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AN EDUCATIONAL COMMISSION.

The woful plucking that occurs semi-annually at the various school examinations shows that not only must there be defects in the teaching, but also in our educational system generally. There is too much cram now-a-days. The modern public school system is too much controlled by theory, and is not sufficiently practical. We know pupils writing for entrance to the High schools—yes, and some students who have written for teachers' certificates—who for practical purposes are very uneducated. A hedge-podge of dates represents their historical knowledge, and these chiefly refer to battles fought hundreds of years ago. They are utterly ignorant of contemporary history, except what they may have learned from the newspaper read at home. They can recite sentences in the school room like parrots, while on the street or at home they violate almost every rule they have gleefully cited. They cannot pen in decent English an original idea. As to their bad spelling, we can little wonder at that, owing to the clumsy and unnatural mode of orthography at present employed. But, taken all together, there is a lack of practical, every-day usefulness about their education, and when after a year or two of absence from school we may again examine them, they will have nothing to show for their eight or ten years' schooling but the ability to read a newspaper, perhaps they will be able to add up the family store-bills.

The trouble lies in the fact that our educational system is altogether in the hands of men who have been running in the "school" groove all their lives. There is too much "theory" about it. The training appears to have too much in the college walls, and not the business house, the office or the workshop. Few go to college, many enter upon trade or trades; and it is for the latter and not for the former that our public school system should be framed. We must enter our protest against this unhealthy growth of the technical and the theoretical in our school system, and ask for something more fitted to apply the every day need of the times.

A couple of years ago, Mr. Thomas Bengough, in a little periodical called *The Athenaeum*, advocated the appointment of an Educational Commission, analogous to the Agricultural Commission, to learn the precise facts as to our educational system and its results. He put it this way:—

The Commission should not be composed of professional educationists, though that class should be represented. A school inspector, a clergyman, a business man, a mechanic, and quick-witted and intelligent woman—these should form the Commission—with the business man as chairman. Let them interview school inspectors, head masters, subordinate teachers, high and common school scholars of all grades, and find whether there are too many studies on the list, and ascertain which could be best omitted. Let them call kindergarten teachers and scholars and learn their methods, and compare their progress with pupils taught by the ordinary methods. Let commercial colleges be visited with a view of finding out who attend them, and how it is that young men fresh from school have so "finish off" in these institutions in the simple English studies which the schools presume to teach—writing, book-keeping, and arithmetic. Let young clerks and mechanics and saleswomen and sewing girls who have recently left school be examined, in order that it may be learned how much of what they know was taught them at school, and whether they learned at school how to teach themselves; also whether or not they consider that, having passed through the school curriculum, they have nothing more to learn. Let street boys, and boot-blacks, and persons made between them and the school scholars in the matter of practical education, with the view of learning how it is the schools teach so little and the streets so much, and also with a view

ON THE WING.

Something About Expert Testimony in Whisky Cases—Good for Neither Man or Beast.

The testing of the blue ribbon beer in Goderich is a question which agitates the public mind all over. Everybody is talking about the analysis, the trial, and the magistrate's decision. I suppose the analysis is correct; the trial, I observe, came off in due course; and the decision seems to have given general satisfaction. Apropos of the testing of beer, an acquaintance whom I met the other night told me that once upon a time—and it was in the olden time when a better class of liquor was manufactured than now—an admirer of a clergyman, to show his appreciation of his pastor, sent him a ten-gallon keg of whisky, as a token of good will. The parson was of the straight-laced, temperance order of being, and at first was tempted to send back the gift in high disgust; but on second thought he decided to submit the liquor to a few tests, to see if it would prove of any benefit around his premises. So he poured some out and offered it to his horse, but the horse being free from colic would have none of it; then he tried the dog, but "Dixie" didn't take kindly to the beverage, and growled disparagingly; when he offered it to the cow, "Brownie" meditatively chewed her cud, but declined to partake; the cat was next approached with the alcoholic stimulant, but "Tabby" wouldn't allow the fumes of the stuff to get near her whiskers; last of all that most loathsome of domestic animals, the pig, was tempted to taste, after snorting around the edge of the vessel in which it was held, it grunted in disgust and turned at once to roll in the dirty pool rather than pollute its "inwards" with so vile a decoction. The clergyman was satisfied with the analysis of his exports, and at once returned the whisky to the donor, accompanied by a note in which he stated: "I am not a drinking man; nevertheless, I would have kept the keg if I could have found any use for it, but after giving it a fair test, I find that it appears to be no good for man or beast. I offered it to my horse, my dog, my cat, my cow, and even my pig, and not one of them would have anything to do with it. If it isn't good for the lower animals it surely cannot be good for the highest grade. It may suit anybody lower than a beast, but it is of no use to a man." There are a lot of people in Ontario who agree with the old parson.

ANOTHER WHISKY TEST.

My friend, the rector, next gave another case of testing liquor of which he was personally cognizant. Some years ago down in the county of Waterloo, a horse and wagon rack was found standing on the roadside near a country village one morning. The driver had dropped through the rack head-first, and the horse coming to a stand still, the cramped feet of the man had held him suspended head-downwards. When discovered he was dead. In the rack was found a keg of liquor, and evidence pointed to the fact that the driver had been partaking too freely of the ardent beverage. He unfortunately fell backwards. A coroner's jury was summoned, but before a satisfactory verdict could be returned, it was necessary that expert testimony should be given as to the character of the liquor in the keg. Chemical analysts were not as plentiful in those days as they now are, and the coroner was constrained to obtain the services of Deidrich Von Swackenstein, the thirteenth soul in the section to give the necessary testimony concerning the contents of the keg. Deidrich went to the keg, poured out a generous draught, and then gulped it down. A smile went over his countenance, as if he had come across an old acquaintance, but couldn't just call him by name.

"Well," said the coroner "What is it Deidrich?"

"It ish licker, mister coroner. I shware to dot, put I don't just got all de same dot name of it."

"Take another drink, then, and let us know what it is," commanded the coroner.

Deidrich, nothing loth, repeated the operation, and this time beamed even more broadly than before. "Yah, I tink I haf him. He tastes like vhyshy, but I don't just shware to him unidil another schnaps I haf."

The coroner impatiently ordered him to take another drink, and to give his decision as to the character of the liquor, Deidrich once more got down to his

MRS. TRICK'S DEATH.

The Body to be Exhumed at Ingersoll.

An Inquest Ordered by the Ontario Government, to take Place To-day.

During the past week or so rumors have been afloat respecting the death of Mrs. Thos. Trick, of Goderich township, who was reported to have died from a fall down the cellar stairs which broke her neck. The name of Mr. Trick was linked with that of a young girl, and it was said that the death of Mrs. Trick was not accidental, but had been hastened for obvious reasons. At any rate such was the opinion of some, as information was sworn to before the authorities that the deceased had come to her death under suspicious circumstances, and an inquest was demanded. We are indebted to the *Clinton New Era* for the following statement of the case, which is the version of the affair generally accepted, and we hope it will prove to be true at the inquest, and that Mr. Trick will be fully cleared from the suspicion which now rests upon his hitherto unblemished name:—

It will be a painful surprise to our readers to learn that the body of the late Mrs. Trick is to be exhumed and an inquest held thereon, and although the matter is an exceedingly delicate one to refer to in detail, so many rumors are in circulation that we deem it in the interest of parties concerned, to make it public. To make the matter perfectly plain, we will give the circumstances connected with her death, as far as is known. When it was found that Mrs. Trick had broken her neck by the fall down the cellar steps, Mr. Trick immediately called in Dr. Worthington, who made a careful examination of the body and found nothing whatever to indicate that the cause of death had been any other than her accidental fall. Mr. Trick immediately notified the relations of Mrs. Trick, by telegraph, and they came to attend the funeral, suspecting the remains. Up to this time they had not hinted in any way that they were dissatisfied with the alleged report of death, but shortly after the body was interred, and while in company with Mr. Trick, at Woodstock, they hinted at foul play of some kind, and finally gave him to understand that they did not believe she died in the manner indicated. Mr. Trick was desirous of having the body taken up there and then, and the matter disposed of, but the others were not agreeable to that, and the matter dropped, for the time. On the return of Mr. Trick to this neighborhood, the stories were again circulated, and to finally dispose of the matter, and remove from Mr. Trick the very unpleasant odium that might groundlessly be attached to him, a petition was circulated asking that an inquest be held. This was forwarded to the Attorney General, through the County Crown Attorney, for his consent, which was given and an inquest ordered, and it is likely that the matter will be investigated in a few days. It is not for us to comment on the circumstances at present, further than to say that no one in this neighborhood, knowing Mr. Trick, attaches the slightest weight to the stories circulated, at least so far as he is called in question. To him the circumstances are doubly painful, but no one has any other idea but that he will come through the ordeal without the slightest stain or reflection on his hitherto unblemished character; that he has the sympathy of the entire community is attested in every way.

Since this was in type we learn that the inquest will be held at Mr. Trick's, to-day, (Friday) at 12.30 p.m.

Lawyers and Label Suits.

One of the evil results of so many machine-made lawyers being turned out year after year is seen in the readiness with which all sorts of actions at law are grasped at. There was a time, not far gone, when a lawyer would frankly tell a client that he did not think he had a good case, and that it would be throwing money away to go into court with it. Except by firms of good standing, such advice as this is rarely ever given now-a-days. No matter how poor a case a client may have, he can always get some hard-up lawyer to take it up for him and make the most of it. In any event the lawyer is sure of his fees, and if the client does not get his costs it is his own fault—he should have known better than to go to law. In these days, for example, any characterless fellow can get a lawyer to enter an action for libel against a newspaper, and the calm assurance with which a brazen barrister will sit down and write a letter asking for ten or twenty thousand dollars as damages for injury done to his client's character is really refreshing—all the more refreshing when it is known that the lawyer himself is some poor fellow who is not quite sure where he is going to board on the following week. The effect of this grasping at chances to make a fee is to bring the legal profession into disrepute.—(Toronto Telegram.)

The strawberry crop hereabouts was a good one this year. The raspberries are now coming in, and are a heavy crop.

FORMOSA.

Disheartening Letter from a Well-Known Missionary—Disorder and Bloodshed.

TAMBUK, May 26.—I am back to Formosa just in time to be in the midst of rapine and bloodshed. Am very thankful Mrs. Mackay and the Jamiesons are not here. Mr. Jamieson being a stranger, or, would only be in the way. During the whole of the blockade North Formosa remained quiet. Foreigners were treated even with respect and kindness. Now, however, during this protracted famine, many natives are growing impatient, especially the militia, who are being disbanded. All the forces here are composed of these and mainland regulars. The feeling of jealousy has frequently given rise to threats and blows between them. Last week, under command of Imperial Commissioner Leo, the regulars marched into an encampment of militia and killed two, the rest fled. A few days ago when in the town of Sinatang, I observed a curious flag hoisted, and found that 300 men, headed by desperadoes, were on their way to plunder. Houses were soon ransacked, women and children beaten and killed.

THE AUTHORITIES DEFIED.

Since then several have been captured, the whole scattered, and time alone will bring them to the just deserts. The mouth of the Tamis River here is still blocked with stones, boats, torpedoes, etc. No vessel is allowed inside. British merchant steamers roll outside the bar. Ten days ago a small steam launch went out, could not return, and was carried down the coast. As she neared a small creek 1,000 men and women rushed wildly towards her, dragged the boatmen out, was about to kill them when a teacher in my employ interfered and saved them. The boat was cut to pieces in the midst of shouting. "Are foreign devils on board?" "100 for a head." I had hat in hand to go out that day on the launch. Dr. Johansen was out on a steamer and never went on board to come in. When in Tek-Ohham the Mandarin himself told me he did not know what to do. He sent fifty men to the wreck. Men and women turned upon them, smashed 3 sedan chairs, beat the constables and drove them off the field. If soldiers should go there

MIGHT BE A REBELLION.

A wealthy convert's house was surrounded by plunderers all night. Other converts soon loaded and held their ground with riddled muskets till day-break.

Last night a man was stabbed here in Tamis. I am just back after seeing him. His entrails are hanging out. Militiamen are going about all over with knives concealed. This morning about daybreak I heard steps as if some one was moving slowly along. I rose immediately, quietly called several students, and surrounded a desperado. He made desperate efforts, but we seized him, wrenched a sharp knife from his hand, and bound him. I sent for the Chinese constable and now the fellow is in prison.

Mark well! This is not persecution. No sentimentalism wanted here just now. This is simply plunder and murder. God will care for those who care for themselves. We will "Hold the fort" by His grace and strength. We sing every night in the open air.

The French still at Kelang, Chinese here busy fortifying. Jehovah reigns! G. L. MACKAY.

Macdonald and Riel.

OTTAWA, July 12.—Major Chaplain, sheriff of the Northwest territories, who was summoned to Ottawa immediately after Riel's capture, has again left for the Northwest to be present at the trial in his official capacity. The sheriff, whose duty it will be to hang Riel if the latter is sentenced to death, believes that he will escape the gallows. Many others join him in this opinion, not only that he will escape the hangman, but that he will slip through the hands of his guardians, and make good his escape from the country before many weeks have passed over. He is an elephant on the hands of the government, who, on one side, are confronted by the Orange element clamoring for his head, while on the other side, the French-Canadians threaten trouble if he is not leniently dealt with. The only way Sir John Macdonald can get out of the dilemma is to allow his prisoner to escape and throw the responsibility on the shoulders of the officer in whose care he is placed for safe keeping. There is but one impression here regarding the disposition of Riel, and that is that sooner or later he will be spirited away across the border to the United States, and this belief has been strengthened rather than weakened by certain disclosures which have come to light within the past few days. William McDougall says that after a careful investigation of all statutes bearing upon the subject he is convinced that Riel cannot be tried by the Court before which the Government proposes to arraign him, and that any conviction that may be obtained will be quashed on appeal on the ground that the Court was not legally constituted. If Riel escapes Sir John Macdonald will probably claim the credit from his Quebec followers for putting up a job by which, while pretending to try the rebel leader, he allowed him to go free. SCOTLAND, Ont., July 13.—While Russell, son of Paul Hoffman, of Northfield center, was driving two miles north of this place, with a load of cheese boxes, lightning struck the load, instantly killing him and one of the horses.

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Romney in a Boarding-House.

Mr. Harrington Williams was well known as one of the most fashionable and comfortable boarding-houses in Folkestone. It stood close to the sea with a large front garden at the back and a glimpse of the sea in front. The house had what might be called a "superior" air. Mrs. Harrington Williams herself was the widow of a country gentleman of good family. From him she derived an unusually valuable collection of pictures, furniture, and household effects generally, including a quantity of old-fashioned plate, bearing the Harrington Williams crest, and a pair of massive silver candlesticks, which on special occasions gave her dining-room a distinguished air, beyond the ordinary style of boarding-houses.

Although, however, the house was nearly always full, and the guests mostly of a good paying class, the business did not return a large profit. The expenses of an establishment of this kind, especially when conducted with such liberality as Mrs. Williams was, are necessarily high. Added to this, Mrs. Williams was encumbered by three daughters, the youngest of whom was now eighteen, and neither she nor the young ladies had much notion of economy. After three or four years, therefore, at Virginia House, Mrs. Williams' position had begun to cause her some anxiety.

The Misses Williams were stylish good looking girls. They added immensely to the attractions of the Virginia House, and secured an unfailing supply of bachelor boarders of a peculiarly profitable kind. In the course of a season they would have half a dozen promising situations among them, but somehow they never got beyond flirtation. This was a disappointment to Mrs. Williams, who when she considered that a boarding-house had been instituted by the prospect of finding an opening in life for her girls, and the disappointment was especially keen in the case of Miss Bertha, the eldest, and in point of looks, at least, the flower of the stock.

Bertha had made one conquest. When Messrs. Filley & Tapscott were professionally engaged in the settlement of the Rev. Harrington Williams' affairs, Mr. Frank Bartlett, their managing man, had been smitten by Miss Williams' charms, and had subsequently, on two occasions, spent his holidays at Virginia House. But though a good looking fellow and a promising solicitor, Bartlett was far from being an eligible party in the eyes of either Miss Williams or her mother. There were various reasons for encouraging her up to a certain point, but the young lady took good care that that point was never passed.

Some little excitement was consequently caused among the Williams, when, toward the end of August, a letter was received, dating from a first-rate West-end club, inquiring whether accommodation could be at once procured for Mr. Stuart Romney-Romney, and one servant.

An answer in the affirmative was promptly dispatched, and a couple of days later the three Misses Williams, from the shelter of a convenient carriage at an upper window, beheld Mr. Stuart Romney-Romney drive up, accompanied by a highly respectable man servant, and an enormous pile of luggage.

The new arrival turned out to be a gentlemanlike man of thirty-two or thirty-three years, with keen, dark eyes, and fairly good features, rather spoiled by a low forehead across which his hair was brushed flat. His manners were at first somewhat distant and reserved. This, however, wore off on closer acquaintance, and after a few days he was unanimously voted a decided acquisition to the house.

From the first there was naturally a good deal of speculation as to who Mr. Romney-Romney was. It happened that there were then staying at Virginia House, two maiden ladies named Horncastle, sisters of a prosperous banker in the west of England. Miss Horncastle, being not only wealthy, but coming of a county family on her mother's side, was looked up to as an authority on questions of social status.

In consultation with her sister Emilia, she had discovered the possibility of their acquaintance's connection with a certain family of Derbyshire Romneys. Mr. Romney-Romney's answers to a few questions delicately put to him on the subject, confirmed this theory; and when, after this, Mrs. Williams reported that her new guest's dressing and traveling paraphernalia were not only lavishly mounted in silver, but embellished with a deerhound's head, and the motto, "Præca fides," the matter was settled beyond much doubt.

Miss Horncastle was particularly gracious to the new comer, and in his honor the two old ladies even went so far as to display from time to time various instalments of their family jewelry, hitherto reserved from the gaze of all but a select circle of female friends upstairs.

It was natural, therefore, that Mr. Bartlett should not take very cordially to Mr. Romney-Romney. This, however, was not due solely to jealousy. Before he had been many hours in Folkestone, an idea crossed his mind that he had seen his rival's face before— he could not recall when or where—but the idea became more confirmed every time he looked at Mr. Romney-Romney, and, working on his natural prejudice, caused him to entertain vague suspicions as to that gentleman's antecedents.

After he had been a couple of days at Virginia House, his doubts took more definite shape, and a plan occurred to him for settling them at rest, for assistance in which he determined to apply to Kate Williams. Kate said she had always been on friendly terms, and, from one or two casual expressions, she suspected that she was by no means charmed with her brother-in-law in prospect.

"Kate, she said, taking the bull by the horns, 'I want to ask you a question about Mr. Romney-Romney. Who is he? What does your mother know about him?'

"As much as she does about most of the people who come here," Kate replied. "He gave a good reference, and he pays his bill regularly. Come, Frank, you may not be fond of him, but you can't deny that he is a gentleman."

"Gentleman or not," said Bartlett, "there is something about him that puzzles me. Now, don't laugh—I am perfectly serious, and I have come to you because I want your help."

"My help," I asked Kate in surprise. "Yes, I want you to get me his photograph. I have a notion that I have met him before, and I should like to ask my partner, Tapscott, if he remembers him."

"Mr. Romney-Romney has not got a photograph," answered Kate. "Mabel was asking him for one the other night, and he told her that he had never been photographed since he was a boy. He said quite seriously that he had such a nervous horror of being taken that he could not sit."

"Fiddlesticks!" ejaculated Bartlett. "But I tell you what we have got, Kate went on, evidently taken with the idea of assisting in unraveling a mystery. 'Mabel took a sketch of his head one evening while he was playing bridge with Bertha. It's a splendid likeness—quite as good as a photograph. She put it away somewhere, and I have no doubt I could find it.'"

Bartlett said he should like to have it; and, to his delight, a little later in the evening Kate took an opportunity of handing the portrait to him privately. It proved to be a rough, but very characteristic likeness of the original; and that same evening Mr. Bartlett posted it to Mr. Tapscott, with a short statement of the circumstances which led to his sending it.

Mrs. Williams had felt rather annoyed with Mr. Bartlett for intruding himself at this crisis in Bertha's fortunes; but it really seemed as if his arrival had stimulated Mr. Romney-Romney's attachment. On the day after Mr. Bartlett's arrival, which was Sunday, Mr. Romney-Romney escorted the ladies to church, and walked home with Miss Williams. On Monday they were together all the morning upon the beach, watching the arrival of the Boulogne boat. When, on the same evening, Frank Bartlett was holding the above conversation with Kate Williams in a corner of the drawing-room after dinner, every lady in the room was aware that Bertha and Mr. Romney-Romney were sitting tête-à-tête in the conservatory down stairs. Presently they walked up and down for half an hour in front of the sea, and ten minutes after they came in Mrs. Williams knew that her eldest daughter had promised to become Mrs. Romney-Romney.

By breakfast time the next morning the news was known all over the house, and Bertha was receiving the congratulations of her friends. Miss Horncastle came among the first. Bartlett came, too, and managed to put a fairly good face upon the ceremony.

Now that the blow had fallen, Mr. Bartlett found himself undergoing a certain revulsion of feeling toward Mr. Romney-Romney, and it was not long before he even found himself hoping that nothing unfavorable to that gentleman

would come of that letter to his partner. He had not been long in the city, and he was quite certain that these attentions met with an encouragement from any quarter.

About a week after Mr. Romney-Romney's arrival, Mr. Frank Bartlett came down for his final holiday, within the last few weeks Bartlett had been admitted to the firm of Filley & Tapscott, and now he arrived with some hope of inducing Bertha to share his improved lot. It did not, however, take him long to discover the state of the case. Had he been wanting in the natural readiness of a man in his condition to detect a rival, he would have been quickly enlightened by the changed demeanor of Mrs. Williams and her family. Hitherto he had at least been treated with considerable friendliness; now, doubtless owing to the inopportune time of his arrival, he found himself received with a marked coldness.

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"As much as she does about most of the people who come here," Kate replied. "He gave a good reference, and he pays his bill regularly. Come, Frank, you may not be fond of him, but you can't deny that he is a gentleman."

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"Mr. Romney-Romney has not got a photograph," answered Kate. "Mabel was asking him for one the other night, and he told her that he had never been photographed since he was a boy. He said quite seriously that he had such a nervous horror of being taken that he could not sit."

"Fiddlesticks!" ejaculated Bartlett. "But I tell you what we have got, Kate went on, evidently taken with the idea of assisting in unraveling a mystery. 'Mabel took a sketch of his head one evening while he was playing bridge with Bertha. It's a splendid likeness—quite as good as a photograph. She put it away somewhere, and I have no doubt I could find it.'"

By breakfast time the next morning the news was known all over the house, and Bertha was receiving the congratulations of her friends. Miss Horncastle came among the first. Bartlett came, too, and managed to put a fairly good face upon the ceremony.

Now that the blow had fallen, Mr. Bartlett found himself undergoing a certain revulsion of feeling toward Mr. Romney-Romney, and it was not long before he even found himself hoping that nothing unfavorable to that gentleman

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FOR THE VOLUNTEERS

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Ottawa, July 11.—Sir John Macdonald gives notice that he will on Monday next move that the House resolve itself into committee of the whole to consider the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That it is expedient to recognize the services of the militia forces engaged in suppressing the outbreak in the Northwest by giving to each man in addition to the pay and allowances to which he is entitled a grant of land upon certain conditions...

2. That in order to give effect to the foregoing resolution the Governor-General in council be authorized to grant to each member of the militia force bearing arms in the suppression of the outbreak and serving west of Fort Arthur since March 25 last, including officers, non-commissioned officers and men a free homestead of two adjoining quarter sections, comprising 320 acres in all...

3. That any person entitled under the foregoing to select and enter either by himself or by his substitute 320 acres of land as a homestead in the manner and subject to the terms and conditions hereinbefore prescribed may in lieu thereof if he so chooses receive scrip for \$50, which shall be accepted in payment of any Dominion lands open for sale, or in payment of pre-emption or of rights of Dominion lands leased for grazing or hay-making purposes...

4. That all grants of land or scrip shall be made by the Minister of the Interior upon a warrant in favor of the persons entitled thereto, issued by the Minister of Militia and Defence, and which shall be recorded in the department of the interior...

5. That the entries to be made and patents to be issued hereunder shall not be subject to the duties and charges enacted in the case of ordinary household entries.

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ORANGE RIOT.

A Man Killed at Waterford, Ireland.

The deed done by a soldier—Terrible at Waterford, Ireland, and at Carrick Hill, near Belfast.

Waterford, Ireland, July 13.—A number of citizens, after celebrating the 12th got into a drunken row with the soldiers of the Welsh regiment stationed here last night, during which the latter bayoneted to death one of the former. The commotion attracted a crowd of men to the scene. When the civilians realized that one of their number had been killed they became furious, and fell upon the soldiers with such force that the latter were compelled to beat a hasty retreat to their barracks. The mob followed them up, but being threatened with powder and ball if they attempted an entrance into the barracks they contented themselves with smashing the windows with stones. The rage of the populace was so great this morning that it was deemed best to transfer the Welsh regiment to some other place. This was done immediately, and as the soldiers marched from the barracks to the railway station, surrounded by policemen, a mob followed, hooting and stoning them. Several Parnellites, members of parliament, have telegraphed that they will bring the matter before the government and demand an immediate inquiry into the outrage. It is believed that the soldiers began the row.

The name of the civilian killed was Peter Grant. During the hottest part of the conflict a soldier attacked Grant and plunged his bayonet through the latter's heart. Grant fell dead on the spot. The tragedy infuriated the people, and they left with such ferocity upon the troops that the latter retreated to the barracks. The barracks were besieged all night by citizens, who, although they were unable to break in, smashed every window in the buildings. The excitement in the city lasted all night and every soldier soon on the streets was attacked. Some straggling soldiers were stoned, beaten and kicked until unconscious. Those who escaped mob violence did it by fleeing to the barracks or the police stations for refuge. Two privates were arrested this morning on suspicion of being guilty of Grant's murder. A number of civilians profess to be able to identify the soldier who killed Grant. The excitement remains unabated.

The grand jury held an inquest on the body of Peter Grant. They found that he came to his death by a bayonet wound inflicted by a soldier of the South Wales Borderers, adding that in the interests of peace the regiment should be removed from the city.

LONDON, July 13.—While the Orangemen of Rye House, Hertfordshire, were celebrating the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne yesterday, they were attacked by a mob of Catholics and a desperate fight occurred. Fence palings, table legs and chairs were freely used. Many heads were broken. The police were powerless to suppress the riot, which was ultimately quelled by the militia.

BELFAST, July 13.—The Orange celebration at Carrick Hill was the occasion of considerable rioting, during which several policemen were injured. Twenty arrests were made.

LEEDS.

Peter Stewart is enjoying a week's visit with his schoolmate Joe Stalker, at the cozy village of Asburn.

Rev. T. M. Campbell preached here on Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church.

A new blackboard has been secured for the infant class of the Presbyterian Sunday school here, which interesting class is under the charge of Miss McQuarrie.

Miss Annie McPhail, of Porter's Mill, was the guest of Miss Stirling, Dorchester farm, during the week.

Goderich Township.

The Strawberry Festival held on the grounds of Mr. Robt. Hodge, 5th concession of Goderich township, under the auspices of the ladies of St. Stephen's church, realized between \$14 and \$15—the proceeds to go towards putting an additional window in the chancel. This in addition to \$70 raised at a recent garden party at Mrs. M. C. Brown's for raising the foundation of St. Stephen's church, speaks volumes for the energy of both pastor and people.

The death of Mrs. Woods, wife of Mr. Thos. Woods, on Wednesday last, has evoked many expressions of regret from a large circle of relatives and from a still larger circle of friends. Her maiden name was Jane Cox, and her respected father was the late James Cox. The family settled in the township about fifty years ago. Mrs. Woods was a good woman with all the term implies, and her bereaved husband has the sympathy of all friends and acquaintances. Deceased was 64 years of age and was buried in Goderich on Friday.

Dunlop.

TELEPHONE NEWS.—Some time ago your correspondent showed the advantage of a telephone line to this section, and a recent chat with mine host of the Point Farm showed that he had the same opinion. Councillor Beck, of Saltford, is also talking of getting one, and he would not need to climb Goderich hill oftener than lodge night, or an occasional visit to his best girl in the county town. Mr. Attrill would again use the little wire, and should extend it along his rancho, and the cattle and grain dealers could give the price of stock and grain to the farmers at Dunlop, without the expense of a personal visit attending either side. Thence to the Point Farm the line would go, and along to the quiet maritime village known as Port Albert, where some time ago the quills of the local scribbles were arrayed against the good-latured sage of Leeburn as to the merits of the port. Since then, we are glad to hear, vessels of commerce have entered the harbor, disturbing the ducks and geese quietly riding on its placid bosom. Mayor Otway and ex-mayor Mahaffey should call a meeting at the Port, and boom the telephone.

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A new barn was raised on the 6th inst., on the Wave farm, recently purchased by Alex. McLeod. Chas. Morris of the Shoe Flies, of Garbraid, were the builders. John Macdonald and S. Vanstone lead the sides, the race being won by Vanstone's men.

It was not the grandeur of the scenery of Muskoka that attracted W. G. Bogie, but to join the married forces, taking as his partner for life Miss E. Rome, formerly of Leeburn, and at one time a member of the Presbyterian choir. Mr. Bogie returned from the land of lakes and beautiful scenery on Saturday last, and he and his bride received a warm welcome from a large circle of friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rout, of Bayfield, were visiting friends in this place last week. Mrs. Wm. Murdoch, of Paramount, is at present visiting her sister in Dumfries, Ont.

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Mr. John Cuthbertson, of Dakota, but formerly a resident of this place, is in Paramount at present, visiting her numerous friends. She looks hale and hearty, and left her family in Dakota well.

The roads are good, and the evenings cool, consequently the Belle of Paramount wishes for pretty shoes, poor dear she must have them by all means.

We miss our school teacher, H. Horton, very much, but we wish him a pleasant time in Leeburn. If the young ladies there only saw his flower garden in Paramount; which is now in full bloom, it would make them admire Harry's taste for the beautiful.

Farmer's Wealth Grange No. 106 held a very interesting debate last Tuesday evening. The subject was, "Resolved that stock raising pays better than grain raising; allowing the stock farmer to raise grain to feed his stock but not sell any, and the grain raiser to raise stock to run the farm but sell none." Messrs. Joseph Agnew Robert Pickering, and D. G. McKenzie occupied the chair the decision was given in favor of the negative.

Belfast.

Mrs. D. B. McKinnon, of Blyth, is visiting at Mrs. Jas. Mullin's. Miss Addie Loughhead is home for her holidays from Goderich High School. Joseph Hackett is back from Warton, looking hale and hearty.

We are pleased to hear that Mr. Peter Campbell is recovering from his recent severe illness.

Mrs. John McCrosbie is spending a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. Pritchard, of Matchester.

Jas. W. Morgan, the popular teacher of No. 4 Wawanosh, left on Tuesday for Toronto to write on the First Class Examination.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snell, of Londonboro, were the guests of Robert Bradford last week.

Miss Kate McCrosbie was visiting last week at Mr. Salkeld's, Goderich township.

About dusk on Tuesday evening our citizens were treated to the unusual sight of a large Moose deer which was being led towards Dunganon.

The Orangemen of this vicinity turned out en masse on Saturday evening last, and erected a large arch across the street, which on Monday was decorated with flags, ribbons, etc. Six lodges of Orangemen passed through here on Monday on their way to Lucknow. On Sunday afternoon Rev. Mr. Moss preached an Orange sermon in Garnie's grove.

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Colborne.

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is the half yearly report of the pupils of S. S. No. 3.—Fifth Class—Eleanor Watson, 2 Frevena Vanstone, Forth, Sr., John Vanstone, 2 Albert Stranghan, Fourth, Jr.—Benson Hamilton, 2 John Young, Third, Sr.—Annie Tawley, 2 Millie Hamilton, Third, Jr.—Willie Macleod, 2 Lizzie Tawley and Georgina Mercer, Second—Ida Willard and Thos. Howatt, 2 Chas Willard, Part II.—John Robertson, 2 David Hamilton.

Sheppardton.

A new barn was raised on the 6th inst., on the Wave farm, recently purchased by Alex. McLeod. Chas. Morris of the Shoe Flies, of Garbraid, were the builders. John Macdonald and S. Vanstone lead the sides, the race being won by Vanstone's men.

It was not the grandeur of the scenery of Muskoka that attracted W. G. Bogie, but to join the married forces, taking as his partner for life Miss E. Rome, formerly of Leeburn, and at one time a member of the Presbyterian choir. Mr. Bogie returned from the land of lakes and beautiful scenery on Saturday last, and he and his bride received a warm welcome from a large circle of friends.

Parliament.

Mr. and Mrs. Rout, of Bayfield, were visiting friends in this place last week. Mrs. Wm. Murdoch, of Paramount, is at present visiting her sister in Dumfries, Ont.

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