

DR. G. STANLEY HALL SPEAKS TO TEACHERS ON NEW SUBJECT

President of Clark University Discusses "Adolescence," and Draws Lessons to Assist Them in Caring for the Growing Generation.

Modern education in one of its phases was well exemplified yesterday afternoon at the convention of the Protestant School Teachers of Quebec, when, before a large audience, Miss Holmstrom gave, with a dozen of her youthful girl pupils, an exhibition of elementary Swedish educational gymnastics. It was one of the most enjoyable items in the programme before the convention, and the warm applause which greeted the demonstration must have been praise indeed for the Swedish instructor.

The little girls went through their exercises with remarkable precision, and the explanations which Miss Holmstrom gave of the evolutions were very interesting.

Thereafter Dr. G. Stanley Hall, president of Clark University, addressed the gathering on "Adolescence." His name is known both in America and in Europe as that of an authority in the education of the young, and his lecture was listened to with rapt attention. He is a man of medium height, with grizzled gray beard, and a piercing yet kindly black eye. He has the gift of humor, and he used it to advantage on occasion.

Adolescence a New Subject. Adolescence, he premised, was a subject not yet ten years old, but it had in its study many points practicable for teachers, and from which they could draw lessons which would assist them to understand the care of the young.

Changes in sensation occurred. The sense of touch decreased, though all over the body there was a marked increase in the sense of slight contact, which psychologists told us was the beginning of soul. Sight and the sense of color had a new meaning, so with hearing. Smell, which seemed to be passing out of existence in man, rose in the animal curve, so with taste, while the changes of appetite became experimental and desired a new adjustment.

Real School for Morals. Nothing developed, he said, the religious sentiment more, it was a school for morals for the child if rightly used. Prior to adolescence the child could not think abstractly, and seldom reasoned, but there came the time suddenly when there came the demand for reason.

At 18 more boys and girls were sick than at any other period, yet it was the age of least mortality. They had observed, however, that of late years there had been an increase in the minor diseases, and they were mostly school-bred.

Between 6 and 7 was another bad age, mostly owing to less tooth surface. The Period of Adolescence. Adolescence was premature arrest, and we were all, perhaps, suffering a little from it. So it might suggest that there was something to be done yet. If there was ever to be a superman, it would not be by prolonging life, but

CRISP NEWS NOTES FROM ALL CANADA

Happenings of the Various Provinces Gathered at Random Told in a Paragraph.

QUEBEC. The Evangelical General Conference at Quebec has re-elected their three bishops—W. Horn, S. C. Breyfogle, T. Bowman.

The publishers of the Sherbrooke Record have had a \$5,000 libel suit filed against them by Mr. Chas. C. Cabana, advocate of that city.

The Granby Carriage Company, Barr and Vitte, proprietors, is putting in steam power to tide over the season of low water.

At St. Leonard's a young man named John Walls, aged 18, came to an untimely end. It appears that Walls left with his gun to do some hunting and was accidentally shot.

Mr. John McLennan, dealer in Canadian lumber lands, with offices at No. 131 St. Peter Street, Quebec, has just completed a sale of the splendid Bay St. Paul mill property and its surrounding lands, consisting of about three hundred square miles of territory. The price is said to have been \$130,000.

Mr. S. H. C. Miner has been re-elected president of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Company. The company's assets amount to \$14,714,734, and there is a cash surplus on hand of \$85,500, which covers all liabilities except the current monthly account.

Mr. Oscar Sherwood, of Palford, has entered an action for \$1,033 against the Brome County Council. The suit is for damages alleged to have been inflicted by the defendant company by reason of holding back the water that flows from Brome Lake.

ONTARIO. The rate struck for the taxes of 1903 at Leamington is 27 1/2 mills. This is lower than was expected.

The annual convention of the Western Ontario Agricultural Association will be held in St. Thomas in January next, on the 12th, 13th and 14th.

Mr. J. W. Mitchell, B.A., has been appointed superintendent of the Kingston Railway, in succession to Prof. Hart, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum.

A. Plum Hollow farmer named Geo. Lillie, aged about 50 years, committed suicide in the stable of his home on Thursday last.

Mr. R. B. Faith, editor of the Ottawa Valley Journal, was married on Thursday to Miss Olive Rutley, daughter of Mr. Hiram Rutley, of Newington.

Mr. Walter Lawson, proprietor of the Adelaide House, has retired from the hotel business. He is succeeded by Mr. John Lawson.

It is understood the Ontario Government has taken steps to save the pulp mills in the woods for the pulp mills at the Soo. The logs will be sent to the mills.

The new C. O. Railway station at Trenton is nearly completed and the Courier says it is the handsomest between Montreal and Trenton. The building throughout is fireproof, and is fitted up with about 750 Frenchmen from the other Provinces arrived in town on Friday last, and were driven up to the Hamilton Co's camp at Trenton, where they are now being housed.

Steps are being taken in St. Thomas to re-organize the 25th Regiment and at a mass meeting held in the city hall last night a committee was appointed to select a new color and to arrange for the reorganization.

H. F. McDiarmid has been principal of the public school in Ingersoll for eighteen years. Yesterday he entered on his nineteenth year and his popularity is wider and more firmly established than ever.

James McPherson, M.P.P., has issued a writ against the Algona Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company, for \$5,000 for construction work on the Michipicoten branch of the railway. The machinery, live stock and material supplied.

The Aylmer post-office is now under the management of Mr. Francis Bourgeois, who was appointed by the Government when Miss Woods resigned. There is a great cry out among the farmers of the Pakenham district over the scarcity of threshing outfits.

OTTAWA VALLEY. The General Electric Co. who have opened up the Little bolt factory in Perth, are in need of a large number of girls to clean and split mica.

The annual meeting of the Lanark County Teachers' Association will be held in Almonte on Thursday and Friday, Oct. 22nd and 23rd. The committee have arranged with Principal Scott, of Almonte, to have a banquet to be present and take part in the meetings. On Thursday evening, 22nd, Mr. Scott will address a public meeting on the subject of "The Training of Children."

MARITIME PROVINCES. The Dartmouth Ferry Commission dismissed Capt. Thomas Bowser for running the stranded steamer Chequoctouche on Monday night when taking the Canadian Ticket Agents for an excursion.

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last Saturday, after tendering his resignation. His accounts are in perfect order, and it is feared he has committed suicide.

CORNWALL AND VICINITY. Cornwall, Oct. 17.—(Special.)—William & Patten are moving their old shop on Pitt Street to the rear of the lot to make room for a fine new structure, which they intend erecting at once. It will be a brick building, and will be placed on the site of the old one.

There is quite a strong feeling in some of the towns west of here that the Moccasin train goes to Montreal an hour too early for the convenience of the people living in Cornwall and west of here.

ARTHABASKA WEDDING. Arthabaska, Que., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Wednesday last, the 14th inst., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blanchet, of this parish, celebrated their golden wedding. It looked more like a provincial feast than a family one. In all, at the solemn mass the church was full.

BROCKVILLE NEWS NOTES. Brockville, Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Sherwood, widow of the late Mr. Sherwood, died Thursday morning after a few hours' illness, aged about 75 years. Deceased was formerly Miss Dawson.

RICHMOND HAPPENINGS. Richmond, Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Another of the pioneers in the person of Mr. Donald MacDonald, of Corris, has passed away. He was a somewhat lengthy illness. He came to Canada early in the fifties and for the last half century has been a farmer. He came from Scotland, and the funeral was on Wednesday in the Lower Windward cemetery, where the services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. Dr. Kelso. He leaves a widow, a son and three daughters to mourn his loss.

TOWN OF MAISONNEUVE TO RECONSTRUCT SYSTEM. Fire Alarm Apparatus is Found to Be Defective and Dangerous to Life and Property.

At the last meeting of the Council of Maisonneuve, Mayor Bleau presiding, a report was submitted by the Chief of the Fire and Police Department, Mr. Demont, on the fire alarm system.

It appears from the report that the system is defective and that it is important to bring it up to date. In view of the danger to life and property which would result if it were continuously derided, an action of Councilor Reid that the system be reconstructed and placed in a thoroughly efficient condition.

A report from Mr. J. Allard, in-charge of roads, called attention to the fact that Aird Avenue, Third Avenue and Viau terrace, were still without gas, and a resolution was passed by the town attorney, Mr. Riendeau, to interview the Montreal Gas Company on the subject and report to the council.

The Town Attorney and Mr. Erecment, secretary-treasurer, were also authorized to interview the directors of the Montreal Water & Power Company with reference to laying water pipes in the different streets where they are required.

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OGILVY'S Art Needlework Classes. On Tuesday (October 20th) Mrs. Kenly will resume the Art Needlework Classes. She will open the classes with AN ART LECTURE AT 3 P.M.

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Ready-to-Wear Hats. For next week we are offering a special line of Ladies' and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Hats. Prices from \$5.00 to \$10.00. BEST ATTENTION GIVEN TO MAIL ORDERS.

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GRAND TRUNK CANADIAN PACIFIC REDUCED FARES TO WESTERN AND PACIFIC POINTS. Until Nov. 30, 1903, Colonist fares from MONTREAL TO SEATTLE, VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, PORTLAND, ROSAN, NELSON, TRAIL, BOSSARD, SPOKANE, BUTTE, HELENA, ANACAP, COLORADO SPRINGS, DENVER, PUEBLO, SALT LAKE, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, \$48.90.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TIME TABLE CHANGES. (In Effect Oct. 11th, 1903.) BOSTON, 9:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 7:45 p.m. ST. JOHN, 10:25 p.m., ex. Saturdays PLANTAGANET, 8:45 a.m., 10 a.m., 4 p.m. MONTREAL JUNC., 6:15 p.m. Discontinued beyond.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY CHANGE OF TIME TABLE. Trains leave from and arrive at Bonaventure Station as follows: 7:40 a.m.—Daily except Sunday. Express for Levis and Quebec.

Rutland Railroad. Trains leave as follows: 8:50 A.M.—Day Express, arriving Burlington 11:55 a.m., Troy 4:20 p.m., Albany 4:55 p.m., New York 8:00 p.m., Boston 8:30 p.m., Worcester 7:32 p.m. 7:10 P.M.—Night Express, arriving Burlington 10:10 p.m., Troy 2:30 a.m., New York 7:20 a.m., Boston 7:00 a.m., Worcester 6:28 a.m.

THE MOOSE. Open Season Commences in QUEBEC on September 1st. NEW BRUNSWICK, NOVA SCOTIA, Sept. 16th. Quebec Service. Trains leave Montreal at 7:40 a.m., 12 noon, and 11:45 p.m. On SATURDAYS, a special fast train leaves Montreal at 7:45 p.m., returning, trains leave Levis at 12:35 and 4:10 p.m.

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SMITH'S FALLS GROWING. Smith's Falls, Ont., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The town of Smith's Falls is growing rapidly. Thirty private dwelling houses were built this year, and also large improvements were made in the Frost & Wood Co. and Perrin Plow Co. The Public Library is another handsome building among the new ones. The Canoe Club has built a large club-house on the Rideau River.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative At the Doctor's Risk. Dr. Shoop, Box 23, Racine, Wisconsin. Send me book No.—and 40¢ in stamps. I can secure six bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative on 30 days' trial. Book 1 on Dyspepsia, Book 2 on the Heart, Book 3 on the Kidneys, Book 4 for Women, Book 5 for Men (sealed), Book 6 on Rheumatism. Name _____, City _____, Province _____, Street _____, Write plainly.

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Each class vied with the other in having a good time itself and in providing entertainment for the spectators as well. And the result was the biggest theatre night McGill has known for years.

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Medical students marched next, beneath their gruesome emblem of skull and cross-bones, with their motto held high, so that he might read who held high, so that he might read who held high, so that he might read who held high.

Through it all the best of feeling prevailed and a few smashed crockers and crushed corns no casualties were reported.

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Men, Women and Happenings

Mr. J. O'Connor, Farnham, is at the Grand Union. Captain Walker, of the famous Black Watch, is in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moorehouse, Sault Ste. Marie, are at the Queen's.

which sails for Liverpool to-morrow morning. A pleasant event took place in the basement of Grace Church, Point St. Charles, Monday evening, when the young people of the parish gave an impromptu reception in honor of Mr. Harold Hinchcliffe on the eve of his departure for Denver, Col., and presented him with a purse as a token of their esteem for him.

STOCKS ON THE FIRM SIDE STILL

There was a pretty firm feeling to Montreal stocks in the early part of this morning's session and although business was not very active the feeling was inclined to be cheerful.

Table listing stock prices: 150 Detroit at 69, 20 Detroit at 65, 50 Power at 68, 25 Power at 68, 50 Power at 68.

WHEAT IN CHICAGO

May wheat opened in Chicago at 80, went off to 79 7/8 and recovered to 80 again. December closed at 80 3/8 to 80 5/8 and held steady.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table listing New York stock prices: Amalgamated Copper, 83 1/2; Anaconda, 112 1/2; American Express, 108 1/2; etc.

BERGERON-FRASER

Richmond, Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Miss Alice Fraser, daughter of Mr. S. Fraser, Prothonotary of Richmond, was married Thursday to Mr. Frederick Russell Bigelow, of St. Paul, Minn.

N. Y. STOCKS

P. R. took a slide down. Those who purchased at 11 1/2 had a good chance of taking profits. If C. P. rallies up a bit, chances are a "short" sale will make money. Do not be too greedy.

FUNERAL OF MR. VERVORT

The funeral of Mr. Adolphe Vervort took place from the Laguerres Street, to St. James Church, St. Denis Street, and thence to Cote des Neiges cemetery, at 7:30 o'clock to-day.

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WOMAN OVERCOME BY GAS

Georgina Bolland, 24 years of age, 2705 St. Catherine street, was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital at 10 o'clock this morning, having been overcome by gas at last reports she was still unconscious.

AT LOYAL PEARSON LODGE

Messrs. C. Gordon Smith, provincial grand master; W. Ardill, D.P.G.M.; R. Crawford, I.P.P.G.M.; W. Oswald Smyth, B.C.L., provincial solicitor; and Thomas Pearson, P.G.M., paid an official visit to Loyal Pearson Lodge, I.O.O.F. M.U., in Waiford Hall last evening.

NOT BAD FOR SPEYER & CO.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The do-cumented flood in connection with the Sault Ste. Marie companies show that Speyer & Co. got \$221,290 commission on the loan to Lake Superior Company.

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The Big Trust Maker Told H. E. Huntington to Buy United States Steel Common.

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—H. E. Huntington, according to a story told here, a year ago bought United States Steel common stock at 40 and 41. When the stock began to decline he held on, thinking a Morgan security could not go down far. It is now between 12 and 13. Huntington still has his stock, and is losing \$900,000.

S. O. E. B. S. Monarch Lodge, 182

The members of above Lodge and Sister Lodges are invited to attend the funeral of our late respected Bro. Wm. Thomas, at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 19th, instant, from his late residence, 102 Iberville Street.

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SECURING STOCKS and BONDS at INSIDE FIGURES

James L. Airdredge is wanted by the police of Ouzak, Alta., on the charge of being an absconder with funds of the Southern Express Company. He is 5 feet 8 1/2 inches in height, age 24 years, fair complexion, and well educated. He has a military bearing, and served in the 40th Infantry in the Philippines.

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INSOLVENT NOTICE

In the matter of JOSEPH MARTINEAU Hardware Merchant, No. 315 Notre Dame Street, Maisonneuve, Montreal, Insolvent. The undersigned will sell by public auction at No. 69 St. James Street, Montreal, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1903, At 11 O'clock A.M. The following assets belonging to the estate of the said Joseph Martineau, Insolvent: Stock in trade \$1,270.00 Store Fixtures 475.75 The Book Debts, as per list, will be sold separately 65.00 \$1,700.00

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A SURPLUS AT LAST.

For some years past it has been a favorite pastime of the Conservative press to dilate on what it was pleased to call the penurious policy followed by Sir William Mulock in the administration of the Post Office Department. We have been told repeatedly that salaries of officials of all classes were much too small and, worse than all, that contracts were let to the lowest bidders at prices lower than should have been looked for. Men not seeking political capital might not unreasonably feel relieved to be told, on such unimpeachable authority, that here at least was one great department of public affairs in which extravagance was not the rule, and to the administrators of which business principles were apparently applied. The reasons which have justified the Postmaster-General in keeping expenses down as low as possible were fully explained in the speech which Sir Wm. Mulock delivered in the House on Wednesday, and in the figures he then presented. In the face of a heavy annual deficit, and of a reduction of the domestic postage rate from three cents to two cents, requests for increased salaries could not be granted unless the burden on the public funds was to be made heavier. Now, however, the corner has been turned. A substantial surplus of receipts over expenditures has been announced—the first since Confederation. Notwithstanding the decrease in the letter postage, the handsome surplus of \$22,702 has been recorded, and the Postmaster-General has signified his intention of making substantial increase in salaries. The minimum salary in small country offices will be twenty-five dollars instead of ten dollars, and other classes of postmasters will receive an increase of ten per cent in salaries and allowances. It is Sir Wm. Mulock's opinion that the post office should be run as a revenue-producing department, and should be made, if possible, self-sustaining. These two propositions will be very generally accepted by the country, which will also be willing to give the Postmaster-General full credit for his progressive and business-like administration of his department.

CHOOSING THEIR GROUND.

The action of the Duke of Devonshire in accepting the presidency of the Unionist Free Food League may be taken as indicating his belief that the reaction towards a policy of tariff protection has gone so far as to have become a serious menace. His letter of acceptance, read together with his letter of resignation of office in the Balfour Cabinet, leave little room for doubt that he had imperfectly measured the protectionist force when he consented to stay in on September 15. He is now anxious to "restrain the strongly protectionist tendencies manifested at the recent conference at Sheffield," and his other letter reads as though it had been written with the same necessity in mind. Devonshire had agreed to go with Mr. Balfour only to the length of asking leave to impose taxation, when thought desirable, for other purposes than those of revenue, but "I told you that I thought it would be very difficult to make this statement the foundation of a great announcement of policy, inasmuch as I was not aware of any law or constitutional principle in which this doctrine was embodied." In doing it, Mr. Balfour underrated the importance of free trade, and the convention he addressed went wild for protection. So the Duke resigned.

Mr. Balfour, who has never forgotten that his first duty is to keep the party united, does not agree with the Duke that things were worse after the Sheffield meeting than before it. "If there anything certain," he wrote to the Duke, "it is that the declaration of policy then made produced and is destined still to produce a greater harmony of opinion than has prevailed in the party since the fiscal question came to the front six months ago." That opinion is shared by enthusiastic admirers who write to the papers, but they, like the Duke, accept the speech as a long step towards endorsement of Mr. Chamberlain's plan.

That there are limitations to Mr. Balfour's adoption of the Chamberlain programme appears not only from his speech, but from the action of some of his followers. When Mr. Chamberlain went to Glasgow four of the Unionist members stayed away. "I return the ticket you kindly sent me," wrote Sir Charles Bine Renshaw. "I accept the policy laid down by the Prime Minister at Sheffield, and should be ready at the proper time to support any practical proposals for giving effect to that policy, but I am resolutely opposed to taxation of food for any other than revenue purposes." Sir John Stirling Maxwell was equally emphatic. He wrote: "On every ground, public and private, I should have liked to join in Glasgow's welcome to Mr. Chamberlain on October 6, but I do not see how I can mount his platform and vote for the resolution to be proposed without appearing to support his new policy. That policy, as sketched in his speeches last summer, is to my mind open to very strong objections, both on Imperial grounds and on account of its tendency to raise the cost of living in this country, and as the representative of a Glasgow constituency I do not feel justified in supporting it." Mr. J. G. A. Baird, the member for the Central Division, after seeing a copy of the mild resolution to be proposed, still felt impelled to reply: "I need hardly say that I have given the most anxious consideration to the question of the propriety of my attending the meeting, and have come to the conclusion that since the policy which Mr. Chamberlain advocates is not that of the Government, nor one which I can conscientiously support, I must, in order to avoid any future misunderstanding, respectfully decline the invitation of the

PEEPS INTO NEW BOOKS

John Morley's Life of W. E. Gladstone.

"His physical vitality, his faculties of free energy, endurance, elasticity, was a superb endowment to begin with," writes Mr. Morley at page 185 of his "Life of Gladstone." Vitality, energy, endurance, elasticity (no bad word that) is what one feels to be about in every page of the life. "He was an idealist, yet always applying ideals to their purposes in act. To be his native element. There was no body like him when it came to difficult business, for, bending his whole strength to it, like a mighty archer stringing a stiff bow. It was in the early '40s that these qualities were called into use for the advantage of the Government of Sir Robert Peel. "Sir James Graham said of him in these years that Gladstone could do in four hours what it took any other man sixteen to do, and he worked sixteen hours a day." He worked so hard that he wrote to his wife, "how near Mary (Lady Leitton, her sister) comes as compared with others to you, as respects what I can hardly describe in a few words, my mental rest, when she is present." In those days, too, he began to give examples of that rare quality of courage "which became one of the most signal of all his traits. He used to say that he had known three men in his time possessing in a supreme degree the virtue of parliamentary courage—Peel, Lord John Russell, and Disraeli." This left out Palmerston and Derby, and others who might be mentioned. Himself, Mr. Morley says, "capable of much circumspection, yet soon he became known for a man of fine heart." He had in him the requisites of an orator. "Zeal and oil and knowledge, working with an inborn faculty of powerful expression—here was the double clue." "Mr. Gladstone conquered the House of Commons because he was saturated with a subject and its arguments; because he could state and enforce his case; because he plainly believed every word he said, and earnestly wished to put the same belief into the mind of his hearers finally because he was from the first an eager and a powerful athlete." In these eulogies from first few chapters we get the whole of Mr. Gladstone's personality. The three volumes of the life, published in Canada by G. N. Morang, of Toronto (three vols., \$10.50), is but a record of the adaptation of these qualities to the political controversies of sixty years. Cobden, Corn and Catherine.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Forward Canada! No fifty-year franchise.

Le Canada says Mr. Monk and the young Conservatives kept Mr. Tarte from being invited to the Club Jacques Cartier festivities.

When the Hamilton Spectator begins to clamor for more workpeople to come in and take positions in the factories, it is about time for less pronounced Tories to stop abusing the tariff.

When all but three of the city aldermen unite in asking Aid. Laporte to become a candidate for the Mayoralty it would appear that that gentleman is best appreciated where his work is best known.

Canadians in London are convinced that their case in the Alaska boundary business is the stronger, and convinced, too, that the judgment will go against them. Let's hope its only the climate.

Our Conservative friends in Ontario are willing to let Mr. Tarte go there now. He was in Woodbridge yesterday, eulogizing the late Clarke Wallace, and modestly comparing himself to Mr. Chamberlain.

Instead of blaming the reporter Mr. Aylesworth admits having said that he does not consider himself empowered to vote for any compromise. There are a lot of public men who would be better for it if they were always as candid, for in some cases candor means courage.

Our Conservative friends insist on making Mr. Borden a great man by merely telling him he is one. There is room for hope, however, that he keeps his head level, especially when he finds half the party here doing their best to decapitate his friend Mr. Monk. A party has not the best of leading where that can be.

When a public journal or a public man accidentally makes a wrong statement respecting another journal or man, it or he loses nothing by acknowledging the error. A week has now passed since we proved that the Montreal Gazette had falsely accused the Labor Gazette of ignoring important facts in connection with the report of the commission on labor troubles in British Columbia, and of reporting only those strikes which had resulted favorably to the strikers. We showed that the Labor Gazette had actually issued the commission's report in full as a supplement, and that the majority of its strike reports showed failure of the strikes. Our local contemporary, instead of candidly confessing that it had fallen into error, has maintained absolute silence on the matter, and has left its readers under the impression that the Labor Gazette was guilty of the lapse with which it had been charged. Is the senior Conservative journal trying to emulate the junior organ?

FEELS EFFECTS OF DROUGHT.

District South of St. Lawrence River is Seriously Affected. Although during the past two months the vicinity of Montreal has been favored with a fair rainfall, the district south of the St. Lawrence has felt the effects of a severe drought. Paper and pulp mills in particular, have been seriously affected, it being said that not for half a century has the water been so low at this time of the year. In many of the rivers and smaller streams to which they look for power and for the purpose of floating logs. Lately the streams north of the St. Lawrence have also fallen rapidly in depth, and similar complaints are coming from the pulp manufacturers in that wide district.

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PEEPS INTO NEW BOOKS

John Morley's Life of W. E. Gladstone.

"The discussion." I was greatly struck with him. He seemed to me rather fierce, but very strong and very earnest. I need hardly say this was John Bright." But if Bright and Cobden were unknown in high political circles, their ideas had forced their way there, and roused some of his respectable colleagues to consider what the House that to buy in the cheapest market and sell in the dearest was the best policy, and even if the foreigner were foolish enough not to follow suit, it was still for the interest of this country." Still, it took Cobden a long time to educate even these fine minds. In 1843 Mr. Gladstone reported that "the deadness of foreign demand keeps our commerce in a state of prolonged paralysis," not realizing fully, as he came to before 1860 that "the true way to quicken foreign demand was to open the ports to that foreign supply with which they paid us for what they bought."

Trade Negotiations.

An interesting insight on present day political, or rather fiscal, discussions, is provided by the following statement about the period of 1841-44. "We are anxiously and eagerly endeavoring to make tariff treaties with many foreign countries. Austria, I think, may have been included, but I recollect especially France, Prussia, Portugal and I believe Spain. And the state of our tariff, even after 1842, was then such as to supply us with plenty of material for liberal offers. Notwithstanding this, we failed in every case. I doubt whether we advanced the cause of free trade by a single inch."

Earlier Reberies.

It will be remembered that when Peel did at last pass his bill to abolish the corn laws, and when he was turned out by what the Duke of Wellington called a "blackguard combination" of Whigs and Protectionists, he frankly avowed that the credit for his great act was not his, and not Lord John Russell's, but that "the name which ought to be associated with the success of these measures is the name of Richard Cobden." Mr. Gladstone appears to have been quite excited about this, thinking it unworthy of the Minister, thinking also that Mr. Cobden's methods and denunciations were too violent to justify such unqualified praise, and looking about for another explanation. Lord Aberdeen's theory was that Peel wanted to offend the Tories so badly that there would be an irreparable breach, and that "Earl Spencer (politically prominent as Lord Althorp), in his later days was Sir R. Peel's ideal, rare appearances for serious purposes, and without compromise to the independence of his habits," just such a role as Lord Rosebery has played since 1894, and which he now appears willing to abandon if there is a loud enough "call."

On the Threshold of Fame.

Along in 1852, when the Derby cabinet was among the breakers, there were rumors about that Mr. Gladstone, who with the other Peeliens had been neither fish nor fash for six years, was having rather too many confidential chats with Lord Palmerston. Lord Malmesbury, always keenly interested in the personal side of politics, said, "I cannot make Gladstone out, he seems to me a dark horse." He was then forty-three and had been in Parliament twenty years. Lord Derby, too, showed a friendly interest, and even invited covert criticisms of Disraeli, but for whose inclusion in the Derby Cabinet Mr. Gladstone might have been induced to enter it. "The dark horse," indeed, was soon to emerge into the light, for Disraeli presently brought down his famous budget, introducing a tax concerning which Mr. Gladstone afterwards wrote "What angered me was that other man with him as the father of our system of free trade, Gladstone, who had been called by Peel into conference while in opposition, thought he was going to be asked into the Cabinet, but was sent to the Board of Trade instead. He went in to help maintain Peel's protectionist Government, but he started by a course of "hard, steady and honest work; and every day so spent beat like a battering ram on the unsure fabric of my official protectionism." The battering ram in fact made such a breach that when Peel came to propose a sliding scale Gladstone's conscience was up against the import it provided for, and hinted at resigning. Peel was cross, and "I came home sick at heart and told all to Catherine, my lips being to every one else, as I said to Sir R. Peel, absolutely sealed." And here we get a glimpse of the inner machinery of politics for Peel, while angry with Gladstone, really agreed with him, for afterwards, speaking to Lord Ripon and Gladstone together, he said, "Among ourselves, in this room, I have no hesitation in saying that if I had not to look to other than abstract considerations, I would have proposed a lower protection. But it would have done no good to push the matter so far as to drive Knatchbull out of the Cabinet after the Duke of Buckingham, nor could I hope to see a measure with greater reductions through the House of Lords."

We have seen how Gladstone first came to hear of Cobden, who, however, had been cutting quite a figure for three years, at least. He first saw Bright a year later, in 1842, when he was preparing Peel's great tariff measure of that year, which marked the longest step toward free trade taken since Huskisson's legislation of 1823-8. Mr. Gladstone got into the way of meeting deputation, gathering from them the information he wanted, rather than what they desired he should accept. One deputation from Lancashire, particularly impressed him. "All that I remember, however, is the figure of a person in black or dark Quaker costume, seemingly the youngest of the band. Eagerly he sat a little forward on the bench and intervened in

RUPTURED?

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JOHN HAMILTON, 20 St. Martin St., Montreal.

"delighted at the success of Mr. Gladstone's speech. Prince Albert 'would certainly have cheered had I a seat in the House.'" Aberdeen wrote "if the existence of my Government shall be prolonged, it will be your work." And Greville summed up all when he wrote that the speech "has raised Gladstone to a great political elevation, and what is of far greater consequence than the measure itself, has given the country assurance of a MAN equal to great political necessities and fit to lead parties and direct governments." Sheer courage, hard work, and the talent for expression did it, and Sir Stafford Northcote said, long after, the speech not only won universal applause from his audience at the time, but changed the convictions of a large part of the nation, and turned, at least for several years, a current of popular opinion which had seemed too powerful for any minister to resist." Great Britain had, indeed, found a man.

A DISGRACE TO U.S. CIVILIZATION

The Release of the Gentlemanly Assassin, Mr. Tillman, is Widely Denounced. A few months ago J. H. Tillman, the Lieutenant-Governor of South Carolina, shot and killed the editor of a paper who differed with Mr. Tillman in politics. At the trial Mr. Tillman calmly admitted he did the shooting, and on Thursday the word was electrified with a sample of South Carolina justice. Mr. Tillman was declared "not guilty," and the judge handed him back his two pistols, shook hands with him and allowed him to go.

The verdict is denounced from one end of the country to the other. The acquittal of James H. Tillman is equivalent to a declaration that hereafter a free press is impossible in South Carolina, and that an editor who criticises a public official may be impudently slain in cold blood. The jury which set free the cowardly politician who shot down Editor Gonzales must be taken as the authoritative exponent of South Carolina justice and morals. The final standard by which every community must be measured is the attitude of its people toward the laws and toward human life. Judged by that simple rule, the acquittal of Tillman is a conviction of South Carolina as a barbarous commonwealth, a disgrace to American civilization."

Chicago Record Herald: "Inevitably the wretched travesty on justice must be demoralizing, but it is to be hoped that the demoralization will not go so far that Tillman may reappear as a popular hero. That would be a rank offense to the whole country, which would welcome the news that he had at least the punishment of neglect and obscurity."

Boston Globe: "Assassin Tillman not guilty? Let's all apologize!" Under the heading "A Travesty on Justice," the Springfield Union says: "South Carolina has committed a worse crime than did the assassin."

Buffalo Express: "The State of South Carolina has been on trial in the murder case of James H. Tillman at Lexington. And the State of South Carolina has pronounced itself guilty. It has declared that a public official may kill an opponent for criticizing him and go unpunished."

Boston Herald: "The acquittal of J. H. Tillman of criminal intention in shooting and killing Editor Gonzales is not an unexpected outcome of the recent trial. It marks, it is true, a low

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THE PEOPLE OF MARS. Mr. C. A. Johnson delivered a lecture last evening at 13 Desjardines Street, "The People of Mars," in the course of which he said that he had met three of them. They had struck the earth and were supposed to be meteors, but what dug out were found to be human persons of the male sex of enormous stature. Mr. Johnson said that in five years we would exchange signals with Mars and in twenty years there would be communication by ships, which would travel at the rate of 600 miles an hour.

JAMES LARKIN IS INJURED. James Larkin, of 131 Amherst Street, was injured on the Hamburg-American line wharf by a beam falling across his legs. He was removed to Notre Dame Hospital.

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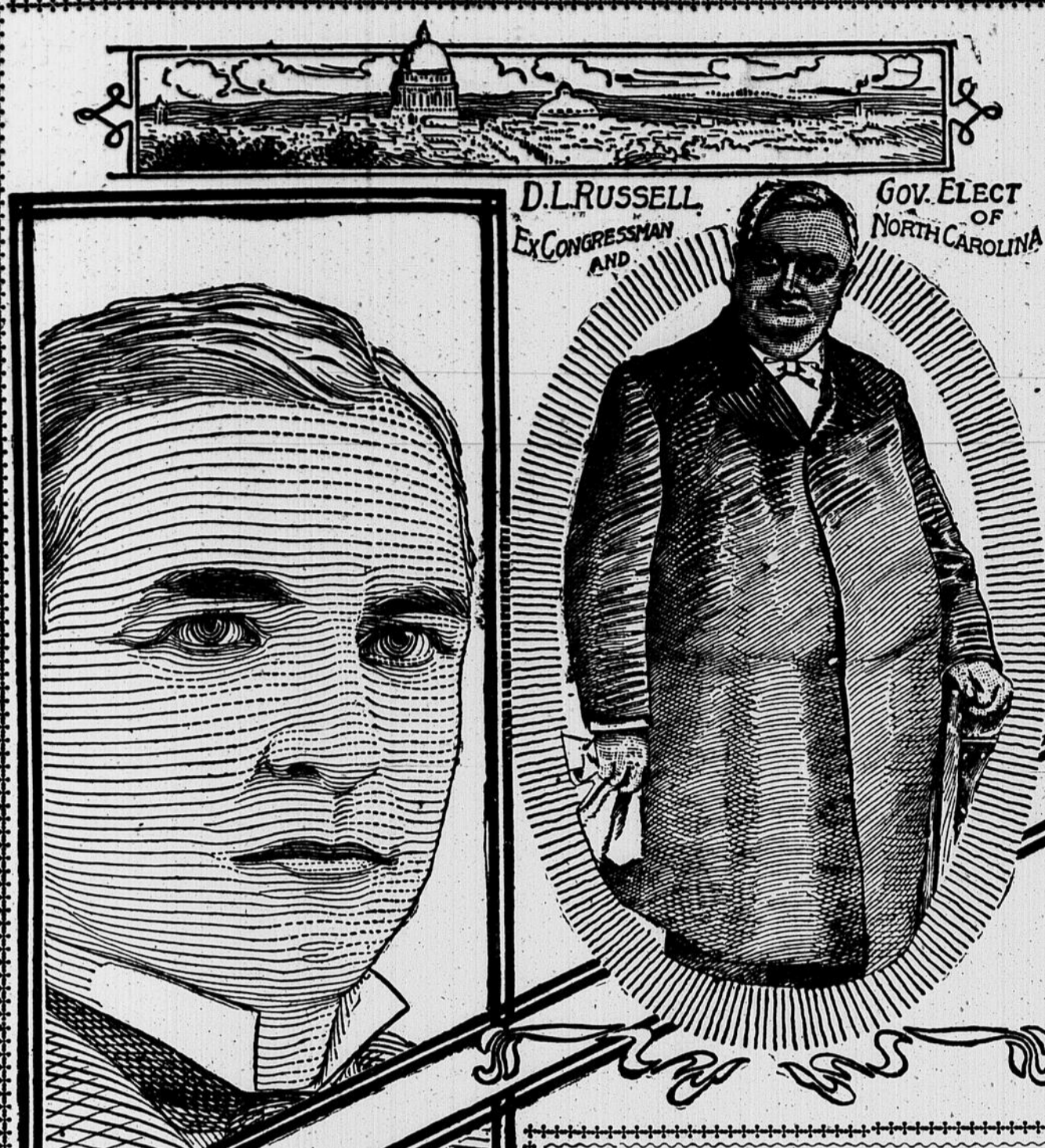
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Congressman Goodrich Recommends Pe-ru-na. Fred S. Goodrich, Shawnee, Okla., member of Congress from Florida, 51st Congress, writes from Washington, D.C.: "I am assured and am satisfied that your Peruna is not only a cure for catarrh, but also a most vigorous tonic. As so many of my friends have been benefited by its use, I have no hesitation in recommending it to the public."

News in General of Old McGill. The last week at McGill has been an exceedingly eventful one, both from an athletic standpoint and from the social.

A fair opportunity to criticize, but on the whole a more favorable one is being held of the rules. This game was contested with much good feeling. Play was very open. The mistakes were in some cases laughable but nevertheless provided lots of excitement to the students.

As to the Inter-Collegiate sports McGill feels sore, but not discouraged. The representatives of McGill did not do themselves justice, and the students must console themselves with "Better luck next time." They take their defeat like good sports, no excuses, no murmurings, but next year they will be stronger than ever, and the championship will once more come to its proper resting place.

All eyes are turned more eagerly than ever to the result of Saturday's game. The students have great encouragement from the way in which the practices have been attended. One-half the team are tried men, and the new material is individually strong. If, as they did last year, the team follow the game from start to finish with the determination and endurance they display at practice there is no reason why the trophy should not remain at Old McGill, and the unexpected loss of the games be wiped out. The team have the undivided support of the whole university, and are determined to win or know why not.

A BENEFACTION TO ALL.—The soldier, the sailor, the fisherman, the miner, the farmer, the mechanic, and all who live lives of toil and spend their existence in the dull routine of tedious tasks and who are exposed to injuries and ailments that those who toil do not know, will find in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil an excellent friend and benefactor in every time of need.—adv.

WHISKEY KILLED BOY. Sherbrooke, Oct. 17.—La Patrie, Compton county, the scene of the Fourchette tragedy on Monday, was startled by another tragic incident on Wednesday. The three-year-old son of Emilie Rancour, while playing the barn, found a bottle of whiskey which had been hidden there, and drank freely of the liquor. The boy sank into a sleep from which he could not be roused, and died in an hour.

NEW CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION. Prescott, Oct. 17.—A mass meeting of the electors of the county of Grenville was held in Spencerville on Thanksgiving Day, for the purpose of forming a new Conservative Association for the county, as changed by the Redistribution Act. The following officers were elected: J. C. Carnahan, president; J. K. Dowling, secretary-treasurer.

A UNIQUE PIANO FIRM. Two interesting facts were brought out at the annual meeting of the shareholders of W. Lindsay, Limited, on Thursday last. The first is that despite the immense volume of the company's business which uses a fully paid-up capital of \$400,000, the company has not a cent of liability to anyone. The second remarkable fact is that the business has never discounted a note since the day of its inception, 27 years ago. To the public this means a lot of things, and it means that the company is not asked to give notes as the company has no use for them. Holtzman & Co. and other celebrated pianos can, for these reasons, be purchased of C. W. Lindsay, Limited, at figures scarcely higher than those of practically unknown instruments. Head office: 2365 St. Catherine Street, East End branch, 1622 St. Catherine Street. Also at Quebec, and Ottawa.—Adv.

TILLMAN IS ACQUITTED. Lexington, S.C., Oct. 17.—The jury in the case of J. H. Tillman has found him not guilty. The jury was out about twenty hours before returning a verdict.

STRAITHONA DINE COUNSEL. London, Oct. 17.—Lord Straithona, High Commissioner for Canada, last night entertained the counsel engaged in the Ainkah hour-long case of their wives, at dinner at his home. No speeches were made.

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FINE OLD MANSION FOR MICROBE FARM

Important Medical Establishment Is Conducted by Mr. Wellcome Near London.

Henry S. Wellcome, an American chemist and manufacturer of medicine, has his only license ever granted by the British Government for a private physiological laboratory for experiment and research. writes Mr. William E. Curtis, the special correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald.

In America, he says, no license is necessary, but here people are very particular, and the Societies for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and the anti-vivisection organizations have secured the enactment of very rigid laws governing such matters. Mr. Wellcome is a member of the firm Burroughs, Wellcome & Co., manufacturing chemists, but his two laboratories for physiological and chemical research are both personal enterprises unconnected with his commercial business, and intended for the advancement of the science of medicine, the healing of disease and the prolongation of life.

The laboratory is a most interesting place, although a visit is apt to give a sensitive person the horrors, because a dozen or more chemists are engaged in manufacturing the most dreadful poisons known to mankind, and experimenting with remedies for their cure. They will take you into a room in the cellar, all walled up with bricks, and sealed with putty, in which every particle of air is sterilized, and show you long racks supporting rows of great bottles full of microbes and bacilli of all the contagious diseases known to man, from cancer to rheumatism.

This room is kept at a temperature of blood heat, and a most mysterious, soul-chilling gloom is the result. One of those big bottles should be scattered in the ground, the doctors say, it might do no harm, but if they were dumped into the sea, the world would be down with an epidemic. I remember reading a story some time ago about a man who had sworn to destroy society to avenge some slight or injury he had suffered, and, as he could not kill people with ordinary means, he had set up a microbe factory, and, taking a vast quantity up in a balloon, he emptied them upon the roofs of the city, with the result, as the chemist couldn't help thinking of him as I went through Mr. Wellcome's place.

It is situated at the suburban station of Herne Hill, about five miles from St. Paul's Cathedral, where four years ago the late Lord Salisbury had a fortune enough to obtain the leasehold of an old-fashioned manor house and eleven acres of ground surrounding it. This house, which has been completely refitted, and which has provided every possible facility and convenience for physiological research, under the direction of Dr. Walter Dowson, an eminent British scientist.

It is called Brockwell Hall, and is a fine old mansion, surrounded by shade trees, and a garden of the most perfect, which are necessary, for Mr. Wellcome keeps sixty horses, fifty rabbits, a thousand guinea pigs, a donkey, a pig, a cow, a number of dogs and cats for experimental purposes. The animals are well fed and cared for, and the smaller one, particularly the rabbits and guinea pigs, are bred up to the hilt.

The law limits physiological experiments to rodents, such as rabbits, rats, mice and guinea pigs, but the latter are also used in the case of diseases, as they give the most uniform results. In order to secure accuracy it is necessary that the animal should be absolutely free from any disease, hence the greatest care is taken in breeding and feeding them.

Horses Picked With Care. There is a large garden, in which are cultivated cabbages, turnips and other suitable food, a paddock in which the horses are exercised, and a pasture in which the sheep are grazed. The breeding pens are as perfect as they can be made, and everything is conducted upon scientific principles.

Experiments Are Important. The most important experiments now going on concern cancer, diphtheria, typhoid fever and rheumatism. Mr. Wellcome has a large staff of assistants, and his assistants a great deal of time in researches concerning cancer and different methods of arresting the decay of human tissue, which is a long and arduous task, and one which has never been undertaken. More money and labor is being expended upon the investigation of cancer than upon any other except tuberculosis.

Mr. Wellcome is doing nothing with the latter disease because it is receiving so much attention elsewhere. The most advanced and satisfactory results have thus far been obtained by breeding them in meat broth from seed obtained in the hospitals. A little of the poison is injected into the veins of horses, sufficient to make them ill, but not to kill them. When they have reached the proper period of the disease a quart or so of their blood is taken placed in a receptacle made for the purpose, and allowed to clot. As it clots, the serum is drawn off, and the pressure and drops into a jar below.

Anti-Toxin For Patients. That serum is the anti-toxin, and is administered to diphtheria patients by hypodermic injections. Last year there were 14,000 cases of diphtheria treated in the London hospitals. Those patients who received the anti-toxin the first day all recovered; of those who received it the second day 4 per cent. died; of those who received it the third day 11 per cent. died, and on the longer the treatment was postponed the more certain the mortality, and the average in the same hospitals previous to the adoption of this treatment was 33 per cent. The diphtheria cure is now accepted by nearly all practitioners, and is generally used. It is no longer an experiment, and typhoid fever, however, is still in the experimental stage, and has not yet been tried upon human beings, although the experiments upon animals have been unusually successful.

AMUSEMENTS. WINDSOR HALL. Last Performance THIS AFTERNOON OF EVERYMAN. TO-NIGHT. "TWELFTH NIGHT"

In the Elizabethan manner. Prices—Evening, \$1.00, 75c, 50c and 25c. Afternoon, 75c, 50c and 25c. Reserved seats on early show's Music Store. Tel. Up 1414 for seats.

AMUSEMENTS. RAZOR HONED, A FIRST-CLASS SHAMPOO, a cake of the most satisfactory Toilet Soap you have ever used, makes your hair shine like FINE FUR. FUMES and GUARANTEED HAIR DYE. A. TARDIFF, 2031 St. Catherine Street, Opp. Grey Nunnery.

AMUSEMENTS. CANARIES. Require care and attention, and they will repay their owner by singing brightly a day merrily all the day long. Essential to their health and song. Get the best on the market, for it is the cheapest in the long run. Brock's Bird Seed and a Cake of Treat in each Packet. All Grocers and Druggists keep it. SOUNDS LIKE MONTREAL. New York Police Sergeant Had to Pay for Protection.

New York, Oct. 17.—A summons has been issued by Justice Mayer, of the Court of Special Sessions, for retired inspector of police Walter S. Thompson, on a charge of extortion. Thompson is charged with having extorted \$2,500 from Sergeant Thomas F. Gilhooly, who was shot to death on the night of the last police parade, by Jefferson Sanders, a hoodlum, who was killed in the light by the cashing of a life insurance policy taken out by Gilhooly in Thompson's favor to secure the sum he was to pay for his regular salary. The policy was turned over by the widow to Mrs. Thompson who had it cashed. Mrs. Gilhooly then reported the case to the district attorney.

LAST SUNDAY'S BALLOON ASCENSION. It is very seldom that the village of Delorimer has contained a crowd as big as the one which gathered last Sunday to witness the Balloon Ascension organized to advertise "Sweet Caporal" Cigarettes. As early as two o'clock a great crowd could be seen going to the grounds in order to secure the balloon ropes, and to follow the work of inflating the balloon. A strong wind was blowing, and for some time a great many of the spectators were afraid the ascension would not take place, but the manufacturers of Sweet Caporal Cigarettes entertained no fears on this subject. A great crowd gathered around the balloon, and the police, under the orders of Chief Belanger, held the crowd outside these ropes. A great scramble ensued when a large number of presents were thrown into the crowd.

At 3.30 p.m. the balloon was fully inflated, and the poles holding it were thrown down. The balloon rose slowly and the excitement was at its height. Prof. Volcott, who supervised the ascension, was asked to be "ready" to "let go" which he received in the affirmative, and in the midst of the greatest excitement, he gave the order "Let go everybody," and the balloon rose into the air, while the aeronauts were letting fall in the crowd a quantity of presents, and Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. The balloon was going toward America, but it was blown back to the ground by a strong wind. Everybody then rushed in that direction to see the aeronauts fall, and in the scramble a child was thrown to the ground, but happily he was only slightly injured. Two young ladies were also thrown against the iron railing at the corner of Rachel and Delorimer Streets and were severely injured in their position by a gentleman nearby.

Prof. Stewart alighted on a telegraph wire at the corner of Montana and Rachel Streets, and was taken down from a near-by station. Prof. Trussel coiled with a telegraph pole at the corner of Rachel and Rivard Streets, and shortly afterwards the aeronauts and parachute jumpers were taken back to Lionaise Grounds by an admiring crowd. The street cars were waiting to take the people back to the city, and were soon filled up.

The manufacturers of Sweet Caporal Cigarettes have good reason to be proud of their success of last Sunday, and should feel pleased to have satisfied the public who responded to their invitation. They do not mind the enormous expense and trouble they have incurred so long as they have been able to convince the public of the superiority of "Sweet Caporal Cigarettes."

MISS WIGGINS IN MONTREAL. Temperance Advocate Will Deliver a Series of Lectures Here. Miss Wiggins, a temperance lecturer of wide reputation in Canada, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and is the guest of Miss Crossley, 239 Metcalfe Avenue, Westmount. For the last several years Miss Wiggins has been advertising the cause of temperance throughout Nova Scotia under the auspices of the Provincial W.C.T.U. In that time she delivered addresses in various parts of the province. Everywhere she was most cordially received, and her addresses attracted audiences that for the most part were limited only by the capacity of the hall.

Miss Wiggins, who has been engaged in temperance work for years, is of the opinion that never did the cause have as good a status as now. She will deliver addresses here to-morrow afternoon and Monday afternoon and evening.

IF IN TROUBLE AFTER EATING. One or Two of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Will Bring Relief—One Lady's Experience. Have you got dyspepsia? Do you feel tired and irritable? Are you low spirited and despondent? Does your stomach feel full? Are you troubled with sour stomach or gas accumulating on your stomach? Have you distressing pain after eating? If you are suffering from any of these symptoms it means that your stomach is out of order and needs attention—means that you need Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. They will add to your comfort, help you with your work, and make you enjoy your rest when that work is done. The proof of this lies in the testimony of those who have used them. Gustav V. Campbell, of Little Shippen, Gloucester Co., N.B., says: "I cannot say enough in favor of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. I suffered from dyspepsia for two months, and was always getting worse. One box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cured me completely. If you are troubled after eating carry a few tablets in your pocket, and you will always have sure relief at hand."

AMUSEMENTS. ACADEMY. Last 2 Performances To-day (Mat.) and Night. Forbes Robertson and Gertrude Elliott in "The Light That Failed." Next Week—Klaw & Erlanger will present JEROME SYKES THE BILLIONAIRE THE GREAT CAST INCLUDES HARRY MACDONOUGH L. B. FOLEY ANNEBELLE GORDON LILLIAN HUDSON HARRY FISHER ABRAHAM FRIDLAND HARRIS F. ROBERT RUTH PARSONS CARROLL MCCOMAS NELLIE FOLLIS JAMES GRANT HARRY KELLY JOHN STEPPING ADELE HUNTON JOSIE INTROPIDI MARTHA ROSS ONE HUNDRED IN THE CHORUS. Klaw & Erlanger's Special Orchestra. A. J. LANGSTAFF, Musical Director. Seats now on sale, 25c to \$1.50.

A.O.U.W. A MASS MEETING of the members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen WILL BE HELD IN THE VICTORIA RIFLES ARMOY, CATHOART STREET, ON Tuesday Evening, Oct. 20, 1903. PAST SUPREME MASTER WORKMAN W. WARNE WILSON, of Detroit, Mich., will deliver an address on the New England Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock. Every member of the Order is cordially invited to attend.

SOHMER PARK. Oct. 20th and 21st. GRAND CONCERTS In aid of East End Branch of the Montreal Diet Dispensary. Tickets. 25c. Reserved 50c.

Art Association PHILLIPS SQUARE. Advanced Art Classes—1903-'04. The Classes will resume on FRIDAY, October 16 under the direction of MR. WILLIAM BRYNNEIT, R.C.A. Two Scholarships for composition. Class rooms open daily for study. For particulars apply to the secretary.

ROYAL. Every Afternoon and Evening. THIS WEEK, OCTOBER 12th. THE BON-TON BURLESQUES. And a Famous Big Vaudeville Company. Prices 10c, 20c, and 30c. NEXT WEEK—Al. Reeves' Burlesques.

DANCING SCHOOL. A. Roy Macdonald, Jr., City Class. KARN HALL, 232 ST. CATHERINE ST. CLASSES—Beginners are taught by themselves, Monday and Thursday. Children 4, Adults 5 p.m. Advanced, Tuesdays and Fridays. Children 4, and Adults 5 p.m. Advanced are not allowed to interrupt beginners. Nervous or bashful people have nothing to fear.

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY. 48th Hallowe'en Concert WINDSOR HALL, OCTOBER 30th. ARTISTS: MISS TINA CRAWFORD, Contralto, Glasgow. MISS REBECCA MACKENZIE, Soprano, New York. MR. GEORGE NEIL, Tenor, Glasgow. MR. R. MACDONALD, Baritone, Toronto. MR. HARRY MUNRO, Humorist, Glasgow. MR. MACKENZIE MURDOCH, Violinist, Edinburgh. MR. LAWRENCE MURDOCH, Pianist, Edinburgh. MR. ANGLUS FRASER, Champion Dancer. MR. F. G. RIDDLE, Champion Juvenile Dancer. Plan of Hall and Tickets at Shaw's Music Store, St. Catherine Street, on and after the 22nd inst. W. C. McALLISTER, Hon. Sec.

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KONIGSBERG PIANO SCHOOL. Pupils are prepared and examined for the following institutions: Leobachitz, Vienna Conservatory, Leipzig, etc. PROFESSOR VON KONIGSBERG. (PUPIL OF LISZT) Studio, 287 St. Catherine St., Montreal.

THE MONTREAL CONSERVATORY of Music (Founded 1858, by Mr. C. E. Seifert), 928 and 940 Dorchester St., Westmount. Branch Victoria Hall Building, Westmount. All branches of Vocal and Instrumental Music and Elocution. Arrangements for lessons 5 to 9 p.m. daily at the Conservatory, 58 Dorchester Street. Mason & Risch Pianos used.

W. Raphael's Art Classes FOR DRAWING AND PAINTING. Will open on the 8th of October. For particulars, apply at his Studio, Alexandra Rooms, 204 St. Catherine Street.

Montreal Phonological Institute and SCHOOL OF PALMISTRY. Affiliated with Fowler's Institute, London, England. Hours, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Readings 50 cents to \$2.00. PROF. A. YOUNG, Principal. 2804 St. Catherine St.

ADVERTISING AND COMMERCIAL LAW. What do you know about them? Would a little more knowledge help you? Classes are being formed at the Y.M.C.A. for evening work. It will pay clerks to join. The cost is very little. Mr. Septimus Fraser, L. Mue. TEACHER OF FRANCOISE. Studio—51 Crescent Street. The Leobachitz method foundation in modern technique. Pupils prepared if desired for the exams. of the Dominion College.

Blair's Pills. Great English Remedy for Cough & Rheumatism. Sold by all Druggists. All Druggists should have it. Blair's Pills. Montreal.

HOUSE STILL BUSY ON THE ESTIMATES

Mill Street Paving Grant Passed—Dr. Reid is Alarmed Over Longue Pointe Rumors.

(Staff Correspondence of The Herald.) Ottawa, October 17.—Information for dollars, was the programme in the House yesterday. The Government was getting the dollars for the services of the country, and the Opposition insisting upon getting all sorts of information before it would consent to the money being passed.

Some of the information wanted was quite amusing. Dr. Reid, of Grenville, who comes to the House but once a week, wanted to know if there was any truth in the rumor that the Montreal Locomotive Works were to be given Government contracts at such a profitable rate that they will pay for their plant in two years.

Anchor Salvage Bill. The Canadian steamer Scotia, became disabled crossing to the Straits of Canoe from Liverpool. An Anchor line boat picked her up and towed her to Sydney and promptly claimed salvage. The Government was willing to give this boat the same treatment and the insurance men and some other interests insisted upon the exemption of the property of the Scotia from the damages assistance and a suit against the Anchor line lost and a legal point was cleared up. This having been done the House yesterday voted \$150,000 to pay the towage bill.

Ten thousand dollars was voted to pay for investigations into railway accidents. It works the railway commission will have charge of it in future and \$40,000 toward expenses of the Railway Commission which, with statutory allowances are expected to be \$100,000 a year.

Paving Mill Street. Some canal estimates passed and among them one for \$33,000 to pave Mill Street, Montreal. To-day the leader of the Opposition will try to make a little capital out of a fast Atlantic steamship resolution.

BROOKLYN BRIDGE VS. PRESIDENT OF STATES Grover Cleveland Says He Would Rather Have His Son Build Bridge Than Be President.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Grover Cleveland addressed the students of the Armour Institute Thursday. He said: "The opportunities to-day are greater than ever for boys to get an industrial education, and I would rather my own boy grew up able to build a great bridge like the Brooklyn bridge than to receive the highest honor that the people could confer upon him."

CANADIAN PATENT REPORT. Messrs. Fetherstonhaugh & Co., patent solicitors, Canada Life building, furnish the following list of patents granted to Canadians in the Dominion of Canada: J. Miller, seam dampener; A. H. Brintnell, advertising wagon; A. McNally, machine for forming hollow concrete blocks; G. Bruce, apparatus for printing and copying; J. Kinney, pocket knife.

VISIT TO LAFONTAINE CLUB. Mr. R. L. Borden and Mr. F. D. Monk, paid a visit yesterday afternoon to Lafontaine Club. The leaders were received by Hon. Louis Beaulieu, Messrs. Bergeron, ex-M.P., E. W. Villeneuve, George Bell, M.P., J. W. Emard, J. A. Labelle, R. Monty, and others. The directors are Hon. L. O. Tallon, president; Mr. F. J. Bisillon, vice-president; H. H. Lapierre, treasurer; Mr. C. P. Beaulieu, hon. secretary; Mr. E. W. Villeneuve, political secretary; Messrs. S. Beaudin, G. H. Bergeron, P. E. Grenouillet, J. Prevost, G. Lamothe, G. W. Ducharme, T. Brosseau, J. A. Labelle, Rodolphe Forget, J. N. Dupuis and Henri Musson.

RALLY FOR THE ENDEAVOURERS. A Christian Endeavour rally will be held next Thursday evening in Knox Presbyterian Church. Rev. W. D. Reid will report the work of the Christian Endeavour League Convention, and Mr. Peter A. Doug the Denver Convention. An interesting evening is expected. The programme will be varied with special.

AMONG THE MAIL. What a Railway Mail Clerk Found. Strange tales are told of what men in the U. S. railway mail service sometimes find.

There was one clerk, hungry and down-hearted, who found a food hint one night in the following way: "For months I suffered from chronic indigestion, impoverished blood and shattered nerves caused by the improper selection of food. Was in the habit of making a breakfast of coarse and starchy food accompanied by the free use of coffee, and these combined to almost shatter my digestive organs."

"I was employed in the Railway Mail service and assigned to duty on a night line where it was necessary to eat at irregular hours during the night. Everything I ate, no matter how light, not only failed to nourish, but distressed and disgusted me. I was reduced in weight from 150 to 122 pounds, my memory was fast falling and I was a nervous wreck unfit for duty, and discouraged by the fact that I could not get my stomach to give up its bad position."

"One night, when the world seemed darkest to me, I read among a sack of mail the words 'Grape-Nuts', and wondered if it was something good to eat. Arriving at the end of my run, I bought a package, and nothing ever tasted better. From that time I ate Grape-Nuts regularly and physically. I gained 12 pounds in two months on Grape-Nuts food and kept on steadily increasing my weight to 145 pounds."

"Grape-Nuts improved and steadied my brain and nerve powers so that I was able to pass my next examination with a good grade and soon got a promotion and was changed to a daylight run. There is no doubt in the world that I owe my advance in position and improved health to the proper food Grape-Nuts in place of improper foods."

Name given by Postum Co., 'Bottic Creek, Mich.' There was a reason. Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, 'The Road to Wellville.'

The S. CARSLY CO. Limited. Blankets and Bed Comforters. White Wool Blankets, with pink and blue borders, size 50 x 92 in. A really good line. Per pair \$2.80. All Wool White Blankets, size 50 x 92 in., lacy finish, desirable weight. Per pair \$3.45.

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Untrimmed Millinery Section. PRESENTS A STRONG AGGREGATION OF BARGAINS. Walking Hats, Telescope, Flops, Untrimmed Shapes and Trimmed Hats, fully 100 doz. in the combined lots—will receive first showing at 9 o'clock Monday morning and continue to be sold at the undermentioned low figures until the entire lots are disposed of.

The Biggest and Finest Range of Stylish Mantles. Bigger than anything we've previously shown, finer than anything that a day's travel will reveal. Ladies' 3/4 length fawn Zibeline Tweed Coat, shoulder cape, military collar with insets of green velvet, loose sleeve, turn over cuffs. 10.25.

Ladies' Costumes—Wide Range of Fashionable Features. Value comparisons always prove complimentary to The Big Store—one reason why we are continually inviting them. Misses' Snowflake gray and fawn Cloth Costumes, short fitted jacket with full front and capes, piped with felt, tailor made skirt, special. 16.50.

A Wonderfully Great Business in Furs. has been built up by making a practice of giving such values in fashionable numbers as the undernoted: NEW BLACK OPOSSUM TIES, extra wide shoulder cape, long front, 2 heads and 6 tails, lined with black satin. \$8.00.

Towels, Towelling and Bath Mats. White Terry Lavatory Towels, red stripes, with string for hanging up. Words "Lavatory Towel" woven in centre. Each 12c. Fancy Turkish Towelling, with drab and red stripes. Various degrees of quality. Per yard 8c. Terry Bath Mats, in drab and white, blue and drab, and red and drab, different sizes and qualities. Each 79c.

Flannel Blouses with Latest Style Touches. Satisfaction is depicted on the countenance of every purchaser who makes selections from these stocks: LADIES' FANCY FRENCH FLANNEL BLOUSES, very pretty style, square yoke, trimmed with white satin piping, fine tucks in the front, 3 clusters of tucks in the back, fancy collar, newest sleeves, fancy buttons. Colors sky, cardinal and black. \$3.40.

Dainty Color Effects in Newest Silks, as well as the Recent Weaves in Black and White. COLORED FRENCH TAFFETA SILK (all pure silk), in every possible color that is likely to be called for. Per yard 59c. ALEXANDRIA SILK, one of the newest weaves, the latest shades of gray, green, royal, drab, brown and castor to select from. Per yard \$1.30.

Flannelette and Cotton Dusters. Yellow Flannelette Dusters. Each 5c. Check Flannelette Dusters. Each 6c. Check Cotton Dusters. Each 8c. Grocery Specials For Monday. Finest Creamery Butter, per lb. 22c. 23 lbs. Redpat's Sugar 97c. 4 lbs. Hungarian Flour 23c. 3 lbs. Corn 25c. Home Made Marmalade, 1 lb. pots. 69c. Shredded Wheat Biscuits, or Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour 12c.

The Dress Goods Assortment Includes every New Fabric. Select while the stocks present an unbroken assortment; always greater satisfaction in the purchase made from a full range. FANCY HOMESPUN, 56 in. wide, in the newest colorings, both light and dark effects, extra quality. Per yard 69c. NEW BASKET CLOTH SUITING, 56 in. wide, in brown, royal and black, with plain dots. Per yard 80c.

No Shoe at the Price. \$3.00 pair, so comfortable, so durable. Restaurant on 5th Floor. Light refreshments or full meals can be obtained at reasonable rates. Open from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

This List May Call Some Need to Mind. Oyster Knives 24c. Coat Buttons 12c. Coat Buttons 12c. Ready Mixed Paint 9c. Oil Stoves 45c. Decorated Plates 21c. Decorated Cups and Saucers 6c. Toilet Jugs and Basins 30c. China Spoons 21c. Gas Portable Lamps \$1.00.

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RABBI LANDMAN IS NOT MUCH PLEASED. Attempt to Convert Jews to Christianity, He Says, is Antagonistic Labor.

MILLINERY BARGAINS. One of the latest achievements of the Millinery Buyer of The S. Carsley Co., Limited, was to secure about 100 dozen Hats of various descriptions, for Misses' and Ladies' Walking Hats, Telescopes, Flops, Untrimmed Shapes and Trimmed Hats. These were secured at such advantageous figures that Monday the company will divide them into two lots, and sell the 50 doz. for 25c; the balance at 40c. See particulars in advertisement appearing in another column.—adv.

NONE NAME US BUT TO PRAISE. For the merits of our Hats are many. Aside from all substantial qualities possessed by all good Hats, our lines all have an individuality of grace and outline which is the true stamp of quality.

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AUTOMOBILE GARAGE. All kinds of motor vehicles, gasoline, steam and electric runabouts, touring cars, delivery wagons, trucks from the best American and French manufacturers at lowest prices. Storage and care of automobiles. Repairs and supplies. Experienced French engineer, chauffeurs and mechanics attached to the establishment. 1780 Notre Dame Street, Montreal.

ROYAL STORES BEQUEST FOR MASSES BELONGS TO THE PRIEST. U.S. Court Decides that Performance of the Masses is a Duty of the Clergyman Alone.

REPORT FOR INSANE ASYLUM. The medical superintendent's report at the Protestant Hospital for the Insane for the week ended Oct. 3 shows: Admissions, 10; discharged cured, 10; discharged on trial, 3; deaths, 3. The visiting governors for next week are Messrs. J. B. Learmont, W. M. Birks, F. W. Evans and Mrs. J. H. R. Moisson.

Talking to Pussy About DIAMOND DYES. "Mamma and I have just dyed two faded dresses and a jacket with Diamond Dyes, and they look as good as new. Mamma says the Diamond Dyes are always reliable and true."

BEAUTIFUL Suburban Residences. Terms to Suit. MONEY TO LOAN. FRANK E. DONOVAN, Room 225 Temple Building, Tel. Main 2091.

SPeyer & Co. AGREE. The banking firm of Speyer & Co. has informed the reorganization committee of the Consolidated Lake Superior Company's affairs that they will agree to a reasonable postponement of the sale of the assets of the company, even 60 days, provided the properties are turned over to the charge of Receiver Brackethal in Philadelphia, who was appointed receiver at their instance.

BRITISH WEST INDIES TRADE. Mr. W. Murray, representative in this city of the Imperial Department of Agriculture for the British West Indies, has published a report showing that recent harvests there of Canadian flours have been disappointing. Regarding the Barbadoes molasses trade, figures have been obtained showing that for 1903 up to date only 17,000 puncheons of molasses have come to Canada, as against 31,758 puncheons for 1902. This is a marked decrease. Montreal last year imported 11,831 puncheons, but only 1,382 puncheons this year.

Suburban Cottage. With 82,000 feet of land, prettily situated in the new West End Suburb, KENSINGTON. Will be sold at a great bargain. Only \$1,000 cash required. FRANK E. DONOVAN, ROOM 225 TEMPLE BUILDING.

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Wedding and Birthday Gifts. Our stock of BEAUTIFUL NEW GOODS is the finest we have ever imported. IN FANCY CHINAWARE, RICHLY DECORATED PLATES, FRUIT BOWLS, BON BONS, ETC., HANDSOME MANTEL AND CABINET ORNAMENTS. Something novel in the NEW ITALIAN POTTERY, such as large baskets decorated with fruit, flowers, etc. Fancy Vases, Flower Stands, etc. Prices from 40c to \$8.00. G. W. CLARKE & CO., Direct Importers, 977 St. Catherine Street.

VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES. The month of September was a busy time for the Victorian Order of Nurses, the following report will show: Total number of cases, 1,135; new cases, 98; medical cases, 34; surgical, 3; obstetric, 62; gynecological, 6; chronic, 3; night duty, 18; visits paid to Point St. Charles, 135; to St. Henry, 131; and Montreal Annex, 117.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

(Advertising Rates — Birth Notices, 5c; Marriage Notices, 50c; Death Notices, 5c.)

BIRTHS. GLEMETT — At Hawkesbury, Oct. 15th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Medard Glemett. MCMILLAN — At Halifax, Oct. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McMillan, a daughter.

MARRIAGES. LOUKS-GRAHAM — On Oct. 14, 1903, at the residence of the bride's father, Lavigne, Que., by the Rev. R. H. Whitte, Geo. S. Louks, only son of T. O. Louks, of this city, to Bertha Graham, eldest daughter of Wm. Graham.

DUNPHY-WRIGHT — At Vernon River, P.E.I., Albert Dunphy and Mary Wright, daughter of the late John Wright, Cherry Valley. PAYNE-DECOISTE — At Charlottetown, P.E.I., Frank Higgins Payne and Annie Decoiste.

LYNCH-DOCHERTY — At Charlottetown, P.E.I., Oct. 15, Thomas Lynch, St. Therese, and Hannah Docherty. MAUSLAND-HARDY — At Caspeum, P.E.I., Oct. 7, Sarah A. C. Hardy to Arthur F. C. Mausland.

RYAN-JERVAIS — At Marston, Ont., Oct. 6, Mrs. Jervais to Thomas Ryan. BERRY-MCDONALD — At Scotaburn, N.S., on Oct. 6, Clarence A. Berry, Six Mile Brook, to Margaret McDonald, Green Hill.

YOUNG-FRASER — At Halifax, Oct. 1, Milton R. Young, M.D., to Margaret, daughter of the late Kenneth Fraser, Millville. ADAMS-MILNE — At Scotaburn, Oct. 7, Alonzo Adams, Plainfield, to Jessie B. Milne, Boston, Mass.

SHEARER-WATHERSTON — At Huntingdon, Oct. 11, John Bryce Shearer, of Bethel, to Agnes E., daughter of Mr. John Waterston. BAILLIE-HALL — At Earltown, Colchester, Oct. 6, George Hall, of the Falls, and Beale, daughter of Angus Baillie.

DEATHS IN THE CITY. EVANS — On Friday morning, Oct. 16th, 1903, Mayo Stewart Bethune, beloved wife of Deao Evans, in the 54th year of her age. Funeral from her late residence, 301 Essex Avenue, to St. Stephen's Church, on Monday, October 19th, at half-past two o'clock. MARCHALL — At his late residence, 403 Dorchester Street, at 10 o'clock, on the morning of Friday, October 16th, 1903, James Marchall, aged 69 years. Funeral private.

DEATHS ELSEWHERE. HOGAN — At Halifax, Oct. 13th, Mrs. Ann Hogan, aged 80 years. ESTIANO — At Halifax, Oct. 14, Edgar Estiano, son of the late Wm. Estiano, aged 67 years.

CURRIE — At Sherbrooke, N.E., Oct. 12, Sarah, aged 67, widow of Richard Currie. MANNY — At Beausaburo, Oct. 7, Luce Besette, widow of Nicholas Manny, aged 85 years.

BOURCIER — At Chateaugay Basin, Oct. 5, Mrs. T. Bourcier, aged 64 years. BANGS — At West Hawkesbury, Oct. 4, James Bangs.

MATTE — At Toronto, Ont., Oct. 11th, Nov. Mateo, of Yackville Hill, aged 67 years. COOK — On Deer Island, N.B., Sept. 21, Catherine, widow of William Cook, aged 60 years.

DEWAR — At Pomeroy Ridge, N.B., Oct. 12th, Robert Dewar, aged 60 years. LOSTART — At St. Andrew's, N.B., Oct. 12th, Mrs. Louisa, aged 72 years.

PARKE — At Rolling Dam, N.B., Oct. 4, Hugh Parke, aged 64 years. THOMAS — At St. John's, N.B., Oct. 11, Mary Ann, widow of the late James T. Thomas.

SHERR — At Halifax, William son of Philip and Mary A. Sherr, aged 4 years. MCGRATH — At Halifax, Oct. 3, Nellie, aged 23 years, daughter of Frank and Rose McGrath.

KEHELER — At Whitney Pier, C.B., Oct. 14, Francis Mayley son of Michael and Catherine Keheeler, aged 1 year, 3 months and 1 day. HOOPER — In Rosedale, Oct. 13th, Edward Hooper, aged 4 years.

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DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE PRESIDENT OF THE NEW FREE FOOD LEAGUE

League Claims to be for Free Food Only, But the Duke is Afraid it is Strongly Anti-Balfour and Makes Condition.

London, Oct. 17.—The Duke of Devonshire, late Lord President of the Council, has conditionally accepted the presidency of the Free Food League, which is organizing a campaign against the fiscal policy of Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Balfour.

The substance of the Duke's letter follows: "You informed me when we last met that the wish had been expressed that I join the league and take a leading part in its operations."

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CANADIAN COMPANY HAS SHIPPED BOUNTY STEEL

At Least That is What the U.S. Makers are Kicking About to the Government.

Washington, D.C., October 17.—Complaint has been made to the United States Treasury Department that the Dominion Iron and Steel Company of Canada has been exporting bounty paid steel into the United States.

NEW ZEALAND TO AID NAVY

Wellington, N.Z., October 17.—A naval defence bill has been introduced in the New Zealand Parliament which provides an appropriation of £40,000 towards the maintenance of the Australian squadron.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

In Stanley Hall, Stanley and St. Catherine Streets, Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. J. C. Kunzmann, D.D., the superintendent of Lutheran Missions, will be present.

DINNER AT REFORM CLUB

To-night the Reform Club will tender a complimentary dinner to the two new Ministers in the Provincial Cabinet, Hon. Messrs. McCrellin and Weir.

WELCOME NEWS AT THIS SEASON.

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You cannot gather figs from thistles! The size of our business affords payment of large salaries to a very few men who are expert-artistic tailors.

We are about the only house in Canada who pay salaries equal to the best American tailoring establishments.

Consequently we get something more than merely well-made clothes—we get expression—style—that individuality which marks "Semi-Ready" as equal to the best custom tailoring on the continent.

We make suits to the "trying-on" stage only—where you can pre-judge their effect on your own form before you risk a cent.

These suits can be finished to order in two hours after selecting.

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ROUGH RIDERS TO PROFIT BY THE JOLT THEY GOT

Ottawa, Ont., October 17.—(Special.)—The defeat of the Rough Riders by Montreal was an unpleasant surprise which is going to arouse the management of the club to greater effort. President McGivern, who had charge of the coaching of the team last year, which went undefeated to the Rugby championship of Canada, has not been giving the team his attention all so far this year. He stated this morning that he is now going out with the men from this on. He intends to induce three more men to come out and is confident that with the team thus strengthened no combination in Canada can beat them on the football field. It is quite evident the Rough Riders are not going to give up the championship without a struggle.

BRITS PLAY COLLEGE TO-DAY.

The Local Team Can Always Be Depended Upon to Put Up Stiff Fight.

Ottawa College play Britannia on the Baseball Park here to-day, and while no one expects to see the visitors lose, still Brits can be depended upon to put up the bluckest kind of a fight.

There is no question but that the Brits have been playing in the hardest kind of luck this year. They lost some of their star men, and would have lost any team, in their very first match, and the yellow dog has persistently sniped after them ever since. Nobody can say, however, that there is the slightest sign of the yellow streak in them, and where another team would perhaps drop out of the league, they have simply grit their teeth and determined to fight it out to the bitter end and play for every ounce that is in them. It is to such spirit as this that every true lover of the sport takes of his hat, and before which Fortune must turn her frown into a smile.

Getting Into Shape.

The football team of Bishop's, under the care of Capt. T. Donnelly, B.A., is getting into good condition for the coming matches.

Dr. Freyebien, having been granted a three months' furlough by his Government, the Imperial German consul for Canada, Mr. F. Boyr, has just arrived in Montreal, and will be in charge of the Imperial and Royal Austro-Hungarian consuls-general during Mr. Freyebien's absence. The business of the Austro-Hungarian consuls-general will be transacted as before at 1011 Sherbrooke street.

McGill and Varsity.

Varsity will be represented by the following in their game against McGill to-day:

Back, Louis; halves, Baldwin, Beatty, McPherson; quarter, Biggs; scrummen, Barwell, Johnston, Burnham; inside wings, Pearson, Davidson; middle wings, Hovles, Bonnell; outside wings, Young, Jermyn; spares, Reynolds, Sperry and Overend.

Following are the players composing McGill's team:

Back, Gantner; halves, Hamilton, Sutherland, Zimmerman; quarter, McCollum; scrummen, Davidson, McPeck, Slightman; wings, Graham, Mohr, Morrison, Neale, Stephens, Hammond.

Authorities of Queen's University, will referee.

A Drubbing for Beland.

Peterborough, Ont., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—A 100 yards sprint between Knox of Orillia and Beland of Peterborough was witnessed by some 250 persons, and resulted in the local runner being badly beaten, Knox touching the tape some five yards ahead of Beland, his time being 19 seconds. It is estimated that \$2,000 changed hands.

The Championship Match.

The annual 50-shot club championship match was shot off on the revolver range at the M.A.A. grounds at Westmount yesterday morning under most favorable weather conditions. Although no 10-shot records were broken, the winner made the largest aggregate score yet made under the same conditions, and for the present the club accounts 200 points as the record for fifty consecutive shots at 25 yards.

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M'GILL WENT DOWN TO DEFEAT BEFORE 'VARSITY YESTERDAY

Four Records Were Broken at the Intercollegiate Meet—Varsity Succeeded in Winning Every Track Event on the Card.

Toronto Varsity on the intercollegiate championship yesterday, defeating McGill by 22 points. The scores at the end of the games stood: Varsity 65, McGill 43.

The fifth annual championship intercollegiate meeting was rather a disappointment, that is to McGill at least. Everybody who had seen the college sports last Monday picked McGill as a sure winner, and great was their surprise when the local students lost.

Four records were broken at the games yesterday. Ryan, of McGill, broke the broad jump record by almost a foot. Ogilvie, from whom there are few better men in the business, again distinguished himself by throwing the 16-lb. hammer over three feet further than the previous record. In putting the 16-lb. shot, Giddings, of Toronto, made a new record of 37 ft. 10 1/4 in., and in the 120 yards hurdle Guey, of Toronto, clipped a second off the rec-

W. P. Ogilvie, McGill, 37 ft. 5 1/4 in. 2
H. Gillies, Toronto, 37 ft. 1 in. 2
Record, 35 ft. 3 1/4 in.

Throwing the discus—37 ft. 1 1/4 in. 1
W. P. Ogilvie, McGill, 37 ft. 1 1/4 in. 1
H. Gillies, Toronto, 34 ft. 7 1/2 in. 2
H. Giddings, Toronto, 34 ft. 7 in. 2
Record, 110 ft. 5 in.

The officials were as follows:
Referee—Ed. Sheppard.
Judges—Track events, W. B. T. Macaulay, J. P. Craig, W. R. M. Parsons and G. Gorman; field events, L. H. Boyd, C. M. Cameron, F. L. Tees and T. P. Montague.
R Scorers—Dr. F. S. Patch and L. L. Stanger—W. G. Robertson.
Timekeepers—Dr. D. D. McTaggart, Prof. C. H. McLeod and E. Herbert Brown.
Clerks of the Course—Ernest M. Henderson and R. O. McMurtry.
Announcer—E. M. McDougall.

DAN PATCH FIGURES IN MORE RECORD-BREAKING

Four Thousand People Saw the Great Pacer Clip Two Seconds Off World's Pacing Record to Waggon.

Lexington, Ky., October 17.—Dan Patch, 159, broke the world's pacing record in an exhibition mile here yesterday, and came within a half second of equalling his own sulky record. The previous pacing record, to waggon was 2:02.20, made by Little Boy on the Memphis track. Dan Patch clipped two full seconds off this record, and went the mile in 1:59 1/2. Patch was accompanied by his round by Hudson and Maguire. His time by quarters was .30 1/4, .59 1/2, 1:29, 1:59 1/2. His third quarter was made in 29 1/2 seconds. The race was fast, and the weather conditions were perfect. Four thousand persons saw the record broken, and cheered driver McHenry lustily as he went under the wire. The meeting came to a close today.



MR. W. P. OGILVIE, Who broke the record for the 16 lb. hammer throw at the intercollegiate sports yesterday.

ord previously made by Morrow, doing it in 17 1/5 sec.

It was in the track events that Varsity shone, in fact they won each and every one of the races. It is putting it mildly to say that this was very unexpected. Morrow—the great Morrow, the speedy, and on whom McGill had pinned their hopes—was in decidedly bad shape, and in exceedingly hard luck. As he himself expressed it, he was "stiff to the bone." In the 100 yards run he was beaten at the tape. In the 220 yards he had the race well in hand, and looked like a sure winner when Gurney, of Toronto, put on a terrific spurt, and won by the skin of his teeth.

But the most heart-breaking event of the lot was the 440. In this race Morrow led from the very start and kept well ahead. He tore down the home stretch like a whirlwind, and it seemed as if he would win by about a yard at least, when, once more, Gurney put on a terrific spurt, and won by the skin of his teeth.

In Gurney Varsity certainly has a mighty fast runner. He won every race in which he was entered, although it is quite possible he would not have done this had Morrow been in good condition.

McGill showed up better than Varsity in the field events, winning the broad and high jumps, besides putting the 16-lb. shot and throwing the discus further than the visiting team did. The pole vault, which was an extremely long drawn out and tiresome affair, was won by Warriner, of Toronto, that rick, who came third in this as well as in the high jump, did some very good work yesterday. The time made in the different events was rather slow, and the attendance was somewhat light, and the enthusiasm seemed at a low ebb. The "freshies" were about the only ones that had any life in them, and even they were quieter than is their wont. They didn't miss anything that was going on, however, and never forgot to cheer lustily every time a McGill man distinguished himself in any way, and neither did they forget to shout whenever a man wearing Varsity colors did a good piece of work.

It grew quite dark before the programme was over, and the discus was thrown by electric light. The team race was called off owing to the darkness. Following are the results:

- 100 yards—E. Gurney, Toronto, 17 1/5 in. 1
W. Morrow, McGill, 17 1/2 in. 2
W. Worthington, Toronto, 17 3/4 in. 3
Time, 17 1/5. Record, 16 2/5.
- 220 yards—E. Gurney, Toronto, 36 1/2 in. 1
H. Gurney, Toronto, 37 in. 2
W. Worthington, Toronto, 37 1/2 in. 3
Time, 44 1/2. Record, 42 1/2.
- 440 yards—E. Gurney, Toronto, 1:11 1/2 in. 1
J. D. Morrow, McGill, 1:12 1/2 in. 2
Time, 22 1/5. Record, 22 1/5.
- 880 yards—E. Gurney, Toronto, 2:24 1/2 in. 1
J. D. Morrow, McGill, 2:25 1/2 in. 2
G. M. Gibson, McGill, 2:26 1/2 in. 3
Time, 51 1/5. Record, 50 2/5.
- 1 mile—W. F. Sheppard, Toronto, 4:58 1/2 in. 1
A. W. Lochead, McGill, 4:59 1/2 in. 2
I. S. Parry, Toronto, 5:00 1/2 in. 3
Time, 2:09. Record, 2:05 1/4.
- One mile—W. F. Sheppard, Toronto, 10:00 in. 1
A. W. Lochead, McGill, 10:01 in. 2
J. D. Morrow, Toronto, 10:02 in. 3
Time, 4:49 1/5. Record, 4:39 3/5.
- 120 yards hurdles—W. Worthington, Toronto, 1:45 in. 1
O. S. Warriner, McGill, 1:46 in. 2
J. C. Moore, Toronto, 1:47 in. 3
Time, 17 1/5. Record, 17 2/5.
- Broad jump—E. J. Ryan, McGill, 21 ft. 8 1/4 in. 1
W. Worthington, Toronto, 21 ft. 1 1/2 in. 2
W. Currie, Toronto, 20 ft. 2 in. 3
High jump—G. T. Brown, McGill, 5 ft. 4 1/4 in. 1
H. Edwards, Toronto, 5 ft. 4 in. 2
F. S. Patrick, McGill, 5 ft. 3 1/2 in. 3
Record, 5 ft. 5 1/4 in.
- Pole high jump—F. E. Warriner, Toronto, 8 ft. 11 in. 1
F. McLeod, Toronto, 8 ft. 10 in. 2
F. Patrick, McGill, 8 ft. 9 in. 3
Record, 9 ft. 7 in.
- 16 lb. hammer—W. P. Ogilvie, McGill, 37 ft. 5 1/4 in. 1
H. Giddings, Toronto, 34 ft. 7 1/2 in. 2
G. J. McIntosh, McGill, 33 ft. 3/4 in. 3
Record, 105 ft. 7 in.
- 16 lb. shot—H. Giddings, 37 ft. 10 1/4 in. 1

ONLY ONE FAVORITE WON.

Public Hit at Brighton Beach Yesterday—Nothing Noteworthy Happened.

New York, Oct. 17.—The racing at Brighton Beach yesterday was ordinary. The public had a very bad day, as only one favorite won in the handicap at 1 1/8 miles, was practically left at the post, although she ran a good race and finished third. Summary:

- First race, 5 furlongs, 8 to 1. Time, 1:04. Outcome, 6 to 1, Bobadil, 9 to 5. Time, 1:14.
- Second race, handicap, 1 1/4 miles—Graham, 3 to 1; Burch, 11 to 5; Tribes Hill, 14 to 5. Time, 1:47 1/5.
- Third race, selling, 6 furlongs—Tot San, 4 to 1; Golden Drop, 16 to 5; Joe, 50 to 1. Time, 1:12 1/2.
- Fourth race, handicap, 1 1/2 miles—River Pirate, 3 to 1; Junction, 13 to 1; Stolen Moments, 14 to 5. Time, 2:02 1/2.
- Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Duelist, 15 to 1; Van Ness, 12 to 1; Blackfoot, 11 to 10. Time, 1:13 1/2.
- Sixth race, 1 1/4 miles—Sabot, 5 to 1; Peep, 17 to 1; Erie, 4 to 1. Time, 1:47 1/5.

Notes.

Certain parts of the work of Belmont and laying the new \$1,000,000 Belmont Park race course, at Hempstead, L.I., were reported suspended on Saturday. No explanation was given by the contractors, who are required to let laborers go. No one seems to know the reason, but to-day apprehensive rumors are afloat in effect that the great new racing plant will not be completed, and, further, that August Belmont's enthusiasm over its projection has suffered a decided cooling, all of which is attributed to the same causes which inspired the vice-chairman of the Jockey Club to withdraw temporarily from the arena of active racing.

Howard Willet's world's champion high jump record of 7 feet 9 1/2 inches, is to be sent to Europe this fall. Mr. Willet has for some time been requested to send this record to the United States, and he has finally arranged a tour which will include England, Ireland, France and Belgium. In every country he gathers a large number of admirers, and he is expected to break his record. In Belgium there is an offer of \$2,000 for Heatherblom to make a record-making attempt.

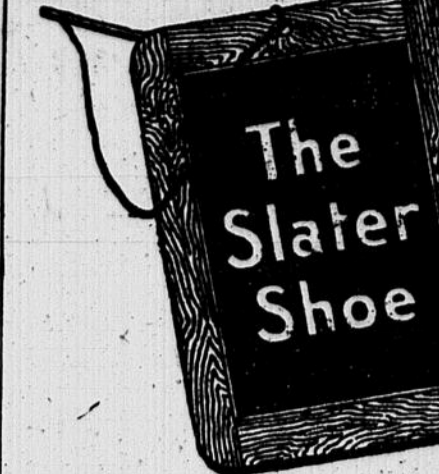
MAT AND RING

Young Corbett's Poor Showing. Philadelphia, Oct. 17.—Young Corbett's showing against Kid Stein, of this city, at the National Athletic Club was very disappointing to the big crowd that assembled to witness the bout. The champion was in no condition to do himself justice, being hoarse, fat, and his movements were very slow as compared with his other bouts in this city. Corbett tried his best to rattle Stein, and went so far as to drop his hands in the sixth round and ask Stein to come to him just once.

Will Meet English Champion. New York, Oct. 17.—Champion Young Corbett and Ben Jordan, the English featherweight champion, have been matched to meet in a battle for the world's featherweight championship. Articles of agreement were signed yesterday.

The fight will take place before the Hayes Valley Athletic Club of San Francisco about the middle of December, and will be limited to twenty rounds.

The fighters have agreed to post forfeits of \$2,500 each. The weight agreed upon is 126 lbs. at 3 o'clock on the day of the contest.



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Day With Montreal Fox Hounds

This popular sporting pack met at Isle Bizard Thursday morning, at 11 o'clock. A special hunting train left the Grand Trunk station at 9:30 o'clock, proceeding by way of Pointe Claire. The morning was a bright one, and the large exodus from Montreal, most of whom were in pink, presented an imposing spectacle on the platform. Hounds and horses were also on the platform. Arriving at Pointe Claire the hounds were sent on the floor, to the fixtures, five miles distant.

The writer and a friend were conveyed to the tryet in a carriage provided by the Hunt Club. Passing along by Lake Genevieve and through magnificent scenery, full of fruit and flowers, here and there a village, similar in character to the Old Country, and hounds were hailed with delight by the inhabitants.

The nineteen couples in the care of the popular Master, with two whips, were thrown in at Mr. Monk's covers at the west end of Isle Bizard, where they found just in front of the first fence. In consequence of the long spell of drought, scent was poor and fitful, but, by any means, holding. The Master then lifted the hounds to the Genevieve covers, which, true to tradition, always provides the game.

A fine old dog fox gave the hounds a fine time through the woods to the complete circle, he took refuge in a huge pile of stones from which it was impossible to dislodge him. After this unfortunate contretemps, and the day prudent to try further, so the Master made for Pointe Claire, where hounds captured lunch which provided in the saloon cars by the Hunt Club, which is beautifully done in every detail.

In point of fact this is the best pack being car driven it was deemed imprudent to go to the other end of the hounds in Canada. The kennels are entertaining 42 couples of working hounds. Some of the entered hounds come from Lord Middleton's and several couples from Kildare.

The M. F. H. is Mr. Charles McEachern, who has presided over the hunt for the past few years. Major Hooper, the ex-M.F.H., was also with us. Those hounds have had many good days this season at their home country. The hunting is continued with animation throughout the months of October and November until frost and snow set in when, of course, this branch of the hunt is abandoned. Last year this pack accounted for ten brace of foxes, saying nothing of the wily members who entered earth or in divers ways baffled the hounds.

MEMBERS OF NEW BRITISH CABINET ARE A SPORTY LOT

They Are Easily the Best Aggregation of Amateur Sportsmen That Ever Gathered Around the Council Table.

The new British Cabinet is not only the youngest ministry which has ever ruled over the destinies of Great Britain and Ireland, it is also the best aggregation of amateur sportsmen ever gathered around the council table. Here is the list of the sporting records of the new Cabinet:

lover of Canadian winter sports during his term as Governor-General. He was patron of the Montreal winter carnivals, and took a personal delight in both snowshoeing and tobogganing. Mr. Arnold Foster, Secretary for War, is an ardent and an ardent amateur yachtsman.

Mr. Alfred Lyttelton, Colonial Secretary—Amateur tennis champion of England, from 1882 to 1888. Captained both the Eton and Cambridge cricket elevens. Represented Cambridge in cricket, football, tennis, racquets and athletic sports. Played for England in cricket and football, both at home and in the colonies.

Mr. St. John Brodrick, Secretary for India, has been both at Eton and Oxford and patron of the Guildford, Surrey, Cricket Club.

Mr. George Wyndham, Secretary for Ireland—A keen foxhunter and an enthusiastic cyclist.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer—Once a crack football player at Rugby, and afterwards a cricketer at Cambridge, where also he sometimes pulled an oar for Trinity College.

Mr. Andrew Graham Murray, Secretary for Scotland—An enthusiastic golfer. Captain of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club in 1892, and of the Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers in 1894. Also racquets champion at Harrow in 1888.

Mr. Gerald W. Balfour, President of the Board of Trade—A devotee of the gun, an enthusiastic golfer and an ardent cyclist.

Mr. W. H. Long, President of the Local Government Board—A well known cricketer and a passionate follower of the hounds.

Lord Londonderry, President of the Board of Education—In his younger days a crack cricketer, and now a noted motorist.

Lord Stanley, Postmaster-General—A member of the Jockey Club and a devoted follower of the turf. A cricketer of no mean calibre, as those who knew him at Ottawa when he was A. D.C., to his father during his term as Governor-General, in 1888-1891 will remember. Also a skater of unusual skill.

The Earl of Onslow, President of the Board of Agriculture—A well known huntsman and once a cricketer. He took an active interest in all sports when Governor of New Zealand.

MONSTER PHOTOGRAPH SHOWS ZION IN DETAIL

It Is 25 Feet by 8 Feet and Shows Every House and Every Tree.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—A photograph eight feet high by twenty-five feet long has been finished in this city for use as a Madison Square Garden, New York. The picture, which is said to be the largest photograph on record, shows Zion City, presenting every house street and tree in the radius of two square miles. In the foreground are the dwellings, and in the distance the tabernacle, hotel and storage houses. It is said to have required an especially constructed tower 161 feet high to take the view.

Pearl Pendants

There is nothing that looks neater, shows better, or is more fashionable than a pearl brooch pendant. We are showing some very neat and original designs, which have been much appreciated. Prices are moderate. We mention a few:

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BROKERS INDIGNANT OVER THE RUMORS OF FAILURES

And Would Like Very Much to Know the Name of the Genius Who Started Them—An Investigation Was Talked of.

There is a great deal of indignation among the members of the Montreal Exchange over the rumors that have been current this week concerning the stability of several local houses.

Some of the members are discussing the matter in pretty plain language, and have advised a complete investigation of the rumors to endeavor if possible to locate the genius who started them.

There is no doubt but that these rumors did an immense amount of damage this week, and the London and Wall Street exchanges have been the intelligence that there was a "trouble in Montreal."

With the markets in critical shape and the story of trouble here starting a particular attack upon Canadian stocks and it was only through the timely appearance of reassuring telegrams from high sources in Montreal that the outsiders were at last convinced that the brokers here were all right.

Rumors of this kind are particularly destructive just now for the reason that they were heard in Toronto and New York in the early part of June and were followed by the "Tobacco and the Talbot J. Taylor affair and many others."

"Where there is smoke, there is sure to be fire," is one of the sayings frequently quoted on the "Street," and these are the days when almost any prediction of disaster is liable to find believers.

At all events Wall Street worked the Montreal rumors for all they were worth, and made a drive at Canadian stocks with the hope of uncovering the supposed weakness.

The question of investigating rumors of this kind is always a difficult one, and one which has, from time to time, been heard of in connection with similar occasions, has seldom resulted particularly satisfactory.

The members of the Montreal Exchange are particularly interested to know who first started the rumors and wired them to New York.

Swift and sudden punishment is promised for the offender, but he will probably remain unknown.

There are so many private wires connecting Montreal and New York that a message could be sent to any one of them with comparative safety, unless an operator chose to reveal things, and this is not likely.

The matter will probably be dropped without any general attempt to unearth the offender, but some of the members of the Exchange are loath to let it fall through so easily.

Many of the rumors sent out were so extremely ridiculous that they created no little hilarity among people who were familiar with the standards of the firms in question, but the joke ceased when it was felt that "pipes" would be swallowed by thousands who were not so familiar with them.

MONEY RATES

Table with columns for location (Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia, Baltimore, London, etc.) and rates (Call money, 5 1/2 per cent, etc.).

IRON POOL BREAKS

Partly as a result of the break-up of the Southern iron pool, the price of No. 1 Northern pig iron was reduced about 50 cents to \$15 to \$15.50, as against \$16 to \$17 yesterday.

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Returns of pig iron production in the United States as of October 1, show decrease in weekly output of 7,109 tons. Compared with the output of the corresponding week of 1907, the decrease is 59,928 tons from August, but increase of 109,283 over September, 1907.

Table showing Gross Tons for various months from October 1903 to September 1908, with highest and lowest years noted.

Furnace stocks of iron on hand, sold and unsold, make the following comparisons on the first of each of a series of months:

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Production for the full month of September, from figures of the Iron Age, stated by important sections of the country, is as follows: August, 1908, and with September, 1907, as follows:

Table comparing production for August and September 1908 with August and September 1907.

The City Pulpits and Who Will Fill Them To-Morrow

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON IV—OCTOBER 25. DAVID'S JOY OVER FORGIVENESS.—Psa. 52 (Read Romans, chapters 4 and 5.)

Golden Text.—Blessed is whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.—Psa. 52, 1.

METHODS AND PLANS FOR TEACHING. The "Experience" Found in this Psalm: "I, a consciousness of transgression, sin, and guilt, 2. A desire to confess these and the consequent sorrow and pain, 3. Confession or acknowledgment of sin, 4. Forgiveness and reconciliation, 5. The mercy of the penitent sinner who trusts in God, 6. The activity of the truly converted in leading others to God, 7. The sense of joy resulting from faith in God and activity in His service."

The Story of a Forgiven Sinner. 1. His sin. Explain terms used. 2. His discipline, punishment, and treatment which led to his repentance. 3. His confession, whole-hearted, complete. 4. His forgiveness, immediate. 5. His blessedness: (1) He is delivered from bondage; (2) He receives when salvation came; (3) He receives instruction and guidance—what a privilege to have such a teacher; (4) He is surrounded by the grace of God; (5) He possesses joy; the past is forgiven; God is his friend; his conscience is at ease; the future cannot alarm.

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ST. THOMAS CHURCH, WINDFORD PARK, CORNER DORCHESTER STREET AND WATER AVENUE. The Very Rev. Dean Evans, D.D., rector; Rev. W. D. Reid, D.D., Vicar; Rev. J. C. P. Rupp, M.A., assistant—8 a.m., Holy Communion, 11 a.m., Sunday school, 7 p.m., Evening prayer at 7 o'clock. Daily music will be repeated in the evening.

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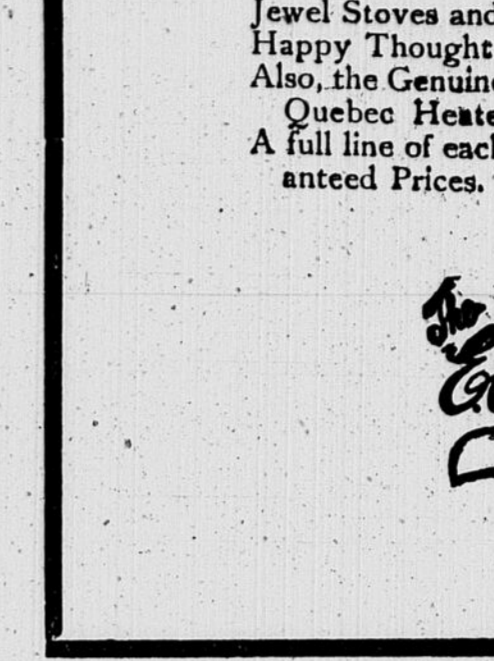
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Yes, and a sumptuous feast will meet your gaze at every turn—That's what makes it so difficult even to attempt to describe the almost innumerable novelties sent us from Fashion's treasure-houses. We tell you of a few interesting wares in this page which will bear the closest inspection—A boon we ask—examine carefully for yourselves and judge impartially.

Scroggie's

Children's Tams and Blouse Suits

Don't let it be thought that we are not looking after the little fellows. We have a very fine line of Tams and Suits that it is quite easy to make a selection from in order to make your boy look swell.

Children's Tams



Children's Navy Blue Cloth Tams, black silk ribbon band, with fancy name 49
 Good quality Navy Blue Cloth Tams, silk ribbon band with name and satin lining 75

\$2.50 and \$2.75
 French Flannels and Moire Waists

Special \$1.75

Swell Waists, made up in two different styles, one of fine quality French flannel, the other of black moire with white spot. These are finished and trimmed in the newest modes. They would sell regularly for \$2.50 and \$2.75.

OUR SPECIAL PRICE, 1-14

\$1.75

Basement Specials

Special sale of China Ware. Just in, 20 cases of assorted China.
 China Cups with Saucers, in 10 different shapes, only 25
 100 dozen assorted patterns China Plates, worth 15c, all at one price 7 1/2

Limoges China

China Pin Trays, assorted patterns 35
 China Plates, each, 3 1/2, 4 1/2, 5 1/2, 6 1/2 and 7 1/2 75
 China Tea Cups and Saucers, each 75
 China after-dinner Cups and Saucers, each 75
 China Chocolate Pots, each 2 25
 China Celery Trays, each 1 75
 China Oyster Plates, each 45
 Salad Bowls, each 1 25
 Chop Dishes, large size 2 50

The Corset

Of To-day!

J. B.

Distinctly new. Straight front models. Suited to every figure.



Scroggie's Great \$3.50 Shoe For Women.



This handsome shoe is a magnificent exposition of the shoemakers' art; and being modelled on the latest style lasts, combine beauty with ease and service.

Made in all styles, to suit all occasions, to fit all feet from size 2 1/2 to 7, in B, C, D and E widths.

A \$5 Shoe for \$3.50

Ladies' Winter Coats

"These values and styles are unequalled." That is the general comment to be heard in our Mantle Department every day. When we hear it so often we feel confident that our stock is ahead of all.

Three-quarter length Jackets, made of heavy quality frieze, in a neat double-breasted style, box back, bell sleeves, turnback cuffs, slash pockets, and lined throughout, colors, gray and black 6.95

Ladies' three-quarter length Jackets, made of black and white tweed effect, in a most stylish design, deep shawl collar without revers, bishop sleeves, slash pockets, and finished with plain cloth strappings and fancy buttons 8.75

Heavy Frieze Jackets, made in a nobby style, with deep storm collar, double-breasted, without revers, bishop sleeves, slash pockets, finished with pearl buttons and lined with mercurized, colors, gray and black 9.00

Stylish

Flannelette Waists

Handsome Waists of good quality flannelette, in colors of navy, green, cardinal, royal blue and black. These waists are made just as well as the higher grades, and fit just as well.

OUR SPECIAL PRICE, 1-14

45c

Scroggie's

Boys' Blouse Suits



Boys' Sailor Blouse Suits, made in blue chevrot serge, collar trimmed with braid, white silk anchor on shield; pants lined throughout 2.85
 Boys' Blouse Suits in green homespun tweed, collar trimmed with braid, white serge shield with green silk anchor, black silk tie 4.50

Fancy Goods Dept.

Tinted Cushion Covers, just to be outlined, two sides, at 39
 Lithographed Cushion Tops, all the newest designs, at 35
 Cushion Cases, all ready to insert the pillow, double frill, all shades, at 59
 Cushion Cases, in Roman satin, double frill. These make a very handsome cushion, at 59

Art Drapery Dept.

THIRD FLOOR.

Some of the values that are offered to-day in the Art Drapery Department.

LACE CURTAINS—Fine White Nottingham Lace Curtains, 50 in. wide x 2 1/2 yards long, of new pretty patterns, finished with neat deep borders. Worth \$1.50 pair, at 1 15

LACE CURTAINS—Fine White Nottingham Lace Curtains, handsome scroll and flower designs, 54 in. wide x 3 1/2 yards long. Worth \$2.75 pair, for 2 25

COLORIED MADRAS—50-inch Art Madras in the latest shades and patterns, will make a very rich drapery or hanging. Worth \$1.25 yard, at 80

PORTIERES—Fine Tapestry Portieres, fancy striped, in Roman and Bagdad designs, finished with knotted fringe. Worth \$3.00 pair, at 2 25

TABLE COVERS—10-4 Tapestry Table Covers in a great variety of patterns and colors, finished with heavy knotted fringe. Worth \$1.00 each, at 3 10

TAPESTRY—50-inch Tapestry, suitable for Portieres, Cozy Corners or Drapery of many kinds, a variety of fancy stripe effects to select from. Worth 90c yard, at 39

ART CRETONNES—A new line in soft finish Cretonne of delicate shades in pretty patterns of neat flower designs. Worth 20c yard, at 15

PARLOR SCREENS—Three-panel Oak Parlor Screens, filled with art silkolines, worth \$1.25 each, at 95

We are showing great bargains in White Wool Red Blankets, Eldor-down Quilts and Comforters. It will pay you to inspect the same, as the values are genuine.



Wall Paper

You are always anxious for the best effects on your walls. You know wherein contrast and harmony are so important in making the walls of your house as attractive as you desire. If you want paper that will give you the right amount of satisfaction you should select from our stock. You will see the advantage of looking through the Wall Papers we have to offer you. Here we have the most graceful patterns, the most perfect colorings, and the quality and price will surely please you. Samples free on application.

Monday Grocery Specials

Fancy Eastern Townships Creamery Butter, regular 25c lb., Monday 22
 3 pkgs. 1 lb. each Ammonia Washing Powder, regular 30c, Monday 25
 5 bars Fels Naphtha Soap (only 5 to each customer), regular 35c, Monday 25
 Force Food, Wheat Germ Meal, Wheat Marrow, Health Crisps, regular 15c, Monday 12 1/2
 Finest Western Mild Cured Ham, half or whole ham, per lb. 10 1/4
 4 lbs Favorite Powdered Lye for 25

Table Linens

Extra heavy bleached all-linen Satin Damask, German manufacture, 72 inches wide, in new patterns. Value \$1.39 a yard. Special 99
 Value \$1.15 a yard. Special 85
 18 x 18 inch Napkins, value \$1.10, special 89
 21 x 21 in. Hemmed Napkins, value \$2.00, special 1 50
 22 x 22 inch Hemmed Napkins, value \$2.10, special 1 65

Table Cloths and Napkins to match, two very special qualities—
 Size 2 x 2 1/2 yards, each 2 05
 Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards, each 3 25
 Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards, each 4 25
 Size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 yards, each 4 00
 Size 2 1/2 x 4 yards, each 5 75
 Napkins to match, size 3-4, per dozen, \$2.65 and 3 75

Other Napkins, better grade, guaranteed all pure linen, Irish manufacture, assorted new designs—
 Size 24 x 24, value \$4.25 dozen, special 3 35
 Size 24 x 24, value \$5.00 dozen, special 4 00
 Size 26 x 26, value \$5.25 dozen, special 4 25
 Size 26 x 26, value \$7.00 dozen, special 4 75
 Size 26 1/2 x 26 1/2, value \$5.50 dozen, special 4 00
 Size 27 x 28, value \$15.00 dozen, special 12 00

Hemstitched Table Cloths and Napkins to match, all nicely packed in boxes—
 10 sets, cloth size 2 x 3 yards, value \$5.50 for Napkins and Cloths, special 4 65
 5 sets, value \$8.50 for Napkins and Cloths, special 7 00
 3 sets, value \$10.50 for Napkins and Cloths, special 8 25
 7 sets, cloth size 2 x 2 1/2 yards, value \$5.25 for Napkins and Cloths, special 4 25

Hemstitched 5 O'Clock Tea Table Cloths—
 Size 6-4, value \$1.55, special 1 40
 Size 36 x 36 inches, value 65c, special 50
 Size 36 x 36 inches, value 90c, special 70
 Size 43 x 43 inches, value \$1.35, special 1 10

Hemstitched Napkins, pure linen, silver bleached, rich new patterns—
 Size 20 x 20 in., value \$5.00 dozen, special 4 00

Hemstitched Damask Table Runners—
 Size 16 x 56 inches, value 60c, special 50
 Size 16 x 72 inches, value 95c, special 75
 Size 17 x 72 inches, value \$1.25, special 1 00
 Size 32 x 32 inches, value 65c, special 65
 Size 40 x 70 inches, value \$1.15, special 90
 200 Fringed Runners, in plain white or colored borders, 1 1/2 and 2 yards long, value 35c each, special 23

Pure Linen Tray Cloths, Irish manufacture, rich new designs—
 Size 18 x 27 inches, value 25c, special 15
 Size 18 x 27 inches, value 35c, special 15
 Size 20 x 20 inches, value 25c, special 15
 Size 20 x 20 inches, value 35c, special 25

Scroggie's

St. Catherine and University Streets.

Dress Goods

There is certainly a wide range of up-to-date Dress Suitings for your choice here. Fastidious people who require very exclusive styles are almost sure to find what they want in our collection at very moderate prices, as the following—

BLACK AND COLORS

Fancy French Suitings in soft-toned yarn combinations, Bourrette, Boucle, Buttons and Smooth Tweed Suitings. Value 90c and \$1.00 per yard. Special 75
 German Fancy Mixed Suitings, Scotch Flakes, West of England Suitings, in light and dark mixtures. Value \$1.50 yard. Special 1 25
 About 30 pieces Fine French Ladies' Cloth for tailor-made costumes, rich new solid shades in navy, new blue, black, red, maroon, light and dark gray, brown, reseda, fawn, etc., quality very durable. Value \$1.00 yard. Special 75
 1 lot medium weight Colored Habit Cloth for rainy-day suits or children's dresses, medium and dark colors. Worth 80c yard. Special 23
 A wide range in Snowflake Suitings, made in black, navy, red, brown, tan and green, beautiful materials for misses' costumes. Value 60c yard. Special 49
 All-Wool Nun's Velling in all shades, including black and white, extra fine quality. Worth 30c yard. Special 25
 All-Wool French Twill Serge, good assortment of colors. Special 25
 All-Wool Colored Amazon Cloth, in the best shades of navy blue, pale blue, blue, fawn, brown, green, reseda, purple, cream, black, etc., specially used for ladies' blouses. Worth 60c yard. Special 49
 A few lines in Black Dress Materials, all of reasonable weight and fabric. 54 inches wide All-Wool Homespun, quality worth 90c yard, special 75
 54 inches wide All-Wool Black Frieze, for separate skirts or full costumes. Worth 90c yard. Special 73
 48 inches wide Heavy Black Hopsacking Suiting, very fashionable this season. Worth \$1.25 yard. Special 80
 54 inches wide Fine Black Venetian, French dyed and finish. Value \$1.50 yard. Special 1 19
 2 pieces Black Poplins, value 65c yard, clearing at 45
 2 pieces Black Satin Cloth, value 75c yard, clearing at 55
 2 pieces Black Biarritz Cloth, value \$1.35 yard, clearing at 95
 1 piece Fine Black Henrietta Cashmere, value \$1.35 yard, clearing at 1 00
 1 piece Black Voile de Paris, value 70c yard, clearing at 49
 1 piece Silk Eolienne, value \$1.35 yard, clearing at 95

Flannels and Flannelettes

To-morrow we feature a number of specials at very low prices.
 Heavy Plain and Twill Striped Underwear Flannelettes, assorted striped effects. Value 12 1/2c yard. Special 10
 35 pieces Plain White and Plain Color Saxony Flannelettes, heavy nap finish. Value 12 1/2c yard. Special 9
 10 pieces Light and Dark Gray Plain and Twill Flannels, Value 16c yard. Special 11
 All-Wool Opera Flannels, all colors. Value 35c yard. Special 25
 Fancy French Flannels for blouses, 200 patterns to select from. Value 55c and 60c yard. Special 48

Cottons and Sheetings

1 case left Mill Ends Bleached Sheetings, plain and twill. Clearing at per yard 23
 25 pieces Fine Lonsdale Cambrio for ladies' best underwear. Value 15c yard. Special 10
 1 case Heavy White Family Cotton, fine grade, pure finish, guaranteed free from any dressing. Value 15c yard. Special 11

Turkey is Gradually Disappearing Off the Map of Europe.

Turkey is gradually disappearing off the map of Europe, inch by inch, foot by foot, mile by mile, province by province, the once proud empire of the Ottomans is shrinking into itself.

spring up on every hand. Should one province arise in revolt others would gladly follow. Once this happens, Russia and Austria will intervene.

Constantinople capitulated, and with it fell the last of the great empire which had lasted nearly 1,000 years.

in today, and now there are those who predict that the century will see the end of Ottoman rule in Europe.

able for a European war, would demand, for transport and all other details, services, from 80,000 to 100,000 pack animals.

only the simple exercise drill. He is excellent in endurance, and has few equals in defensive positions.



NOVA SCOTIA FISHERMEN PLAN TO OVERCOME BAIT DIFFICULTIES

Halifax, N. S., October 17.—The Canadian fisheries are an important factor in the industrial life of the Dominion, there being about 100,000 men and a capital of about \$12,000,000 engaged in their development.

Canada owns the most extensive fishing areas of the world. The eastern coast of the Maritime Provinces, from the Bay of Fundy to the Strait of Belle Isle, covers a distance of 5,600 miles.

Great Britain in Lead. Canada exports more than one-half of her fish catch, her largest customer being Great Britain, with the United States a close second.

Twelve of fifteen small vessels of 30 or 40 tons are engaged in fresh fishing off of Halifax in the winter time; and some of the fish are being frozen.

MONTREAL SEASON OPENS FOR BLUE POINTS AND MALPECQUES

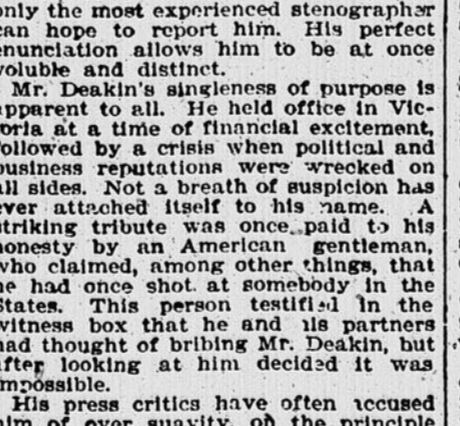
St. Catherine Street Dealer Says the Demand This Fall is Greater Than it Has Been in Many Years.

"As far as I can see, there is a greater demand for oysters this season than any season I can remember, and I've been selling oysters here for eleven years, too.

Plan to Propagate Oysters. Prof. Julius Nelson, biologist of the New Jersey bureau of shell fisheries, has hit upon a plan to artificially propagate oysters.

THE WHITEST MAN IN AUSTRALIA.

At the age of forty-seven Mr. Alfred Deakin is Prime Minister of a continent three million square miles in extent, and may be said to have attained the highest honor possible to an Australian.



behind the Treasury benches, ready at a moment's notice to spring to the aid of the Government, Victorian finances still bear the mark of Sir George Turner's good work.

DR. SAUNDERS BACK FROM WEST. Says Persians and Barr Colonists Are Satisfied.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 17.—The Director of the Dominion Experimental Farms, Dr. Saunders, has returned from his annual tour of inspection of the western experimental farms.

I AM NOT AFTER MONEY SAYS PROPHET DOWIE

New York, Oct. 17.—After looking over things at Madison Square Garden, Dr. Dowie talked to reporters.

GIRL STENOGRAPHER MUST GO SAYS THE G.T.R.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Chocolate drops and cream puffs will cause the dismissal of all women stenographers employed by the Grand Trunk Railroad.

DROUGHT DAMAGES HAY CROP. Mr. A. H. Moore, ex-M.P. for Stanstead, was in town yesterday and said that the water of Lake Memphrémagog is five feet lower than usual.

The British Empire Week by Week

TORY PAPERS BLAME BALFOUR'S HESITANCY

His Address Pleaseth Them Only Where it Indicated He Would Join Chamberlain Later.

The following expressions of opinion, all taken from leading Conservative newspapers, indicate the feeling towards Mr. Balfour on the day after his Sheffield address:

Should Move Up To Chamberlain.

The Times:—It is possible that at the end of the proceedings Mr. Balfour may be a little amazed at his own moderation. Had he gone further he would certainly have had the support of a great majority, as is proved not only by the proceedings of the conference during the day, but by the fact that the enthusiasm of the meeting increased in exact proportion to the approximation of his attitude to that of Mr. Chamberlain. Some important matters stand over for discussion at the conference to-day, but it is quite clear that there is a strong and enthusiastic feeling in favor of Mr. Chamberlain's complete programme. On the other hand, there is a majority of free-trade representatives who do not wish to stand alone for numerical ferocity by strength of language. Lord Hugh Cecil brings to the subject an almost ecclesiastical fervor, and some of his friends are not far behind him in the vigor of their opposition to "apostasy" from the sacred doctrines of the Cobden Club. We shall know more to-day about the relative strength of these two parties, but so far as can be seen at present, Mr. Chamberlain's views in their entirety command the assent of an overwhelming majority. That is no reproach whatever to Mr. Balfour's attitude. He is under many restraints which do not affect men in less responsible positions, and he has made it perfectly clear that he is not only willing but anxious to adopt the more forward policy advocated by Mr. Chamberlain.

Disrupter of His Party.

The Standard:—What we seek from the Prime Minister now is some justification of the startling changes which have been suggested, some reason for the turmoil into which not merely our politics, but our finances, have been thrown by the movement inaugurated last May. But for this we look in vain in the report of Mr. Balfour's Sheffield speech. Mr. Balfour is not only an essayist; he is also—as he reminded his audience last night—Chief of the Executive Government, with a whole nation, a whole Empire, waiting to ascertain his policy. It is a pity that he still leaves it in uncertainty and doubt. The discussion showed how much injury has already been done in the Conservative party by the attitude of its leaders. There are assuredly many Unionists throughout the country, whose attachment to their colors would not stand the strain of a downright Protectionist movement.

Lack of Grip.

Morning Post:—One of the great arguments in favor of the resumption of our bargaining power is that by the conclusion of commercial treaties we may approximate to a certain extent to free trade with countries from whose markets we are excluded by high tariffs. It is an argument supported by the whole history of civilized nations. But under the policy sketched by Mr. Balfour we may conclude treaties with all foreign countries, while we are precluded from making a reciprocal arrangement with our Colonies. We are to be reduced to this condition of insular impotence, not because Mr. Chamberlain's policy is economically unsound, nor because it would not be beneficial to the United Kingdom, nor because it would be followed by a rise of gross prejudicial to the poorer classes, nor for any of the reasons urged by Free Traders against that policy, but because it is not within the range of practical politics, which, we suppose, means that it is supposed to be unpopular in the constituencies. This position is quite untenable. A policy of "negotiation" from which the Colonies are to be excluded is simple reaction.

Working Up To Chamberlain.

Daily Telegraph:—Mr. Balfour's proposals do not go so far as those to which Mr. Chamberlain stands committed, but they are the inevitable and indispensable preliminaries to the adoption of Mr. Chamberlain's policy. Without freedom to negotiate commercial treaties with foreign powers, there can be no such thing as Imperial Reciprocity.

Country Will Not Wait.

Birmingham Post:—The reversal of the fiscal system, it appears, is not to be attempted in this Parliament, and the taxation of food is to be deferred indefinitely. Those are two points in favor of the longer life of the Ministry and the cohesion of the Unionist party; but if nothing is to be done for two or three years, and if the food tax—the great bone of contention—is to be excluded, we might be inclined to ask what was the necessity for breaking up the Cabinet, and almost wrecking the party, by discussing the matter. It is, however, very difficult to believe that the country will be content to leave the question in so incoherent a state for any great length of time.

LAYING DOWN TERMS.

At a meeting of the executive council of the Warwickshire Farmers' Association, held at Birmingham, Mr. J. Gold proposed: "That this meeting hopes that Mr. Chamberlain will treat corn as a raw material, flour and of-fals, where deemed necessary, on corn

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S OWN VIEW OF THE EFFECTS OF HIS POLICY.

In his preface to Mr. Vince's pamphlet, Mr. Chamberlain thus summarizes the advantages to be expected from his policy:

1. An increase of trade with our fellow-subjects and best customers, who not only take much more per head from us than the foreigners, but take it in the shape of manufactured goods whose production involves the employment of the greatest amount of labor.
2. The power of bargaining with our competitors, and thereby securing either that they shall take more of the products of our labor in return for the products of their labor, or that they shall leave the British market more completely to British labor.
3. In either case, this change and the increased trade with the colonies will provide more employment for our own people and a greater demand for our own labor.
4. If the demand for labor increases, the wages of labor must rise also; and full work at fair prices will enable our manufacturers to pay higher wages without loss to themselves.

Lastly, we shall have made a great advance towards the union of the Empire, and taken a first step towards freer trade with the rest of the world.

should be limited to foreign countries, and not imposed on corn from the colonies where these latter were willing to admit British manufactured articles free.

MR. BALFOUR WILL NOT GIVE UP HOPE YET

Party May Lose Office, but the Country Will Turn To It Again.

At the overflow meeting, after his big speech at Sheffield, Mr. Balfour thus referred to the prospects of the party: "I do not think that we need look forward to the future fortunes of our cause in any downhearted fashion. I have watched during the last six months with a placid amusement the amazing satisfaction which our opponents seem to find in the present position of our Government and of our party. I do not grudge them that satisfaction. Let them enjoy it while they can; but I have never shared their views. I have gone through too many stormy seas; I have navigated too many difficult channels; and for my own part, so long as that great majority returned in 1906 will support the Government of which I am the head, I shall never think for a moment of deserting the cause for which I am responsible. Of course I admit, of course I grant, that history conclusively shows us that no party can without some success and a certain amount of maintenance office; but I see no reason to believe that the fortunes of this party are not so closely bound up with the

YOUNG MONTREALER POSES AS THE BARON FIGTREE IN NEW JERSEY

A young Montrealer has returned from a short vacation at a small summer resort in New Jersey, where he was the idol of the summer residents, much against his better sense.

There were several rather peculiar happenings. For reasons personal to two of them, he did not wish his own name known, and a young friend suggested that he should assume another name. His travelling companion grasped at the idea with that delightful eagerness a fellow's friend always shows to have him make an ass of himself, and emitting a loud ha-ha, told him to register as the Baron Figtree.

"Ralphie," which isn't his name, became impressed with the beautiful thought, and scrawled over the hotel register "Baron Figtree." His imaginative friend bettered the name considerably by putting an accent on the final "e."

"How do you pronounce it?" asked the bewildered host. "Baron Feegtree," replied Ralphie, with heavy dignity.

The Landlord is Wise. The landlord looked as though he would like to ask for his board in advance. "It's French," added the Montrealer, in hesitating tones.

The story ran from mouth to mouth that the head of the old French house of Figtree was honoring the resort with his presence for a few days, in company with a seigneur of Quebec. Ralphie's friend was the seigneur, and he spoke his mother tongue to the extent of muttering "Oui, oui," to any remark made to him.

It was gratifying to the peer and his companion to discover into what a blaze of popularity they had leaped. Begun as a joke, they had to keep up the farce, for people took them seriously, and the Baron Figtree and his friend were sought after by prudent mammas, and were accorded deference by the male population.

When Ralphie gave the young lady who had made the suggestion, and who was the only one in the joke, a ride across the hotel lawn in a wheelbarrow Sunday morning, his popularity knew no bounds. Here was a sporting peer, they said,

and elderly matrons of the most severe morals themselves, beamed on the young scapegrace nobleman.

A man from Louisiana who butted into the situation nearly spoiled things. He thought he knew French, and wanted to try it on the Baron, but the latter had him at the first. He burst out like lightning some of the worst habitant patois that ever came from back of Sorel, and the gentleman from Louisiana staggered.

Right Into Baron's Hands. "Let's talk English," he said weakly. "I don't know much French." The Baron was graciously pleased to converse in English.

When he approached a group in conversation a hush would fall upon them until the Baron Figtree had passed, and then everyone would break into a clatter of conversation as to his ancestry. He himself simply stated that the Figtrees came from Alsace, and left it at that to explain why he only spoke English and a jargon that would make a Montreal cab driver turn pale.

Baron, let me introduce my husband," a lady would cry, shouting his name that all the world might hear. Ralphie, with a high dignity, for he is five feet five, would consent, and the democratic American was at his heels all day. For half a week the New Jersey resort hummed with the doings of the Baron Figtree; and then he announced that he would leave.

The landlord heard it with consternation. He offered him free board, for barons were a drawing card, but Baron Figtree scorned such base bargaining, and simply picked up his trunk and went. A shower of invitations to return fell upon the young man from Alsace and Montreal as he departed for home.

NOTES FROM ST. LAMBERT. Mr. Allan Christie was removed to the General Hospital in its ambulance Monday morning, suffering from an attack of appendicitis, and was operated upon the same afternoon. His large circle of friends will be glad to know he is doing nicely.

The last of the fortnightly dances took place last evening, and of course was largely attended and enjoyed. The members of the minstrel troupe and the officers of the Boating Club are profuse in their appreciation of The Herald's accompanying them upon their trip to Valleyfield last Saturday. The final ball and "at home" of the Boating Club will be held in the boat house on Friday evening, for which the committee are sparing no pains or trouble to make it a grand success.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Underwood left upon a visit to friends in Alabama on Saturday last.

Miss Olive de Blois is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. de Wolfe, Cadzow Terrace.

Several cases of whooping cough are reported in town.

Dr. Desaulniers has broken ground on the "Common," St. Denis street, opposite the residence of Woodstock street, for a new residence.

Mr. Charles Grose, claims agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, who has been doing duty at Toronto for the past couple of weeks, returned home Thursday.

At the confirmation service on Thursday at St. Barnabas Church, the candidates who were presented to his Grace the Archbishop and Metropolitan were each the recipients of a very handsome Bible, the gift of Mr. Joseph Horfall.

BALL BY ITALIAN MILITIA. A ball is being given to-night by the Italian Military Association of Montreal in Empire Hall, 115 St. Catherine Street, under the patronage of Cav. official Carlo Catelli. The hour is 8 o'clock, and an attendance of 500 is expected. The committee intend to present a certain popular French-Canadian with a gold medal. Tickets can be obtained from D. H. Lamo, secretary.

A BIT OF ROMAN LONDON.

The demolition of Newgate Prison has led to the discovery beneath the prison yard of a section of the wall which the Romans built round London. Fifteen feet high and eight feet broad, the wall is formed chiefly of Kentish rubble and Sussex gritstone, and is in a good state of preservation, but it will have to be pulled down, as it runs across the site of the new sessions house.

Deep down in the excavation there has also been disclosed a curious brick archway, which it is believed formed a passage at the subterranean passage connecting the gate, built in the year 1110, with the jail.

A POINTED JEST.

Some jester distributed, at the Sheffield convention, hundreds of copies of what he called "an emergency resolution" in regard to War Office reform: "This conference ventures to offer its humble, but hearty, congratulations to the Prime Minister on the mastery manner in which he has at once dispensed with the services of Mr. Chamberlain at the Colonial Office, and retained those of Mr. Brodrick at the War Office."

In the opinion of this conference, such action is conducive to efficiency, and removes all reasonable doubt as to the result of the next general election. When this "insult to Mr. Balfour," as it was called, came to the notice of the officials a hurried attempt was made to collect and suppress the leaflets, but sufficient were left to provide much amusement during the forenoon.

WAR OFFICE WASTE

Five Hundred Tons of Useless Tobacco Testify To It.

The tale of War Office blunders during the late South African war is not yet complete. The latest instance, says the Daily Mail, concerns the injudicious purchase of tobacco for the troops.

Several thousand packages of black cake tobacco, a strong variety known as "avendish," were purchased in America and shipped to the Cape, the idea being that the soldiers might obtain a cheap tobacco from the canteens. It was either too strong for the stomachs and nerves of our men or the consignment never left the wharves at Capetown until the campaign was over. At any rate, some five hundred tons of this tobacco are warehoused at the present time at Southampton docks. They were taken from the holds of the transports Syria and Staffordshire some time ago.

It is difficult to say what the War Office intend to do with the tobacco. As a marketable commodity it has little value. There is not much demand for it in this country, and it must be sold at a loss.

A previous stock of returned tobacco was sold from the Southampton customs at 2s. a pound. It probably cost the country double that amount.

A little foresight might have anticipated the tastes of our soldiers in regard to tobacco. During the later stages of the war milder tobacco and cigarettes were purchasable from the field force canteens.

BRITISH AGRICULTURE WANTS PROTECTION.

Writing to the London Mail, Mr. Henry Chaplin, M.P., argues that if there is any protection at all, it must be extended to British agriculture. He says:

"If the 'plain issue' you point to was the protection of all our industries I believe you would be right. But what you propose, if I understand it, is to give protection to the rest of the industries, to leave the largest and most depressed of them all (agriculture) entirely out in the cold."

"I see nothing in this to help or attract the electors, but rather the opposite. In all these contingencies where the welfare of agriculture is what they have chiefly to look to—and I shall be greatly surprised if your proposal—limited as you suggest—is ever submitted to Parliament as a question of practical politics, if however I should be wrong, I make no doubt that their representative will be prepared to consider and deal with the new situation."

"As you indicate, and with great truth, the free traders pure and simple—the Radical party, in fact, as a whole—are bound and pledged to oppose it, and it looks as if the decision for once would rest in the hands of the agricultural party."

"That is an aspect of the question which those, like yourself, who desire to see manufacturers protected, would do well, I think, not to ignore altogether."

Rev. J. C. Kunzman, D.D., of Greensburg, Pa., field secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, has arrived in town to

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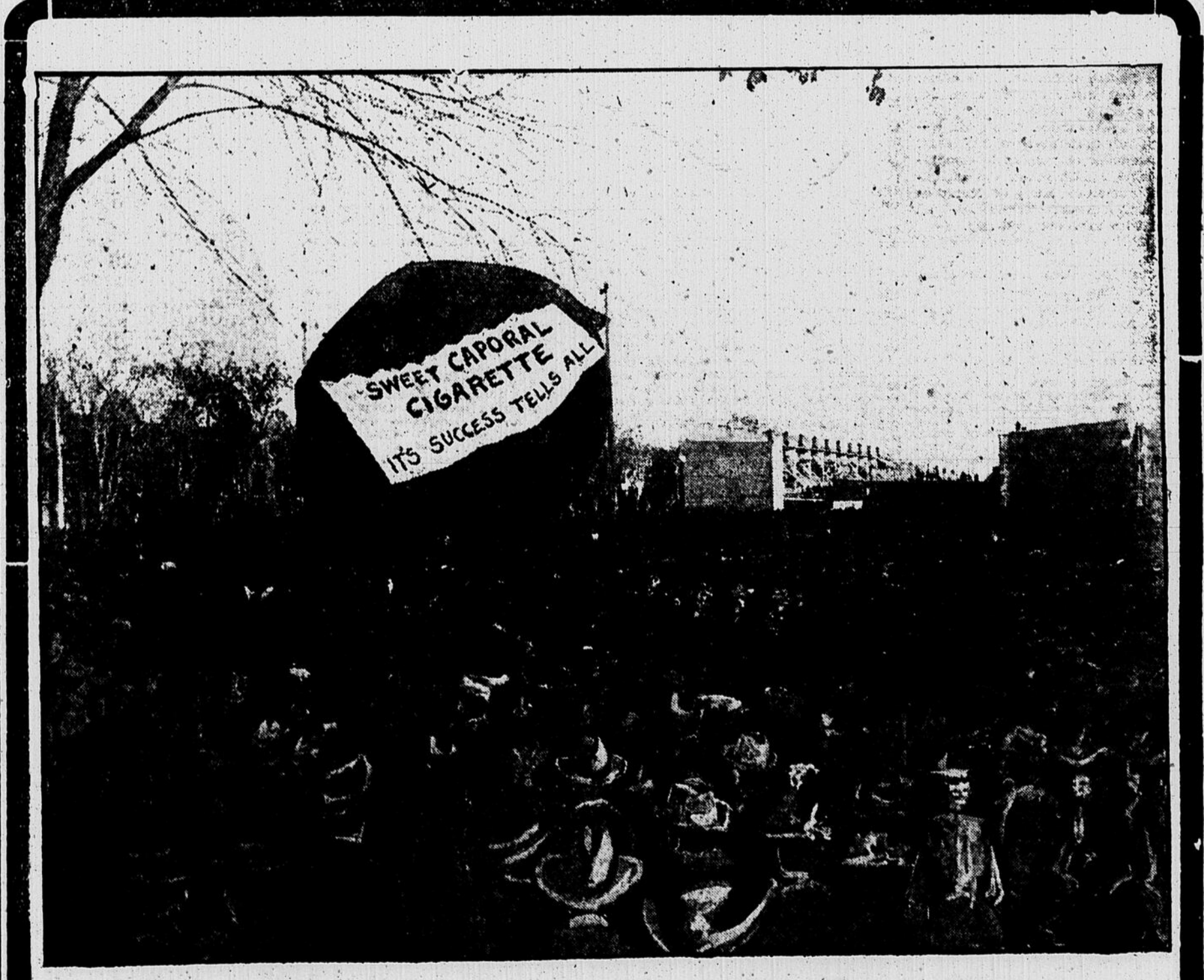
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THOUGH JAPAN AND RUSSIA SCOWL PEACEFUL COREA RETAINS ITS CALM

Officialdom and Residents Pursue an Existence Comparable to Nothing Outside of Comic Opera of the Most Modern Time.

While Japan and Russia are making faces at each other across Korea, the Land of the Morning Calm retains its temperance and pursues an existence comparable to nothing outside of comic opera.

A land in which the dynasty was hatched from an egg; in which the men dressed like old women; in which a bachelor, though an old man, is regarded as an infant, is called by a pet name and talked to in baby talk; in which boys are invariably married to women; in which men at nightfall are expected to stay indoors and let their wives roam the streets and gossip with their friends; in which the poor take plain pills and the rich have their pills decorated and gilded, is truly the land of the libretto.

China is the parent of Korea. In the days of ages the favorite of the King of a Chinese province, wandering by the river, saw a glistening vapor which floated into her bosom and became an egg. From this hatched a boy, whom the enraged King threw to the pigs.

But the kindly pigs fed him with their breath, and the King, believing that he had been willed that the boy should live, took him into the royal household, where he was called the Light of the East.

The boy was skilled in archery, surpassing every one. The King became jealous, and the boy fled. Finny Tribe Form Bridge.

Coming to the River Yalu, he shot an arrow into the stream, and thousands of fish came and made a bridge of their bodies that he might pass over. When his pursuers arrived at the stream the finny bridge swam away and they were left helpless.

The Light of the East found an amiable people on the other side, who made him their King. Thus the King of Korea is regarded to-day as the Son of Heaven.

In point of fact he is the son of Tai-won-Kun, and was appointed to the throne by the Dowager Queen Cho. His father and elder brother are his subjects, for primogeniture does not obtain in the Orient.

Li Hsi, as the Korean Emperor is called, is an amiable gentleman of 50, at present a widower. If a gentleman with 100 concubines may be called a widower, Queen Min, who was murdered by the Japanese, was the American living in Seoul, say, a woman whose husband had died.

For over thirty years she was the power behind the throne, literally by being behind the throne, for no more than any other Korean woman could be viewed by men other than those of her immediate family. The most subtle diplomacy was conducted from behind a screen, and so wisely that the only resource of her enemies was to kill her.

Murder Has Enlivening Feature. Even this murder had its enlivening features. The American missionaries, who were the only people in Seoul that the King could then trust, took turns in guarding the King and the Crown Prince while they slept. Another missionary and his wife cooked in the food that the hapless pair ate, sending it to them in a locked box, lest, after the Oriental fashion, they should be poisoned.

Now enters the Lady Om, concubine No. 1. Lady Om announced a venerable aunt with sudden cramps. It was necessary that she should leave the palace for her home, and Lady Om would accompany her.

Two palanquins were ordered, and in the seclusion of the women's quarters the King and the Crown Prince were secluded in and escaped safely from the palace, where they were virtually prisoners, for a haven at the Russian Legation. It must be understood that in Korea not even the holiest of secret service men would dare to look into a woman's palanquin.

Naturally, ever since, Lady Om has been her hope of advancement. It is not amusing to be a dowager in Korea. For three years the unfortunate must abstain from all pleasure, and go about with a sort of gunny bag veil covering her face. Discipline of this sort facilitates marriage.

Nevertheless, the King has thus far evaded the Lady Om. She has her face, which she wears in a manner to the King's failure to take into himself a new Queen, and has memorialized the King in her behalf.

Just Like on Opera Stage. Memorializing is one of the occupations of Seoul. In front of the palace gates the sightseer never fails to behold a couple of men quaiting behind a low stool on which lies a roll of paper. This is the memorial.

There are memorials about everything under the sun. Here they are after day, for time is of no consequence in Korea. Perhaps in time the memorial reaches the King, who in time responds, in a manner to the summary fashion in which he responded to the memorial concerning Lady Om.

"April 27, 1897.—Reply to Kim Kon

Corea is the least religious of all the nations of the East. A mild form of Confucianism prevails, and ancestor worship is the only thing that resembles religion. There is not a temple in Seoul, but the country is full of the graves of the nobles and the monasteries the Korean gentlemen repair for their high revere.

BOOKS AND AUTHORS

TWO SCHOLARLY ESSAYS ON ROBT. L. STEVENSON Vigorous Comment on Henley's Jealous Criticism of His Former Comrade.

To lovers of Robert Louis Stevenson, and they are increasing rapidly, an illustrated quarto recently issued by the Copp Clark Company, of Toronto, will be a welcome contribution to Stevenson's biography.

Barlasch of the Guard BY SETON MERRIMAN Well-Planned Romance Which Would Bear a More Extended Telling.

Mr. Henry Seton Merriman's new novel, "Barlasch of the Guard," which has been running as a serial in the Montreal Star, is now published in book form.

The volume contains about fifty illustrations of scenes from Stevenson's life, including pictures of his Samoan home, and of his grave.

BALKAN STATES MUST UNITE THEIR FORCES Distinguished European Professor Takes That View of the Balkan Future.

A particularly timely book is "Central Europe," which constitutes one of Appleton's World Series. It gives a clear outline of political affairs in middle Europe and the Balkans.

Wardrobes are Gaudy Things. The wardrobes were gaily decorated with landscapes inlaid with mother of pearl, and the doors were lockers ornamented with brass.

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LESS PAY RATHER THAN STRIKE. Meriden, Conn., Oct. 17.—The count of votes cast by union metal workers employed by the International Silver Co. in this city and elsewhere on the proposed strike was completed yesterday, and showed that about three-fourths of the men were opposed to a strike.

BRITAIN SENDS TWO SHIPS. London, Oct. 17.—Great Britain is sending two additional warships to China. The first-class cruiser Europa

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From the Capitals of the Provinces.

EYE-ELECTIONS MEAN A GREAT DEAL IN ONTARIO.

On Them Depends the Fate of the Ross Government.—Writs Against Soo Industries.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—(Special.)—The Provincial bye-elections in Muskoka and Sault Ste. Marie on Oct. 27 are awaited with an interest scarcely surpassed by that which attaches to a general election.

On the other hand, if the constituencies returned two Liberals, it would strengthen the Premier's hand beyond question, and also save the province from being immersed for months in election trials and their sequelae.

Writes Against Soo Works. The writs which have been issued so far against the Leveson Consolidated Company at Sault Ste. Marie now aggregate considerably over \$500,000.

Decrease in Deaths. The report of the Provincial Board of Health for the year 1902 show an increase in the number of births and marriages in Ontario and a decrease in deaths.

U. C. C. Prize Day. "Prize Day" at Upper Canada College was of especial interest because of the first public address in Toronto of Principal Anden, successor to Dr. Parkin.

Denison Won't Go. The persistent rumor that Col. Denison would, like Hon. George E. Foster, resign his seat in the House of Commons is only a rumor.

Household Science. The Ontario Government has passed an act under which grants are offered to the following candidates who are thereby qualified to teach household science in the Public and High Schools of the province.

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P.E. ISLAND HAS MANY FATALITIES IN PAST WEEK

Islanders are Pleased With the Supplementary Estimates.—Oysters Paying Well.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—By the death of James MacDonald, M.L.A., in the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, the third district of Kings is at present without a representative in the Provincial Legislature. Deceased, who was a native of Cardigan, where he had carried on a general mercantile business, has represented the constituency continuously since 1890, and also from 1873 to 1882. He was a Conservative in politics.

Pleased With Estimates. The Liberal representatives in the Dominion Parliament, Messrs. MacKinnon and Hughes, have been more than active and successful in their generous recognition of and grants for the public needs of Prince Edward.

A Large New Bridge. The greatest public work at present going on in this Province is the Hillsborough Railway bridge, five-eighths of a mile long, spanning the Hillsborough river, and forming part of the new branch line from Charlottetown to Murray harbor.

Many Fatalities. An unusual number of fatalities have occurred in this Province within the past week. Hubert J. Mabon, aged 27, when returning from a shooting expedition to his boarding house in Charlottetown, drew his loaded gun out of the wagon by the muzzle.

Oysters Are Dear. Oyster fishermen ought to reap a good harvest this year, notwithstanding the scarcity of fish and the somewhat unfavorable weather. The price is \$5.50 for common oysters and \$7.75 for hand-picked. The shipments this season so far are the largest what they were at this time last year.

IN THE FIELD OF LABOR. At the meeting of the national officers of the building trades' national and international organizations in Indianapolis a general plan for the creation of a Structural Building Trades Alliance of America was agreed upon. It is estimated that one million men would be affected by this alliance. The objects of the organization are as follows: The establishment of local and international boards of arbitration to settle disputes between employers and workmen. When necessary to give international sympathetic support to all trades affiliated where local boards fail in their efforts to adjust differences. To protect and watch over the interests of members of the organizations affiliated. To protect the autonomy of the several trades represented. To keep agreements with employers inviolable. To avoid and discourage strikes if possible, and to prevent internal strife and friction in the building trades industry. To oppose the formation of dual and rival bodies, demand their complete annihilation, and assist only such unions as are affiliated with the organization. To encourage and maintain fraternal relations with other organizations of similar character, and to emphasize the necessity for a centralization of organized wage-earners.

DEAFNESS CURED. Ninety-five per cent. of all cases of deafness brought to our attention is the result of chronic catarrh of the throat and middle ear. The air passages become clogged by catarrhal deposit, and stoppage of the action of the vibratory bones. Until these deposits are removed a cure is impossible. The inner ear cannot be reached by probing or spraying, hence the inability of aurists or physicians to cure deafness. We are worse than useless. There is a scientific cure for deafness and catarrh is demonstrated every day by the use of Actina. The vapors generated in the Actina pass through the Eustachian tubes into the middle ear, removing the catarrhal obstructions as it passes through the tubes, and loosens up the bones (hammer, anvil and stirrup) in the inner ear, making them respond to the slightest vibration of sound. Actina has never failed to cure ringing noises in the head. We have known people troubled with this distressing symptom for years to be completely cured in only three weeks' use of Actina. Actina also cures asthma, bronchitis, sore throat, weak lungs, colds and headache, all of which are directly or indirectly due to catarrh. Actina is sent on trial postpaid. Write us about your case. We give advice free, and positive proof of cures. A valuable book—Professor Wilson's 100-page Dictionary of Diseases, free. Address New York & London Electric Association, Dept. 924, 929 Walnut Street, Kansas City, Mo.

QUEBEC DISTRICT NEEDS RAIN BADLY AT PRESENT

St. Bridge's Bazaar is Now in Progress.—Business in General is Very Good.

Quebec, October 17.—(Special.)—The weather has been superb in this district for the past week, but the farmers are praying for rain, which the country is badly in need of. The rivulets and wells are almost dry in every part of the district and the ground so dry that in places it is actually pulverized for want of rain.

St. Bridge's Bazaar. The annual bazaar in aid of the St. Bridge's Asylum is at present in progress, and held in St. Ann's Hall. The bazaar is the chief mainstay of the St. Bridge's Asylum, which institution cares for the orphan and old and friendless in connection with the St. Patrick's Church congregation.

Business is Good. Business in general is very good in Quebec at present. The various factories have all the orders they can attend to, and the wholesale merchants in the various lines are meeting with good success. There is no sign of depression whatever, and every person is hopeful of a prosperous fall boom.

FEV. MR. BARNES' LECTURES. Following is the list of the lectures to be given by Rev. W. S. Barnes in the lecture room of the Church of the Messiah during the season of 1903-04.

At the annual meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, recently held at Toronto, the report of a special committee on labor which was afterward adopted, contained the following declaration of principles: The Canadian Manufacturers' Association believes in the right of every man to work for as high a wage as he can get, but is not in favor of any interference with the personal liberty of employer or employee.

At the annual meeting of the American Federation of Labor to form the farm heads of industry which with the purpose of increasing farm wages and systematizing the work done by their members, has been attended with success. A strike of 15,000 coal miners in Colorado, New Mexico and Utah who are members of the United Mine Workers of America, has been ordered by the executive board of that organization. The miners demanded an advance in wages, reduction of the hours of labor, semi-monthly payment, the right to employ check weighmen at their own expense and the abolition of the scrip system of paying for labor done.

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been one of the most inspiring principles under which we live. Equality of opportunity has been our boast, and it has been justified in our experience. Is it true that the opportunity is becoming less common, and the effort to rise harder, and that the result is discouragement and acceptance of the depressing fatalism revealed in this sentence of Mr. Mitchell? I don't believe it, and it is a bad doctrine to teach. Hope is all that keeps any of us going, and every one of us can see, example right by his side which show that the hope is justified, even to-day. By far the great majority of the capitalists of to-day have risen from the ranks of the proletariat we do not mean, and we suppose Mr. Mitchell did not mean, the many-millionaire, but the man who is so independent financially that he is not simply a "wageworker."

Long hours, low wages, uncertainty of employment and other evils are responsible for a riotous strike in the oil district of Southeast Russia.

Kaffir dock laborers at Cape Town, who were out on strike, have accepted a 6d reduction. Their wages are now 3s a day.

The following constitution of the proposed Australian Boot Trade Federation has been prepared for submission to a conference to be held in Melbourne: That the object of the federation be: 1. To uphold the rights of combination of labor, and to improve, protect and foster the best interests of its members; 2. To promote industrial peace by all amicable means, such as conciliation, arbitration or the establishment of permanent boards; (a) to oppose strikes or lockouts between the members of the union and their employers; (b) when differences do occur, to assist in their settlement by just and equitable methods.

Employees of the Chicago City Railway Company have decided to serve on the general man, or an ultimatum that unless he grants their wage demands and working schedule, they "will force such action" by a strike.

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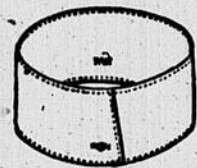
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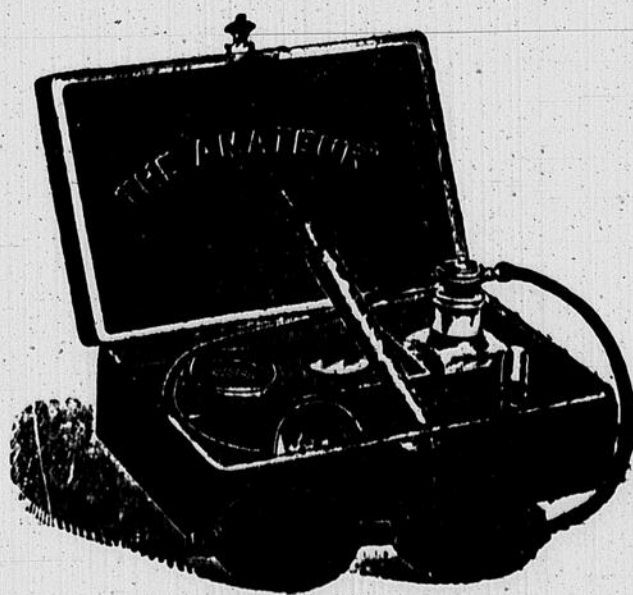
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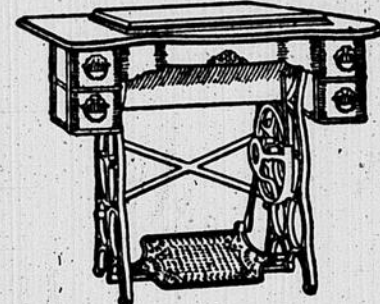
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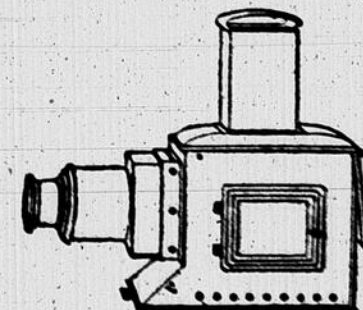
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The riot of autumnal colors makes the great wood a beautiful place to be in, even when the mercury does not point down to the bottom of the scale and the woods and the lake hold their carnival at night. Such a little while ago it was that we played croquet after dinner, and then sat out in the moonlight. Now it is growing dark at six, and after dinner we pile up big sticks of wood in the fireplace and draw around the lamp and the big park outside never tempts us out into the fresh air because it has an edge on its breezes and it is time for all fireplace-folk to crawl into their shells and do their walking in the day time woods. There is still golden red to be found and purple and scarlet, a few butterscups, a pale daisy or two, and some pale red-flax. The witch hazel, to be sure, is at its best beauty now, and the brilliant berries of the False Solomon's seal, and partridge vine and wintergreen, make fine contrasts with the dark fruit of the green brier and the dogwoods. The maple-leaved viburnum is in its lovely garb of rose color. No other thing in all the wood wears just that same tint, and with the light of the autumn sun upon it, you marvel at its wonderful loveliness. Sasparilla shrub has a beauty of its own, too. The old is so rich and deep, the surface is evenly colored, the texture so satiny that you gather the curious leaves with delight. The white ash tree is a study in purplish-brown, the blackberry vines are crimson and bronze and deep wine color. The huckleberries are vivid patches of color against the bright green growth which means that next year there will be arbutus and hepaticas as soon as the snow has gone.

"How dreary it must be in the country when the birds and flowers are all gone," the city-bred folk say, and we laugh and point them to our mantel and the branches of maple and ash and pallid beech foliage against the windows and on the walls. And then we take them up the wood road and bid them listen to the merry clack of a deer, the "clink" of the little black cap on the trees, show them the flash of the white feathers in the Junco's tail, point out the faintly-kinklets in the evergreens and the oaks, harken with them to the thin little voices of these last, as they sit so restlessly about that you must watch very patiently for a glimpse of their golden crowns.

The Nuthatches charm those who have never learned what acrobats the birds are, and the tiny wrens with their saucy tails and their scolding little cries bring exclamations of delight to the lips of those who fancied that the birds were all gone. Last Monday I saw robins and on Wednesday I heard a song-sparrow singing down on the grounds where the ground-hogs live. A hawk sailed grandly overhead, and the crows are noisier, I think, than ever. The country where people have made themselves gardens of flowers that the frost blackens and withers may find the outlook from the windows dreary, but we, in the woods, where nature plans the succession of blossom and fruit and gorgeous foliage, there is no hint of death, but always the beauty of life and the promise of the resurrection.

There's something wonderfully heartening in the setting up of a home in a new place, just as there is something that is saddening—the tearing up of the old one. But one must resolve never to look behind. We mustn't accept the advantages of the new house, and yet compare its faults with the virtues of the old one. We must take it as it is, forget the old one, except for its memories, and go bravely on in the new life, improving it as we may, but never sighing for the things that were the glory of the other house, to be added to the advantages of the new one.

"How much more comfortable you are here," said the visitor.

"Yes," the discontented woman muttered, "we have more room and better light, and the plumbing is all new, but did you ever see such horrid door-knobs, and we'll never have such a nice back hall as we had in the other house." That sort of woman isn't grateful. She doesn't deserve mercies. She'll never be happy in this or any other world, because she won't let herself be contented. She has an ugly grain of unthankfulness in her heart, and it crops out in her everyday life and spoils it, spoiling her face, her voice, her heart and her peace of mind and marring the happiness of everyone who comes near her.

House-hunting is a problem that can never be solved, if you go at it in a high and mighty way. If you set out with a list of your requirements and an unbending will with regard to them, you will get two very tired feet, a very much beruffled temper, an aching head and a general weariness, but you won't get a house. What you set out to get is such a dwelling as you would build to suit the requirements of your family, your habits of life, your fads and fancies, and your purse. That sort of a house you may build for yourself

some day, but you will never find it in the list of houses for rent. And so when you go house-hunting, you had best be reasonable and in a melting mood of compromise, not over-critical, mindful of the faults of your last house, but not too mindful of its blessings, especially if they are not duplicated in the new one.

Landlords are lordly folk these days. They have the same irritating airs of independence this year that the coal dealers had last year, and yet when you consider the things people want and what they are able and willing to pay, when you listen to the chatter of would-be tenants, and realize that the landlords have had years and years of unreasonable people swishing in and out of their houses, you find yourself wondering that a landlord should have a heart at all and commending him below your breath, for any politeness he may still have left upon his tongue.

We are looking over our stored-away garments these days. Let us be charitable. It is a sin to cut up good garments into make-shift ones which do not really save, and which you make only to gratify some mistaken idea of economy you have stored away in the back of your head. It is a sin to cut your husband's coat down into a coat your boy doesn't need or doesn't want, when many a poor man would be glad to shelter his aching shoulders behind the coat as it is. And the warm frocks and skirts and flannels and wraps you save from year to year, fighting the moths for them, perspiring over them in summer days as you look them over and keep them in order! Make a clearance of them all. Send your warm goods to people who need them, and get out of your heart that unworthy desire to hoard for the sake of hoarding.

There are things we cling to for memory's sake, and even those, precious as they are, are better used than kept, better going on a mission of comforting or warning or cheering people, than laid away in paper for the rather selfish owner to look upon now and again.

There's your old muff. Give it to some poor girl to keep her hands warm. She will cherish it, and you do not need the aid of material things to keep you mindful of the one who gave it to you long ago.

There are the heavy curtains and the bit of glassware that you have outgrown the need of, there are toys and pictures and books which might gladden the hearts of children and invalids and tired old folks, who cannot move about very much and have little to amuse and entertain them. We don't mean to be selfish. We don't mean to deny our help to those who need it, and yet, we have such old ideas of thrift that we feel we must keep everything we ever had, though we are constantly adding to our possessions, and burdening ourselves with work and care. And doing this, we are bad stewards. What we have, is after all only held in trust. If we neglect to do our best for others, we are worse than merely stingy—we are untrustworthy.

We are walking in the woods bending to look at the matted growths of gold thread and Lunaea borealis, stroking the silky Legaticia leaves and saying one to the other what a beautiful wood this is, how many of the rare blossoms we had found, and how wise the company was to let it grow in its own sweet, wild way. Suddenly we came upon one of the directors, and he told us that they meant to clear out the place, thin the trees, make the picturesque, winding way straight and plant white clover seed under the trees. Isn't that vandalism for you? We have left in our part of the country, very few bits of old deep wood. This one still gives arbutus blossoms and Indian-pipe and orchids to the most careless seeker, and instead of trying to preserve these wonderful things the powers that be would hasten to cut down the trees and burn off the creeping things, drive away the shy birds and the squirrels and plant white clover seed. What this most wise body of men really needed was somebody's white clover field, into which they might have planted a few trees, strictly at right angles, so that they wouldn't interfere with the mower to cut the grass nice and short.

"Oh, yes, I believe in a good tonic," said the little woman whose face was fretful and thin. I keep a bottle of splendid stuff on my washstand, and whenever I feel a little run down, I just go and take a dose and it sets me right in no time."

Isn't that bordering pretty closely on faith cure or a superstition such as the Indian has for his medicine man? Now can a tonic which isn't a mere stimulant for the time being, do such marvelous things in a minute? Isn't there a good deal of humbug about the sort of tonic of which you take just a little when you don't feel very well. Aren't such tonics liable to be taken when rest is what is really needed? Aren't they taken when good food would be better or a five-minute walk in the fresh air?

Isn't it time that reasonable women

freed themselves from the notion that a drug is a panacea for all ills, and that a teaspoonful of something or other colored to suit and sweetened to taste, is going to do them some permanent good if they run off and swallow a dose whenever they don't feel quite up to the mark.

If medicines are to do good, you must be ill, they must be chosen by a sage among doctors who knows both your constitution and the medicines very thoroughly, and you must take them for a very long time and very patiently. And not only must you take the particular remedy which is to do you good,

penusive furs, expensive jewellery, costly house furniture and the rest of food? Sometimes it is the fault of the man of the house. Sometimes the woman is to blame. Often it is no fault at all, but only their way of looking at things. Some people consider it a necessity that the wife and mother shall be spared the heavy and continuous work of a household, that she may have leisure to attend to other things, have time to be with her family and strength to direct them and be companionable. Others put the saving of money beyond all else—beyond a well-ordered home, and the leisure which, if it be not



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but you must stop taking the things which do you harm, and doing the things which interfere with your progress toward health. Being ill and trying to get well hasn't anything to do with this slipping of tones when you feel "run down."

In many cases a cup of tea or chocolate would do you quite as much good, but the medicine looks to be something, in particular, so you swallow it and feel better immediately.

"I thought I was going to have a headache," said a woman who had gone off on a day's pleasure, "and I took a big headache powder to ward it off." She deserves the "nerves" she talks about so glibly, but I daresay she'll lay them to the difficult life she and all the things she did for other people.

The education of a woman is something about which men concern themselves mightily when it isn't their affair, and which they neglect shamefully when they have daughters to educate. There seems to linger in a man's mind, the idea that learning is going to unfit women for housekeeping, home-making, wifehood and motherhood. It doesn't occur to a man that if that be true, the educated man must be a worse home-builder, a less worthy husband, and not so good a father as the ignorant man. He wouldn't admit that—not for half a second. Why his clearness of vision, his trained brain, his agile fingers, his logical mind, his storehouse of information are the very things that make him a better citizen, a better husband and father. He is a better all-around man than his uneducated, fellow being. And yet he dares to say that an ignorant woman is more useful than an educated one. Isn't it a little shaky, that theory of his? It's true enough that some educated women do not marry. There are also some educated bachelors. No one seems to consider that men shouldn't be educated because a few of them go off on a wisdom-tangent and neglect to take unto themselves wives, set up homes and rear families.

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SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.
SYNOPSIS Moore, rich, pretty and wilful, is found dead in an old house, still standing in Washington, that is popularly supposed to be haunted. Other deaths have occurred there, and the mystery of it all is, that all who died were found lying on the hearstone in one of the rooms of the house. A police detective attempts to solve the mystery, and is detailed to keep watch over the house.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.
"Mrs. Jeffrey was not in her right mind when she so unhappily took her life. I see now that the change in her dates back to her wedding day, consequently any little peculiarity she may have shown at that time is not to be wondered at."
"Certainly not," I boldly ventured; "if such peculiarities were shown at the fright given her by the catastrophe which took place in the library."
His eyes, which were fixed on mine, flashed, and his hands closed convulsively.
"We will not consider the subject," he muttered, resiating himself in the chair from which he had risen. I bowed again and went out. I did not dwell on the interview in my own mind nor did I allow myself to draw any conclusions from it. I had carefully compared the impression made on it with the marks of the mantel-shelf. This I did by laying the one over the other, after having made holes where his finger-tips had touched the blotter.
The holes in the blotter and the marks outlined upon the shelf coincided exactly.

CHAPTER IX.
JIMMY
I have already mentioned the man whom I secretly looked upon as standing between me and all preferment. He was a good-looking fellow, but he wore a natural sneer which for some reason I felt to be always directed toward myself. This sneer grew pronounced about this time, and that was the reason, no doubt, why I continued to work so long as I did in secret. I dreaded the open laugh of this man, a laugh which always seemed hovering on his lips and

CHAPTER X.
To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and effective cure for every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have caused to be printed in the daily press and ask you to help them what they think of it. You can get a box of your money back if not cured. A box of Dr. Chase's Ointment

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which was only held in restraint by the awe we all felt of the major.
Notwithstanding, I made one slight move. Encountering the deputy-coroner, I ventured to ask if he was quite satisfied with the evidence collected in the Jeffrey case.
His deputy-coroner looked surprised when I asked him this question.
I replied to this effect:
"Because I have a little friend, win some enough and subtle enough to worm the truth out of the devil. I hear that the girl Loretta is suspected of knowing more about this unfortunate tragedy than she is willing to impart. If you wish this little friend of mine to talk to her, I will see that she does so and does so with effect."
The deputy-coroner looked interested. "Whom do you mean by 'little friend' and what is her name?"
"I will send her to you."

The next day I was standing on the corner of Vermont Avenue when I saw Jimmy advancing from the house in K Street, looking chipper and was smiling in a way which made me say to myself:
"It is fortunate that Durbin is not here. It is fortunate that Durbin is not here. It is fortunate that Durbin is not here."
For Jimmy's one weakness is her lack of power to hide the satisfaction she takes in any detective work that comes her way. I had told her of this and had more than once tried to impress upon her that her smile was a complete give-away, but I noted that if she kept it from her lips, it forced its way out of her eyes, and if she kept it out of her eyes, it beamed like an inner radiance from her whole face. So I gave up the task of making her perfect and he went on smiling, glad that she had such frequent cause for it.
This morning her smile had a touch of pride in it as well as of delight, and noting this, I remarked:
"You have made Loretta talk."
Her head went up and a demure dimple appeared in her cheek.
"What did she say?" I urged. "What has she been keeping back?"
"You will have to ask the coroner. My orders were strict to bring the results of my interview immediately to him."
"Does that include Durbin?"
"I am afraid not," she said.
"You are right; but why shouldn't it include you?"
"What do you mean, Jimmy?"
"Why do you keep your own counsel so long? You have ideas about this case, I know. Why not mention them?"
"Jimmy?"
"A word to the wise is sufficient!"

The archness with which this was said, together with the fact itself, made me her slave forever. As her small figure faded from sight down the avenue I decided to take her advice and follow up whatever communication she had made to me to the coroner by a confession of my own suspicions and what they had led me into. If he laughed, well, I could stand it. It was not the coroner's laugh, nor even the major's that I feared; it was Durbin's.
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Jimmy had not been gone an hour from the coroner's office when an opportunity was afforded for me to approach that gentleman myself.
With few apologies and no preamble, I immediately entered upon my story

of the case as far as I had been able to ascertain. I told him of the mantel-shelf, of the blotter, of the holes in the blotter and the marks outlined upon the shelf, of the interview with the deputy-coroner, and of the conversation with Jimmy. I told him of the conversation with Jimmy. I told him of the conversation with Jimmy.

she laughed and turned her pretty face toward the coroner's office. But she was a woman and could not help glancing back, and meeting my dubious look, broke into an arch smile and naively added this remark: "Loretta is a busybody ashamed of her own curiosity. So much there can be no harm in telling you. When one's knowledge has been gained by lingering behind doors and peeping through cracks, one is not so ready to say who one has seen and heard. Loretta is in that box, and being more than a little scared of the police, was glad to let her anxiety and her fears overflow into a sympathetic ear. Won't she be surprised when she is called up some fine day by the coroner?"
I barely uttered my little friend, with an appreciative glance at her sparkling eyes and dimpled cheek.
The arch little creature started to move off again. As she did so, she cried: "Be good, and don't let Durbin cur on you," but stopped for the second time when half across the street, and when, obedient to her look, I hastily rejoined her, she whispered demurely: "Oh, I forgot to tell you something which I heard this morning, and which nobody but yourself has any right to know. I was following your commands and buying groceries at Simpson's, when just as I was coming out with my arms full, I heard old Mr. Simpson mention Mr. Jeffrey's name and with such interest that I naturally wanted to hear what he had to say. Having no real excuse for staying, I poked my finger into a box of sugar I was carrying, and he looked at me and I had to wait till it was put up again. This did not take long, but it took long enough for me to hear the old grocer say that he knew Mr. Jeffrey, and that that gentleman had come into his shop early a day or two before his wife's death, to buy—candles!"
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It was my own conclusion, but it did not sound as welcome to me from his lips as I had expected. Either my nature is narrow, or my inordinant jealousy lays me open to the most astonishing inconsistencies; for no sooner had he spoken these words than I experienced a sudden revulsion against my own theory and the suspicion which it threw upon the man whom an hour before I was eager to proclaim a criminal.

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which I made as concise and as much to the point as possible. I did not expect praise from him, but I did look for some slight show of astonishment at the nature of my news. I was therefore greatly disappointed, when, after a moment's consideration, he carelessly remarked:
"Very good! Very good! The one point you make is excellent and may prove of use to us. We had reached the same conclusion, but by another road. You ask, 'Who blew out the candle?' We, who tied the pistol to Mrs. Jeffrey's arm? It could not have been tied by herself. Who was her accomplice? You ask, 'Who blew out the candle?' We, who tied the pistol to Mrs. Jeffrey's arm? It could not have been tied by herself. Who was her accomplice? You ask, 'Who blew out the candle?' We, who tied the pistol to Mrs. Jeffrey's arm? It could not have been tied by herself. Who was her accomplice?"
I flushed as if a pall of hot water had been dashed suddenly over me. He was right. The conclusion he spoke of had fallen to strike me. Why? It was a perfectly obvious one, and obvious to me that the candle had been blown out by another breath than hers; yet, absorbed in my own train of thought, I had completely overlooked it. The coroner, observing my embarrassment, smiled, and my humiliation was complete—or would have been had Durbin been there, but fortunately he was not.
"I am a fool," I cried. "I thought I had discovered something. I might have known that there were keener minds than mine in this office."
"Easy! easy!" was the good-natured interruption. "You have done well. If I did not think so, I would not keep you here a minute. As it is, I am disposed to let you see that in a case like this, one man must not expect to monopolize all honors. This matter of the bow of ribbon would strike any old and experienced official. I only wonder that we have not seen it openly discussed in the papers."
Taking a box from his desk, he opened it and held it out toward me. A coil of white ribbon surmounted by a crisp and dainty bow met my eyes.
"You recognize it?" he asked.
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\$3.98 BUYS A GOOD SKIRT HERE, AND \$12.50 BUYS THE BEST, THAT IS IN WALKING LENGTH SKIRTS.

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1. INKWELL.
2. RULER.
3. PENCIL.
4. LADY BOOK.
5. SLATE.
6. RUBBER.
7. POINTER.
8. BLACKBOARD.
9. REEL.
10. CHALK.

The winner of the first prize was Clara Schuman, 684 Wellington st., city. E. M. Dawson, 318 St. Ursula street. Little, Ursin, 88 1/2 St. Alexander st. S. Feevey, 122 1/2 St. Ferdinand street, St. Henri.
H. Pan, Dominion lane, city.
Edith Egan, 621 Hutchison street.
O. N. Amey, Winchester, Ont.
Miss L. F. Guest, 2325 Notre Dame.
Jessie B. Locke, 187 St. Hippolyte.
Dorothy C. Lytle, 456 Grosvenor ave.
R. G. Huxey, 212 St. Antoine street.
Marguerite Ross, 49 Union ave.
Geoffrey Outton, 68 Emily street.
Edward Allen, Church street, Fredericton.
Edward Motley, Granby, P.Q.
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A Mere Episode.

By JULIA TRUITT BISHOP

He had seen her as he rounded the last bend, far ahead in the woodland road, her light figure erect on the horse, shafts of sunlight piercing down through the tree expressly to plunge into her shining hair. He had seen her look back over her shoulder, and then, catching sight of him, urge her horse to swifter speed and go rapidly around that further bend.

"As though I would follow her, or obtrude myself on a girl who—," he said to himself, with great bitterness toward the girl who— and then he drew his horse into a slow walk and was so careless with the lines that the horse was in two minds about running away. He did not run away, however, but jogged comfortably along, until in the course of time he, too, had rounded that further bend, and the driver gave a start that stopped the horse.

For when you have given a girl any amount of time to get out of your way, as she is evidently anxious to do, and as you certainly hope she will do, and when you drive around the bend with the firm conviction that she is miles away by this time, and there she is, standing horseless, and forlorn in the middle of the road, you are certainly excusable for giving a start that shakes the lines.

"Have you been thrown, Miss VanRath?" he asked. He was out of the buggy and beside her so quickly that she hardly realized it until she was being asked the question with breathless anxiety. She moved a little and the sun darted jubilantly down into the red-gold hair.

"My horse—the saddle—something was loose," she murmured incoherently, "and when I got down to see if I could fix it the horse ran away. I suppose I'll have to get out of here, with a glance upward into his face.

Lance Mortimer, young attorney and, last summer, rejected lover of Miss VanRath suddenly remembered his duty.

"Let me help you into the buggy," he said, with a formal civility. "I am going that way and it will be no trouble."

She hesitated a moment, moved to revolt by the coldness of his tone, but presently allowed herself to be helped into the buggy, where the two sat side by side and looked straight ahead.

"I know this is a trouble for you," she murmured, penitently. "It was so unfortunate about that horse running away the moment I got off. You— you don't suppose he'll get lost, do you?"

If Miss VanRath was desperately making conversation, Mr. Mortimer was willing to do his share.

"He will go home, of course," he said, with an air of having no interest in anything earthly except his horse.

"Old Parson had him, I suppose. I am surprised at his running away. The Gray horses generally prefer to go to sleep."

"Oh, they certainly do," she cried, with laughter. And then a pause ensued, imminent, she added, hurriedly: "It looked so much like that horse running away I was almost afraid to come out; but now—it—it—the clouds are all gone, aren't they?"

Mr. Mortimer glanced at her and then looked ahead again.

"Continued fair in the lake region," he said, "with storm on the gulf coast and an area of depression in the cotton belt."

"You are as mean as you can be!" she retorted, with great wheateariness. "I am very sorry to subject you to all this annoyance."

"Don't worry. One can endure anything for a little while," he replied, with brutal candor. "I will not intrude on your little noxy ride this morning again. I wouldn't have come this summer, but I supposed you had gone to far other fields."

"Thanks," she said, "you have the merit of being truthful," she said. She was looking away up the road.

"I have to be—it's such a help in my profession," he said, grimly. "But come and bury yourself in the backwoods, at Gray's poor old farm, when you might have made the round of the watering places with Mrs. Burke-Hanley—and her son?"

"I don't know how I withstood the temptation," she murmured. "Not that Johnny Burke is a good fellow. He would take me any distance in his buggy—or automobile—and never snub me once."

There was laughter in the eyes under the pert little visor of the riding cap. He turned and saw it there, and in a moment his mastery of himself was gone.

"Miss VanRath," he exclaimed bitterly. "I see that you still find me amusing—as you did last year. No doubt it was absurd enough—the idea of a clumsy, country-born bumpkin of a beggarly lawyer—daring to think of you in that—that way; and you gave me the discipline I deserved. You laughed at me then—as you laughed just now. You have had so much love offered you; it is natural that you should find some of your would-be lovers laughable. Well, little girl (his tone had suddenly grown sad), we two have come to the parting of the ways. I am going to leave you at Gray's, and then I shall drive on to the station and go back to town."

If he had looked just then he would have seen that the light of something that surely was his laster flashed out from beneath the jaunty cap. She leaned over and took the reins out of his hands and drew the horse up to a walk.

"Since this is the last drive," she said demurely, "there is no need of rushing. It will be over soon enough."

He turned and looked at her, a pulse beating fiercely in his throat. "As I have never expected to be able to understand what any woman means," he declared, with bitter emphasis. "Least of all do I understand you now. Is this some new scheme for keeping me on the rack?"

"You, a lawyer, and not understanding that!" she retorted, lightly, with a demure drooping of the lashes. "I'll venture anything you have forgotten that last summer, as we sat under the elm tree in Mr. Gray's yard—you see, I remember—you told me that you loved me—and in the same breath confessed how bitterly jealous you were of—of Johnny Burke, of all the people in the world! You know such an absurd idea had never presented itself to me; his mother is good to me, you know. I have no mother of my own; but Johnny—why, it had never occurred to me that Johnny would ever be anything but a funny little boy with a light moustache and the tallest collar that ever was. And so I laughed. So would any one else have laughed, if he had as much sense of humor as a cat."

There was a pause. Mr. Mortimer had not turned away his eyes; but he did not speak a word. "For this was a world where no man living could ever hope to understand a woman."

"And then," he said, at last, clearing his throat, which had grown dry, "I saw that a swift glance of something that was not laughter rose to his face. "Oh, then, I had an opportunity to find out what this new love was like. My lover turns on me a face as white as

ELSIE'S ROMANCE.

—By W. Werner.

Over the telephone wires a soft, plaintive melody throbed. Over house-tops, through dark, damp suburbs, into sky-scrapers and out again, by way of a devious circuit it finally found its way into the metal hood of a little "central" operator for whose ears it was solely intended.

She was the girl with the angel's voice—the one who calls at your phone early every morning and to your impatient, "Well!" answers in the most melting tones imaginable: "Morning, then; hang up your receiver, p-l-e-a-s-e"—not the one who an hour later shrieks: "Excuse me, sir, but I did not cut you off! You did it yourself—b-r-r-r-r-r-r-r bang!"

Elsie—for of course her name was Elsie—listened for the serene voice of morning. It was the only romantic circumstance of her dull, circumstanced existence. The music came as a daily occurrence, beginning about day-break, when the air was crisp and clear the vibrant copper wire at the switchboard fairly quivered under the flood of melody that came from a mysterious mouth organ several miles away. When the morning serenade had been continued several times Elsie "cut in" to say:

"Oh, that's perfectly lovely! Play 'Nellie Gray,' would you p-l-e-a-s-e?"

"Sure thing." It was a man's voice that answered.

How deliciously he played those opening bars—"There's a low green valley." His improvised "variations" always started a train of memories, bringing back to the little operator those sunshiny years when she had danced in short dresses with a circle of school-mates around little "Jimmie" Krueger, the boy who played wonderful music on the harmonica. Every morning the music was repeated about the time the phone tests were being made. When the ice had been broken the conversations were long.

"What was that?" she asked, when the serenade brought forth a new air.

"That? Oh, it's something I made up a purpose for you," was the reply.

"How nice," she laughed. "What's the name?"

"It's anything you want to call it. It means the top-o'-the-morning."

"It's real pretty," said the little operator. The next morning the air was repeated.

"Top-o'-the-morning, yourself!" she answered merrily.

The conversations began to deal less with generalities and so did the music. "Sweetheart, I Love You Ever" it began one morning.

"Stop that, now!" she protested, laughing.

After that the song of the enraptured moonbeam was included in the daily repertoire. But the air that delighted her most was "The Sidewalks of New York."

"We used to have fine times dancing on the sidewalks when I went to school!" she said.

"Quite a memory you have!" he replied, teasingly.

"How mean you are!"

It was a long time before she heard the music again. She listened for it in vain, making queer little guesses concerning the reason for the hushing of the melody. But one day the familiar "Top-o'-the-morning" came over the wire.

"How are you? What makes you so still these mornings?" she asked.

"I don't come down early any more," he replied.

"Too bad. What did you get your hours changed for?"

"I belong to the firm now."

"That's nice. How does it seem to be boss of the establishment?"

"Oh, I'm not quite that. Just junior partner, you know."

He resumed playing.

"Know what that was?" he asked.

"Yes."

"Get you don't."

"Get I don't."

"What will you bet?"

"What will YOU bet?"

"Oh, well—pair of theatre tickets."

It was an old song, the chorus of which went "Oh, Hannah, Won't You Come Out Tonight?"

"Good," he exclaimed, in pretended astonishment; then after a little pause: "You will, then, eh?"

"Will what?"

"Come out to-night, of course."

"Of course I won't."

"What about the theatre tickets?" he asked, in a persuasive voice.

"I want you to know I don't go out with persons I don't know," she answered severely.

"Well, suppose that we do know each other?"

"But we don't."

"Won't you take my word for it that we do? I'll tell you. I'll get the tickets and call for you to-night at 11334 Myrtle avenue, and—"

"Why, how did you find out where I live?" she asked in amazement.

"Oh, never mind. Just say that you will go to the show with an old friend, and if it doesn't turn out that way you can set the dog on me. It will be all right."

"I don't know about that," said Elsie, doubtfully.

"Well, I'm going to call, anyway. You needn't go if it isn't as I say."

Elsie was in a flutter of excitement all day. Who in the world could he be? The truth was Elsie feared he would prove to be a bold, flirtatious person, seeking to presume upon an acquaintance that never existed. That night when a tall, scrupulously groomed young man was ushered into the little parlor to be received by Elsie, looking her very prettiest, she believed this judgment had been correct. Surely he was never on her calling list. The young man advanced and offered his hand.

"Well, how is Elsie?" he asked.

"Pretty well," she replied, reluctantly, extending her fingers. Then a flash of recognition came into her eyes. "Why, it's Jimmie Krueger!" she exclaimed. Blush after blush flashed across her temples, until they seemed to be the playground for an aurora. Jimmie Krueger! Her first sweetheart!

The boy who played the wonderful music on the harmonica, the lad who used to stare at her during school hours and tag her around the playground, from whom she had withheld her favors and graciousness because the others teased her about him; the jolly little lad who was content if she would only let him sharpen her sacred lead pencils once in a while.

Jimmie grew up, tall and handsome and such a swell, too! "And did you know it was me all the time?" she asked.

"Why, sure thing," he replied. "You see, I never quite lost track of you. I knew when you went to work for the telephone company, and it was easy to find out about your hours."

"Yes, father lost his health and—"

"I know," he interrupted kindly. "But about the tickets. It's time to be going, isn't it?"

"How did you ever come to think about the harmonica and the old songs?" she asked as they started for the elevated.

"Oh, just one of my little notions," he replied as she took his arm.

"Hear about Elsie?" she asked the day central.

"No. What?" he asked her friend.

"She's resigned. Going to get married. Going to Europe on her honeymoon, too."

"The ideal!" exclaimed the other girl.

There is a smaller percentage of women at work in the United States than in any other civilized land. Such is the testimony of the Statistical Year-Book of the German Empire for 1903, just published. According to that high authority only 14.3 per cent. of the total self-supporting population of this country are females, while in Germany the percentage is 48. In England, 27, in Italy 40, in Austria 47.

Sir A. Conan Doyle is being criticised for ignorance of his own contemporaries. He said in a recent speech that a septuagenarian author is as rare as a black swan. His critics point to Herbert Spencer, George Meredith, Dr. Samuel Smiles, Marville Fenn, Tolstol, Ibsen, Sardou and others as proof against Sir Conan's statement.



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The work of ridding the city streets of the numerous beggars which work Manager Rivet, of the East End Refuge, set himself to accomplish some weeks ago with the assistance of the police, continues. As yet the worst cases have been dealt with, and beggars who had occupied street corners so long that they had come to be considered permanent fixtures, have disappeared from their usual haunts.

This crusade has revealed a state of affairs that is nothing short of astonishing. Not only were the majority of the beggars found to have near relatives able to support them, as already intimated in The Herald, but a large number of them turned out to be "fakes." Not only were the majority of the beggars found to have near relatives able to support them, as already intimated in The Herald, but a large number of them turned out to be "fakes."

Records of Street Beggars. A few years ago a police officer, who was neither a chief nor an inspector, nor even a captain, but a humble lieutenant, an officer as the Montreal police ever knew, undertook to investigate the records of the street beggars, and in less than three months he had the majority of them on the run, having proved them to be fakers imposing upon the public. This officer is now dead.

The first case he brought before the court was a seasonal one. For years an Italian had been stationed in Notre Dame street, rolled up in a bundle of rags, and attracting the attention of passers by playing a frightfully discordant and wheezy organ. This beggar, who was made up to appear 75 years of age, turned out to be a young and well-bodied man of 30 years, and in the lining of his coat \$1,500 was found sewed up.

The next case is the more interesting to-day, as the subject of the sketch was yet in St. Catherine street, last week, but he has disappeared since, and neither the police nor any one else appears to know of his whereabouts. As this is not the first storm he has weathered, he is no doubt in hiding awaiting until the skies become serene again.

Trick to Arouse Sympathy. This man is easily recognized owing to the fact that he persists in keeping his head uncovered through the most severe weather. Gifts of winter caps he is said to have had by the dozen, at first from merchants doing business in the vicinity, and afterward from charitable passers-by, but he causes all these to vanish unperceived. An expert in legerdemain does paper balls or nutmegs, and he still continues to display his consideration for the public by remaining uncovered, though blinding snow storms, and to work on its sympathy by spreading out on the sidewalk an assortment of crutches and spiked shoes, for which he has a ready use, for he is quite able to walk without the aid of either, and he appears to suffer from no particular infirmity, except a slight lameness.

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The next meeting of the Boys' Sunshine Club of Westmount, branch of the International Sunshine Society of New York, will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Seliger. The boys are to have a fair in November, and a verse on pretty steps has been sent to the different members and friends.

Contributions to be sent to the Boys' Sunshine room, Victoria Hall, Westmount Park, or to the officers of the club: Spencer Barnard, 536 Grosvenor avenue; Alex. Seliger, 4576 Sherbrooke street; Sydney Stevens, 4846 Western avenue.

It is hoped there will be a large attendance at the meeting on Tuesday, as matters of much importance are to be discussed. The boys are to be commended in their effort to cheer the time of different invalid boys who have been brought to their notice. They send books, stamps, photo and write letters. Westmount S.S. Society.

At the annual meeting of the Westmount Sunshine Society, held Tuesday in Victoria Hall, the following of-

fers were elected: Mrs. Hutchison, president; Mrs. McFarlane, first vice-president; Mrs. Brett, second vice-president; Miss Allan, recording secretary; Miss Macdonald, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Dwyer, and a number of packages with no name.

Reports from the literature, flower, visiting, philanthropic, wheel-chair committees were given showing a large amount of work accomplished.

The boys have found a Sunshine friend in Mr. Ernest Cousins, dairyman and produce merchant, who has taken literature to the sailors for the club.

On Tuesday a large donation of magazines was sent in custody to a request from the Rev. Mr. Potter for the sailors on the St. Lawrence River and Upper Lakes.

TO THE BOYS OF WESTMOUNT SUNSHINE CLUB.

I wish to thank you for the wreath of flowers you sent in sympathy for a little boy who has lost a kind and loving father. May these acts of kindness bring sunshine to your hearts, and the future of your club be very bright.

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YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 44, 66; Kamloops, 34, 56; Calgary, 38, 52; Qu'Appelle, 38, 42; Winnipeg, 32, 40; Port Arthur, 38, 46; Parry Sound, 50, 56; Toronto, 52, 64; Ottawa, 44, 62; Montreal, 46, 60; Quebec, 40, 56; Halifax, 34, 58.

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