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LOCAL NEWS

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NOTICE—There will be two men at the farm of Ed. McCullough on Tuesday, April 8th, to sell all the movable articles on the place. The farm is also for sale.

Our confrere J. D. Sullivan of the Advance has succeeded Mr. John Stevenson in the Secretaryship of Campbells Bay and Litchfield corporations.

March on the whole was a pleasant month—few snowstorms and lots of sunshine. The closing days, however, demonstrated that the Old Lion of our grandfathers' day was still vigorous and aggressive.

The Clarendon Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Lawson Corrigan on Wednesday, April 6th at 2.30 p. m. Program; Suggestions on increasing funds.

Elmside Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Chabot on Friday, April 11th, at 2 p. m. Program: Election of Officers. Roll call—Payment of dues.

The Shawville Womens' Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Alf. Draper on Thursday, April 3rd, at 7.30 p. m. Program:—Election of officers and other special business. A good attendance is requested.

The Advance reports that Mr. F. J. Doyle of that town, head of the Pontiac Power and Development Co., has operations well under way for the development of power on Bernard Creek, which is to supply electrical current to Fort Coulonge. He expects to have the plant running by the end of June.

A few of our local hockey fans went to Ottawa Tuesday afternoon to witness the last game of the year for the Stanley Cup championship, between Calgary Tigers, leaders of the Western league and Canadiens, winners of the Eastern championship. The Canucks maintained their supremacy in one of the most sensational exhibitions seen at the Auditorium this Winter, and are fully entitled to all the honors that are being bestowed upon them.

Archdeacon Naylor Memorial

The rector announced at the evening service at St. Paul's on Sunday that a canvass for subscriptions towards the above fund will begin next week and that those who are desirious of contributing could facilitate matters by handing in their money to the Treasurer, R. G. Hodgins, or the Wardens, without waiting till the canvassers approached them. Mr. Ellis also drew attention to the fact that this year was the fiftieth anniversary of the building of St. Paul's Church, and therefore it was befitting that the event should be celebrated, as in the manner proposed, by erecting a lasting memorial to one who had labored so long in the parish.

THE EQUITY will acknowledge subscriptions, as received, from time to time.

Golden Wedding

Fifty years ago on Wednesday last, March 26th, Francis Falloon Corrigan and Margaret Brown stood at the altar in the old Church of England, which stood on the north side of Main Street, opposite the present building, and were pronounced man and wife by the Reverend Geo. C Robinson, then Rector of the parish.

As an almost total surprise, those members of the family who reside within reach visited their parents on Wednesday last to join in celebrating the anniversary. Three of the family were unable to be present on account of distance, but greetings were received from all of these by mail. Many neighbours and intimate friends called during the day, bringing good wishes to gladden the day. Among those thus extending felicitations were the Reverend J. D. Ellis, the present Rector of the parish, and the Reverend M. I. Robinson, minister of the Methodist Church.

It is naturally a great source of joy to Mr. and Mrs. Corrigan that all their children are still living, four of whom still reside in this district; one son in Sault Ste Marie, another in Toronto, and a daughter in Calgary.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. Jas. R. Horner, of Cobalt, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. A. Bretzlaff, general merchant of Ladysmith, who has been succeeded by Mr. Wm. McCleary, removed to Ottawa this week.

Mrs. H. T Argue, who has been visiting her son, Dr. Argue, of Forest, Ont., returned to Shawville last Friday.

R. J. Hamilton with his men and teams are home from the Rouge district, having fulfilled the season's contract for hauling supplies for the Riordon Co.

Misses Margaret and Laurena Smith, of Campbell's Bay, who were visiting their sister, Mrs. Wm. D. Wilson, for a few days last week, left for home on Saturevening.

Mr. Alex. Seaman, of Yarm section, who has spent the past two Summer seasons in Semans district of Saskatchewan, returning home for the Winter months, left again on Thursday last for that region, in which quite a large colony of Clarendon people are located.

A young man named Glenn, of Ottawa—son of C. P. R. Conductor Glenn—employed at the Calumet power plant, was badly injured last Wednesday by being struck by a piece of rock on the head.

We regret to report that our townsman, Mr. William Brown, was rather seriously hurt on Wednesday afternoon at John Argue's saw mill. Mr. Brown was engaged at the time drawing blocks from the mill to the rectory with a horse and dump cart. It appears the cart, loaded with wood, dumped and threw Mr. Brown off at the back, and the cart and load went over on top of him, doubling him up in such a manner that his back was bruised and some of his ribs displaced. The injured man was conveyed home as speedily as possible and attended to by Dr. Powles. The aged man's condition is hopeful.

NOTICE—The brethren of the O. Y. B. are requested to attend the meetings of their Lodge, held on the second Wednesday of each month.

The maple syrup industry of this district got into action last week, a day or two late in most instances to secure the early run, which came on a little in advance of expectations. A finer spell of March weather is seldom experienced than that which prevailed last week.

Sleighing hung out much longer in this section than the outlook promised at the beginning of March, and thus most of the hauling was finished up by the end of the past week. Those, of course, who based their calculations on snow lasting till the first of May, doubtless have some logs and firewood on hand that won't swell their bank account this year.

Farewell Party

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graham on March 19, when the Young Women's Guild tendered a "farewell" to Mr. and Mrs. H H. Walsh before their departure for their new home in Aylmer.

The evening was spent in games and music, after which a presentation was made to Mrs. Walsh of a sum of money in gold.

The gift was accompanied by an address in which was expressed the best wishes of the Young Womens' Guild, and it stated that the presentation was but a slight token of recognition of Mrs. Walsh's untiring zeal and kindly courtesy.

Mrs. Walsh, though taken by surprise, replied in a few well chosen words. Following the presentation refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close.—COM.

DIED

Mr. William Ringrose, of Pembroke, a native of Murrell section of Clarendon, died at his home last Friday, following an illness of two months, aged 52 years. He is survived by his wife and two young daughters; also by two brothers—Martin, of Windsor, Ont., and James of Campbells Bay, and four sisters, three of whom reside in Portland, Ore., and one in Clarendon—Mrs. Albert Somerville. Funeral on Saturday morning to St. Columbus Cathedral and R. C. cemetery in Pembroke.

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BORN

At Yarm, on March 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howard, a daughter.

MARRIED

SMITH—BLACK

At the home of the bride on Wednesday, 26th inst., by the Rev. W. B. MacCallum, Alice Minerva Smith, daughter of Thos. J. Smith, Hodgins, Que., and George Ernest Black, son of Wm. Joseph Black, Shawville, Que.

COLE—BLACK

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday evening, 26th March, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Black, Shawville, when their daughter, Gladys Verna, became the bride of Mr. George Cole, son of Mr. Thos. Cole, of North Bay. Rev. W. J. Watchorn performed the ceremony, while Mr. E. Horner and Miss P. Smith acted as witnesses.

The bride was very becomingly attired in a dress of blue silk canton crepe with gold radium lace panels. She wore a gold pendant the gift of the groom.

The young couple left on Tuesday for North Bay, where they intend to reside.

We wish them a long, happy journey through life—COM.

Methodist Church Notes

Next Sunday morning, April 8, the subject will be "The Trial of Jesus." On April 13 in the morning "The Crucifixion of Jesus" and on April 20, Easter Sunday morning, "The Resurrection of Jesus." A cordial invitation is extended to all. Among the great wishes of the late President Harding were these words: "I should like to see America a religious nation. I wish every man in America would attend church."

A widely signed petition of members and adherents has been forwarded to both the members of the House of Commons and Quebec Legislature, representing Pontiac County, urging them to support the Church Union bill, now pending, ior the organic union of the Congregational, Presbyterian and Methodist Churches into one body, known as "The United Church of Canada."

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FOR SALE—A number of Barred Rock baby chicks—good laying strain—ready for delivery April 7. Apply to Graham Thompson, R. No. 3, Shawville.

FOR SALE—A quantity of good Seed Banner Oats, also Green Mountain Mountain Potatoes fit for seed. Apply W. H. Corrigan, R. No. 1, Shawville.

FOR SALE—A quantity of Arthur Seed Peas at $2.00 per bushel; also some Hog Millet Seed at 5 cents per lb. Apply John Caldwell, Caldwell P. O., Bristol.

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FOR SALE—Purebred W. Wyandotte Eggs for hatching—75c for setting of 13. Apply Mrs. Secil Sly, R. No. 2, Shawville.

FOR SALE—A quantity of choice Seed Barley. Apply Howard Smith, Wyman, Que.

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FOR SALE—Two litters of young Yorkshire Pigs—Ready for delivery 1st of April. Apply to Norman Dods, Maryland.

FOR SALE—1 Chatham Incubator—capacity 250 eggs. Reason for selling—haven't time to attend to it. Cheap for cash, or would exchange for good hens.
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FOOD FOR THE SICK.

A problem which most housewives have to solve at some time or another is the planning and preparation of food for those who are ill. In very serious illness, the doctor usually states very plainly what the patient may or may not have to eat, but often he orders a liquid diet, a simple diet, or a soft-solid diet.

A liquid diet includes milk, chocolate milk, malted milk, beef tea, extract of beef, soups (both clear and creamy), grape-juice, albumenized grape juice, albumenized orange juice and orangeade.

A soft-solid diet includes crackers and milk, pea or potato puree, soft or cream toast, rice, tapioca, custard, ice cream, gruels, soft boiled egg and grape juice, lemonade, orangeade and egg-nogg.

A simple diet usually ordered for convalescents includes only easily digested foods, such as milk, clam broth, stewed oysters, eggs, toast, well cooked vegetables, rice, tender meat, either broiled or roasted.

The following menus are suggested for persons showing symptoms of having taken cold: Breakfast, prune juice and milk toast. Dinner, oyster stew and crackers. Supper, hot rolled oats gruel, buttered toast and tea.

These menus are suggested for the convalescent stage: Breakfast, grapefruit, poached egg on toast, cocoa. Dinner, lamb broth with rice, baked potato, baked custard. Supper, cream-tuna fish on toast, corn flakes with cream, orangeade.

Albumenized grape juice is made with two tablespoonfuls of grape juice, the white of one egg, one-half teaspoonful of sugar and chopped ice. To the beaten egg white add the grape juice and sugar and chopped ice. Serve in a dainty glass. Have all ingredients chilled before combining. Albumenized orange juice is made in the same way, using the juice of one orange and sufficient sugar to sweeten.

Egg-nogg requires one egg, one teaspoonful of sugar, a few grains of salt, three-quarters of a cupful of milk and a grating of nutmeg. Separate the egg. Beat yolk, add sugar and salt, and beat until creamy. Add the milk and fold in the white of egg, beaten until foamy. Sprinkle with nutmeg. Serve immediately.

For rice gruel use one tablespoonful of rice, one cupful of milk, three tablespoonfuls of water, a few grains of salt. Scald the milk and water in a double boiler, add the rice gradually and cook twenty minutes. Strain. Rolled oats gruel can be made in the same way.

Floating island, which always pleases, requires one egg, one-half tablespoonful of sugar, a few grains of salt, three-quarters of a cupful of milk. Scald the milk in a double boiler. Separate yolk and white of egg and beat separately. To the beaten yolk add salt and sugar, and then gradually add the scalded milk. Fold in two-thirds of beaten white. Return to double boiler and stir constantly until the mixture coats the spoon or looks creamy, then remove from hot water. Flavor with vanilla or orange extract. Serve in a glass dish with the remainder of the egg white, slightly sweetened, on the top.

TO BE BEAUTIFUL.

Everyone ought to be interested in an appearance which is attractive and pleasing to others. Why should we presume to be a blot on a landscape of so much natural beauty? It is a personal satisfaction to know that we are making the most of ourselves.

To radiate a truly beautiful spirit, and to be sure of a sincere manner and charm of presence, we must be kindly in our thoughts as well as our words. The beauty which lasts must be more than skin deep.

No one can be beautiful or interesting who does not get sleep enough. Scientists have proved that the brain cells passess a vital element which is exhausted during our waking hours, and renewed during sleep.

The brain cells of an individual killed, or who dies after suffering great fatigue or strain, are so lacking in this vital element that they cannot be sained different colors readily by laboratory work; whereas, the brain cells of a rested and alert individual will take on a bright stain or tint readily. Students and other workers who fail to get sleep enough are short-sighted and stupid. They are trying to make bricks without straw or clay, and it cannot be done.

The individual who is decidedly over-weight or under-weight has sacrificed symmetry and beauty. Health is not at par, and efficiency and enjoyment of life are both lowered. The person of determination and strong will, will keep watch of his or her weight and will use safe and logical means to keep it at normal.

One important element of personal attractiveness is what may be described as "trigness" in a woman, or "careful grooming."

There are two sisters who are twins, and naturally almost identically alike in form and feature. One has stringy hair which always looks ragged and poorly cared for, sallow skin, stubby nails, and collar awry. Her clothing is of good quality, but inclined to be mussy, and often to lack brushing. Shoes and gloves show the evidence of neglect. This woman's social position is an indifferent one, for people do not value her for what she really is.

The other sister is "trig" from head to foot. Her hair is shining and all clear, her eyes sparkling, her hands ways beautifully combed. Her skin is and nails in good condition, and her garments becoming and beautifully cared for. As a matter of fact, this sister accomplishes twice as much as the careless one. Her social position corresponds to her appearance, because her mental processes keep step with her culture and painstaking nature. She is frequently described as "a very beautiful woman."

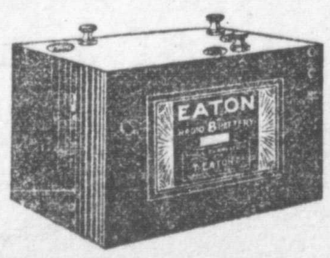


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CHAPTER XII.

The arrival of Carrie Egan caused a happy shudder throughout the Mimosa Palace. Mrs. Egan was of the stuff upon which hotel gossips feed and fatten. Colonel Derwent, the doyen of the English element, who had been to some pains to search for "Major Carnay, deceased," in the Army Lists, and discovered that there was no such person, forgot Jean and his deduction that she was divorcee. The colonel's bosom friend, Count Praga—the Anglo-Polish banker—who from altruistic motives had insisted upon playing Cupid to the whole hotel, ceased his match-making activities abruptly and became both introspective and retiring. Count Praga had run into Mrs. Egan a couple of seasons ago at Pau, and he knew that wherever she was there also was the home address of trouble.

The knitting brigade clicked and clattered, the English rather shocked by their unconventional countrywoman, the French ladies mildly amused, and the Italians—as usual—wholly unconcerned with anything but their own personal and family affairs.

If Mrs. Egan was scandalous, it was merely because she declined to run on the iron rails of strict convention, preferring—as it were—her swift silver car and its resounding Klaxon horn. She wore no hat—it was said she did not own such a thing—and most of her dresses were sleeveless, and she went down to bathe from the rocky Cap Ampeglio, where there were neither huts nor tents to minimize publicity. Mrs. Egan disrobed in her own apartments and drove down in the protection afforded by her Roman striped cloak. It became the fashion to stroll past the Cap about eleven o'clock and see her head bobbing against the waves half a mile out; to stroll casually back again, wondering if she would return safely or be dashed to pieces against the rocks.

She frightened and fascinated the entire hotel before she had been there twenty-four hours. Inside of a week a few daring spirits among the younger set were feebly emulating her example and being scolded for it. Fair-complexioned girls got horrible cases of sunburn through leaving off their hats, and an Oxford undergraduate—a swimming man—was nearly drowned by following Mrs. Egan's capricious course through the rocky coast sentinels. She wore a sort of fishnet cap to confine her bushy hair at tennis, and in consequence the Lenglen bandeau went into temporary eclipse. Rope sandals became the popular footwear for mountain climbs although so far no one but Mrs. Egan had abandoned the respectable and useful stocking. Two girls tried it surreptitiously while out by themselves on a lonely trail, but they got their legs badly scratched in the underbrush, and the adventure was not repeated.

Who—everybody asked—*is* Mrs. Egan?

It was Colonel Derwent who supplied the more technical items of information. Mrs. Anthony Egan, said the colonel, was the widow of a well-to-do broker or "City man" who had been shot by his partner in a business quarrel. Didn't they remember the Smarle case, famius in its day? Well, Mrs. Egan was the heroine of the Smarle case. The defence had at first tried to prove that she had been present when her husband was killed and knew a great deal more about the matter than she admitted, but afterwards with the Court's permission—to Hugo Smarle's plea of not guilty was added that of insanity, and the jury had brought in a verdict of Guilty, but Insane.

Some people did remember the Smarle Case, or professed to do so, and were thrilled accordingly. But it was much more interesting to learn that two years ago at Pau Mrs. Egan had driven a young man of somewhat slender intellect to suicide, and a little later on nearly got herself horsewhipped by reason of her flirtation with the young husband of an elderly English schoolmistress who objected to the affair, and made of her objection a really delightful scandal.

The ladies of the Mimosa Palace Hotel began—in so far as they were able—to draw in their menfolk, and the more discreet among the men themselves, notably Count Praga and Colonel Derwent, walked softly and circumspectly, casting eyes upon the houri from a distance.

It became apparent quite soon that Dr. Ardeyne was an old friend of hers.

How do such things leak out?

Nobody, unless it were Mrs. Egan's Italian maid, ever saw them together; nobody, except the concierge, knew that he had made enquiries concerning the locality of her rooms. Yet the whole hotel breathed in the knowledge, and quite suddenly people—good-looking, middle-aged women with a taste for youngish men—those who had been a little jealous and resentful of Alice Carnay, began to be sorry for her. They predicted for Dr. Ardeyne a swift fall; for his fiancee, unhappiness.

And all the time, in the very centre of this buzzing hive, lived Jean and Hugo Smarle, in sublime ignorance of Mrs. Egan's presence here.

Jean had brought her husband back in the heat of the day, when the hotel appeared to be deserted. "My brother, Mr. Baliss," was given a room next to hers, and promptly collapsed into his comfort and privacy. It was a large room and he had his own balcony. He had caught a chill on the train, and he was weak and nervous, so Jean called in a local doctor and permitted Alice to see "Uncle John" only once or twice from the doorway. Because of Hugo's indisposition Jean had her own meals upstairs. She rather encouraged Hugo to take things easily, dreading the moment of his first public appearance.

Would she ever be able to break him, she wondered, of babbling about Broadmoor?—or, as he called it, "That Place." To her, he talked of nothing else, recounting over and over again foolish and irritating experiences with his fellow-prisoners, their various idiosyncrasies, their petty habits, the loathsomeness of one who was caught cheating at cards, the bad table manners of another, the unpleasant characteristics of their guards and keepers. So it went on for long hours while Jean forced herself to listen patiently, and the precious holiday moved day by day towards its close.

But she comforted herself with the assurance that Alice was happy and having a good time. She would not let Alice come near "Uncle John" for fear of infection. Influenza was raging through the town and the doctor said Hugo was suffering from a mild form of it. Jean took risks herself, but she didn't intend that Alice should lose any of those golden hours by being laid up with "flu."

In the natural course of things Hugo grew better.

Towards the end of the week he was well enough to sit up for his meals, and Jean left him alone one afternoon while she and Alice went down into the town to do a little shopping.

The doors all communicating, Hugo was given the run of their now extensive suite, and eventually found his way to the sitting-room, which he had not entered before. He was half-dressed, with a faded old bathrobe over his shirt and trousers, and badly needed a shave. A stubbly white haze disgraced his chin and he wore no collar. He looked a weak but somewhat ruffianly person as he ambled about making himself acquainted with these new surroundings.

The sitting-room, as usual, overflowed with the flowers which Hector Gaunt sent down regularly.

Hugo looked them over with suspicion. There were two small framed photographs of Alice, one on the mantel and one on the writing-table, and these he also inspected. Then he picked up a bronze paper-cutter and playfully jabbed a hole in the lace curtain with it, hurriedly putting it down again and drawing the curtain well back so that the hole didn't show. After this he went out on to the balcony and, looking down, discerned the heads of some people having tea on the verandah far below him. One woman wore a large hat bobbing with yellow flowers. What would happen if he should fill his bath sponge with water and let it suddenly rain on them?

With this amusing idea taking form in his mind, he stepped back into the room just as someone knocked at the door.

His heart began to beat fast. It had always been like this at That Place—whenever he thought of anything really jolly, some intrusive person seemed to read his mind and forestall him. In fact, of late, he had almost given up practical joking on that account.

"Come in," he said sullenly.

The door opened and, to Hugo's utter amazement, there entered a man who was more familiar to him than his own brother. He clapped a hand to his forehead and gave a faint cry. Was he back in That Place?

The newcomer, clad in tennis flannels, stared at him with widening eyes and dropped jaw.

Hugo Smarle began to whimper.

"I won't go back—you can't make me. I won't go. This is Italy. You can't take me back if I say I won't go."

Philip Ardeyne shut the door, then—as an afterthought—locked it.

"I'm not going to take you anywhere," he said. "But, of course, you can't stay in this room. How did you get here? Does your balcony adjoin this one?"

Hugo, with a trembling hand, pointed through the line of open doors. "That's my room——"

The doctor looked and saw that the door on the other side of Mrs. Carnay's bedroom was open.

"Oh," he said, "that's your room, is it. Well, you'd better get back to it, old chap. The ladies who occupy these rooms might be alarmed if they came in and found a stranger here."

Hugo grinned feebly.

"I'm not a stranger," he said. "I belong here. I'm—I'm my wife's brother, you understand. My name isn't Smarle. You thought it was, didn't you, doctor? But that was just another little mistake they made at That Place. My name is John Baliss and my wife's name isn't Mrs. Smarle at all. Her name is Mrs. Carnay. She's not my wife; she's my sister. And I'm not Alice's father. I'm her Uncle John. Perhaps you'd better tell me what you mean by coming into these rooms? I've been very ill—a little light-headed with 'flu'—but I've already got a doctor. My wife saw to that. I don't want anything to do with you, Ardeyne—or with anybody else from That Place."

Hugo stopped from sheer lack of breath and sank down into a chair, exhausted and trembling.

(To be continued.)

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London Traffic Weakens St. Paul's Cathedral.

St. Paul's Cathedral, which for several centuries has lorded it over all London from the peak of Ludgate Hill, is showing signs of fatigue. Its stones, blackened by the fog and soot of bygone ages, are getting weary from the constant vibrations caused by the roaring traffic that swirls all around the structure, and the unrelenting pull of the Thames upon its foundations.

The south transept has begun to lean toward the river and the southwest tower has dropped several inches from the perpendicular. Something must be done soon to preserve this crowning achievement of Sir Christopher Wren. Mervyn McCartney, architectural adviser in the dean, says a large sum of money will have to be spent on the Cathedral before very long, and the Board of Commissioners at present is considering several proposals for its preservation.

An American firm which underpinned some of New York's great skyscrapers has examined St. Paul's and recommended underpinning as a cure for its architectural maladies, but the commissioners are set against such a method.

In the eighteenth century iron straps were put around the cornices of the transepts to hold the building together and since then it has been necessary to make other repairs to the mal-alignments caused by the movement of the Cathedral. Twenty years ago it was discovered that the roof under the western pediment had dropped a few inches, and within the present decade it has been necessary to repair two of the piers. It is expected that repairs to the other six piers, some of the masonry of which has rotted,, will require 30 years to complete.

Meanwhile, the stream of busses and motor lorries which flows past the building becomes larger and larger, with consequent increase in the devastating vibration.



And Was Occupying a Sleeper, Too.

Reggie — "Oh—aw—I beg pardon, Miss Sharpe—I didn't hear. I'd gotten into a train of thought, dontcher know."

Miss Sharpe (sweetly)—"And you'd settled down so comfortably in a sleeper, hadn't you, Mr. Sapp?"

MY ROASTING PANS.

To save labor in washing the roasting pans, I grease them just as I grease an earthen or blass baking dish before putting in the food and placing the pan in the oven. Rubbing the inside with a piece of suet is excellent for any metal roasting pan, as the grease helps to keep the food from burning onto the pan.—N. D. F.

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For increased acre yields, it is not only important to use seeds of high quality, but it is very desirable to use those varieties which have proven superior, so says Dr. C. A. Zavitz of the Ontario Agricultural College. The Field Husbandry Dept. has done much in importing, testing, selecting and hybridizing varieties, not only with the object of supplying the most reliable information but also with the aim of originating new varieties which are superior to any already in existence. This is no easy matter to accomplish. We believe, however, that in some of our most important crops of Ontario, varieties of superior merit have been originated. The following list gives our latest information regarding a few of the most desirable varieties of farm crops for use in Ontario:

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Barley—O.A.C. No. 21.

Winter Wheat—O.A.C. No. 104, Dawson's Golden Chaff, and Imperial Amber.

Spring Wheat—O.A.C. No. 85, Marquis, and Wild Goose.

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Winter Rye—Rosen, New Invincible and Petkus.

Emmer—Common.

Buckwheat—Rye.

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Field Beans—Pearce's Improved Tree and Pea Beans.

Soy Beans—O.A.C. No. 211.

Vetches—Hairy.

Flint Corn—Gold Nugget, Longfellow, and Salzer's North Dakota.

Dent Corn—Golden Glow, White Cap Yellow Dent, Wisconsin No. 7, and Bailey.

Sweet Corn—Golden Bantam.

Sorghum—Early Amber.

Sunflowers—Black Giant, and Mammoth Russian.

Mangels—O.A.C. No. 2 (strain of Yellow Leviathan).

Swede Turnips—Good Luck, and Hall's Westbury.

Millet—Japanese Panicle, and Japanese Barnyard.

Pasture Rape—Dwarf Essex.

Cow Cabbage—Sutton's Earliest Drumhead.

Early Potatoes—Irish Cobbler.

Late Potatoes—Dooley, and Green Mountain.

Alfalfa—Grimm, and Ontario Variegated.

Sweet Clover—White Blossomed Biennial.

Grasses—Orchard, Tall Oat, and Meadow or Tall Fescue.

Prevention of Losses Among Chicks

By S. W. Knipe

Recent figures show that there are only about 55 chicks raised out of every 100 hatched, and this is on farms where there exists a better average of poultry conditions. Many poultry raisers try to reduce their loss by "doctoring" sick and weakly chicks. They lose sight of the fact that for the previous 9 or 10 months the stock these chicks were raised from had not the care and attention necessary to produce sturdy chickens, and so care of breeding stock results in chicks hatched with weak constitutions, unable to live under ordinary farm conditions. A strong, vigorous chicken, with good brooding system, clean and proper feeding, should be easily raised to maturity. The greatest loss is owing to lack of vitality, which may be caused by poor parent stock, poor care of eggs before they are set, or poor incubation. On farms, where the fowl are allowed to forage for themselves most of the year, there are many mistakes made in breeding, the fault often being due to both male and female. The males, often late hatched, lack vigor and are small in size. Because such birds give a high percentage of fertility in eggs does by no means warrant the assumption that the chicks hatched will be sturdy. Good hens are almost as important as good males. For best results it is not wise to mate the entire flock, better pick out only the best females and mate them to the best males procurable. Never mate cockerels and pullets. Never use hens which have been sick and out of condition. Bowel trouble and diarrhoea are sometimes caused by infection of the eggs, therefore the necessity of not breeding from any birds thus infected. The best of eggs may be ruined by faulty incubation, not only artificial, but when broody hen is used. If the hen is flighty she should not be used. Nests should be in a place easly accessible, where water and food are conveniently obtained. Incubator chicks are just as strong as hen hatched if they are properly hatched. Too high or too low a temperature, not enough fresh air, and wrong moisture conditions, are the most common faults of weak chicks from artificial incubation. Do away with these causes and you hatch good, vigorous, healthy chicks. Good incubators are usually obtained by poultry raisers, yet a great number of these people make the "penny wise" and pound foolish" mistake of thinking they can make a brooder at home quite good enough to brood the small number of chicks they raise. Too often these home-made brooders do not keep the proper temperature nor supply the ventilation necessary. Again, if the brooding system is too small for number of chickens hatched there is apt to be "crowding," causing loss through suffocation. Coops without floors for hen-hatched chicks often result in chilling the little birds. Chills usually bring along bowel trouble.

The close confinement of baby chicks is often claimed to cause leg-weakness, something which rarely is seen in chicks which are allowed on outside run, ever for a few minutes, after they are about a week old. Of course, in stormy or wet weather this is impossible, therefore for such occasions keep sand or fine litter on the floor. Feed grain in dry litter to induce exercise. Keep brooder house well ventilated. Supply green feed such as sprouted oats, lettuce, green alfalfa or clover cuttings.

No matter how brooded the chickens must be kept free from vermin, must be kept dry, must have plenty of exercise, and small birds should not be allowed to run with half-grown ones, as the little chaps don't have a chance to get the proper amount of food if compelled to fight with much larger birds for it. Keep your baby chicks growing every minute till they mature, which can be done by proper feeding. Improper feeding is feeding too soon and without making chicks work for their meals. Positively, do not feed chicks before they are 48 hours old. The yolk of the egg provides food for at least that length of time. Additional food is over-loading a small stomach and causes digestive troubles.

To sum up the matter, the remedy for the great loss of chicks is "prevention." "Eternal vigilance" is the price which must be paid to reduce the loss to a minimum. Careful feed and attention from the day the chicks are hatched, for remember, these chicks may eventually be the breeders you are going to depend on, and must have every chance to mature into well-developed, vigorous pullets and cockerels.

SHEEP.

Sheep like fresh air and sunshine. If allowed to run at will they seldom seek protection from chilling winds and cold weather. So long as their fleeces are kept dry, they enjoy freedom.

My experience has been that there is danger of housing breeding ewes too closely during the winter months. Like many other flock-owners, I have on cold stormy nights closed the doors and neglected to open windows for ventilation. The following morning the air would be distressingly foul. This, I am thoroughly convinced, is not for the best health of the animals.

Breeding ewes need every advantage. Fresh air is not only essential to their well-being, but it costs little or nothing to provide. Opening the windows from the direction opposite to the prevailing winds generally will give the result sought. This arrangement prevents draughts which cause colds.—L. C. R.

DAIRY.

Cows, like people, are creatures of habit. They eat most of what they like best, if they can choose their diet. It is very natural for them to consume first the food that is most palatable. In searching for the finest morsels, a delicate feeder often throws her feed about in the manger, and then refuses to eat the amount necessary to produce her maximum flow of milk.

The appetite of a cow depends upon the condition of the digestive tract. Often the digestion becomes sluggish from an excess of food low in digestible nutrients. The way to overcome this condition is to feed something that will keep the digestive organs active. Silage will do this. So will roots. Succulent food is, therefore, important when teaching the cow to consume the required amount of the foods she should have.

Select Bacon Hogs.

Ontario showed a good increase in select bacon hogs in January compared with the corresponding month of last year, the number being 29,207 against 13,815. Alberta showed a slight increase, being 4,185 against a slight increase being 1,669 against 1,386. Quebec showed a decrease, being 4,185 against 7,152, and Manitoba's figures this January were 2,793 compared with 3,708 in the corresponding month of last year.

The wiseacre who said that it is good for one to do something disagreeable each day, apparently did not realize that most of us fulfilled that unpleasant duty by getting up in the

Registered Silver Foxes.

The Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, in the report of his department for the year 1922-23, makes reference to silver fox farming. This industry, the Minister points out, had its inception in Prince Edward Island, in the vicinity of Tignish, somewhere in the early eighties. It has now spread from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and is firmly established on a business basis. According to this Report, the Canadian Silver Fox Breeders' Association was incorporated in 1920, when a stud book was opened for the registration of all foxes that came up to a required standard and which had been bred in captivity for a certain number of generations. Up to the end of March, last year, 10,000 foxes had been accepted for registration and were tatooed on the ears for identification.

The Live Stock Branch of the Department, at the request of breeders, recently took over the inspection of the foundation stock. The period of the year in which inspection can be made is limited from late September until the middle of January. Inspection has to be delayed until this date owing to the fact that it is the quality of the fur that makes silver foxes valuable and some cold weather must be experienced before the quality of the winter coats can be judged. The stopping of inspection in the middle of January is said to be due to the commencement of the breeding season at that time, when ranches have to be closed to all except those in charge.

With respect to the production feature of the silver fox industry, it is stated that there is a steadily increasing demand for furs of all kinds, and at the same time the supply from the wilds is just as steadily decreasing. Accordingly, in order to keep up the supply, it will be necessary to breed more and more fur bearing animals in captivity. As the silver black fox produces a high priced fur and one that cannot be successfully imitated, a demand for his pelt is bound to continue.

Pasture for Hogs.

It is generally acknowledged by successful hog raisers that there is economy in pasturing hogs during the growing period. This practice not only develops general thrift but is conducive to the healthy growth so essential to hogs of the "select" bacon type. The question then arises, What pastures are best for hog raising? According to experiments conducted at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Japanese millet has proved to be a more economical producer of pork than either oat and barley pasture or sweet clover and oats. The sweet clover and oat pasture came second, barley pasture third, and oat pasture at the foot of the list. During the pasturing period, the hogs were fed a similar grain diet in all experiments, as well as milk to drink.

With the millet pastured hogs, gains were made at a cost of 4.01 cents per pound as compared with 4.79 from sweet clover and oats, 5.46 from the oat pasture, and 5.87 from the barley pasture lot. The pasture crops were sown on the 5th of June, and the hogs were placed in the plots one month and one day later when the growth of forage averaged from 6 to 9 inches in length.

Of the several crops tested, Japanese millet proved to have the greater stock carrying capacity. Nine hogs on a plot 115 by 30 feet in size were unable to consume this crop quickly enough, and it was found necessary, after a few weeks, to divide the plot into halves, and place six other pigs on the second half of the lot. The grain ration consisted of a mixture of middlings, shorts, ground oats, ground corn and tankage, with skim milk.

Supplying Bacon Type Sows.

The introduction of hog grading has created a general demand for brood sows of the bacon type. To assist farmers in securing these, the Live Stock Branch of the Dept. of Agriculture at Ottawa, through the agency of field men, makes suitable stock available in districts where it is most needed. According to the Report of the Dominion Minister of Agriculture for the past fiscal year, 757 head of bacon type sows were purchased in Ontario and shipped for sale direct to farmers in various parts of Quebec. Besides these, more than three hundred Quebec brood sows were turned over from the breeders to districts that had not been supplied. In the Province of Alberta, according to this Report, 42 young sows of the Yorkshire breed were purchased and sold to pig club members, and a quantity of similar stock was made available to Ukranian settlers. That this work will produce good results in due time is shown from the experience of the Peace River District, which was supplied with bacon type hogs of both sexes two years ago. The stock coming out of the district the year following the introduction comprised a much higher percentage of select stock than that marketed from other parts of Alberta.

Have the harnesses been repaired and oiled, the wagons been greased, and other tools put in repair? If not, it is likely to be now or never. It will pay to make it now instead of never.

When things look dark and discouraging in public affairs, please remem-

THE CHILDREN'S HOUR

TWO LITTLE SOMETHINGS.

When little Jackie Rabbit and Billie Woodchuck, Junior, returned from school one afternoon, they found their mothers were not at home. This was very unusual, and they were quite pleased. You see, they lived right next door to each other, so it meant they could have a nice long play together and their mothers would not be there to call them to do some little task.

"Come over and play in my yard, Billie," said Jackie, as he saw his little friend coming out of the house munching a big sugar cookie. (Jackie was enjoying a big ginger one with a raisin in the middle).

Billie didn't need a second invitation, because Jackie had a big swing in the maple tree in the back yard. Of all the things he liked to do, Billie thought he liked swinging the best. To go as fast as the wind to and fro up among the leaves was heaps of fun. And this is what Mother Rabbit and Mother Woodchuck found their children doing when they returned home.

"Come here, Jackie," called his mother from the back door. And off Jackie went running, with Billie following as fast as his chubby legs could carry him.

"I want you to go on an errand, Jackie. Take this package down to Sammie Squirrel's house. Mrs. Squirrel has a big surprise for you, two little somethings. Billie's mother says he may go with you."

"What do you mean by two little somethings, Mother?" asked Jackie.

"Run along, children, and you will see," she answered, "but be sure and hurry back."

"Two little somethings," questioned Billie and Jackie, "what do you think they can be?"

"I bet they are two little cars," said Jackie, "and maybe we can ride in them."

"I'll bet they are two swings, and I can have a swing in each one," said Billie.

"Rap, tap, tap," on Sammie Squirrel's door.

A pretty lady squirrel all in white opened the door for them.

"Come in boys," she said.

"Please, ma'am, mother sent this package to you," said Jackie. "And she said you had two little somethings to show us."

"That's right, I have, boys. Just wait a minute." And she went tiptoeing off into the bedroom.

In a minute she was back. "Come right in this way, boys," she said. "Here are the two little somethings that your mother told you about."

And weren't they surprised when they peeked into the bedroom, for there in a snow white cradle were two little baby squirrels.

The boys wanted them to come out and play, but the nurse said they must wait until they had grown to be a little stronger.

"What's their names?" asked Billie.

"This one is Sue, and this one is Sally," said the nurse as she tucked them in more closely.

The boys wanted to stay longer, but it was time for the baby squirrels to have their nap, so the nurse had to send them home.

"We'll be back to see Sue and Sally to-morrow," said Jackie.

"You bet we will," said Billie, "and maybe they won't be so sleepy then."

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BY HELEN GREGG GREEN.

"I don't understand Aileen! She is positively lazy about the house," complained Aileen's mother. "She'd let me wait on her hand and foot, if I'd do it. And I guess I nearly do."

"My dear," spluttered Aunt Emmy Lou, "I can explain the case. You started wrong with Aileen. When she was a wee girl you were always doing things for her. "Wait, dear, it's raining. Let mother get your overshoes and umbrella. If you asked her to dry the dishes, and she wanted to play instead, you would say, 'Run along, dear, mother will do them!' Yes, you were Ailee's servant. There's no doubt about that."

The mother winced. "Oh, surely—"

"Yes, it's true!" Aunt Emmy Lou interrupted. "I believe in being a child's aid, friend and mother, but *never* his servant. No wonder Aileen is lazy now. You've taught her to be, encouraged it!"

"Oh, Aunt Emmy Lou, don't be cross with me," Virginia smiled. "But I guess you're right. I never thought of her laziness being my fault before. Why does it take us so long to wake up? From now on, I'll have a different system with my little girl."

But she was just twelve years too late beginning the proper "system."

It's not a kindness to a child to do the hundred and one little things that he should be taught to do for himself. We must teach our children initiative, and to do this they must have little responsibilities of their own. As they grow older these may be increased so that they will gradually become more efficient and better able to face the responsibilities of life.

One of the most unhappy girls I know is one who had a great deal of responsibility thrust upon her when she was wholly unprepared for it. Of course she was not equal to it. Her parents had shielded her all her life from the responsibilities she should have had. Even very small children should be given a small amount of responsibility; first in homeopathic poses, to be increased as the child grows older. Then in time he will be able to accept all that comes in his way in a capable, experienced manner.

Record of Performance for Dairy Cattle.

The popularity of the Record of Performance test work for pure bred dairy cattle, carried on by the Dept. of Agriculture at Ottawa, is brought out by the Hon. Mr. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, in the report of the work of his Dept. for the year ending March 31st last. In that year alone applications for entry were accepted for 3,868 cows, which was an increase of 882 over the preceding year, and cows were entered for the test from 1,720 farms throughout the Dominion.

A recent modification of the rules governing the test has been brought into effect. This provides for the accepting of entries only from owners who place all their pure bred milking, untested, normal cows in the test. The object of this rule is to stop the practice of some breeders entering one or two of their cows and giving them special care in order to make records that are in many instances considerably higher than the average production of the entire herd.

An interesting fact brought out in the Report is that the Minister's own Department was at that time the owner of the highest producing cow in the Dominion—the Holstein-Friesion "Agassiz Segis May Echo," located at the Experimental Farm, Agassiz, B.C. At the time the report was made, this cow held the world's butter fat record for all breeds and ages, having produced within the year 30,886 pounds of milk containing 1,345 pounds of butter fat. This record has since been slightly exceeded by another Canadian bred cow, "DeKol Plus Segis Dixie," which produced 33,477 pounds of milk and 1,686.5 pounds of butter in 365 days.

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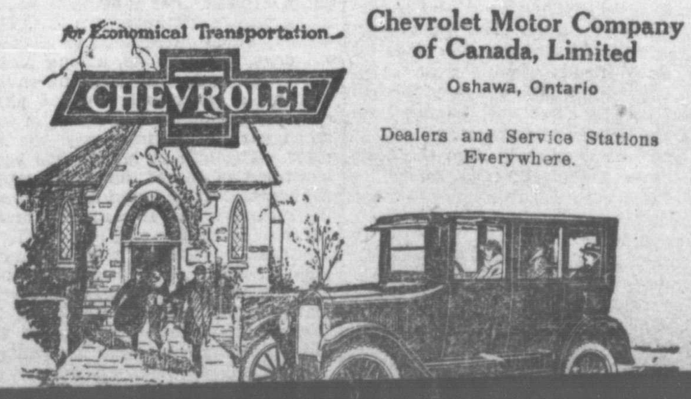
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THE EQUITY.

SHAWVILLE, APRIL 3, 1924.

Sir Edmund Walker, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, one of the most outstanding figures in the banking and financial world in Canada, died in Toronto on Thursday morning, after a short illness, in his 76th year.

Premier Poincare of France, who resigned office on Wednesday last following the defeat of his ministry by a small majority on a matter of secondary importance, has consented to resume office on the urgent solicitation of President Millerand and many friends and admirers, who believe the country could not suffer the loss of his leadership at the present critical condition of its affairs.

The House of Commons took time last Wednesday to discuss the effects of a drainage canal which the city of Chicago is operating in connection with its sewage system, and which threatens to lower the water in the great lakes and St. Lawrence to such an extent as to interfere seriously with navigation unless prompt action is taken to restrain the authorities of the Windy City from further appropriating that which they have no legal right to. The matter will be investigated and probably be acted upon before the session closes.

The British Labor Premier was chiefly instrumental last week in bringing about an understanding between contending interests, which resulted in ending the Tramways strike from which the city of London in particular and the country in general was beginning to suffer very serious loss and inconvenience. The proposed terms of settlement gives the strikers practically all they were demanding. This settlement, however, does not dissipate all Premier Macdonald's labor difficulties, as the miners are likely to give trouble very soon unless their demands are acceded to.

Bristol School Commissioners

Bristol, March 26, 1924.

Meeting of the Public School Commissioners of Bristol, held on the above date. Present : Chairman Horner and Commissioners Findlay, Duff and Smith.

Minutes of last meeting read and, on motion of Com'r Smith, were adopted, providing the motion re. grant to school fair be changed to read that we grant $5.00 for each school under our jurisdiction ; also that this amount be paid on or before Sept. 1st, 1924.

Motion—Com'r Duff—That the following bills be paid :

F. Bourgeau, firing No. 3, 4 mos	$ 4.00
A. Sammon and A. Allen, sweeping No. 7 10 months,	10.00
Jas. Gordon, 11¼ cds wood, No. 3	33.75
P. Cruickshank, 12 cds " " 9,	39.00
W. Beattie, work, supplies " 7,	26.75
W. Woods, " " " 10	5.15
Jessie Horner, books No. 10,	1.55
Jas Marks, work, supplies No. 6,	28.15
P. E. Smiley, Jan'y salary while School was closed,	60.00

Motion—Com'r Findlay—That Thos. Telford be appointed caretaker of No. 4 School and T. P. Graham caretaker of No. 3 School.

Motion—Com'r Findlay — That the following be appointed as a building committee in connection with the building of No. 9 School : W. Graham, W. Murray and James Gordon.

Motion—Com'r Duff—That Chairman Horner, Com'r Smith and the Secretary-Treas. be appointed a committee to decide definitely on accepting a tender for the building of No. 9 School.

Motion — Com's Smith — That this board do now adjourn.

G. T. DRUMMOND,
Sec.-Treas.

Death of Former Yarm Lady

A clipping from the Port Arthur News-Chronicle relating to the death of Mrs. Fred Therrien (nee Cora Edna Hopper, second daughter of Henry A. Hopper, formerly of Yarm) has been received. It says :

"Chapleau, March 1.—The many friends and acquaintances were very saddened to learn of the death of Cora Edna, beloved wife of Mr. Fred Therrien, who passed away at her home here on Wednesday afternoon, at the age of 25 years and 4 months. Mrs. Therrien came to Chapleau with her parents when a very young child and has resided here ever since. Her quiet disposition and pleasant manner made for her many friends whose sorrow cannot be fully realized as her married life had been such a short one, having been married only in August last.

The funeral was held from the home of her parents at 2.30 p. m., on Friday afternoon to St. John's Anglican Church and thence to the Protestant cemetery. The pallbearers were S. Mitchell, D. Grinton, C. Fadden, D. Brunette, C. Kimberley, and V. Kimberley.

Rev. J. N. Blodgett, in well chosen words, delivered a very consoling address to the bereaved ones. "O, for a Faith that Wili Not Shrink," and "O

were the hymns used at the service.

The deceased leaves to mourn her loss : Her husband ; her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hopper ; two sisters, Mrs. J. Coulter, of Chapleau, and Mrs. A. M. McManus, of Toronto ; one brother, Arthur.

The numerous beautiful tributes in a small way bespeak the sympathy that is felt for the sorrowing relatives.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral were sister Phoebe (Mrs. A. McManus) of Toronto ; Miss Ethel Kimberley, of Toronto, and Miss Crystal Hopper, of Pembroke."

THE WEDDING RING.

Brides Used to Wear It on Their Thumb.

There is no lack of evidence that the custom of giving a bride a ring in marriage is of great antiquity, but the actual origin of the custom is involved in mystery.

So far as Great Britain is concerned they were adopted by the Anglo-Saxons about A.D. 860. These early wedding-rings were commonly of iron, the wearing of gold ones being confined to people of high rank.

As time rolled on, and wealth increased, the wedding-ring grew more and more ornate and elaborate. Not only this, but double, and even triple, wedding rings became fashionable.

The latter consisted of three hoops of gold looped together into what was known as a puzzle ring. Double wedding rings were known as "grimmal" rings, the idea being that the twin hoops, each apparently free and yet inseparable, were typical of the marriage state.

At one time it was usual for women to bequeath their gimmal rings to their parish church, to be used for hanging tapestries on. This pretty custom has been revived recently in connection with Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament in the Roman Catholic Cathedral, Westminster.

The white silk curtains round the interior of the tabernacle are suspended from wedding rings bequeathed for this purpose by devout ladies, each ring having the name of the donor engraved upon it.

The wearing of the wedding ring on the third finger is a comparatively modern innovation. In Elizabethan days women wore theirs upon their thumbs. Thus, we find the heroine of Southerne's "Maid's Last Prayer," exclaiming "Marry him I must, and wear my ring upon my thumb!"

While even so late as the reign of George I., brides, though wedded by receiving the ring on the third finger, used to remove it immediately after the ceremony and place it upon the thumb.

It is commonly said that the wedding ring is worn upon the third finger of the left hand because, when placed on that particular digit, it presses on a vein that communicates directly with the heart. This, however, is anatomically incorrect.

By the way, what we call the third finger is termed the fourth finger in the Prayer Book, the thumb being counted as one digit—the first.

Many modern wedding rings are of platinum, a metal that is now, of course, far more valuable than gold; and not long since a millionaire bridegroom placed upon the bride's finger a ring fashioned from a single emerald.

During the war flying men gave their wives wedding rings made of aluminium.

New Governor of Madras.

The Right Hon George Joachin Goschen, second Viscount Goschen, who has been appointed Governor of Madras, is a son of the famous Conservative Chancellor of the Exchequer, who was raised to the peerage in 1900.

He was born in 1866, the son of the first Viscount and Lucy, daughter of the late John Dailley, and received his education at Rugby and at Balliol College, Oxford. He married, in 1898, Lady Evelyn Gathorne-Hardy fifth daughter of the first Earl of Cranbrook, and has two daughters. He succeeded his father in the peerage in 1907.

He was for a time private secretary to the Governor of New South Wales and later to his father, when the latter held the position of First Lord of the Admiralty. He was first elected to the House of Commons for East Grimstead, Sussex, in 1895 and held the seat until 1906, acting for some time as joint Parliamentary Secretary of the Board of Agriculture.

Viscount Goschen was for a time A.D.C. to Lord Roberts, when the latter was commander-in-chief of the forces, and he now holds the commission of lieutenant-colonel in the 5th Buffs, East Kent Regiment. He was created C.B.E. in 1918.

Seacox Heath, his home at Hawkhurst, was built in the eighteenth century by a famous smuggler out of his ill-gotten gains.

Miskin Manor Destroyed.

Miskon Manor, Glamorganshire, Wales, the beautiful residence of Sir Rhys Williams, D.S.O., recorder of Cardiff, has been destroyed by fire and a large number of valuable books and art treasures have been lost. The manor, which dated back to mediaeval days, was famous, among many other things, for its charming environment, a luxuriously wooded park of great extent with picturesque terraced gardens falling away to the river. The hall at Miskin has been described as one of the most beautiful apartments to found in any house in South Wales. It contained many notable hunting trophies. Three Rembrandt pictures were included among the art treasures of the house. The history of Miskin Manor covers many centuries. It contained in its fabric a considerable portion of the old building which was for generations the home of the Bassets.

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RESOLUTION

Of Shawville School Board Re. School Fees.

Motion—Commissioners H. S. Hodgins and Langford Strutt—Whereas the present scale of Fees charged Pupils attending the Academy being altogether inadequate, only providing for about forty per cent of the actual cost of tuition—the Shawville taxpayer having to defray the other sixty per cent—It is hereby resolved that for the next Scholastic Year—1924-25—the Monthly Fees charged all pupils from outside the Municipality (payable in advance) be as follows :—

Grades 10 and 11	$6.00	per month.
" 9	4.50	"
" 8	3.75	"
" 7	3.00	"
" 6	2.25	"
" 4 and 5	1.25	"
" 1, 2 and 3	1.00	"

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W. A. HODGINS,
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We ne'er shall hear again.
It was God's will to take them home,
In heaven we'll meet again.
Daughter, Mrs. Wm G. Mulligan.

In loving memory of Andrew C. Young who was accidentally drowned in the Pickanock River March 30th, 1921.

I'm sitting alone tonight, darling
Alone in the dear old room ;
And soft falls the rain
As it drops on the pane,
Makes deeper the gathering gloom,
For I know that it falls on a grave,
darling,
A grave 'neath the evergreen shades,
Where I laid you away
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Because it is a robber's grave it bears no headstone and is placed in a neglected corner of the cemetery so that the bones of a felon may not contaminate worthy men and women who take their long rest around. But more people visit the robber's grave than any other in the county.

In the year 1819, Mrs. Morris, a widow, and her daughter, Jane, were living in a manor house named Oakfield, a mile or two from Montgomery. James Morris, the husband and father, had allowed the house and its farm lands to fall into decay.

Scant resources soon proved unequal to the strain, and the two women turned to their relatives for advice. One of the latter had come into contact with a man named John Newton. He came from over the border and his antecedents were quite unknown in the district.

Under the direction of Newton, Oakfield was transformed. In two years the farm became one of the most prosperous in the county. Newton lived at the Manor House with his employers, but not even to them did he speak of his past.

His energy was astonishing. But work was not his only interest. Of an evening, after his long day in the fields, Newton would sit beside the table in the manor parlor and, in a voice whose reverence awed and fascinated his hearers, would read chapters from the Bible to Mrs. Morris and Jane.

The changes at Oakfield did not escape attention. Two men, Thomas Pearse and Robert Parker, viewed them with special interest. Each coveted Oakfield in his own way. The property had formerly belonged to Pearse's family, and Pearse hoped that the house and farm would ultimately revert to him. Parker, the younger of the two, sought to obtain a prize of another kind. He was the ardent suitor of the widow's daughter.

So Pearse and Parker entered into an alliance. They agreed to trump up a charge against him. One night, at a desolate spot in a lane the two men pounced upon him from behind. They accused Newton of robbing Pearse on the road, and pretended to find a stolen purse in his pocket. They also said that he had struck Pearse with his sticks.

The trap was all too clear. The accusers, both men of standing, had Newton at their mercy. He was forced to accompany them to the county jail.

Poor Newton, awaiting his appearance at the assize court had no friends save two, the widow and her daughter. Despite the strength of the evidence against him, the women's faith did not fail.

But these good souls could not help him. The jury heard the case for the prosecution, supported in every detail by both witnesses. Newton refused to cross-examine them, and contented himself with solemnly protesting his innocence. The result was inevitable; he was found guilty.

The usual question was then addressed to the prisoner by the clerk of assize. Speaking quietly and with no sign of fear, Newton replied:

"My lord, it is evident all I could say in opposition to such testimony would be vain and hopeless. The witnesses are men of respectability and upon their evidence the jury could pronounce no other verdict. I blame them not. From my soul, too, I forgive those men upon whose false testimony I have been convicted.

"I have, in humble devotion, offered a prayer to Heaven and believe it has been heard and accepted. And in meek dependence on a merciful God, which I have offended, but who has I trust, pardoned my offence, I venture to assert that, if I am innocent of the crime for which I suffer, the grass, for one generation at least, will not cover my grave.

"My lord, I await your sentence without a murmur. And I devoutly pray that all who hear me now may repent of their sins and meet me again in Heaven."

Newton was then sentenced to death.

After the usual interval he was brought from his cell to the scaffold. It was a beautiful morning. But, as Newton appeared on the scaffold, white clouds came scudding into the blue sky, chased by great black, threatening masses. The sun was shrouded, there was a flash of lightning, rain poured upon the prison roof and mighty crashes of thunder heralded the condemned man into the beyond.

Men marvelled and recalled Newton's last speech.

The body was thrown into a grave in an unconsecrated corner of the churchyard. Nothing was done to mark the spot, and only a little mound served to reveal its position.

The other fact is this: During five generations many have scoffed at the story, and have sought to grow grass upon the cross. It is asserted locally that everyone who has done this has speedily met with a violent death.—Answers.

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Sometimes a slight accident, or a sudden strain caused by the force of a heavy blow or impact, or the careless rounding of curves, or descending steep, rough hills at a high speed will bend an axle, knuckle or steering rod.

When demountable rims are used precaution must be taken to see that the rims are put on perfectly straight, for if they are carelessly placed the tire must take unnecessary diagonal grind and wear.

INCREASING LIFE OF SPRINGS.

If you would increase the life of the springs on your car, take them apart at least once a year and place graphite between the leaves. This will keep them flexible and will afford the car the protection for which the springs were designed, instead of them getting rusty and stiffening very perceptibly.

ELIMINATION OF VIBRATION LENGTHENS LIFE OF CAR.

The number of forms of vibration on a motor car are legion. Some of them can be eliminated; others can only be lessened; most of them are unpleasant and some are destructive. If vibration could be eliminated entirely, the car's life would be considerably lengthened. To dream of such a thing, however, would be like chasing rainbows; interesting perhaps, but with no chance of success. The object, then, of both the designer and the user is to geep unnecessary vibrations on the blacklist.

KEEP BATTERY UPRIGHT.

Always keep the battery in a vertical position in taking it out or replacing it in the sar. Sediment may be in the bottom of the jars, and tipping them may cause it to get between the plates and short-circuit them.

TIRE SPREADERS OF WOOD.

Tire spreaders can be made of various sizes to meet the demands of the tire repair shop. For this purpose wood will serve best, maple being preferred. These should be about ten inches long, three inches wide and one inch thick. The step-down for various tire sizes man be made to any length that may be found convenient for the work.

Airplanes Should be Equipped With Radio Sets.

The army aerial world tour will be attempted without the use of radio except on the last leg, across the Atlantic from Hull, England, due to the conservation of weight, the chief of the army air service has announced.

Radio experts and some fliers believe that this is an unfortunate decision, since through the use of radio in connection with aviation greater assurance of successful flights and the safety of pilots has resulted generally. But the projectors of the flight do not consider radio essential.

Weather conditions, orders and emergency calls can be received immediately by pilots on radio equipped craft, and they in turn can send messages as to progress, position and changes in routes, as well as requests for assistance, position reports and desired information.

One plane, it is now planned, will be equipped with a transmitter and a receiver set at Hull, England, but what would happen if that plane should crash is not announced. The radio telegraph transmitting set is a 200 watt nonsynchronous rotary spark with a plane to ground range of about a hundred miles. The antenna will be a single weighted trailing wire, and the whole set will weigh approximately 100 pounds. Six hundred metres will be the wave used.

A superheteroyne receiving set will also be carried in the communication plane, but no radio compass. The transmitting set is capable of being transferred to another plane if necessary. Spares and some replacement apparatus will be carried across the Atlantic.

Broad Hint.

For hours they had been together on her front porch. The moon cast its tender gleam down on the young and handsome couple who sat strangely far apart. He sighed. She sighed. Finally:

"I wish I had money, dear," he said. "I'd travel."

Impulsively, she slipped her hand into his; then, rising swiftly, she sped into the house.

Aghast, he looked at his hand. In his palm lay a nickel.

You cannot pull hard with a broken rope.

In a bedroom built of glass at Guy's Hospital, London, patients have been kept hermetically sealed up for five days in an atmosphere containing double the usual quantity of oxygen.



Dr. Harold Wismer

London specialist, who has discovered a means of diagnosing certain types of disease through X-ray examinations of the head. His method is an examination of the sthenoidal cells.

The Old Men of the Poorhouse.

The old men of the poorhouse sit alone
Among the gravestones in the autumn sun,
One peels a little maple stick, and one
With a clay pipe leans forward from his stone
To point out where the first wild geese have gone
Over the meadow, past the golden wood,
One lies against a broken slab to brood
On grassy quietudes—perhaps his own.

Now over the stubble fields the dinner gong
Sounds through the sunshines where the late bees pass.
The old men leave their stones and trudge along
The empty road. But from his plot of grass
Still the old one grooding does not rise,
And still the gray geese cry along the skies.

—Mavis Clare Barnett.

Enjoyment stops where indolence begins.

Invocation.

Rarely, rarely comest thou,
Spirit of delight!
Wherefore hast thou left me now
Many a day and night?
Many a weary night and day
'Tis since thou art fled away.

How shall ever one like me
Win thee back again?
With the joyous and the free
Thou wilt scoff at pain.
Spirit false! thou hast forgot
All but those who need thee not.

I love snow and all the forms
Of the radiant frost;
I love waves, and winds, and storms,
Everything almost
Which is Nature's, and may be
Untainted by man's misery.

I love tranquil solitude,
And such society
As is quiet, wise and good;
Between thee and me
What difference? but thou dost possess
The things I seek, not love them less.

I love Love—though he has wings,
And like light can flee,
But above all other things,
Spirit, I love thee—
Thou are love and life! O come!
Make once more my heart thy home!

—Percy Bysshe Shelley.

How Not to Eat.

Table manners in the seventeenth century must have stood in need of considerable improvement, if we may take seriously the advice that Hannah Wooley gave to young ladies in 1675. It must be admitted that Miss Wooley "wielded a trenchant pen."

"Gentlewomen discover not by any ravenous gesture your angry appetite, nor fix your eyes too greedily on the meat before you, as if you would devour more that way than your throat would swallow. In carving avoid clapping your fingers in your mouth and licking them after you have burnt them. Close your lips when you eat and do not smack like a pig. Fill not your mouth so full that your cheeks shall swell like a pair of Scotch bagpipes. It is very uncomely to drink so large a draught that your breath is almost gone and you are forced to blow strongly to recover yourself."

Biggest Concrete Bridge.

What will be the biggest concrete bridge in the world is about to be constructed by France, to connect Brest with Plougastel. It will be 800 meters long (six miles), consisting of arched spans of 180 meters each. Seven-eighths of its length will cover that much of the estuary of the River Elorn.

This will be the second concrete bridge since the war, the other being that at St. Pierre du Vauvray, which was opened to traffic last year by President Millerand.

A brave man, were he seven times a king, is but a brave man's peer.

If I were asked to name the three things which were retarding civilization most, I should say—ignorance, self-indulgence and selfishness.—O. S. Marden.

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Do Continents and Seas Float on the Earth's Surface

There was not long ago a violent storm along the coast of France, so violent that it shook the seismographs of the observatory at the Parc Saint-Maur, near Paris. The movement of the earth was not nearly so great as at the time of the Japanese earthquakes, but still, considering the distance of the sea from the French capital, the recorded shift was enough to bring into much prominence the theory of Wegener, the geologist, that the traditionally believed immobility of continents is fallacious, and that in reality instead of being firmly fixed, the Americas, Asia and Europe float aimlessly about like masses of seaweed in the Sargasso, on a stratum of fluid matter.

Writing under the heading, "A New Contribution to the History of the Earth," Charles Nordmann says in "Le Matin":

"Here is something to shake our ideas concerning this planet of ours, where the mediocre human melodrama is staged and which we call 'dry land,' and, even more erroneously, 'terra firma.' With the classic theories of the learned men this upheaval of the continental mass would be incomprehensible, but we have Wegener's body hypothesis, which not only explains the fact, but elucidates a crowd of enigmas; not as with Trissotin, who, so far, has only floundered with solemnity without results.

"Wegener's idea simpler than is generally believed, is as follows: The continents are not immobile; they are floating on a sort of layer, denser than the earth's crust, and which constitutes at the same time their support and the bottom of the sea, and might be likened to those light pebbles which roadmakers throw on the heavier asphalt, which is still in an unsolidified state.

"Wegener by his surprising hypothesis, maintains that formerly, that is to say, some myriads of centuries ago, all the continents were united in one single block, and if one could put together the various sea coasts of the Atlantic, one would find that they fitted neatly into one another, and the evidence of the underground dislocation would also tally. In a like manner the continents of Australia and the Antarctic would be found to fit in to the now empty notch of the Mediterranean Sea.

This extraordinary and suggestive hypothesis explains very well the analogies which exist between the fossilized fauna and flora of continents which to-day are widely apart—for example, Africa and South America.

"Numerous observations, notably that of the force of gravity and the average density of the earth at different parts of the globe, tend to confirm this theory. Therefore we are led to believe to-day that, instead of the continents being securely anchored in a fixed position, the emerging layer of earth is really floating on another and denser viscous layer, and which serves as a support for the continents.

"So the countries, now inhabited by men of different race, color and customs, are but the dislocated portions of an immense puzzle. It is not Paris alone, but all inhabited lands which have the right to the disturbing motto 'Fluctuat nee mergitur."

"Until lately our doctrine of the firmness and stability of the earth united the land of lost dreams to this one of ours, of sentiment and human vows. This land of the living and the dead, which we believed to be forever anchored to the bottom of the sea, is but an inert mass of wreckage, drifting about on a viscous subterranean sea.

"Still, who knows, perhaps some day millions of years hence, these drifting continents may come together in a monstrous union and join what now is separated.

"This earth of human sorrows, with its follies and its hopes and despairs, drifts across the ocean for centuries like Arthur Rimbaud's 'Drunken Ship,' but we may say of it, like the poet, that ineffable winds have brushed it lightly with their wings."

Beauty provoketh thieves sooner than gold.

Be great in acts as you have been in thought.

He tires betimes that spurs too fast betimes.

The procrastinating man is ever struggling with ruin.

Canadian National Institute for the Blind

The Library and Publishing Department of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind is located at 142 College St., Toronto. It occupies the whole of a sixteen-room building opposite the Conservatory of Music and is a department of which the Institute is justly proud.

When this library was first organized, it owned a total of 81 volumes, but its catalogue now shows works of literature and music aggregating nearly 13,000 numbers. The whole of the lower floor of the building is devoted to the housing, cataloguing, mailing, receiving, etc., of that large collection of books comprising titles on almost every subject from the "Arabian Nights" to "The Coming of Evolution," and from "Nature Readers" to "Theses on the Atomic Theory." George Elliot and John Buchan, Sir Walter Scott and Robert Louis Stevenson, Charles Dickens and Conan Doyle, Daniel Defoe and Alexandre Dumas, Jane Austen and Charlotte Bronte, W. W. Jacobs and Mark Twain rub shoulders most amicably on the crowded shelves when not out on visits to cheer the blind book-lovers in all parts of the Dominion.

Books for the blind are carried free by our Government, which was the first in the world to grant such a privilege, thus making possible the fullest development of the circulating library system for readers without sight. Books go and come in specially devised canvas wrappers which make it unnecessary for a blind person to call upon sighted members of his family to assist him in mailing his volumes back to the library. During the first year of the library's history, some 700 volumes were loaned; last year 13,075 were sent out. And since every book going out means another coming in, approximately 26,000 volumes were handled.

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Our Publishing Department prints works of various kinds from Ontario Public School texts to stories of the calibre of "Maria Chapdelaine," that beautiful prose idyll of life in the frontier districts of Northern Quebec. It also issues for ten months each year a monthly magazine known as The Braille Courier. This journal contains news of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind and articles, poems, etc., of a general and interesting character. The Braille Courier is a hundred per cent. Canadian in spirit and source of material, and is the only magazine for the blind published in the Dominion. Through the courtesy of Canadian readers many copies are forwarded to blind people in all parts of the world, so that the name of our Institute is known wherever Braille is read. If you come to Toronto do not fail to visit the Library and Publishing Dept. of the Institute at 142 College St. You will be welcome, and you will be interested.



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My neighbor, Smilax, was in trouble, he had two broken limbs; and to him went old Mrs. Bubble, with tracts and helpful hymns. And to his home went many neighbors, a good, kind-hearted crew, to hope he'd soon resume his labors, and be as good as new. The village optimist proceeded to his dire couch of pain, and turned some sunshine loose and pleaded that he would smile again. The brethren of his lodge were present at every crucial hour, to make the sickroom sweet and pleasant as any maiden's bower. And I alone refrained from calling upon that tortured guy, though sympathetic tears were falling, at times, from either eye. And people said, "Your heart is hardened, you visit not the sick; believe us, you will not be pardoned for such an evil trick. You hear your neighbor Smilax yelling until his larynx cracks, and yet you visit not his dwelling to ask him how he stacks. You carry him no pies of custard, no bowls of wholesome soup, you pack no sandwiches, with mustard, to Smilax in his coop." But when the invalid was better, and feeling pert and smart, he said to me, "Oh, donnerwetter, I thank you from my heart! When sickness laid its shadow o'er me, and made me wilt and droop, you, you alone refused to bore me with sermons and with soup!"

IN RABBITBORO



A Newly Discovered Tune.

The saying about the little one half of the world knows of how the other half lives is as true in musical matters as in others, and an amusing confirmation of it occurred a few months ago. A famous foreign violinist and composer, who had been visiting the British Isles frequently during a period of twenty years or so, was walking in the streets of Edinburgh when he heard a boy, who evidently was uncultured and unlearned, whistling a tune that was obviously a folksong. This, thought the artist, was a real discovery, and giving the boy a substantial tip, he made him repeat the tune till he himself had fixed it in his mind. Returning to his hotel he arranged it as a piece for violin or piano, and his press agent sent 'round to the papers the good news of his discovery. And then it turned out that the tune was the "Londonderry Air," which, for many years past had been one of the most popular both as a song and as a theme for bigger works! And the violinist did not know it!

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He Picked a Professor to Win the War.

General Foch was almost unknown in England before he became generalissimo of the allied forces. Not until after 1918 did the editors of Who's Who include him among the thousands of notable men and women. But there was one Englishman at least who years before the war understood his remarkable qualities. In Celebrities Mr. Coulson Kernahan pays tribute to the prescience of Lord Roberts, the "man who knew."

Lord Roberts, writes Mr. Kernahan, was not only a great soldier but also a keen observer and shrewd judge of character; he took a man's measure wholly uninfluenced by what was or was not written or said of the man. He had his own opinion of Foch. Speaking on July 29, 1908, he said:

"They refuse to believe me, and we sleep under a false security, for I do not hesitate to affirm that we shall have a frightful war in Europe, and that England and France will have the hardest experience of their existence. They will in fact see defeat very near, but the war will finally be won by the genius of a French general named Ferdinand Foch, professor at the military school at Paris."

Thus almost exactly six years before the war Lord Roberts predicted precisely what would happen in the war when it came. That in itself was a memorable fact. But that he should thus have marked out a professor and a lecturer in the schools, who was a second lieutenant in 1874, between which time and 1908 he had had no opportunity of proving his military abilities by commanding troops in actions of any importance, if indeed he had seen any action at all, and that he should have marked him as the man who was to lead the allied cause to victory, is surely one of the most remarkable examples of prescience in all history.

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Surnames and Their Origin

SAVILLE

Variation—Sayville.

Racial Origin — Norman-French and English.

Source—A locality or a given name.

In the given instance it is not possible to tell without genealogical research whether this family name is derived from a place name or a given name. The chances are, however, that in the majority of cases this particular family name is the development of a place name.

It is met with quite frequently in the medieval English records as "de Sevele" and "de Sayville," and under circumstances that leave little doubt as to its being born by personages in the service of William the Conqueror or his successors.

But there is some doubt as to the place referred to. It would be going too far to say that it did not mean the modern city of Seville, though this would appear unlikely. On the other hand, it is conceivable that it could have come from the place in Belgium called Serville. Yet the letter "r" is not to be found in the earlier forms of the surname, and though possible, it is not likely that it was injected at a later period into the name of the town.

TABOR

Variation—Taber.

Source—An occupation, or an inn sign.

This family name may be a development either of the word "tabourer" (sometimes "taburer") or "tabur."

You'd probably laugh to-day if you should run across such a family name as "Basedrummer," but this is virtually the meaning of the name of Tabor.

The "tabur" of the medieval period was a drum. The "taburer" was the man who beat the drum, and there were many of them, for there were many traveling orchestras in those days, with their reed instruments, their six-stringed viols and their drums.

In many instances, however, innkeepers and shopkeepers, in that period when it was useless to hang lettered signs above their doors, owing to the inability of most of the population to read, used to identify their inns and shops with pictorial signs, seizing upon any subject or combination of subjects for illustration, in order to distinguish his place from those of his neighbors. It was natural that the drum should often be used for such an illustration, and it was quite common to shorten such a name as "William at the Tabur" into simply "William Tabor."

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One of the tallest men alive to-day, possibly the tallest, is Armand Bronner, who hails from the Jura Mountains. He is 7ft. 5½in. in height, and his stretch from finger-tip to finger-tip is close on 8ft., while, as his boots are 17¾in. long, his patronage is eagerly sought by the bootmakers in his locality.

Bronner was born in 1890, and only ceased to grow when he was thirty years of age. It is a remarkable fact that he only weighed 4½lb. when born. His great height is not shared by any other member of his family, the tallest being 5ft. 9in.

Unlike most giants, who outgrow their strength, Bronner is exceedingly strong, and can carry a weight of nearly half a ton with ease. His health is excellent, and so is his appetite. He eats little meat, but consumes a huge quantity of vegetables.

Food and clothing necessarily cost him about twice what an ordinary man would have to pay, and his tailor, when fitting him, requires a step-ladder to reach his shoulders. At present this giant is touring Europe, and hopes shortly to visit England.

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I seized a cutting-edged club from a by-stander, he says, sprang over to one of the obstructors and dealt him the hardest blow on the head I possibly could. To my astonishment the club flew to pieces, and the native turned on me and smiled. I had hit his shock-absorbing periwig of hair and plastered mud. I might as well have struck a fully inflated automobile tire!

It was rather a setback; the only good effect was that everyone except myself roared with laughter. But then when even I began to see the humor of it I spotted a mischievous fellow calmly jabbing his spear through our water-proof ground sheet. That would not do! I drew my pistol. Now those natives were then at a most dangerous stage of ignorance regarding firearms; they firmly believed that all they had to do to avoid being struck by the bullet was to duck when they saw the smoke. Therefore when I covered them no one moved; they were waiting for the smoke. When they heard the vicious bang of the little weapon and saw no smoke the laugh was on them and especially on the fellow who had been so busy on my ground sheet; for with a ridiculous air of surprised injury he now stood looking at a half-severed and completely spoilt spear in his hand. Then the natives began to edge nervously away.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. W. J. McDowell Answers Last Call

Elizabeth Wilson, widow of the late W. J. McDowell, of McCord, was born in April, 1847, in Clarendon, Que., and died at the residence of her son, Henry Hermon, of McCord, on Thursday of last week at 5 a. m. She was a daughter of the late Wm. Wilson, of Clarendon.

She and Mr. McDowell were married on April 12, 1871, and their union proved an exceedingly happy one and was blessed with a family of three sons and four daughters. One son, Wm. Francis, preceded her to the heavenly world many years ago. She is survived by two sons, James Arthur and Henry Hermon, of McCord; four daughters, Mary Jane (Mrs. R. McCord), of McCord; Sophia Emily (Mrs. E. Bennett), of Regina; Eliza Effie (Mrs. George Angus), 227 North Harold St., Fort William; Eva Lucy (Mrs. H. Johnston,) McCord; twenty grand-children, one great grand-child and one adopted son, Wm. J. Wilson, of Woodrow.

Mrs. McDowell was a woman of most amiable character, and sterling qualities. Quiet and reserved in her disposition, she was nevertheless, most unselfish, and exceptionally thoughtful of the welfare of others, and was ever untiring in her efforts to minister to the comfort and good of those around her, especially where people were in any trouble, or special need of help. "A friend in need is a friend indeed," and this was so often proving itself a leading characteristic of her long and eventful life. Very many were the sick beds she watched by with unwearying patience and fidelity, and many will give her a most hearty welcome to the home in the skies who preceded her to the heavenly city, and whose last lingering illness had been so cheered and comforted by her loving ministrations.

Eleven weeks before she died she met with an accident from the effects of which she never recovered. All those weary weeks she was confined to her bed, and was a great sufferer, but the abundant grace of her Saviour sustained her all the while, and never a murmur escaped her lips, and the salvation of God which she had proven through a long life "Show as a lamp that burneth."

All her family were present during the last days, and all were present for the funeral which was held in the Holiness Movement Church at McCord, on Friday last, at 3 p. m., a short service having preceded at the house The sermon by her pastor, Rev. S. J. Shields, was from the text, "He will swallow up death in victory; and the Lord God will wipe away tears from off all faces."—Isa. 25: 8.

The church was packed to the doors, and numerous relatives were in attendance, among those from a distance being her niece, Mrs. A. Wyldman, of Mossbank; her daughter, Mrs. Angus, of Fort William, who returned to their homes on the Saturday's train.

The cortege was in charge of R. A. Forsythe. The casket was borne from the church to the cemetery by J. E., Robert and James Jones, Walter, Bertle and Lorne McDowell, all nephews of the deceased, and all that was mortal of an esteemed mother in Israel was laid to rest beside the remains of her late husband, there to await the resurrection morning —Meyronne Independent.

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