinct. The smell of smoke and burning was painfully evident, but the adjoining room to No. 40 was unoccupied, and Julian Gray's room was the only additional sufferer. His rapid glance around showed him no further danger or damage, and he threw the window open to clear the air. Then he turned to the shivering figure standing by the communicating door.

"My God!" she cried. "If you only knew what my life has been, of the shame, the misery, the humiliation—"

Table with 3 columns: DAY OF MONTH, DAY OF WEEK, COLOR OF VESTMENTS. Includes dates for September 1904, such as 'Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost' and 'Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost'.

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Why the I.O.F. Grows. The Western Canadian published at Manitow, Man., in its issue of July 21st, has the following article. It need only be said that the spirit in which the Rev. Mr. Gordon was dealt with is the same as that in which the Supreme Executive deals with all the members of the I.O.F.

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TIME TO STOP IT.

The Mail and Empire has started the Conservative press in Ontario yelping at Hon. L. P. Brodeur, whom it accuses of urging French-Canadians to a racial union against Ontario.

It is not long since Mr. Brodeur was the guest in this city of the Empire Club, upon which occasion he delivered a notable speech advocating union, brotherhood, amity and all the good elements of higher citizenship among the different races and creeds that go to make up the Canadian people.

The Mail and Empire would now have us understand, however, that Mr. Brodeur is a hypocrite and a disturber, and we are to credit this simply upon its own assertion that he is so.

EXHIBITION EXCLUSIVENESS.
Simply in their capacity of taxpayers the people of Toronto have grounds for taking a somewhat critical interest in the affairs of the annual exhibition.

The administration of the Fair almost from its inception has been to some extent a patronage trust for two powerful vote-pulling Societies whose members operating upon the wires of municipal politics, gather in all the jobs and pickings incidental to the Exhibition.

In late years the Toronto Fair has been aspiring to greater things, and asserting its right to recognition as a Dominion and National Exhibition. That is all well and good, as is also the success that has attended the higher ambition of last year and this.

could not be supposed to represent any body or anything in the public, industrial or business life of the community. And these names were mixed in with representative ones. From first to last we noticed only two Catholic names.

Now attention is not called to this somewhat conspicuous contrast through any desire for future recognition, but simply to illustrate the hopeless narrowness of this class of municipal politicians in this city that still dominates the field. They are responsible for the worst handicap and reproach Toronto suffers from outside her own boundaries.

THE WAR.
The Japanese advance northward over Manchuria continues to be pressed with unabated vigor. The Russians, having given way at Liao Yang, are evidently prepared to repeat like tactics at Mukden, which is now threatened.

THE LONDON DAILY NEWS, referring to the coming Canadian elections, warns Mr. Chamberlain not to expect much help in this campaign.

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of course conjecture. But to this most British politicians have made up their minds that Mr. Redmond is virtually assured of winning a Home Rule Bill from the next Parliament of Great Britain.

EDITORIAL NOTES

French Catholic journalists do not spare the memory of the late Waldeck-Rousseau and criticize with vigor Father Maumus, the Dominican, who has defended the memory of the ex-Premier.

The Ottawa Evening Journal publishes an interesting account of the personnel and achievement of the Ottawa Improvement Commission as well as the work in contemplation.

Dom Sebastian Wyart, Abbot-General of the reformed Cistercians, or Trappists, had no connection with Citeaux or with the Benedictines.

Father Whelan, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Ottawa, has been saying some pretty severe things of the Separate School Board of that city.

Under any logical conception of republicanism every citizen has a right to advocate any form of government he sees fit to admire.

In connection with the death in Rome of Dom Sebastian Wyart, head of the Cistercians, and who was formerly a Pontifical Zouave, fighting subsequently in the Franco-German war, a correspondent of the Paris Univers writes to correct the statement made in that paper to the effect that Saint Bernard was the first Abbot of Citeaux.

There are many Catholics in the journalistic profession whose work must be considered worthy of the praise bestowed by the present Pope upon their "exalted mission."

English Catholics are beginning to experience some of the troubles they anticipated from the operation of the new Education Act. Some of the local authorities are imposing upon the Catholic managers obligations with regard to building and maintenance that make the financial burden heavier than ever.

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St. Francis Sanctuary Boys
At a meeting of the members of the above named society the officers of last term were re-elected, which are as follows: President, Jas. McCarron; Vice-President, Lawrence Dance; Sec.-Treas., Arthur Grossi; Librarian, William Kelly.

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Rolph-Hughes

On Saturday, September 3rd, Miss Anna Clementina Hughes was married to Mr. Harold Rolph. Rev. Father Cruise officiated.

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(From our own correspondent.)

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The Catholic schools, which opened last week, established a record never equaled in the number of pupils registered in five days. In many of the schools as high as two hundred more were registered than for the corresponding term last year.

ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL.

St. Patrick's Parochial School, which opened in the building lately used in connection with the so-called Catholic High School, is now an assured success.

AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

The largest congregation of children ever assembled at St. Patrick's Church was within its walls on Sunday last. It was a sight that made the heart of the good pastor, Rev. Father Martin Callaghan, glad.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHAPEL.

The new chapel, dedicated to Our Lady of Lourdes, in connection with St. Patrick's Church, was solemnly blessed by Rev. Father M. Callaghan, P.P., on the 8th inst.

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THE IRISH DELEGATES COMING

Rev. Father Martin Callaghan, P.P., St. Patrick's, speaking at the High Mass, in reference to the visit of John Redmond and party to Montreal, said that he hoped that the coming reception would be worthy of the gentlemen who will visit us, and the object of their visit.

HIS LORDSHIP MGR. ARCHAMBAULT.

Rt. Rev. Dr. Archambault, Bishop of Joliet, sang Pontifical High Mass at St. James' Church, St. Denis St., on Sunday last.

THE GREAT SCENE AT NOTRE DAME CHURCH.

Sunday evening, Sept. 4th, will live in the history of the famous Notre Dame Church of the city. The religious labor celebration was the greatest of its kind ever held in the Rome of America.

Church Not Opposed to Unions.

"The Cathedral church does not oppose your unions. Those unions are for the mutual assistance and support of the members, and in union there is strength. However, a spirit of brotherly love and charity must ever characterize them.

Rights of Workers.

"The workingman has his rights and obligations. The capitalist, the master, has theirs. Unless their mutual rights be respected, unless their mutual obligations be strictly discharged, the solution of the momentous question of the hour, 'the labor question,' will never be fought.

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DEPLORES STRIKES.

"In a recent pastoral letter written expressly for you, my dear friends, His Grace the Archbishop begs you for the sake of God, for the sake of yourselves and your families, not to have recourse to strikes. He urges you to employ every means of conciliation, to use the influence of your best friends, impartial and true, his influence, if you wish, to bring about an amicable solution of your difficulties and grievances, so that the scenes of other days may never be revived. You are all free men. Do not accept a galling yoke which means slavery. You have many friends of your own class to espouse your cause and fight your battles.

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FELIX.

Craven or King

"This I beheld, or dreamed it in a dream: There spread a cloud of dust along a plain; And underneath the cloud, or in it, raged A furious battle, and men yelled, and swords Shooked upon swords and shields. A prince's banner Wavered, then staggered backward, hemmed by foes. A craven hung along the battle's edge, And thought, 'Had I a sword of keener steel— That blue blade—that the king's son bears—but this Blunt thing—' he snapt and flung it from his hand, And lowering crept away, and left the field. Then came the king's son, wounded, sore bestead, And weaponless, and saw the broken sword, Hilt-bedded in the dry and trodden sand, And ran and snatched it, and with battle-shout, Lifted afresh, he heaved his enemy down, And saved a great cause that heroic day."

The Transcontinental Railway Commission has appointed Mr. M. J. Butler, assistant chief engineer. Mr. Butler's appointment will give pleasure to his many friends and reflects credit upon the commission.

Cardinal Merry Del Val and Combes

The final letter of Cardinal Merry del Val, in the correspondence preceding the rupture with the French Government, is accepted on every side as leaving M. Combes stranded for any reasonable excuse to justify himself in the eyes of the world.

In this note, addressed to the Papal Nuncio at Paris, Cardinal Merry del Val goes into the details of Bishop Geay's case. The note, which is dated June 10, 1904, did not appear in the Journal Officiel, the Government publication. The French Government seemed to think that the words "will take further proceedings," which are to be found in the letter summoning Bishop of Laval to Rome, meant that, if he did not obey the order within the prescribed time, he would be summarily removed. The Cardinal Secretary of State in his note of June 10, 1904, which according to instructions to the Nuncio, was to be presented to the Minister for Foreign Affairs, explains that the words "progrei ad ulteriora" did not convey a threat as the French Government supposed. They simply meant that Bishop Geay on his arrival at Rome would have an opportunity of examining the charges made against him.

Cardinal Merry Del Val, after making this explanation, proceeds to say: "I hope this explanation as to intentions and as to facts will have the effect of modifying the severe judgment passed by M. Deleasse on the note of May 17, 1904. In order to find in the proceedings in reference to the Bishop of Laval a violation of the Concordat, it will be necessary to take the ground that French bishops, in consequence of the existence of the Concordat, are merely state functionaries, who are absolutely freed from all the ties which by divine institution bind the Catholic Episcopate to the Supreme Head of the Church. In that case the Roman Pontiff, no matter how serious reasons, from moral and a religious viewpoint, there might be, could the Roman Pontiff summon a bishop to Rome to clear himself of charges against him. To make such claims would be tantamount to declaring that the Concordat placed the French bishop outside of the Catholic Church."

Mr. Monahan of Speyside, Ont., visited the exhibition.

Mr. Thos. O'Flaherty of Conroy Ont. was in the city last week.

TAKE NOTICE

That there will be offered for sale by public auction at the auction rooms of C. J. Townsend & Company, 68 King Street East, in the City of Toronto, on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1904, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, ALL AND SINGULAR certain parcels and parts of land and premises situate lying and being in the City of Toronto, in the County of York, and being composed of Lot number 15 and Lot number 16, according to register Plan D 57, and also part of Town Lot 11, on the south side of Richmond Street in the said City of Toronto, such said land and premises may be more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point in the easterly limit of Simcoe Street distant twenty-eight feet and seven inches measured northerly thereon from the north-westerly angle of said Lot No. 15, the said point being opposite the southern face of the southerly wall of the said building standing on the lands immediately to the north of the premises herein described: Thence southerly along the said limit of Simcoe Street forty-eight feet and five inches to a point on the southerly face of the said frame shed; thence westerly along the said northerly boundary of the premises in rear of the said brick building being about parallel to the limit between said Lots 14 and 15, in all a distance of one hundred and seven feet to the easterly face of a shed; thence northerly along the said easterly face of the said shed to the said limit of Simcoe Street five feet to the line of an old fence forming the boundary between said lots 14 and 15: Thence easterly along the top of said fence thirty-five feet and seven inches to the westerly limit of a lane in rear of said Lots 14 and 15: Thence northerly along the said limit of lane fifteen feet and four inches to the existing northerly boundary of said Lot 15 as now defined by the southerly face of a frame building; thence northerly along the said northerly boundary of the premises in rear of the said brick building to the southerly face of a frame shed; thence westerly along the said northerly boundary defined by the said shed to the southerly face of a frame building; thence southerly along the southerly face of the same in all a distance of one hundred and seven feet more or less to the place of beginning. Subject to a reserve bid.

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In and Around Toronto

DEATH OF SISTER MARY JOSEPH MC CARROLL.

The news of the death of Sister Mary Joseph McCarroll of the Community of St. Joseph will awaken sympathetic and sorrowful notes in the hearts of many not only in Toronto, but in the different parts of Ontario, where during her career as a teacher, her work is remembered and her memory cherished.

Born in Adiraj which, with the surrounding country, is noted for its output of intelligent and fervent Catholics, Sister Mary Joseph was in her 27th year, when she entered the Community in which the remaining thirty-eight years were spent. The greater part of this time she was engaged as teacher in the schools in Toronto, Barrie and St. Catharines; the House of Providence was the last scene of her labors.

The funeral took place on Wednesday the 7th inst., the celebrant of the mass being a canon, Rev. Father Thomas Ferguson, of St. Mary's Cathedral, Hamilton; he was assisted by Rev. V. Murphy, C.S.B., as deacon and Rev. F. Fitzgerald, S.D.B. as sub-deacon. Another cousin, was unable to be present.

Particularly touching were the circumstances surrounding the death of Miss Minnie Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sullivan of 113 Markham street. A long looked forward to visit in Winnipeg, the home of her brother, Mr. Henry Sullivan of Winnipeg, was suddenly cut short by death.

RECEPTION AT CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY. The solemnity of the Feast of the Nativity was marked at the Church of the Holy Family by its first reception into the sodality of the Blessed Virgin.

THE NEW SCHOOL CURRICULUM The additions and modifications in connection with the curriculum for the primary schools is causing a deal of comment.

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was acquired to be of any practical service. This, of course, was but a matter of opinion. As a matter of opinion, then, I should say that even the knowledge of the scale, or one lesson, even though never supported by a second, on the theory of music, could not but have an enlightening effect on the pupil and perhaps might even prove of practical service.

Speaking generally, the subject of our school system produces more grumblers than perhaps any other topic of every-day life. This class, which includes business men, parents, editors and teachers themselves, are continually finding fault, and seldom, if ever, do they produce a remedy.

MUSIC OF BROTHER SIXTUS JOSEPH. A few months ago attention was directed in these columns to the music of Brother Sixtus Joseph, which came to hand accompanied by high praise from leading musicians of a Quebec, and which also spoke for itself as to its truly musical and devotional qualities.

RELIGION IN THE SCHOOLS. Speaking as Catholics, there is, of course, an essential which is placed even before the three 'R's.' If we believe at all in what we profess we place this first, and place its weight—the weight of our religious beliefs—against and above all others, and we would need to sacrifice either the choice would be soon made between religion on one side and all that may be opposed to it on the other.

NOTED VISITORS. The city has had two noted visitors in the persons of the Right Rev. Francis Aidan Gasquet, London, Eng., and Father Nugent of Liverpool, England.

PERSONAL. Rev. Father Kelly has returned from his trip to Ireland and has taken up his duties at St. Mary's church.

THE APPLE MARKETS. The British apple crop, it is reported, will be large, but the condition is not altogether satisfactory, and the competition with the Canadian fruit is likely to be more felt in connection with the shipments of early crop apples than with the winter varieties.

TORONTO MARKETS

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat—The market is steady. Old No. 2 red and white are quoted at \$1.05 and new No. 2 red and white at \$1.02 west or east.

Flour—The market is steady. Cars of 90 cent winter wheat patents are quoted at \$4.40 in buyers' bags west of east.

COUNTRY PRODUCE. Butter—Is fairly steady in tone. Receipts continue large, but for the better grades the demand is good.

CHEESE—Outside points report a slightly easier tone, but the market here is steady and quoted unchanged at 94c for twins and 94c for large.

EGGS—Are quoted unchanged at 18c per dozen for new laid. Receipts are about large enough to fill the demand, but there is no accumulation.

Poultry—The demand is still good, but the stocks offering are larger and the market is easier in tone.

FARMERS' MARKET. Trade was only fairly active at St. Lawrence Market this morning.

Wheat—Steady to firm, 200 bushels of white selling at \$1 to \$1.04.

Barley—Firm, 100 bushels selling at 47c per bushel.

Oats—Steady to firm, 300 bushels of new selling at 38c to 39c per bushel.

Hay—Steady to firm, 20 loads of new selling at \$10 to \$11.50 per ton and one load of old at \$12.

Wheat, white ... 1.00 to 1.04 do red ... 1.00 to 1.02 do goose ... 90 to 100 do spring ... 1.00 to 1.05

Peas ... 97 to 100 Oats ... 40 to 50 do new ... 38 to 39

Barley ... 47 to 50 Rye ... 50 to 60 do new ... 8 to 10

Hay, No. 1 timothy ... 12.00 to 13.00 do new ... 10.00 to 11.50

do clover or mixed ... 7.50 to 9.00 Straw, sheaf ... 12.00 to 14.00

do loose ... 6.50 to 8.00 Dressed hogs, light ... 7.50 to 8.00

Butter ... 18 to 20 Eggs ... 18 to 20 Old chickens, lb ... 8 to 10

do green, per doz ... 15 to 20 Turkeys, per lb ... 11 to 13

Springs ducks, per lb ... 9 to 12 Potatoes, per bushel ... 70 to 80

Carrots, per dozen ... 15 to 20 Cucumbers, per doz ... 15 to 20

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The British apple crop, it is reported, will be large, but the condition is not altogether satisfactory, and the competition with the Canadian fruit is likely to be more felt in connection with the shipments of early crop apples than with the winter varieties.

THE VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL FAIRS

The New Educational Features—A Substitute for the Fair

Department of Agriculture, Commissioner's Branch. Ottawa, Sept. 8, 1904.

It is a self-evident proposition that agricultural fairs which receive grants of public money should give the public something of value therefor. It is not the province of governments in these days to assist in providing amusement for the people.

TEACHING MARKET REQUIREMENTS.

The up-to-date fair secures the services of expert judges who explain the reasons for their decisions in the ring and give addresses on the best types of horses, cattle, sheep and swine.

APPLICATION FOR PATENT

Should be made at the end of the three years, before the Local Agent, Sub-Agent or the Homestead Inspector.

INTERESTING THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Demonstrations of agricultural processes are interesting to everyone, but the operation of a model kitchen and dining-room, with exhibitions of cooking simple dishes and addresses on domestic science, will appeal especially to the farmers' wives and daughters.

KEEPING GOOD SITES.

Many agricultural societies, particularly in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, do not hold fairs, but in lieu thereof buy and maintain pure-bred sires for the use of their members.

THE CANADIAN NORTHWEST

HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS

Any even numbered section of Dominion lands in Manitoba or the North-west Territories, excepting 8 and 26, which has not been homesteaded, or reserved to provide wood lots for settlers, or for other purposes, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

ENTRY

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the District in which the land to be taken is situated, or if the homesteader desires he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the Local Agent for the district in which the land is situated, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of \$10 is charged for a homestead entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES

A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required by the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act and the amendments thereto to perform the conditions connected therewith, under one of the following plans:

- (1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years. (2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of this Act, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother. (3) If a settler was entitled to and has obtained entry for a second homestead under the provisions of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by residence upon the first homestead, if the second homestead is in the vicinity of the first homestead. (4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead the requirements of this Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

The term "vicinity" used above is meant to indicate the same township or an adjoining or cornering township.

A settler who avails himself of the provisions of Classes (2), (3) or (4) must cultivate 30 acres of his homestead, or substitute 20 head of stock, with buildings for their accommodation, and have besides 80 acres substantially fenced.

The privilege of a second entry is restricted by law to those settlers only who completed the duties upon their first homesteads to entitle them to patent on or before the 2nd June, 1898.

Every homesteader who fails to comply with the requirements of the homestead law is liable to have his entry cancelled, and the land may be again thrown open for entry.

INFORMATION

Newly arrived immigrants will receive at the Immigration Office in Winnipeg, or at any Dominion Lands Office in Manitoba or the North-west Territories information as to the lands that are open for entry, and from the officers in charge, free of expense, advice and assistance in securing lands to suit them. Full information respecting the land, timber, coal and mineral laws, as well as respecting Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa; the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg; Manitoba; or to any of the Dominion Lands Agents in Manitoba or the North-west Territories.

JAMES A. SMART, Deputy Minister of the Interior. N.B.—In addition to Free Grant Lands, to which the Regulations above stated refer, thousands of acres of most desirable lands are available for lease or purchase from Railroad and other Corporations and private firms in Western Canada.

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THE MEMBERS OF A SOCIETY may be graded up wonderfully at a small cost, but the habit of changing continually from one breed to another must prove fatal to all plans for building up a good, uniform herd or flock of grades, which is just what the average farmer needs.

Yours very truly, W. A. CLEMONS, Publication Clerk.

Mr. Andrew Mullin of Coventry Ont. was in the city last week.