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## Are Churches Ready for Union?

Movement Must Not be Forced or Hindered.

PROF. SHAW'S VIEWS WOULD REFER THE QUESTION TO THE INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS FOR OPINION.

The Rev. W. I. Shaw, principal of the Montreal Methodist College, will be one of the fourteen representatives of the Methodist church to attend the forthcoming Church Union Conference in Toronto. Dr. Shaw, being one of the most distinguished among his brethren for breadth of spirit and appreciation of the attainments of other Christian bodies, Montreal Methodists anticipate a good deal from his presence and influence in the conference. It cannot be said, however, that the churches of Quebec are as yet taking a very active interest in the question of organic unity, and the advanced character of the present situation is very little appreciated.

MUST NOT BE FORCED.  
A Toronto News representative called on Dr. Shaw to ask him what would be his attitude at the conference. Dr. Shaw admitted that he was taking a great interest in the matter. "I am personally favorable," he said, "to organic union of the churches are ready for it. My last words to the late Principal MacVicar, of Montreal, three days before he died, with which he cordially agreed, was: 'This movement must be neither forced nor hindered.' I am not sure whether the churches are ready or not, and, therefore, I intend to propose a simple inquiry being sent down through all the membership, or at least through the Official Boards, 'Do you wish your representative to negotiate at once for organic union?' If the answer to this is general and affirmative, it will be a mandate to proceed. If it is not we ought not to proceed."

DIFFICULTIES ARE NOT MANY.  
"What difficulties do you anticipate in case of negotiations?" Dr. Shaw was asked.  
"Well, none as to theological differences, and none as to church courts, so far as the Presbyterians and Methodists are concerned, and not much as to the Methodist itinerancy and Presbyterian settled pastorate. There will be difficulty arising from prejudices held by persons who are influential and by more who are not influential. There will be difficulty in cutting loose the historic connection of each denomination with the past, for the resultant must be a new organization, no longer either Methodist or Presbyterian, though, presumably, uniting the benefits of both. In previous unions the results have been in one case, still Presbyterian, in the other still Methodist. These generic words represent common rallying points where the uniting Churches could agree. But out of this new historical development grows a difficulty which the man of the world would treat with contempt, viz., the name. I think myself, that if business men can sink their prejudices as to the names of their partnerships, if only large profits are in sight, we should not imperil the great benefit of union by contending over a name."

"How does the Congregational Church stand related to the movement?"  
"There is no such church in Canada as the Congregational Church. There is a federation of independent churches, each of which is a Congregational church. Each could stay in or go out of the federation at pleasure and still be a Congregational church. I could say much on this point, but one thing to my mind, is clear. The solidarity which marks the Methodist church in a thousand ways in a very large measure, and almost as much the Presbyterian, cannot be sacrificed without great loss to the efficiency of the church, though it may be modified. If I were a Congregationalist, I would have none of it. But, remember, the Congregationalists represent some of the grandest and greatest forces in modern history, and I cannot tell what concessions their separate churches may be willing to make for the sake of union."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dis-temper.

## A SHERBROOKE MAN MISSING IN MANCHURIA

### Wm. Davidson, Former Resident of Port Arthur, Reported to Have Disappeared.

AUTHORITIES LOOKING FOR HIM—CHIEF DAVIDSON, HIS FATHER, HAS WRITTEN OTTAWA TO HAVE THE PROTECTION OF GOVERNMENT EXTENDED TO HIM.

Berlin, April 21.—A correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung, writing from Harbin, Manchuria, under date of March 16, says: "Great bitterness has been aroused throughout Manchuria against Americans and British because it is believed American and British vessels took part in the bombardments of Port Arthur under the Japanese flag. This belief apparently is due to the fact that the Japanese fleet was larger than the Russians anticipated and included unknown types of vessels. The feeling is so strong that Americans and British are not safe anywhere in Manchuria. One Raily, an American, and several others, including Davidson, a Canadian, have disappeared. The authorities are looking for them. It is reported that an Englishman was arrested at Port Arthur as a spy and was taken to Mukden and hanged. "The plying of the so-called flour boats on the Liao river, mostly under the American flag and carrying American goods, has been prohibited. Southern Manchuria has been scoured for several months for supplies of flour destined for Port Arthur, which is reported to be provisioned for two years."

The above despatch is of more than passing interest to Sherbrooke people, for it is believed that the Davidson mentioned is William Davidson, son of Chief Davidson, of this city. It was well-known by his parties here that William Davidson was the only Canadian in Port Arthur. Up to the outbreak of hostilities Mr. Davidson was very regular in his correspondence, but since the war broke out no communication has been received from him, and it is supposed that while Mr. A. T. Short, and his family, who was with the same company, Mr. Davidson remained behind, as otherwise his people would have had word from him ere this had he reached any point outside of Russian jurisdiction. Mr. Davidson was agent for the Clarkson Company, an American concern that carried on a large trading business in the Far East, and has been in Port Arthur since 1898. Although representing an American house, Mr. Davidson did not give up his allegiance to the British flag and carries Canadian passports. This morning on getting communication of the above despatch, his father immediately communicated with the authorities at Ottawa with a view to verifying the truth of the report, and also to see that steps are taken to have the representatives of the British Government in the Far East extend the protection which is due to all British subjects.

## JAPANESE OFFICERS SHOT FOR BEING SPIES

### Engagement at the Mouth of the Yalu River.

TWO JAPANESE OFFICERS CAPTURED.  
Tien Tsin, April 22.—The two Japanese officers who were captured in Manchuria disguised as Lamas, and who had a large quantity of explosives in their possession, have been taken to Port Arthur. After a court martial they were ordered to be shot.

PORT ARTHUR BLOCKED.  
London, April 22.—The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that Port Arthur undoubtedly is effectually blocked, and that events are culminating around the doomed fortress.

BOMBARD NEW CHWANG.  
London, April 22.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Standard says it is reported that the Japanese have bombarded New Chwang, and landed troops, who will probably try to join the force which is supposed to have landed near the mouth of the Yalu river three days ago.  
FORCES GETTING CLOSER.  
A despatch to the London Times from New Chwang reports that both sides are getting closer together on the Yalu, and are now five miles distant.

## Rebuilding Will Soon Start at Toronto.

CATASTROPHE WILL NOT BE FOLLOWED BY FINANCIAL PANIC.  
Toronto, April 21.—Preparations have already begun for the rebuilding of the burned district. Already some of the prominent firms have despatched their travellers to New York and Europe to secure new stocks. A prominent labor man said this morning that labor organizations would not seek to make capital out of the added building work, and some branches which have been agitating for a new scale of wages, have decided to lay the matter over for a year. The work of levelling insecure portions of the ruins began this morning, dynamite being used. The general opinion of bank managers and capitalists of the city is that the catastrophe, while necessarily entailing a severe setback to the whole business community of the city, will not be followed by a financial panic.

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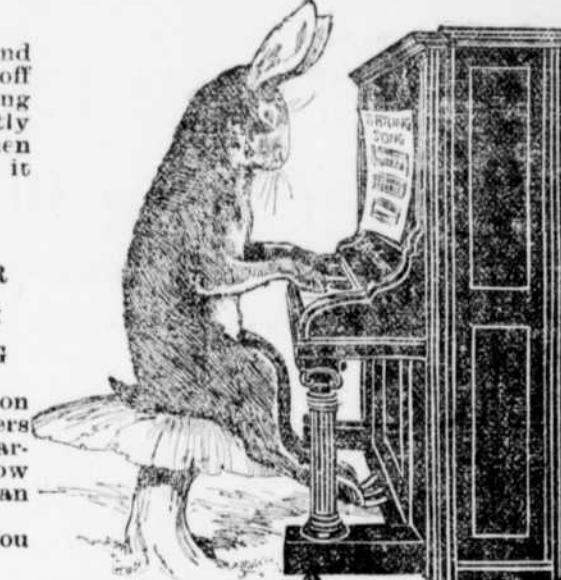
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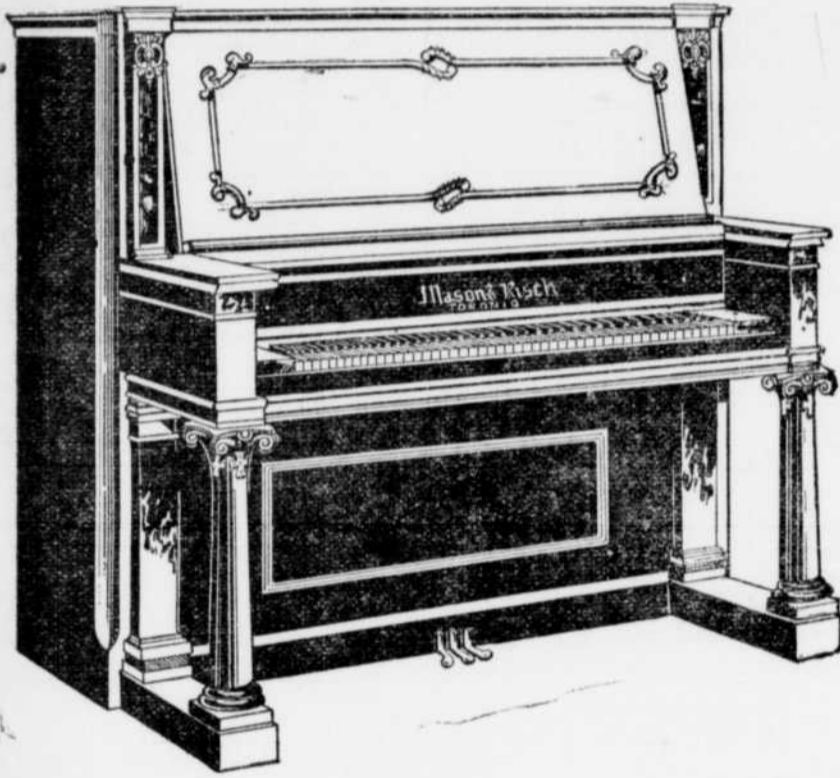
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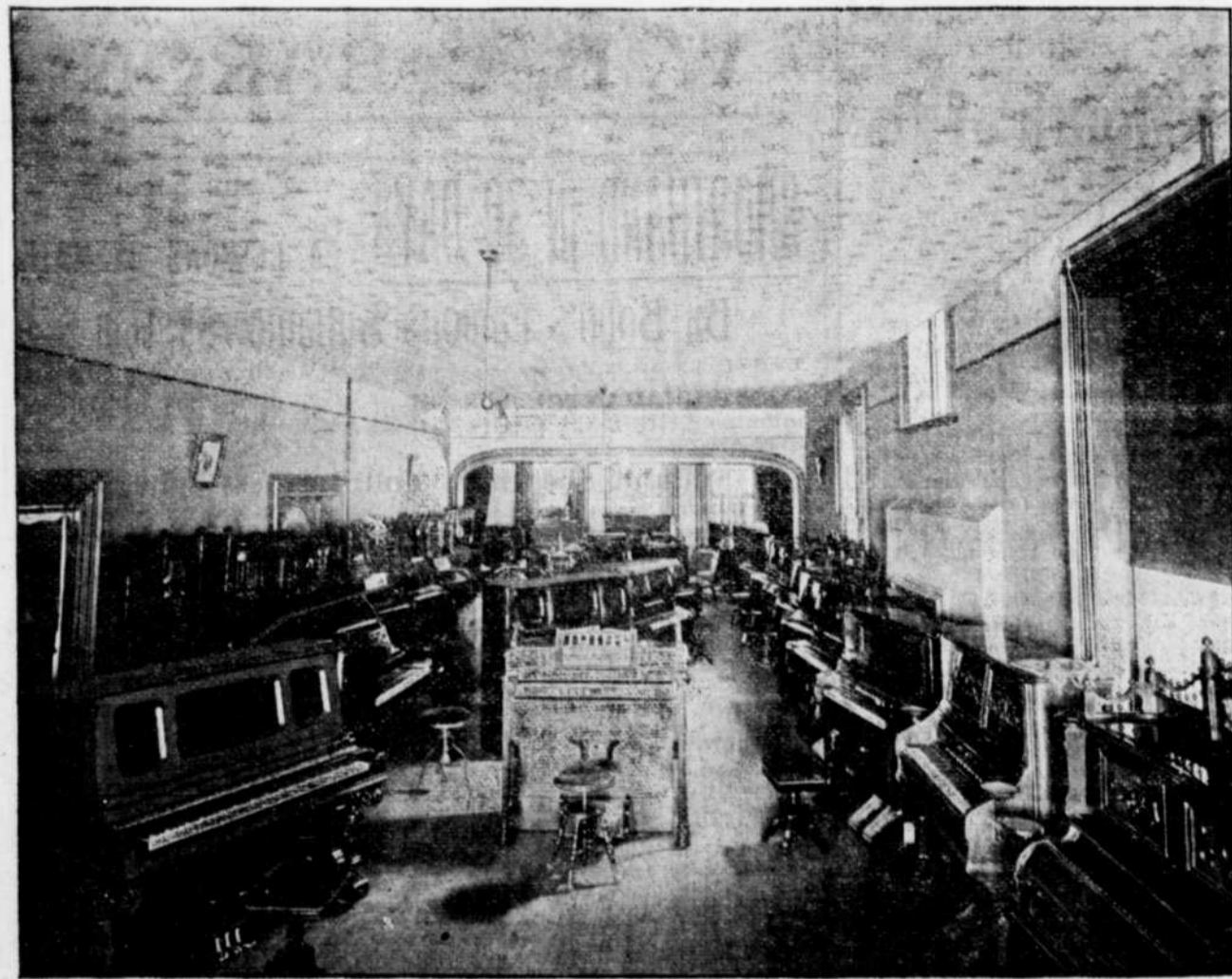
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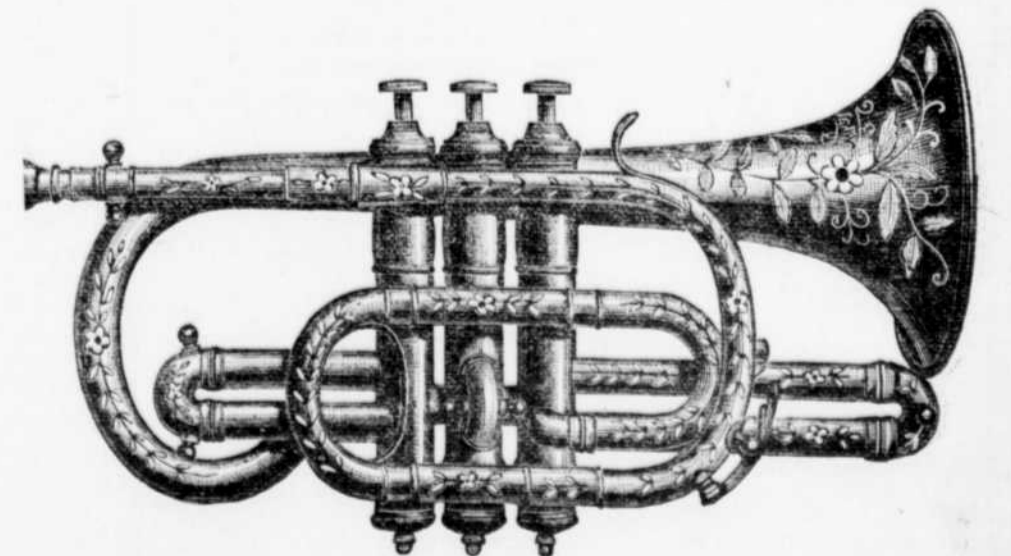
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The Little Things That Freet. "My, but the old man's a most unreasonable growler!"

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W.C.T.U. AND HOME DEPT.

(Edited by Compton.)

Our Unions have, in March and April, brought before them our two departments of Hospital Aid and Systematic Giving.

THE PRINCIPLE OF GIVING. The principle of giving the first fruits to God is recognized in St. Paul's Epistles. I believe many who give much lose much of the blessing of it, because they give contrary to the principles laid down in the Bible.

THE WIDOW'S MITE. The first person who introduced me to the duty of systematic giving was a woman who was my landlady many years ago.

A BRIGHT EXAMPLE. "Many years ago a lad of sixteen years left home to seek his fortune. All his worldly possessions were tied up in a bundle, which he carried in his hand.

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NORTH HATLEY. On Wednesday morning, the 13th, at an early hour we had a quiet wedding in the R.C. church, the contracting parties being Mr. P. L. Lamay and Miss Amond Garrant.

Mr. Curtis Howe has returned from Laconia, N.H., where he spent the most of the winter with relatives. He intends to stop in the post office here this summer.

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Mr. Fisher and the Gazette. "If the people of the Townships are not to blame the Hon. Sydney for the lamentable state of our Protestant elementary schools, whom are they to blame? Not any other of the sacred personages of the Protestant Committee, surely. Not Mr. W. L. Shurtleff, nor the Rev. Dr. Rexford, nor Dr. Robins, nor Mr. Abner W. Kneeland, —these are gentlemen even more sacred to the memory of what might have been done than the others." The foregoing appeared in last week's issue of our contemporary the Gazette. In reply we would like to ask why not blame Mr. Shurtleff or Mr. Rexford or Mr. Robins or Mr. Kneeland as well as the Hon. Mr. Fisher. Not that we mean to argue that these gentlemen or any of them are responsible for the present condition of our elementary schools further than that they are equally so with Mr. Fisher. It is not only absurd but nonsensical for a journal to argue from week to week that any one man is responsible for the education of the Province. Not only is it absurd and nonsensical on the part of the journal, but it is also unjust to do so simply to make political capital; and no one thinks that the Gazette would advocate for one moment that Mr. Fisher was thus responsible, if he was minister of agriculture in a Conservative instead of a Liberal Government.

Our Canadian Wheat Fields. A writer in the Review of Reviews this month asked this question: "Who can estimate, with any approach to accuracy, the wheat growing acreage of the Canadian Provinces and Territories?" The question is rather difficult to answer especially at the present time. Just now the total number of acres suitable for cultivation is 171,000,000 but beyond the boundaries of Manitoba and the Territories, where these acres lie, are the vast Northern Territories of Athabaska and Mackenzie comprising as many million acres more. True at the present time, but a small proportion of this land is in cultivation. And yet if the number of acres under cultivation were not compared with those that are suitable for cultivation, the quantity would seem large, for it has already reached the dimension of over four million of acres. From the present small comparative acreage an equivalent of some 200,000,000 bushels of wheat are now shipped to Great Britain. When the time comes that one-quarter of the land suitable for cultivation in Manitoba and the three provisional Territories is seeded, the total crop will likely be over eight million bushels. This would be sufficient to supply the home demand and meet the present requirements of Great Britain three times over.

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The Changed Condition. A couple of weeks ago some two carloads of immigrants passed through the city of Sherbrooke en route for our North-west, where they will receive from the Canadian Government a farm of 160 acres without any cost whatever. This leads us to contrast the life of the pioneer of Canada today with that of the pioneer of fifty or seventy-five years ago. At that time our Northwest was practically unknown and settlement was confined to the Eastern part of our Dominion, where the physical conditions were altogether different. Take for example the settler of that time in the Eastern Townships. He had in the beginning to fell sufficient trees in the forest to make an opening for the rude cabin which he constructed to protect himself and family from the rigors of the Canadian climate. The small clearing was slowly enlarged and the first sowing was among the stumps and years passed by before he even had what we call a field. The immigrants who passed through Sherbrooke the other day had their farms waiting for them in the Northwest. The fields are cleared, the meadows are already made and the work of one season turns a prairie into a wheat field. Surely the young men of our country today have in our Northwest a goodly heritage as compared to that of their forefathers.

Beautiful Your Surroundings. It may appear to be forcing the season somewhat to speak at the present time about shrubs and flowers. Yet we may expect that very shortly the time will be upon us for seeding and planting. The appearance of the City of Sherbrooke could be greatly improved and beautified, if more of its people took an interest in flowers, shrubs and trees, especially the latter. The city has already a large number of shade trees but there is a dearth of shrubs and flowers. True it is, that some of our citizens have given object lessons to the others along this line, for there are people who take an interest in these things and have premises which should be a matter of pride to themselves, as they are a matter of beauty to the city. An expenditure of five dollars in hardy shrubs will greatly improve the appearance of any lot, while a couple of beds of annuals, the seeds for which would not cost twenty-five cents, would give a display of flowers during the summer, which would be a matter of enjoyment not only to the owners of the dwelling, but to all passersby. We commend this matter to our readers as one worthy of their attention and feel sure that if a trial were made this season, the pleasure which would be derived therefrom would be such, that in the near future Sherbrooke would become celebrated for the beauty of the surroundings of its homes.

The Horrors of War. Press despatches tell us that the destruction of the Russian war vessel a few days ago was completed in two minutes, that is, within two minutes after the mine exploded beneath it, the vessel was a complete wreck and 700 brave men had been ushered into eternity. If this result had come about through an accident at sea, the entire world would have mourned the event, but having been brought about as a result of war, about the only comment is along the line of the superior prowess of the Japanese over the Russians. And yet, when we consider that the destruction of this vessel and the death of these human beings resulted from a premeditated plan to bring about this destruction and death, and also consider that men can be led to so plan the death of their fellow beings by wholesale with praise rather than punishment as to the result, we should really mourn not only for the deaths but also for the cupidity of man which plans the result.

Why Burn Your Flesh. With acid corn salves when 25c. buys a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. It's pure vegetable, never causes sores, and acts entirely without pain. Use only Putnam's—the best. The Provincial Treasurer of Quebec, in his budget speech, claimed a surplus of \$43,728, but the Conservative Opposition claim that the true surplus is only \$5,228. The Grand Trunk has dismissed from their employment at Belleville about twenty-five firemen, and have reduced twenty of the youngest engineers to the grade of firemen. The Japanese admit that constant skirmishing is occurring on the Yalu, but they claim that no decisive action has yet taken place.

The Provincial Finances. The statement which the Provincial yesterday furnished proof that the Treasurer laid before the Legislature careful and economic husbanding of the province's finances which has been so marked a feature of the administration of Hon. Mr. Marchand and the Hon. Mr. Parent, is still the dominating policy of the Government. After the carnival of extravagance which ended with the return of Mr. Marchand to power in 1897, there was but one thing to do by any Government sincerely desirous of serving the public interest, and that was to inaugurate an era of economy, cutting off every expenditure not absolutely necessary. Such a policy is not calculated to make an administration popular, but Mr. Marchand did not hesitate to adopt it, and his example has been unflinchingly followed by Mr. Parent. The result has been the establishment of an equilibrium of receipts and expenditures, and the rehabilitation of the provincial finances in such a degree that Mr. McCorkill was yesterday able to announce on the operations of the past fiscal year, a satisfactory surplus of over one hundred thousand dollars. The new Provincial Treasurer has hardly had time, since being called to the Cabinet, to seat himself comfortably in his official chair, and he gave full credit to his lamented predecessor for the figures which he was presenting to the House. The form in which they were presented, however, was Mr. McCorkill's, and demonstrated the fact that he had acquired, in a short time, a remarkable mastery of the facts and figures relating to the public revenues and expenditures of the province. An illuminating comparison made by Mr. McCorkill was contained in the simple statement that as \$1,600,000 is annually consumed in paying interest, the province has but \$3,122,189 to spend on ordinary expenditures, as compared with \$5,466,650 available by Ontario for similar purposes. Over thirty per cent. of the provincial revenue is derived from the Crown Lands Department, so ably presided over by the Premier, the sum of \$1,455,386 being its contribution. It is around this fund that the fiercest struggle wages in the Legislature, the Opposition claiming that the money derived from the sale of Crown Lands and timber rights should go to capital account, and not be included in current revenue. Mr. McCorkill faced this attack squarely and argued that, under the regulations providing against indiscriminate cutting of trees, there is no destruction of the provincial heritage. The timber limits will be reforested every eighteen or twenty-five years, and will thus be a perpetual source of revenue. It is easy to see that were the province to treat the receipts from timber licenses as capital other sources of revenue for current expense would have to be sought for no charge of undue expenditure has been laid at the Administration's door, and the Opposition has wholly failed in showing where any reduction can be made without seriously affecting the conduct of the public business. All in all, the Premier has good reason to feel content with Mr. McCorkill's first budget speech. Careful businesslike administration of the affairs of the province, rather than the expenditure of money on development work, is what is needed. Such administration is what Quebec now enjoys, and there is in consequence a widespread feeling of satisfaction and contentment with the Government of Mr. Parent and his colleagues.—Herald, Montreal.

THE WOOLEN INDUSTRY. A debate upon the tariff in its application to the woollen industry was precipitated in the House of Commons on Tuesday by Mr. R. A. Pringle, Cornwall, who took exception to the statement by the Finance Minister that he had seen a circular issued by the Canada Woollen Mills, Limited, notifying their customers that they were prepared to fill orders and that, therefore, the statement that they were closing down their mills was not warranted by the facts. Mr. Fielding today read an advertisement inviting orders, and Mr. W. R. Brock, president of the company, explained that the company were endeavoring to obtain sufficient orders to keep the mills in operation until May 12, when they are to be sold, because a better sale could be effected of a running concern with orders to hand over to the purchaser. Since the preferential tariff came into force merchants like himself had been compelled to send large orders to England because the Canada mills were unable to compete. The debate on the G. T. Pacific continued until adjournment of the House.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc. CHILD BURNED TO DEATH. The five-year-old child of a farmer named Rouillard, of Lambton, was burned to death on Monday. Information received states that in the absence of the parents the dwelling caught fire, in which three young children had been left alone. Mrs. Rouillard saw the flames from a distance and rushed to the rescue of her little ones. She entered the burning house and managed to save two, one of whom was badly burned and may die, while the third perished in the flames. Mrs. Rouillard was also badly burned in her efforts to rescue her children.

The Toronto Fire Summarized. STATIONERY AND PRINTING BUSINESS PARALYZED. The following is the summary of the great Toronto fire on Wednesday morning: Loss on buildings—\$2,500,000. Loss on stock—\$7,500,000. Persons injured—Eleven. Business establishments completely destroyed—123. Employees out of work—3,500. Where the fire started—Premises of E. & S. Currie, neckwear manufacturers, 58 and 60 Wellington street, west. Origin—Supposed defects in electric wiring. Time it started—7:45 p.m. Time it was brought under control—4 a.m. Stationery and printing business paralyzed by the destruction of six of the largest Canadian firms. The largest losses—Gordon, Mackay & Co., Wyld Darling, Brown Brothers, W. J. Gage & Co., and Warwick Brothers & Rutter. Number of firemen at work—196 from Toronto, 10 from Hamilton, 33 from Buffalo, 6 from London, from Toronto Junction, and 12 from Peterborough. Most important wholesale houses of the city destroyed. Manufacturing establishments west of Yonge street were deprived of motive power by the cutting of the wires connecting them with the Electric Light Company.

It has developed that the suicide of Rev. Colin Duguid, pastor of the Maillonville Presbyterian church, Montreal, was due to his rejection by a young lady teacher to whom he had proposed marriage.

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G. T. Pacific Agreement. GOVERNMENT HAD MAJORITY OF 55. The division in the House of Commons on Wednesday on the amended Grand Trunk Pacific agreement resulted in a government majority of 55. Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a magnificent speech in support of the agreement, and Mr. Samuel Barker was the principal speaker for the Opposition.

WAY'S MILLS. Mr. Lewis Precourt, who has been ill for some time past, died on Wednesday, the 13th of April, 1904. The funeral took place on Friday, the 15th Rev. Mr. Wales officiating. He leaves a wife and two sons and a daughter who deeply mourn his loss, besides a twin brother and other relatives. Much sympathy is felt for his sorrowing family. He was a kind husband and father, and an industrious and honest man, a good neighbor and will be greatly missed in the neighborhood, where he lived.

MARBLETON. We are sorry to report the death of J. Mackey, which occurred last Friday at the home of his son in Erie. The funeral took place Monday at the Episcopal church and was largely attended. Mr. Fred Willard had the misfortune to lose three fingers of his left hand, while working in the shop of Weston Willard last week. We are pleased to say he is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Cloutier, of St. Adolphe, who has been ill for some time, has gone to the Sacred Heart Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Munkittrick, of Newport, Vt., are visiting relatives here. Hay is very scarce many of our farmers are buying pressed hay. The butter and cheese factory opens the 26th.

In the Nineteenth Century some facts not new are put before us in a very effective manner. The British Empire occupies about one-fifth the surface of the habitable globe, and consists of the United Kingdom, and about forty-three dependencies under separate and independent governments, varying in size from Canada, which is 30 times the size of the United Kingdom, to Gibraltar, the area of which is about two square miles. Thus, the area of the British Empire is ninety-eight times that of the United Kingdom, while the area of the self-governing colonies alone is nearly sixty times as large as that of the Mother Country.

Castor Oil or other cathartic is not needed after giving Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup. This remedy contains its own purgative and not only destroys but carries off the worms. Price 25c.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RY. COLONIST SPECIAL TRAINS TO THE CANADIAN NORTHWEST. For Settlers and their effects will leave Carleton Place at 9:00 p.m. every Tuesday Evening during MARCH AND APRIL should sufficient business offer. A Colonist Sleeper will be attached to each train. Copy of Settlers' Guide and full particulars may be obtained from Ticket Agents. For tickets and full information, apply to Canadian Pacific Ticket Agents. E. H. SEWELL, City Passenger Agent, Bell Telephone 137. STEAMSHIP TICKETS TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

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We Are Showing some Extra Fine Lines in Rain Coats. Come In & See Them Quality Right Prices Also. Z. P. CORMIER & SON 131 Wellington St.

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Farm for Sale. SITUATED on the east side of the St. Francis river, 5 miles from Sherbrooke City and 2 miles from Bromptonville. In high state of cultivation. Good buildings. Running water at house and barn. Extra well fenced, near school and butter factory. Will be sold cheap, with or without stock, consisting of 35 cattle, 15 sheep and 3 horses. For particulars apply at farm to T. C. BEATTIE, or Box 31, Sherbrooke, Que. Ap. 18 3m

Wanted. INFORMATION as to whereabouts of William Pape, aged 16 from England. An aunt there is anxious to hear. Reply to Distributing House, Knowlton, Quebec.

Wanted. CHAMBER GIRL, also TABLE GIRL. Apply H. H. Ingram, 36 Goog House. 1w-36

For Sale. TWO self-contained houses with all modern improvements, also barns, situated on Portland Ave. Apply to THOS. LONG, Sherbrooke, April 18th. 1m

For Sale. FARM consisting of 108 acres in high state of cultivation, cut 30 tons of hay; good pasture; lot hard wood, pulpwood, lumber, etc.; good house and 2 good barns, excellent water pumped to each by windmill; splendid large orchard; situated on line C.P.R., 1/2 mile from both Cookshire or Birchton; also near country, churches and academy. For terms, write or see owner, R. S. NUTBROWN, Birchton, Que. 2m-Ap4

For Sale. "BLINKBONNIE FARM," 33 acres, just outside City limits. Good buildings. Bargain to immediate purchaser. E. J. WILLIAMS, L.L.44 Sherbrooke, 1

Farm For Sale. Containing 150 acres, situated 1/2 of a mile from Randboro, 30 acres well timbered, good farm buildings, good house, near churches, school house on farm, apple and sugar orchards, well watered. Farm in good state of cultivation, 2 1/2 miles from Sawyers and academy. For particulars apply on farm to JOHN HAMILTON, Randboro.

IMPROVED FARM FOR SALE. 40 TO LET 1m 1/2 Mar 23. EGGS.—R.C. Rhode Island Red Eggs, \$1.50 for 13. R.C. Buff Orpington Eggs, \$2.00 for 13. M. S. Macdonald, 21 Mar 21. Marbleton, Que.

Property For Sale. IN the town of Cookshire. Consist of good House, Barn, Carriage House, Small Orchard, about 10 acres of land in good cultivation, suitable for a market garden, Spring Water at the door. Terms easy. Lock Box 17, Cookshire, Que.

MEN WANTED. WE want one good man in each district, local or foreign, to sell our goods for 30 days per day, to take up show cards and distribute advertising matter in all conspicuous places, introducing New Discovery. No experience necessary. For particulars write Salus Medicinal Co., LONDON, ONT.

NORTH WARD. Lots No. 296, 357, 238 and 298, Quebec Street, for sale. Terms to suit purchaser. For further particulars apply to W. E. MOHEOUSE, care E.T.L., Montreal. 26w.

For Sale. 107 Acres of extra good land, 2 1/2 miles from Sherbrooke City, on Beckett Road, Orford. Good buildings, running water at house and barn. Extra well fenced, near good school and butter factory, will be sold cheap on account of ill health, for particulars apply on farm to GEO. RICHES, or Box 501, 1m. Apr. 6 Sherbrooke, Que.

RELIABLE MEN WANTED. Very healthy looking men, good looking, to sell our goods, to take up show cards and distribute advertising matter in all conspicuous places, introducing New Discovery. No experience necessary. For particulars write EMPIRE MEDICINE CO., LONDON, ENGL.

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Wanted. A MAN to represent "CANADA'S GREATEST NURSERY" in the town of Sherbrooke and surrounding country, and take orders for Our Hardy Specialties in Fruit Trees, Small Fruit Ornamentals, Shrubs, Roses, Vines, Seeds, Potatoes, &c. Stock true to name and free from San Jose Scale. A permanent position for the right man on either salary or commission. Stone & Wellington, FONTHILL NURSERIES, Over 500 Acres, TORONTO ONTARIO 3mo.F.O.—29-104.

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## Auction Sale

ON Thursday, April 28, '04

The undersigned will sell by Public Auction at the ATKINSON FAIRM.

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6 miles from Sherbrooke on the Rock Forest Road, without reserve the following to wit:— 1 mare weighing 1250 lbs., 1 mare 1100 lbs., 1 horse 1060 lbs., 1 horse 1100 lbs., 1 good light driving mare, 10 cows to calve this spring, 20 huns, 2 double wagons, 1 buggy wagon, 1 ox cart, 1 horse rake, 6 work harnesses, 8 pair sleds, 1 good cooking stove, double elements and Household Furniture, a lot of 2 inch spruce plank, also 400 acres wood land can be bought at private sale in lots not less than 60 acres. The farm having been sold all articles will positively be sold to the highest bidder.  
Terms made known on day of sale.  
Sale at one o'clock p.m. sharp.  
EDWIN HOWE,  
Auctioneer.

April 18th, 1904. 21st-37

For Anything in the Line of Drugs, Stationery, OR Photo Supplies GO TO Fraser's Drug Store

The latest report this afternoon from the Protestant hospital regarding the condition of Master Gordon McKee, who has been dangerously ill there for the past few days, is that he is still very low, and his parents and many friends are very anxious about his recovery.

The Rev. Sister Ste Adolphe, superioress of the convent left Wednesday morning for Montreal. She was accompanied by Miss Theresa LaRoque, niece of the late Rev. LaRoque. They assisted the funeral service, which took place yesterday.

"A WHISPER in the silence is louder than a shout on the Street"

Let us whisper to you now in the quiet of your home surrounded by your loved ones, that you ought to make provision against the time when you'll not be with them any more. A Good Policy in a Good Company will do that. We strongly recommend the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada.

### PLYMOUTH CHURCH.

Next Sunday evening Rev. Frank J. Day will take as the subject of his address, "Steps towards church union" and will give some account of the meetings of the representative committees of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches, which is being held in Toronto this week.

ADDITIONAL TRAIN SERVICE ON R. & M. RAILWAY.

Passengers on the Boston & Maine Railway now leaving Boston, Lowell, Manchester, Concord, New York, Springfield, White River Junction, Wells River and intermediate points Saturday p.m., can get through to Sherbrooke, leaving Newport at 6 a.m. Sundays, and arrive in Sherbrooke at 8 a.m. 3w

JOHN J. GRIFFITH, AUCTIONEER—SALES FOR NEXT WEEK.

MONDAY at 1 o'clock p.m. for Abraham Vallier at his farm Ascot.

TUESDAY at 1 o'clock p.m., for A. Leray, at his residence, Lennoxville.

WEDNESDAY at 10 o'clock a.m., for Estate late Rev. A. C. Scarth at his late residence, Lennoxville.

THURSDAY at 10 o'clock a.m., for Hon. H. Aylmer at his residence, Lennoxville.

FRIDAY at 1 o'clock p.m., for Mrs. M. Murdoch, at her residence, 36 King Street, Sherbrooke.

SATURDAY at 11 o'clock a.m., at Continental Hotel, Sherbrooke.

MESSRS. WILSON & CO'S. PIANO WAREHOUSES.

On the second page of the present issue of this paper will be found a full page ad. of the well known firm of H. C. Wilson & Sons, of this city. This firm is so well known throughout the Province, and especially in the Eastern Townships, that it may perhaps seem almost unnecessary to sound their praises in these columns. The goods they have to sell are the very best of their kind, and better musical merchandise than they offer cannot be purchased in any city in Canada. The two members of the firm are young men of ability and push and the large and constantly increasing trade they now possess has been acquired through nothing else than the true merit of the merchandise they have to offer for sale, together with upright and honest dealing with all who favor them with their patronage.

## New Sherbrooke Daily.

APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE FOR INCORPORATION OF SHERBROOKE GAZETTE CO.

Messrs. G. H. Bradford, Malcolm H. Bradford, printers; H. D. Lawrence, Wm. Morris and Firman Campbell, advocates, all of Sherbrooke, are applying for incorporation as the Sherbrooke Gazette Co., to purchase the Sherbrooke Gazette from Messrs. G. H. Bradford & Son. The capital of the Company is placed at \$20,000. It is the intention of the promoters to change the now existing weekly to a morning daily.

### BIRCHTON

Mrs. R. Broadbelt and two children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Nellie Miller, expect to leave for Kansas on the 27th.

Mr. Harry Taylor, of Fitch Bay, has been visiting relatives in this place for a few days.

Mrs. T. G. Somers, of Johnville, is spending a week in this place.

A large attendance of the Ministerial Association met at the church on Tuesday last and were entertained for tea by Rev. and Mrs. Wright at the parsonage.

Sugar makers are very busy since the last cold snap.

### ENVELOPES! ENVELOPES!

We have just placed in stock 250,000 envelopes of different sizes and are prepared to sell them either printed or plain cheaper than anyone in the trade in this locality.

Call at our office and see what we have to offer you.

Miss May Connor, of Windsor Mills, is visiting Mrs. Branswell, Bridge street, East.

### ADVERTISEMENTS.

White Vesting

are the popular thing for shirt waists for the coming season, fine qualities which sparkle from the mercerized process, plain, sparkling pattern also stripe and figured patterns, 30 in. wide, 25, 30, 34 and 35c.

### CORSETS

One of the most popular departments of the store is our corset section—Just the kinds that ladies want and at low prices.

50c " straight front corset.  
65c " " " " " " "  
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\$1.00 pair straight front, extended hip corset.  
\$1.25, 1.50 and 1.75 pair American corset.

FERRIS WAISTS—For children 75c pair, for girls 75c pair, for Misses \$1.00 pair, for ladies at \$1.35 pair.

### LAZARUS WAISTS

For children 3 to 12 years 35c. Any of the above corsets and waists sent post paid on receipt of order.

### MILLINERY

Turning out all the way from one hundred and twenty-five to a hundred and fifty special orders per week to say nothing of the ready to wear sales, means that this department is a busy one, this also means that we are getting a great big share of the millinery trade in other words it means that McKee's Millinery leads.

Our styles and prices will suit you. Stock is all crisp and new, polite and obliging salesladies to serve you and no one urged to buy.

Another lot of those four yard wide oilcloths being taken into stock this week. We know you can't get them any other place for less than they can be duplicated for else try.

SPECIAL 50c TAPESTRY CARPET  
You will be surprised at the good quality and pretty patterns we can show you at this special price—the really the fact is, but we are running it this spring at 50c, 27 inches wide—ask to see it.

### "THE SIGN OF THE CROSS."

One of the prime reasons for the wonderful success of Wilson Barrett's great play, "The Sign of the Cross" is that it draws thousands of people of religious elements who seldom, if ever, attend the theatre. No play in the history of the stage has had so many high recommendations from the clergy as has "The Sign of the Cross." The play is not only interesting to a high degree, but is also a beautiful lesson. Rev. George H. Van Bewater, rector of St. Andrew's church, New York City, says: "I verily believe you are making at least six thousand people a week



better for their attendance upon Mr Barrett's remarkable play." Rev. Woolsey Hodge, Rector of Church of the Ascension, Philadelphia, wrote: "You have succeeded in treating most effectively a subject very difficult to put upon the stage, and it cannot but do good. It was a charming and magnificent performance and gave me great pleasure to see it." A company of twenty-two American and English dramatic artists will present "The Sign of the Cross" at the Clement Theatre here on Monday and Tuesday, and a rich treat, no doubt, is in store for our citizens.

### JOHNVILLE.

Mrs. R. F. Sharpe is visiting her mother and other friends at Montreal and New Glasgow, Que.

The first meeting of the Ladies' Guild for this season was held with Mrs. Bagley on the 14th. Mrs. Almon Griffin was appointed President, and Mrs. E. Butler, vice-president. A large number took tea.

Mr. E. P. Smith entertained a number of friends at his sugar camp last Saturday afternoon. Several from Sherbrooke were present.

Miss Collins, of Sherbrooke, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Warner, and gave assistance in the choir at the Methodist church services.

Mr. D. Humphrey was also in town the guest of his sister, Mrs. Lothrop.

Miss E. M. Foss is spending several weeks with friends in Sherbrooke.

John Butler has gone to Cookshire to work in a mill there.

Mrs. G. A. Smiley is visiting her mother at Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cleveland and son spent a couple of days in Coaticook the first of the week.

Mr. J. McDonald has sold his farm on the Martinville road to Charles Arrelle, of Compton, and gives immediate possession.

Mr. P. K. Martin is also having an auction and offering his farm for sale.

Mr. Wm. Whiteman returned from Warren, N.H., on the 16th, where he had been visiting friends.

Mrs. Ward and daughter, of Black Lake are stopping with Mrs. A. Whiteman.

Sugar makers report an exceptionally good run of sap.

The W.C.T.U. will meet with Mrs. W. H. Cleveland, Wednesday afternoon, April 27th.

The Ladies' Aid met at the church Wednesday, 26th, for dinner, with a very good attendance. Mrs. W. H. Cleveland was hostess for the day. Rev. Mr. Wright conducted the afternoon prayer service.

We hear that Mr. A. A. Carroll is on the sick list, threatened with fever, but hope it may be averted.

### BROOKBURY.

Mr. Wesley Coats has returned from Sherbrooke, where he went to consult Dr. Smith, regarding his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Card, who have been keeping store at Bishop's Crossing, for a year and a half are intending to move onto their farm this spring.

Mr. E. W. Tite has been to Waterville recently. We hear Mr. Tite is intending to move to that place.

Miss Jennie McAdams entertained about thirty young people last Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in music, games, etc. Refreshments were served.

Little Julia Coates is still quite ill.

Mr. Davis has sold his farm to Mr. Malcolm Slack.

Mr. Nehemiah Coats has taken up his duties as oculist.

Mr. Arthur Downes is away attending to his duties as book agent, also selling cream separators.

Misses May and Ella and Master Chester Downes spent last Sunday with little Lillian Leonard.

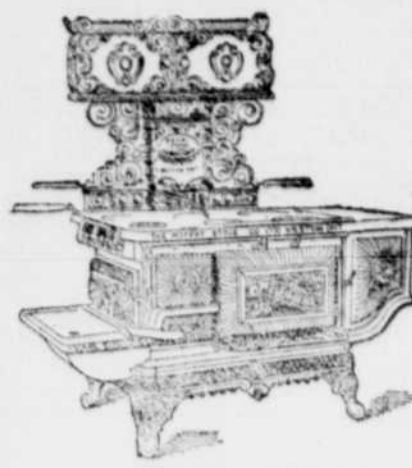
Mrs. Lizzie Martin is still very sick and is going to the hospital. Dr. M. S. McDonald has been in attendance.

Miss Maud McCafferty has returned to her home in Flanders.

Miss May Connor, of Windsor Mills, is visiting Mrs. Branswell, Bridge street, East.

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### MOE'S RIVER.

The funeral of Miss Alice Parker on the 10th was held at the Baptist church, and considering the state of the roads was largely attended. Rev. Jeffrey officiating. The interment was at the Compton cemetery. Much sympathy is felt for the sister, who is left alone at the homestead.

Messrs. Wesley and Earnest Parsons and their families have returned from Colorado. We are glad to welcome home our industrious builders and hope soon to see this place built up.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutton and daughter were badly afflicted with la grippe last week, but at present are some better.

Mrs. L. Maplebeck and little son, of Marguerite, N.S., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Patterson.

Rev. L. W. McLaughlin was making pastoral calls here on Monday, 18th. On Sunday, the 24th, there will be services at the Universalist church at the usual hour—2.30 p.m.

### RIVARD CORNER.

We are patiently waiting for spring weather and good roads here, but winter seems loath to leave us.

We are losing another of our old residents in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Betts, who have sold their farm to Mr. Storey. They gave

a sugar party and there was a large attendance. We all had a splendid time. Mr. and Mrs. Bett's leave a large number of friends, both English and French, and we hope they will enjoy their new home in Coaticook, where they have bought a home.

Mr. Robert, our councillor, sold his farm to Mr. Boisvert and is going to move away also.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bryan are visiting at St. Malo, where Mrs. Bryan intends to visit her relatives for two or three weeks.

### MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARGET IN COWS.

ORFORD PRESBYTERIAN MISSION.

Mr. H. Welsford Cliff, of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, will conduct services in the following school houses during the summer months commencing next Sunday: Faith's School House at 10.30 a.m.; Bean's School House at 3 p.m.; and McDonald's School House at 7.30 p.m.

### DEATHS

CUZNER—In this city, on the 20th inst., Mrs. Cuzner, widow of the late George Cuzner, aged 87 years.

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SUNLIGHT SOAP advertisement with text: 'What made your linens coarse? Common soap. Sunlight Soap saves linen. SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE'.

GOLD DUST advertisement with text: 'Let the GOLD DUST twins do your work.' Includes an illustration of two children and text: 'As a cleaner, soap doesn't begin to compare with GOLD DUST.'.

COLUMBIA GRAPHOPHONE advertisement with text: 'It plays every kind of instrumental music, sings every class of songs, tells you all kinds of funny stories.' Includes an illustration of a gramophone.

\$33 to the Pacific Coast advertisement with text: 'From Chicago, every day in March and April, 1904. Only \$33 Chicago to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and many other points on the Pacific Coast.'.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC advertisement with text: 'Sunset Limited through daily service, New Orleans to All Points in Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California.'.

The finest grades of Printing neatly and promptly executed at the Examiner Office.

Units of Measure. The editor was taught by his governess that three barleyscorns measured one inch, and at the mature age of six years he determined to test the accuracy of this statement.

Men of Oak. Timbers of oak keep the old homestead standing through the years. It pays to use the right stuff. 'Men of oak' are men in rugged health, men whose bodies are made of the soundest materials.

How Aerolites Were Once Regarded. The phenomena of shooting stars and other luminous appearances in the sky long acted as stimulants to the superstitious fears of the multitude.

A LESSON IN MANNERS. The Way a Clever American Woman Managed a Duke. A story which belongs to a time several years ago when an English duke was a much sought after personage in New York society.

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Tickets good in tourist sleeping cars. Rate for double berth, Chicago to California, only \$7.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure advertisement with text: 'Do you catch cold easily? Does the cold hang on? Try Shiloh's Consumption Cure The Lung Tonic'.

OPENING PARLIAMENT. The Pump With Which It Was Done by Queen Victoria. The trumpets sound! The queen approaches! The trumpet continues, and first enter at a side door close at my elbow the college of heralds richly dressed, slowly, two and two.

SHERBROOKE MARKET. The market was well attended on Saturday and good prices were maintained for all kinds of produce. Creamery, prints, 25 to 26. Butter, fresh, 20 to 22.

SOME WOMEN— Pose in public and do it in an exceedingly clumsy way. Carry on a conversation in a tone that savors of scolding.

Experienced Mothers. Experienced mothers know that most of the troubles that afflict young children are due to some derangement of the stomach or bowels, and that if the cause is removed the little one will be plump, rosy and happy.

REGULAR ACTION OF THE bowels is necessary to health. LAXA-LIVER PILLS are the best occasional cathartic for family or general use.

Cattle for South Africa. The Minister of Agriculture has received communications from Lord Strathcona in reference to Canada's complaint that purchases of cattle for South Africa were made in the United States.

PREFERENCE GIVEN TO STOCK FROM UNITED STATES.

Dominion Line TEAMSIPS Weekly Sailings to Liverpool. From PORTLAND: April 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, May 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, May 31, June 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, June 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, July 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, August 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, October 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, November 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 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### SUNDAY READING.

(Edited by Rev. Wm. Shearer.) ALL FOR CHRIST

"Now, girls, I have news for you!" The speaker was a shrewd girl, dressed in the height of fashion. She was just entering the room where sat several young ladies, her cousins, pursuing various household employments.

"What is it, Ida?" cried one and another.

"You'll never believe it! Lizzie A— has become religious," was the half serious, half laughing reply.

"Lizzie A—!" the girls repeated the name more or less in surprise.

"Lizzie A—!" said the elder cousin, Julia, seriously; "why, she was forever making sport of the subject."

"And such a fashionable girl! Why she would hardly look at a person poorly dressed," said another.

"Her father an infidel, too; what will he say?"

"I heard that he had turned her out of the house," said Ida.

"There was a long silence."

"Well," said the youngest girl, "we shall see now if there is the reality in religion that Christians talk of. I don't believe there is a single one in any branch of her family who is religious. She will have unusual trials to undergo. I should not like to be in her place!"

"Trials, psaw! There is no such thing as persecution in these days a martyr!" This was lightly spoken by Ida, who had been Lizzie's dearest friend, and who felt an unusual bitterness springing up in her heart towards the young girl, who, she knew, could no longer enjoy her companionship as of yore.

Martyrs are not rare, even in these days, and martyrs to religious persecution, as we shall see.

The cousins made an early call on Lizzie, who received them with her accustomed grace, and with a sweet smile than usual. Yet she was pale, and though there was a purer expression on her face, yet she appeared like one wearied with some struggle in which she was the sufferer. Although she did not speak directly of the new vows she had taken upon her, the new peace she had found, her visitors clearly saw the wondrous change in countenance and in her dress.

Lizzie was engaged to be married to a thorough man of the world. George— had loved his wife, his parties, the raccourse, the theatre, the convivial and free-and-easy club. The Sabbath was his day of pleasure, and many a time had Lizzie graced his buggy on the holy day, as they swept along. He bore a pleasing exterior, and was courted, caressed, admired everywhere.

His brow darkened as he heard the news. What! the woman of his choice become a Christian! Nonsense! He did not believe it; he would see for himself. He did not furnish his parlors for prayer-meetings; he wanted no long-faced ministers, leaders, or sisters, to visit his wife—not he! It was a ridiculous hoax. The daughter of the Hon.—, the freest of free-thinkers!

A capital joke, a very clever joke, and nothing else. He called upon her not long after the visit before mentioned. His eyes scanned her from head to foot, but how sweetly, how gently she met him! All the winning grace, the high-bred ease was there, the happy smile; but there was a subtle something that filled him with apprehension, it was so unlike her usual self. What could it be?

At length, lightly laughing, he referred to the report he had heard. For one moment the frame trembled, the lips refused to speak; but this passed away, and a flush passed over her face. She replied: "George, don't treat it as a jest, for, thank God, I have become a Christian! Oh, George,"—her hands were laid upon one of his—"I have only just begun to live. If you knew—"

The proud man sprang to his feet, almost throwing her hands from him in his impatient movement; and not daring to trust his voice, for an oath was uppermost, he walked the floor for a moment. Then he came back, and stood before her, his face white, his voice unsteady, as he asked: "Do you really mean to say that you will cast your lot among these people, and that for them you will give up all—all?"

After a moment's reflection she said, with a low, sweet tone, "I will give up all for Christ."

For one moment he looked his lips together till they looked like steel in their rigidity; then he said, in a full passionate voice:

"Lizzie, Miss A—, if these are your sentiments, we must go different ways."

How cruel! How unworthy of her love! It was a terrible test for that young girl had, as it were, placed herself in his keeping. Before a fighter and purer love was born in her heart, she had given him her human love, and the thought of parting dimmed her eye and paled her cheek. As he saw this, his manner changed to entreaty: He placed before her the position he would give her; and he lured her by every argument that might appeal to the womanly heart. He knew how to win by entreaty. More than once the gentle spirit let as if she must give way—that only the Divine arm could sustain her with firmness to resist to the end of the interview. At last it came to this, "Christ or me?" There could be no compromise. There standing alone with him she loved, clothed with the mantle of a new and heavenly faith, with its light shining in her heart, and playing over her pale features, she said, with a firmness worthy of the martyrs of old, "Christ."

Though his whole soul was filled with rage, so that his lips quivered, the slight figure standing there, the eye that cast an earnest upward

glance, the brow that seemed to have grown white with the light from above, the attitude so self-possessed yet so modest, filled him with admiring awe. But the hostility toward religion was so strong in his heart that it bore down all tenderness, almost crushed his love; and he parted from her for the first time coldly, and like a stranger. The engagement was ended; but what a struggle it cost!

The next hour came trial number two. Her father was proud of her; she was the brightest gem of his splendid home. She was beautiful, and this gratified his vanity; she was intellectual, and he heard praise lavished upon her mind with a miser's greedy ear; she was his delight and joy. He called her into his study, and required a minute account of the whole matter. He had heard rumors, he said; had seen a surprising and not agreeable change in her. What was the cause? It was a great trial to look into that stern, unbelieving face and testify for Jesus. He who had promised was within her; and she told the story of her conversion, calmly, kindly, resolutely.

"And do you intend to be baptized?"

"I do, father, if God permit."

A gleam of hope entered her heart. She did not expect his approval, but she did not think that he would absolutely refuse to sanction this important step.

"You know your Aunt E— has long wanted you to become an inmate of her home?"

"Yes, father, I do"; and her gentle voice faltered.

"Well," said he, "you can go now, unless you give up this absurd idea, and trample it under your feet. I do not wish you to remain with me as you were before, and you shall want no luxury. Henceforth, I am your father only in name."

And still, when pressed for an answer, though her heart was breaking, she said, as she had said before, "Christ." She chose Christ.

She did forsake all for Him. But the struggle was too much for her physical frame. Her step became slow, her eye sunken, her form wasted. She was wanted for a better home. Swiftly she went down into the valley. To her it was all lit up with the smile of our Lord. Too late, George knelt at her bedside and implored her forgiveness. Too late! no, not for him, not too late for his salvation; for her death was the means of his spiritual life, and by her dying bed he promised solemnly to give his heart to God.

Her father, infidel, though he was, saw her triumphing over death with wonder and awe. Such a dying testimony is not often given, such a dying scene is not often witnessed. She had given up all, absolutely all, for Christ; and in the last hour, like Stephen, she saw heaven opened. With a smile inexpressibly sweet she said, "Sing," and they sang:

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Our school opened on Monday after a six weeks' vacation. Messrs. Herbert Merrill and C. R. Jenkins have purchased the mill property of J. H. Merrill and took possession on Monday. They are both deserving young men and we wish them success.

WATERVILLE

The funeral of the late Mrs. Richard Astbury was held here at St. John's church last Monday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Tamba officiated. The funeral was largely attended by her many sorrowing friends.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.

FITCH BAY.

Miss Ready, of Montreal, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. G. Vial. Mr. Anton Magoon, of Manchester, N.H., was in town on Saturday attending the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Riley Magoon.

Drugging Won't Cure Catarrh

All the medicine in the world taken into the stomach won't cure catarrh, and it's useless to squander money on tablets, bitters and liquid remedies. Catarrh is a disease of the nasal passages, throat and bronchial tubes.

EAST CLIFTON.

The present sugar season thus far has not been very favorable and the quantity of sugar made has not come up to the expectations of sugar makers, but today (Thursday), we are having a very good run of sap.

Notes From Coaticook.

The R. S. T. Society met at the parsonage on Tuesday evening last. Rev. and Mrs. Wilkinson were in town on Monday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Buckland.

To Eat and Sleep

You must get your liver, stomach and bowels right. Beecham's Pills act like a charm in setting you right. The appetite of youth comes with all its old relish after using Beecham's Pills.

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The Cold Storage System.

The Montreal Gazette was quite angry the other day because another paper had recently directed attention to the successful system of mechanical cold storage introduced by the Hon. Mr. Fisher in the spring of 1897.

Are All Women Pretty?

Quite an unnecessary question, because so many women have such poor complexions. We want to tell all women with pale sallow cheeks about Ferreroze, which quickly imparts fine color and gives the skin a clear, rich appearance.

ULVERTON

Mrs. John Harriman, who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Husk, for a few weeks past, is still very low and no hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Mrs. Jacob Armitage has now returned to her home, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Curtis Bishop, of Marbleton.

Mrs. John Beard, of Kingsley, is building a fine henhouse for Mr. G. W. Miller, who is going into the business of raising thoroughbred poultry. He has secured some fine stock from Ontario.

Kamouraska Murderer Is In Custody.

WAS CHARGED WITH THE KILLING OF WILLIAM CANTIN, AT ST. ALEXANDRE.

St. Paschal, Que., April 20.—Louis Lambert, who is wanted in connection with the murder of Cantin at St. Alexandre, was arrested here this morning by Deputy Sheriff Martier, of Riviere du Loup.

A despatch to the above effect, that Lambert was in the custody of Sheriff Pouliot, at Riviere du Loup, was received by the Attorney-General here this afternoon. It had been arranged that a detachment of the provincial police would go down to Riviere du Loup this afternoon, but this was countermanded.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council has upheld the decision of the Ontario courts that the city of Kingston need not pay the Kingston Light, Heat & Power Company for its franchise.

QUEEN OF ACTRESSES PRAISES PE-RU-NA.

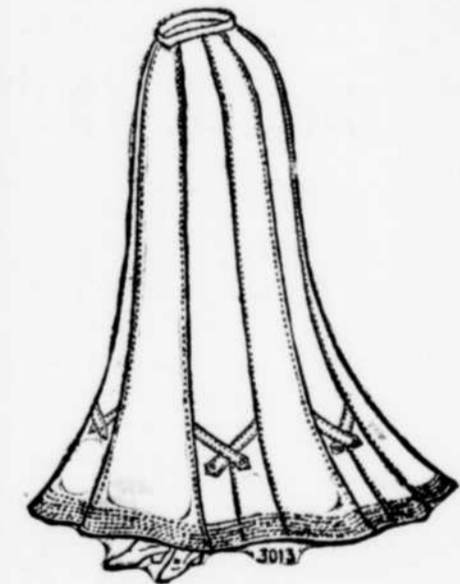


MISS JULIA MARLOWE.

In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., Miss Julia Marlowe of New York City, has the following to say of Peruna: 'I am glad to write my endorsement of the great remedy, Peruna, as a nerve tonic. I do so most heartily.'—Julia Marlowe.

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