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The Bewdley Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Northcutt, Bewdley, on Wednesday, March 11th, at 2.30.

A DIRT DISEASE—Typhoid has decreased to such an extent in London, England, that there are medical students who have never seen a case there. This is a preventable dirt disease, and to the shame of Canada it may become necessary for these students to come here to see cases. They will find plenty.—Kingston Standard.

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POLICE APPOINTMENT NEXT MEETING

Says Mr. Hayden—Mr. Patterson Says Neglect to do it Whole Council Will Take it up

Lengthy Discussion on Mr. Smith's Resolution

The regular session of the Council was held Monday evening and the business was light. Mayor Bush occupied the chair and Mr Charles Perry was the absentee. Acting Chief Constable Royce reported that during the month of February he had made five arrests. Ten were summoned on various charges and fines and costs amounted to \$141.50. He had sixteen loads of coal weighed on the town scales and found two slightly underweight and the balance overweight.

FINANCE REPORT

Men's pay roll	\$135 20
Port Hope E. L. & P. Co.	2 52
T McAvoy, salary as constable	61 50
W J Colwill, salary as constable	31 00
Municipal World Assessors, Guide	86
H K Martin, handcuffs for Mr Chesher	5 25
Signed	\$236 93

The Mayor remarked that the report had not been moved or seconded for its adoption and he passed it back to the clerk.

Mr Smith pointed out that he had signed the report but had objected to either moving or seconding it as he was not in favor of some of the items on the report.

It was moved by Mr Hayden and seconded by Sheriff and carried.

The heading of all Finance Reports reads as follows:—

We your Finance Committee, having examined the following accounts and found them correct respectfully recommend His Worship the Mayor, to sign orders on the Treasurer in favor of the parties herein named for their respective claims, namely:—

How Mr Smith could refuse to move the adoption of the report after signing it, is rather a conundrum. Further he did not state his objections so we are unable to give the public that information. While Mr Smith's objection may have been quite well taken, he should in that case, have refused to sign the report.

It was decided to refer Mr Cockburn's claim for damages for injuries received on the Town scales, to Town Solicitor White.

Moved by Mr Rosevear, seconded by Mr Hayden, that His Worship the Mayor sign an order on the Treasurer in favor of the Port Hope Electric Light Co for the sum of \$340.00, said amount being for month of January and this Council reserves all the rights and privileges contained in the Electric Light agreement until such time as the said agreement is accepted by the Chairman of the Fire & Light Committee. Carried.

Mr. Patterson asked what action was to be taken regarding the appointment of a Chief Constable. He thought it time that something was done.

Mr. Hayden, chairman of the Police Committee said that he had intended to have the report ready for this meeting but circumstances had prevented. Acting Chief Royce was on duty and doing the work well. There had been several rumors and complaints about the Chief. He had investigated three of these and had found only a suspicion of truth in one of them.

These rumors would all be looked into at the next meeting of the Council and the report would be ready.

Mayor Bush pointed out that in a great many cases Councilors and officials forgot their obligations taken under oath. It was the duty of the Mayor to have all laws duly executed and obeyed; to oversee the conduct of all subordinate officers and as far as possible to cause all negligence to be prosecuted. One thing he could not stand and that was doing things for personal advantage at the expense of the ratepayers. Some officers evidently do not understand this or if they do they are attempting to take He had spoken privately on this subject and now he wished to make it public that "I must conduct th m elves

within the meaning of this law. The Mayor or the Police Magistrate has the power to suspend the Chief Constable from office for any period. Mr. Smith was given permission to withdraw his resolution re the repeal of a by-law regulating the licensing of butchers.

Moved by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Strong whereas it is the duty of this Council to facilitate in every way possible the purchase of market produce meat and other foodstuffs in public market, and whereas the by-laws regulating the market and licensing butchers and other vendors of food, products are believed to be insufficient and unsuitable and not fully in conformity with the laws of the Province at present in force. Therefore be it resolved that the market and Police Committee be instructed to investigate the existing conditions and regulations, scale of fees, by-laws and all other matters relating to the market and report to this Council any changes that may be in their opinion desirable to promote the efficiency of the market and if necessary have a by-law prepared and introduced in conformity therewith and with the present Provincial law.

Mr. Hayden said the resolution sounded very fine but there was nothing in it. It was a wooden nutmeg. The committee had the matter in charge and intended to introduce the by-law.

Mr. Smith pointed out that Mr. Hayden had asked him to withdraw the by-law and leave the question in the hands of the Market and Police Committee.

Mr. Hayden thought it was unnecessary to force the Market and Police Committee to do something that was already working on.

Mayor Bush thought the resolution was out of order.

Mr. Smith—Give us the point on which you rule it out of order.

Mayor Bush—It is simply nonsense.

Mr. Patterson—It appears that the Market and Police Committee are very busy and if they are going to take as long on the meat by-law as they have on the Constable question, the public will go hungry a long time for cheap meat. Here we are in the third month and nothing has been done regarding the appointment of a chief. If action is not taken at the next meeting the whole Council will deal with the question.

Mr. Smith's resolution carried on the following divisions:—

Year—Messrs Rosevear, Patterson, Strong and Smith.

Nays—Messrs Chislett, Hayden and Sheriff.

Mr. Smith said he was carrying out as near as he could, the suggestion offered by the Mayor some time ago. The Mayor had said if any member noticed something necessary to be done it should be his duty to call attention of the Committee to this.

Mayor Bush—It is quite true but there is a lot of clap trap to this resolution.

Mr. Rosevear—We want to see this meat by law go through and he did not see any harm in the resolution.

Mr. Hayden—The chief of police appointment is a serious question and the committee wants the right man in the right place and the Committee will take all the time they consider necessary.

Mr. Patterson said this dilly-dallying was not fair to the applicants.

The Mayor advised the Committee to take all reasonable care in considering the applications.

A special Committee appointed to confer with the Board of Trade relative to a joint meeting to take into consideration communications received by the Council and Board of Trade regarding the Georgian Bay Canal reported that they had met with a Committee from the Board of Trade and appointed Messrs. A H C Long and C E Sheriff to draw up a resolution to be submitted to a joint meeting of the Council and Board of Trade to be called at the pleasure of the Mayor.

\$20,000 CHECK

From Helm Estate For The Hospital.

The Port Hope Hospital Trust have the pleasure of acknowledging the receipt of \$20,000, from the estate of the late John Helm, in accordance with the provisions of his will.

DIED AT THE HOSPITAL—The death occurred at the hospital last Friday afternoon, of Robert Dafeo, after an illness of a week's duration.

BOARD OF HEALTH

As Usual Makes Recommendations—Milk Tests

A meeting of the Board of Health was held Thursday afternoon and the Board recommended the appointment of a sanitary Inspector and a public Inspector.

It would be interesting for the ratepayers to know what was accomplished by the last inspection which cost a considerable sum.

Moved by Mr. Vandervoort, seconded by Mr. Fulford, that whereas the spring cleaning is at hand, we would respectfully ask and urge the Council to consider and take immediate action in reference to the matter of the appointment of a sanitary Inspector.

Moved by Dr. Dickinson, seconded by Mr. Fulford, that whereas it is very necessary for the Sanitary condition of the town that a public scavenger be appointed, the Board of Health respectfully advises that such appointment be made; and would add that the same can be effected without expense to the municipality, the parties benefitted being taxed an almost nominal sum for the service rendered, which has been adopted by the town of Woodstock and proved very satisfactory.

Following are the results of the milk test for January:—

A Walls 3.50, S C Yeo 3.40, 1 Pratt 3.80, W O Saunders 4.00, W G Williams 3.80, W Lingard 3.80, J Sinnott 4.00.

VIOLENT GALE

Comes With the Opening of March.

The old saying is that if March comes in like a lion it will go out like a lamb. If this be true the outgoing of this month should be exceptionally meek, for all day Sunday and Monday the old lion growled fiercely. All through Sunday the wind howled along at fifty miles an hour occasionally breaking into gusts that carried pedestrians bodily across the street. About eight o'clock in the evening the velocity of the wind was increased and it was almost impossible to get along. Signs were blown down, windows smashed and the streets were strewn with loose material. The tin roof on Fulford Bros. store was torn off, wires were torn and many trees were snapped off like match wood. Monday the old lion was still holding forth. The thermometer registered at ten above zero and the wind howling at from 40 to 50 miles per hour. The train leaving here at 7 o'clock struck a drait at Quay's crossing.

Port Hope's lighting facilities won out and we enjoyed excellent service all day.

The chimney on the Midland Loan & Savings Co. building was blown over about 3 o'clock in the morning and crashed through the attic of the residence of Mrs. Campbell. A large portion of the plaster in a hallway below was smashed and strewn about.

It is estimated that hats to the value of \$300 were carried away and lost in Toronto, Sunday.

The wind was also directly responsible for drowning a wild duck at the eastern gap. The bird fighting manfully in the water to get to a sheltered place, was blown up on a cake of ice, and lashed there so firmly by the wind that it was unable to move. Every wind that came heaped water on to the poor bird, and it died. The keeper of the storm signal station said it was the first time he had ever seen a duck helpless in water, and that the wind had absolutely helpless.

STOLE A COAT

And Was Arrested—Is Wanted in Chatham.

Roy Sanderson, of Baileboro, took a fur lined coat from the Royal Hotel Friday evening (20th) and this said coat was the property of James Kerr, Jr. Chief Royce got busy on the case and Thursday, located the man and also the coat. Sanderson is wanted in Chatham for forgery and also on several other charges so it has been decided to turn him over to the Chatham police. It will be remembered that Sanderson forged a h-c-k on J B Gould some time ago and was then committed for trial. He has served time in jail on several occasions.

MARCH SALE

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LATE JAMES F. HONOR

By the death of Mr. James F. Honor last Monday evening, Port Hope lost one of her best citizens. A man esteemed by a large circle of friends and we feel safe in saying without a single enemy. He had been in failing health for some time and confined to his bed for several weeks, so the end was not unexpected.

The late Mr. Honor was born in Port Hope in 1853. He carried on a successful grocery business for years, retiring from which he entered the service of His Majesty's Customs. In this position, coming in contact with the public every day, he proved the right man in the right position, and his place will indeed be hard to fill. In politics Mr. Honor was a staunch Conservative and an active worker for the party. He was a member of the High School Board, served in the Town Council in 1887, and was the People's Warden in St. John's Anglican Church.

To mourn his loss he leaves a widow and three daughters, Mrs. H. S. White, Toronto, and Misses Florence and Louise at home, who have the sympathy of their numerous friends in their hour of sore trial.

The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon at 7 o'clock.

HOSPITAL DONATIONS

The management of the Port Hope Hospital Trust—gratefully acknowledges the following donations for Feb. 1914:—
Miss Mitchell, King street—Jar of Tomatoes.
Mrs. George Mitchell, Buffalo—pr of bed socks.
Mrs. Frank Bird,—two jars of fruit, oranges and lemons.
Mrs. Bouskill,—Preserved straw berries.
Miss Renwick,—oranges.

JOINS BAKER AGENCY

Vernon S. Smith, a Leading Advertising Campaigner, Comes to Toronto

The Baker Advertising Agency, with the idea of giving still greater service to their clients, have enlisted the services of Mr. Vernon S. Smith, of Chicago.

Mr. Smith is recognized in the United States as one of the three greatest advertising campaigners, and his long and varied experience will no doubt be of material benefit to the clients of the Baker Agency in particular and Canadian advertisers generally.—Toronto Star.
Mr. Smith is a son of the late J. D. Smith and is well known in Port Hope.

TRAFFIC DELAYED—The first train to pass through for Toronto, reached Port Hope, Monday at 8.20 p.m. It was the flyer due here at 2.55 and it had been held up at Colborne owing to an engine and a snow plough leaving the track. There were no trains on the C. N. R. until next morning.

Speeding Car Charged By Mounted Indian

Former Port Hoper in the Mix Up

On Thursday evening a head on collision between Fred Brouillette's automobile, and a horse ridden by Basil Jack, occurred on Fairview Road, much to the detriment of the horse, which had to be shot as a result, and also to the auto which was damaged to the extent of \$200.

Basil Jack, the equestrian in the aforementioned disaster, was arranged before Magistrate Guernsey Friday morning on a charge of being under the influence of liquor at the time of the accident.

Jack stated that it was so dark on the street at the time that he did not see the auto until he was a few feet away, and that the driver of the car turned out on the same side of the street as he did himself. A fine of \$25, or two months in Kamloops was imposed.

Several occupants of the automobile, which was returning from its regular run to Oroville, had narrow escapes, as the windshield and steering gear of the car were jammed into the front seat. Vic Hagerman, seated in the tonneau of the car was thrown across the road, and Jack himself was hurled completely over the auto, escaping injury seemingly by a miracle.—Penticton B. C. Herald.

Victor Hagerman referred to above is a son of Mr. C. A. Hagerman, King street, and Police Magistrate Guernsey is a son of the late Major Guernsey of this town.

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GOD'S WILL

(By Mildred Howells.)

God meant me to be hungry, So I should seek to find Wisdom, and truth, and beauty, To satisfy my mind.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN TORONTO

Five Firms Burned Out in Five Story Building—Loss of \$250,000.

Long & Co., basement and first floor, damage \$80,000. Independent Cloak Co., second floor, damage \$30,000.

The flames spread with such rapidity that Chief Thompson on his arrival ordered his men to direct their efforts to preventing a spread to other buildings.

OMEMEE ARMORY IS IN RUINS

Structure Destroyed by Fire This Morning

Omeme's new armory, the pride of the villagers and which was opened with great eclat last fall by Col. the Hon Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, is today a heap of smouldering ruins as a result of a fire early this morning.

A young man employed by David McGee, carter, is said to have noticed a great volume of smoke issuing from the armory shortly before six o'clock.

After the fire had licked up the interior the massive roof fell in. The front wall also fell out and the end wall has separated from the sides making the situation a dangerous one, as the remaining walls threatened to fall at any time.

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BENNETT'S CHILDREN SENT TO SHELTER

Immoral Relations and Unclean and Improperly Clothed

The case of the neglect of the four children of Edwin Bennett of Cambellcroft, took up the time of the court Thursday from ten o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

Police Magistrate White on the evidence found that the children Rachel Bennett, Bertha Bennett, Olive Bennett and Lillian Bennett were neglected children within the provisions of The Children's Protection Act of Ontario by reason of the immoral relations admitted in the evidence as to their present surroundings, of their unclean and improperly clothed condition and of the further fact that the acknowledged father of the three younger children was in custody without bail on a criminal charge of committing an assault occasioning actual bodily harm to his wife who is lying suffering from serious injury and in a critical condition, and the elder of the children had been further acknowledged by witness Wade to be his illegitimate child.

He therefore ordered that the said four children Rachel Bennett, Bertha Bennett, Olive Bennett and Lillian Bennett be delivered to the Children's Aid Society to be sent to their temporary home or shelter until placed in a foster home, such placing as to the three younger children not to be had until the pending criminal charge against the father was disposed of.

SPORTING SKITS

HOCKEY

Speaking of the Oshawa Belleville game the Peterboro Review says—In a decidedly poor exhibition of hockey the Oshawa Juniors defeated the Belleville Juniors last night in Brock street rink and thereby qualified to play Orillia in the semifinals.

The goal that beat the Belleville team was made in a way that is a disgrace to the O. H. A. Weiler was loafing off side about twenty feet and when the puck came up the ice he unhesitatingly took it and scored.

DRAWN TO SAW

SEVERELY CUT

James Murphy's Clothes Caught in Dummer Mill—He Was Slowly Pulled Towards its Teeth and Severely Injured

Norwood, Feb. 24.—James Murphy was the victim of a peculiar and rather serious accident yesterday while working in a saw mill owned by his brothers, about seven miles north of here, in Dummer township. He was engaged in putting some belt dressing on a pulley which was slipping. His clothes caught in the pulley and started to wind around it, drawing him towards the saw. Murphy fought the impending danger until nearly all his clothes were torn from him.

Will Investigate Armoury Fire

A military Board consisting of Major Hughes, Major J. H. Fee and Captain Williams will sit to investigate the circumstances of the burning of the Omeme armouries, and it is altogether likely that Col Hopkins will appoint another Board to enquire into the destruction of the company accoutrement.

Another Story of the Kidderminster Murder

Birmingham Post Recalls the Murder of Mary Swinebourne.

ACCUSED MAN FREED

A copy of the Birmingham Post, England, just received, contains the following reference to the murder which Alfred Kimberly said he committed.

"A man about thirty years of age has confessed at Peterborough, Ont., to complicity in the murder of a woman near Kidderminster several years ago. He is being detained by the police. It was just outside the borough, the barbarous murder was committed on October 1st, 1903. The woman's name was Mary Swinebourne, who was found dead near the golf links near Kidderminster. Her body was covered with wounds, evidently inflicted with a penknife. Mary Swinebourne hailed from Wasall, where she had been hoppedicking. No trace of the murderer could be found. The following year George Fisher alias White, was in custody at Lincoln. He tore a page from his note book and after writing on it, swallowed it but, the scrap was secured by the warden. On the paper was written, 'Murdered Mary Swinebourne, Saturday evening, murder will out. God help me.'"

Fisher afterwards at his trial said the knife was his and that he had lost it at Ledbery. At his trial his defence was, that at the time of the murder he was in Devonshire and produced several witnesses that corroborated this story. He was acquitted. Fisher was a man of about fifty years of age and of a tramp nature.

Kimberly in his confinement at the county jail, is appreciably satisfied with his lot and he evinces but little interest in outside affairs.—Peterboro Review.

HE WAS LIVING IN A CAVE

Kingston Whig.

On Friday the Whig had an article concerning a man by the name of Richard Henderson, who had met with an accident several years ago while lumbering, by a tree falling and injuring his skull and affecting his mind. For a long time he has roamed about the woods in the vicinity of Perth Road, on the north shore of the Loughboro lake. This unfortunate harbors the thought that he is the Divine and calls himself Jesus Christ. People in that section of the country say that in the morning this cave man will come from his abode in the hill and raising his arms aloft will crow like a rooster. At other periods of the day he can be heard rking like a dog. After living in this condition so long, and looking to nature to provide him a living, he is now beginning to show signs of animal nature, and the residents have at last come to the point where they deem it wise to have the authorities take the cave man in charge and place him in an asylum.

Dr. Freeman, one of the two doctors who were called upon to test the man's mentality, went into the cave and found him without any fire. At the mouth of the cave was a snowdrift which extended several feet into it and covered the floor to about a depth of four inches. Dr. Freeman crawled into the cave and found the man in one corner, huddled up and apparently sleeping. The doctor brought the man to the exterior, where he was found to be a peculiar looking object, with his hair hanging down his back, and his whiskers looking as though they had never been cut. The man was later placed in a special room where he will be detained until medical examination is completed. He will then be placed in an asylum.

Eastus was on trial, charged with stealing \$7.50. He pleaded not guilty, and as he was unable to hire an attorney the Judge appointed Lawyer Clearman as counsel. Clearman put up a strong plea in defense, and Eastus was acquitted.

Counsel and client met a few minutes later outside the courtroom. "Now, Eastus," said Clearman, "you know the court allows the counsel very little for defending this kind of case. I worked hard for you and got you clear. I'm entitled to much more money than I'm getting for my valuable services, and you should dig up a good sized fee. Have you got any money?" "Yes, boss," replied Eastus, "I still got a few dollars and eighty-five cents." "Everybody's."

Bothered the Barber. "How are things?" the barber asked pleasantly of the shrinking man in the chair. "Dull, very dull!" And the knight of the razor looked for a moment as if he thought the remark was personal.—London Telegraph.

OUTBURSTS OF INSANITY With Two Fathers—Complete Obliteration of Two Families

A London, G. B., despatch of Saturday, says:—Sudden outbursts of insanity in two fathers of families were responsible during last night for the complete obliteration of two families, consisting altogether of nine people at Harlesdon, North-west London and at Tonbridge, Kent.

In the first case, Walter Johnson, connected with the Harlesdon street car company, first strangled his wife and three children and hanged himself to a gas bracket. In the second case, James Standen, proprietor of a large laundry at Tonbridge, shot his three children as they lay in bed and then sent a bullet through his own head. In both instances neighbors informed the police that the relations of the families were of the happiest character.

DEAR DRINKING

Peterboro Magistrate Hands Out Severe Punishment

Robert Sheridan was before Magistrate Dumble this morning on two charges. The first one was that of supplying Manley Smith, a black-lister, with liquor, to which he pleaded guilty. He was assessed \$25 and costs amounting to \$28.75 or an option of 30 days in jail.

The second charge was that of supplying W. F. Hamilton with the same liquid, but Sheridan pleaded not guilty to this charge and as the Chief was not ready to go on with the case, he was remanded for eight days.

Hamilton failed to appear in court, the reason being that he was taken to the hospital.

He had entered a plea of guilty and a fine of \$10 was recorded.—Peterboro Review.

GO WEST, YOUNG WOMAN

The Globe

A census bulletin recently issued proves that this was sound advice. In 1901 throughout the Dominion there were 105 men to 100 women. In 1911 there were 113 men to every 100 women. Between the ages of 20 and 45 the men outnumber the women by 24 in every hundred.

But the startling feature is that in all Eastern cities except Montreal, where the balance of the sexes is fairly well preserved, women exceed men in almost as great a proportion as men exceed women in the West. Put into plain English, this means that in the East tens of thousands of young women can never be married because there are not men enough to go around, while in the West tens of thousands of young men can never be married because there are not women enough to provide wives for all.

Dog-Whipping an Old Man

Montreal Star

Our sympathy will probably be invited before long for the cruel sufferings of the "martyred" lady who may be forcibly-fed in an English prison because she will not take the meals provided for her and so serve out the sentence which may possibly be imposed upon her for making a brutal attack with a dog-whip upon a gentleman of advanced years. We are told that Lord Weardale, under the weight of his great age, fell in a heap to the ground when struck from behind with a powerful dog-whip; and that, while he lay there helpless, he was beaten across the face with this heavy whip, wielded by an angry young woman. Her lawyer says that she mistook him for Mr Asquith, and offers to "apologize." This has not been beaten since the party of Western "vigilantes" knocked at a poor woman's cabin door; and, when she came to answer it, said to her with an apologetic smile—"We have just come to tell you, M'am, that we have hanged your husband by mistake, and we've got to admit that you have the laugh on us."

RATHER LONELY

Canadian Courier.

An American mother had been telling her boy about George Washington. When she had finished, he inquired:

"Mamma, did you ever tell a lie?" Being a very conscientious woman, she replied, after a moment's pause:

"Oh, perhaps, when I was young." "Did Uncle Sam ever tell one?" was the next question.

Again she hesitated before replying. "Well, perhaps he may have been led away."

"Did Aunt Jane?" "Possibly, once or twice."

The boy thought it over a moment. Then he said: "It will be very lonely up in heaven mamma." "Lonely, dear? Why?" was her query.

"Because there can't be anyone up there except God and George Washington," came the answer.

IN GRIP OF STORM

Worst Gale For Many Years Sweeps Over Province.

EASTERN STATES SUFFER

Wind-Storm Attaining a Velocity of Nearly a Hundred Miles an Hour Paralyze Transportation and Telephones and Telegraphs—Property Damage Will Be Heavy—Three Lives Lost.

TORONTO, March 2.—A storm exceeding in violence anything which has been experienced in many years swept over Ontario yesterday, doing thousands of dollars' damage and causing untold discomfort and fear. Railway service through Ontario was paralyzed. Toronto streets were flooded with signs, loose material from buildings and glass from plate glass windows that crashed through. Vires, trees, fences and poles were blown down. From the surrounding country come stories of similar devastation. The wind howled along at between 90 and 100 miles an hour, breaking into gusts occasionally that ran higher.

The storm, like the more disastrous gale of Nov. 9, 1913, was the result of a fusion of two storms over Maine. It started yesterday morning with a wind velocity of forty miles per hour, which steadily increased in violence during last night.

Over eastern Ontario the wind was higher than in Toronto, while in Montreal snow fell. Telephone communication with the east was cut off and telegraphic communication with Montreal was difficult.

West of Lake Huron there was no wind, and Alberta and Saskatchewan were having spring weather.

Several thousand dollars' damage was done to buildings throughout Toronto city by falling chimneys. The worst case reported was that at the house of Harry Partington, 1,634 Dundas street, where a tall chimney crashed through the roof and three floors of the house, doing damage to the extent of \$1,500. Fortunately no one was injured, although a hole was ripped from the top of the house clear through to the cellar. At 1,825 Dundas street, the home of C. D. Cutts, the chimney also fell through the roof, causing damage to the extent of \$200.

Almost without exception the trains coming into the Union Station were many hours behind time, the Port Huron train, for example, due at 7.30, arriving after 11 o'clock. The reason for this was that all the trains had to be despatched from station to station, losing valuable time in this way every fifteen or twenty miles.

NEW YORK, March 2.—A north-east storm swerving to the north-west, which brought first rain, then snow, raged over New York and vicinity yesterday, cutting the city almost completely off from telegraph and telephone communication. Reports showed its effects to be widespread. Three deaths due to the storm occurred here, two of them occurring together when a roof over a sidewalk collapsed under the weight of wet snow, crushing a man and a boy. Another man, blinded by snow, was killed by a train. Several persons were overcome by exposure and a number were injured in street accidents.

Trains for the most part left their terminals on time, but with wires down they were lost track of nothing. Concerning incoming trains, nothing could be learned except as they arrived late on all lines. Wet snow snapped telegraph and telephone wires, and with a gale blowing 72 miles an hour at time many poles toppled over. On some lines the poles fell across railroad tracks, blocking traffic.

As reports began to come in later it was learned the blockade of train traffic on some of the railroad lines were even more serious than had been thought earlier. The westbound Twentieth Century Limited for Chicago was reported halted by fallen poles across the New York Central tracks north of Ossining. Other trains on the line were stalled at various points along the Hudson river from the same cause.

Lillian Russell on Honeymoon. NEW YORK, March 2.—"Our first real honeymoon," said Alex. Moore, husband of Lillian Russell, who sailed with the fair Lillian Satur say for a cruise to the West Indies and Panama.

"It may be for you," replied Lillian, "but no for me." Miss Russell declared that she was looking forward to seeing Jamaica and other places in the West Indies. Strangely enough she said she had never spent a honeymoon in those placid climes.

Jacob H. Schiff and Mrs. Schiff were passengers on the Calameres, accompanied by Miss Lillia. D. Wald. Mr. Schiff is going for a look at the canal, which he has never seen before.

Crushed Under His Load. BURKS FALLS, Ont., March 2.—James Totten was killed near Spruce-dale Saturday. He was taking a load of bark to the railway station when his team took fright and ran away upsetting the load upon the unfortunate man. He was dragged some distance and his life crushed out.

Mr. Totten was a married man with a family.

Vancouver Firms Get Big Contract. OTTAWA, March 2.—The contract for the new wharves and docks at Victoria, B. C., has been awarded to two firms, which will form a co-partnership to do this work. The firms are Grant, Smith & Co. and McDoell, Limited, and the price is \$2,244,745. A sea wall is at present under construction.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

HON. MR. DEVLIN DEAD.

Member of Gouin Cabinet Had a Relapse on Friday.

OTTAWA, March 2.—Hon. Charles Ramsay Devlin, Minister of Colonization and Mines in the Quebec administration, died at his father's home in Azimor, Que., at 7.30 o'clock yesterday morning. He had been seriously ill during last week, and on Saturday he lapsed into a state of coma. Surrounded by the members of his family the end came peacefully yesterday morning.

Hon. Mr. Devlin's condition, which had been showing signs of distinct improvement throughout the week, took a serious turn for the worse Friday night and was considered so grave that the last rites of the church were administered Saturday morning.

Dr. Quirk of Aylmer, who has been in attendance, said the condition of the patient was very low. He was born in Aylmer and was in his fifty-sixth year. He entered political life in 1891, sitting in the Federal House for Ottawa County. From 1896 to 1897 he represented Wright County, and was appointed Canadian commissioner in Ireland in 1897. In 1903 he resigned to contest Galway County, Ireland, for the British House. He sat in the British House from 1903 to 1906. Returning to Canada in 1908 he was elected for Nicolet in the Dominion House. The following year he entered the Gouin Cabinet, sitting for Nicolet until 1912, when he was elected for both Nicolet and the new constituency of Timiskaming, choosing the latter seat.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

At a meeting of the Norwich, Ont., Board of Trade it was decided to attempt to obtain a Carnegie library.

Upwards of \$200,000 in cash was stolen Saturday from a post-office van at one of the railroad stations in Paris, France.

Mrs. George Oakes, a widow, aged 60, was buried yesterday in the explosion of a lamp in her home at Tyrone, near Halifax, N.S.

The first step in the purchase of the Walkerville Light & Power Co. by the Hydro Commission by Hydro Commissioner Hatcher Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza A. Wilkinson, aged 82, was the last surviving member of the family of Arthur, McLean, C.E., father of Orangeman in Canada.

Fethy Bey and Sadik Bey, two young officers of the Turkish military flying corps, were killed Saturday while attempting to make a flight from Constantinople to Alexandria, Egypt.

Omar Graybiel, aged 49 yrs. son of Elisha Graybiel and Mrs. Graybiel, farmers, living in Walkerville Township, committed suicide Saturday afternoon, by shooting himself through the head.

Louis Campani, of Columbia, Ill., swallowed 97 nickels and won a wager of \$5. To-day he is in the care of a physician who is confronted with the task of withdrawing the coins from this human savings bank.

A big whale was found on the beach at Long Branch, L.I., Saturday morning, driven high and dry by the winds, and prevented from getting back into deep water by the ice. The big leviathan died on the beach.

YOUNG FARMER KILLED.

Albert Waring Falls Thirty Feet From Windmill.

INGERSOLL, March 2.—While at work at the top of a windmill shortly before noon yesterday, Albert Waring, a young farmer, residing on the Government road, fell and was almost instantly killed. The fatality occurred on the farm of J. S. Nichol's. The windmill was not in working order, and Mr. Waring, who had no former occasions rendered the required service, was requested to remedy the difficulty, as Mr. Nichol's was ill. While at it he fell from the top of the windmill, a distance of thirty feet. His skull was fractured, and his death ensued in a few seconds. Mr. Waring was about 35 years old, and is survived by a wife and three children. He was well known and highly respected in the district.

INTERESTS TOO INVOLVED.

U. S. Shipping Trust Better Be Left Alone, Says Report.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Foreign and domestic shipping, of the United States is so combined by agreements, trusts and conference arrangements that an attempt to dissolve the combinations would cripple trade. This is the conclusion reached by the house merchant, marine and fisheries committee in the final report of the so-called shipping trust investigation, made public yesterday. The committee, after two years of exhaustive enquiry, recommends that both foreign and domestic shipping combinations be placed under the strict control of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and that, if necessary, the commission be enlarged to care for additional work.

'Quakes Fel' in Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Seismographs at Georgetown University recorded pronounced earthquake shocks for nearly 45 minutes early yesterday. The estimated distance from here was 2,700 miles.

CLEVELAND, O., March 2.—Another earthquake was recorded Saturday by the seismograph in St. Ignatius' Observatory here.

Civil Service Examinations. OTTAWA, March 2.—Preliminary examinations for the outside service will be held on May 12, Toronto, Hamilton, London, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Sherbrooke, Quebec, Fredericton, Moncton, St. John, Charlottetown, Yarmouth, Halifax and Sydney.

On May 13 and 14 qualifying examinations will be held at the same places.

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OUR STORY

Continued from last week.

"Hark at him!" she cried. "The invitations have been out this month past, the supper is ordered, and the musicians are engaged, and then, four days before the great event, because one of the babies has a touch of sore throat, he straightway wants me to sacrifice the ambition of my life! Is it likely now? Ever since I married you, Alaric, I've been longing to give a dance, and now when I have at last got a room large enough to dance in, you begin croaking about drainage! Men are always grumbling about something!"

"I don't think you look very well yourself, doctor," remarked Mrs. Freymuth.

Don't tell him that," exclaimed Mrs. Deane, "or he'll declare it is also due to the new house! What is really the matter with him is overwork. He has had a hard fit on this last few months. I hardly ever see him save at meal times; he passes the whole of his spare time moped up by himself in his study, and comes out looking worn to death. Oh, yes, tell them!" the little woman added, laughing down his attempt to stop her. "I'm not going to let them think the house is responsible for everything. He sits alone in that little den of his until the most unearthly hours. I don't see how he could expect to look well. When he does come to bed, he is too worn out to sleep properly; he has roused me again and again with crying out and moaning in his sleep. You can't very well put that down to the drainage," she concluded triumphantly, nodding mischievously at the discomfited doctor.

In spite of the storm which had heralded the evening, it passed away pleasantly enough.

Ada had much to recount of what she had seen and done during her Continental tour, and, as long as she was allowed to give her own version of everything, without correction or interruption, she appeared perfectly satisfied.

"I'm too tired to come up with you, Mab," she declared, when the doctor's carriage was announced and Hermione, who had hung back for fear she should be accused of presumption again, went with Mrs. Deane to see that she was properly wrapped up.

As they left the drawing-room, Miss Freymuth heard her cousin suggest a cigarette in the office and saw the doctor rise with alacrity. She wondered if Mr. Lemaistre's letter was still there, or if Ray had destroyed it. Was he going to speak to Doctor Deane about that attack of his? She hoped so, for he still looked very wan and drawn—altogether different from his healthy bright appearance on his arrival before dinner.

Mabel needed some minutes to get on her wraps; there was also a little private talk to be got through, in the course of which Mrs. Deane expressed her hope that her sister was not going to show her temper. "She's fearfully obstinate," she remarked, "and, if she once sets her mind upon anything, she never rests till she gets her own way. But I hardly see how she can quarrel here with you and your mother."

Hermione hoped not, and took her friend away to have a look at Pitches, who was asleep in his cot. "He cried himself to rest, miss," Lizzie informed them, as the child gave a gentle sob. "He was disappointed at not being allowed to come down to his papa after dinner, but he kept the tears back bravely till he was in bed, and then he cried quietly under the clothes until he dropped off."

"Poor little man," murmured Hermione, stooping to kiss his flushed cheek softly. "He will get used to it by and by. I'm afraid we've spoiled him, Mabel."

Mrs. Deane said nothing. She thought it was rather hard on the child, but in such a matter, Ada was no doubt entitled to have her own way.

As Miss Freymuth led the way back along the open gallery to the staircase, she saw Ada pass quickly through the open doors from the court into the hall below. She walked so hurriedly and yet so softly as almost to suggest the idea that she was afraid of being discovered. Had she been listening outside the office door again? Hermione felt certain that she had done so before dinner.

By the time the two of them reached the hall, Ada was warming her feet unconcernedly at the fire. The ladies were all standing there quietly when the office door opened and the men stepped out into the court. The doctor was speaking as they all heard the last words of his sentence:

"Careful, and above all, no de-

lay. If Lemaistre and you met face to face, the consequences would be appalling. Write to him at once!"

Without premeditation Hermione raised her eyes to Ada's, and made the unpleasant discovery that she was watching keenly for some sign of consciousness on her—Hermione's—part. The girl moved away quickly, but not before Ada had smiled in a disagreeable manner, almost as if she had detected her in some shameful act.

The moment the Deanes left, Ada went upstairs.

"I am literally tired to death," she declared; "but you others needn't hurry on my account. Will you come in and say 'Good night' as you pass, Hermione?"

Very much surprised at the request, the girl assented, and, after her usual visit to her mother's room—a rule she never broke—she went and tapped at Ada's door.

Ada had not commenced to undress; indeed she had not even removed her bracelets. Hermione found her bending low over a half sheet of note paper soiled with what looked like coal dust, very much crumpled, and slightly charred along its upper edge. Ada kept her hand upon it as she turned to Hermione.

"Oh, I'm glad you've come," she said—"you'll be able to help me! I wish to goodness people would not write to me in French! See"—holding the dirty, creased piece of paper out toward her—"I got into such a rage over the stupid thing that I threw it into the fire! But upon second thoughts I pulled it out again. Bring a chair here and translate it for me—there's a good creature!"

Hermione promptly did as she was asked, glad to be able to show a little good will.

The first two or three lines of the letter had apparently been burned before it was rescued from the fire, and the girl began with the first word left legible beyond the brown, scorched edge of the paper.

"—rejoiced to discover you were still alive," Hermione read, "and surprised, also, I thought you were a dead man when I quitted you that last time. I wish much to see you again. Old comrades such as we are should dispense with ceremony; but affairs are now so improved with you that I wait for your invitation to present myself. Therefore, write me, my dear friend, and tell me that I shall be welcome. When I read your name in the newspaper, I could hardly believe what I saw. It was to me like a romance to discover you living, and in the enjoyment of your own. Write soon to your friend. Always faithful, and—"

This ended the writing on that side of the paper, and, when Hermione paused and waited, Ada picked up the letter without turning it over, and held it hidden in her hand.

"Thank you, awfully!" she exclaimed. "How fluently you translate! How do you keep up your French in this quiet hole?"

"I read a little—that is all. Did you want me for anything else, Ada?" inquired Hermione. "You must be fagged out. I won't keep you up, unless I can do anything for you?"

"No—I don't think so, thank you," returned Ada, moving over to the toilet table and pushing the letter inside a drawer. "Oh, there is one thing I should like to know, though—! Who is Mr. Lemaistre?"

As she put the question, she turned quickly and looked at Hermione, as if she would compel a truthful answer.

"Who is he?" Miss Freymuth interrupted, slightly mystified by the abruptness of the inquiry. "Do you mean the Mr. Lemaistre that Ray met in Sydney?"

"I don't know where he met him, was the curt reply—"I only know that his name is Lemaistre—Joseph Lemaistre."

"Yes—that is his name. I don't know anything at all about him, except that he was the most intimate companion of a cousin of mine who died in Australia just before Ray sailed for England."

"In Australia!" ejaculated Ada. "He is an Australian friend, is he—an acquaintance of a cousin who died out there. But what is the friendship between him and my husband? Why is it made a secret? What has he to do with Ray now?"

"Nothing at all that I know of. Their acquaintance is of the slight-

est."

As Hermione spoke, she gave a passing thought to the scene in the office that afternoon, and to the signature of the letter on the floor. Was their knowledge of each other really so slight as Ray had said? However, she did not feel inclined to discuss her cousin's private af-

fairs with his wife. What Ada wanted to know she must ask her husband.

"They met one another in the smoke room of a Sydney hotel, and Mr. Lemaistre, hearing the name of 'Freymuth' mentioned, spoke to Ray about poor Leo," Hermione added. "And that is all Ray has ever had to do with him that I know of."

"Oh, that's all nonsense!" Ada exclaimed sharply. "I don't mean that I don't believe you," she added, warned by a sudden, dignified raising of the girl's head—"I mean that there is some mystery connected with the acquaintance between this man and Ray, and I shan't rest till I find out what it is."

"I really think you must be mistaken, Ada," said Hermione. "At any rate, I have told you all I know."

Mrs. Freymuth looked at her for a second or two in silence, as if debating something with herself, and then spoke, with sudden resolution. "I believe you have," she returned. "I fancied that you were in Ray's confidence about this Lemaistre man, but I see my error now. I know more myself than you do. Whatever my husband meant by his threats and secrecy this afternoon he has kept to himself."

"Threats and secrecy?" queried Hermione.

"Look here, Hermione," continued Ada—"I'll tell you just what he said, and see what meaning you put on it. It was after you and your mother had gone away this afternoon—after our little misunderstanding, you know—that Ray turned upon me like a tiger, and vowed that the next time I spoke to you like that he'd turn me out of Pinehurst neck and drop."

"Oh, Ada!" exclaimed Hermione. "He did! Well, I laughed in his face, and told him that it was more than he or any one else could do as long as I conducted myself as a respectable woman. And then he frightened me, Hermione. He came up close to me, and, although he spoke very quietly, he told me, that I was quite mistaken—that, if he chose to say the word, in less than a minute he could deprive me of the position I set so much store by—that I had no more right to be mistress of Pinehurst than one of the servants in the kitchen!"

"Good heavens, Ada! What could he mean?"

"Well, I can think only of one thing that he could mean. Does Pitches ever talk of his mother?"

"No," replied Miss Freymuth. "Does Ray ever speak of his first wife?"

"Never!" was the emphatic answer.

"Has he ever told you, in so many words, that she is dead?"

The girl now saw the drift of the questions, and stood looking at Ada in a state of horror which momentarily deprived her of speech.

"Think well, now!" Ada continued. "What first made you conclude that he was a widower?"

"It was on the day I met him on the cliff," Hermione answered slowly. "He told me that Pitches and he were all alone in the world."

"Was that all?" the other demanded.

"He repeated something that Mrs. Perry had said about motherless children being old-fashioned."

"Only repeated Mrs. Perry's words? He himself did not say that the boy was motherless?"

"No," Hermione admitted reluctantly—"no; I don't remember that he did, I recollect, too, that when I would have sympathized with him he checked me directly."

The face of the newly made wife became a dull, yellowish white. "If he has brought this shame on me," she said, with deadly distinctness, "I'll kill him! I will, Hermione Freymuth, as sure as we two women sit here face to face!"

"Ah, hush! Pray, pray, hush!" whispered the girl distressfully. "I cannot but think you are wrong, Ada, Ray would never bring such a cruel shame upon you."

Ada paid no attention—she was busy thinking.

"It would account for his giving into me so easily on that other question!" she burst out. "The will wouldn't be worth the paper it's written on if I'm not his wife!"

"Will? What will?" asked Hermione.

"One that I talked him into executing in my favor a day or two after our marriage. I thought at the time how easily he was won over, but now I begin to see through the affair. He did it just to pacify me, knowing all the time that I should never benefit a penny by it."

"You are wrong! I'm sure you are wrong!" Hermione declared. "Your suggestion startled me for the moment; but when I come to think, I feel certain your are mistaken."

"But, by your own confession, you have no reason for thinking so. Ray would never be such a coward—"

"Pooh!" interrupted the enraged woman. "You judge other people by your own fastidious standard of right and wrong. He'd do it fast enough. There is a mystery somewhere, and I will never rest until I

have unearthed it. How I wish the address had not been burned off the letter! There again is another strange thing! If, as you say, there was only the slightest of acquaintanceship between Ray and this man Lemaistre, why does he write to him as an old friend?"

"Lemaistre?" Hermione muttered inquiringly.

"Oh, I forgot I had not told you who that letter was from! When you left me outside the office this afternoon, I saw Ray pick up a piece of paper from the floor, push it between the bars of the grate, and set light to the fire just as I went in to him to send him up to dress. I saw that he was frightfully upset about something, and, being on the watch to get hold of any information I could, the moment he was out of the room I plucked the burning paper from between the bars; but I got only half of it. That letter you translated for me was not mine—it was from Lemaistre to Ray."

"You had no right to trick me into reading it, Ada!" Hermione exclaimed indignantly.

"I knew you wouldn't read it all if I told you the truth."

"No, I should not have done so! I'm not fond of prying into other people's secrets. I can understand how you feel about this one, of course; but please don't tell me any more about it. I should feel as if I were conspiring against my cousin, and that would be unendurable while I am living in his house."

"I suppose that means that you're going to side with him against me?" inquired Ada, with an ugly look upon her face.

"I intend to side with nobody," returned Hermione, almost crying with anger. "I don't want to know anything about your disagreements one way or the other!"

"You won't tell him about this conversation of ours to-night?"

"Certainly not. But I'd rather not hear anything more about the matter."

"Just as you please, of course. But I tell you candidly that I mean to go on with the affair, and I'll tell you another thing—if I find that my suspicions are correct, I'll do what I said. He shan't blast my whole life, just when I believed that I had reached the very summit of my ambition, and get off scot-free, I promise you!"

But Hermione put up her hands to her ears, and with a hasty "Good night," made her exit from the room, leaving the infuriated woman, livid and panting, still muttering her revengeful prophesies as she stood in the middle of the room.

CHAPTER XII.

THE FIRST POINT IN THE GAME.

After her melodramatic interview with Ada, Hermione felt more distinctly uncomfortable than ever. She hated anything underhanded or mysterious, and, most unwittingly, she had been dragged into participating in this secret inquiry as to that part of Ray's life which he had chosen to keep to himself.

Then there was that allusion to his will. Of course there was no likelihood, as far as human foresight could judge, that such a document would come into force for many years. As far as that went, it was quite probable that he would live as long as either herself or his wife. But for all that, the knowledge that in the event of his death they were all left at Ada's mercy was anything but reassuring after the experience they had had of her Pitches spending the years of a long minority under the petty tyranny of this woman's rule resented Hermione with a strong resentment against Ray for having made such a condition of things possible. So far as her own personal belief went, she had dismissed Ada's suggestion of bigamy as something too monstrous and too extravagant to be entertained. Indeed she felt that she had been guilty of shameful disloyalty to her cousin in giving credence for a moment to the idea.

When Miss Freymuth came down the next morning, and saw Ray, with Pitches perched upon his shoulders, standing in the sunlight at the open doorway while he gave some orders to a gardener at the foot of the steps, the sensation of having wronged him was so strong upon her that she would have liked to tell him all about the matter, and apologize for her own folly. However, her promise to Ada had effectually put this out of the question.

Freymuth turned at the sound of her step, and then set Pitches down.

"Here's auntie!" he said cheerily. "Bid her good morning. We two ruffians have stolen a march on the rest of you this morning, 'Mione. We've been out more than an hour, and Pitches has promised to go up to Lizzie now, and not a worry to come downstairs again until it is quite convenient to you to have him."

"I see!" said Hermione, stooping to kiss the child. "We'll try to get a walk before luncheon time, Pitches."

"Only me and you together?" he asked, in a whisper. And, having nodded an assent, the girl sent him off, his little face radiant with delight.

It was not until then that Hermione noticed that Ray had his handkerchief wound tightly around his right hand thumb.

"Yes—I can't shake hands," he explained, in answer to her look of inquiry. "I contrived to cut the top of my thumb nearly off when I was slicing a dead branch off a tree just now."

"How unfortunate!" ejaculated his cousin. "Will you let me strap it up for you?"

"Oh, no!"—he thrust the injured hand hastily into his jacket pocket with a perturbed air—"it's not bad enough for that!"

"Oh, I'm a capital surgeon, I assure you!" Hermione declared, laughing at his look of terror.

He laughed, too, but would not allow her to see the wound.

"It will spoil your appetite for breakfast," he told her. "I should be much obliged to you, though, if you would write one or two letters for me after breakfast. There were some among those last night which ought to have been answered days ago."

"I shall be delighted. If you are anxious to catch the first post, I will go now. Ada won't be down for a good quarter of an hour yet, and mother has her breakfast in her room."

"Thank you very much—if you're sure you won't want your own just yet."

Hermione led the way to the office at once, conscious as she went, of an absurd little thrill of excitement. Was she to be still further enlightened, without wish or action on her own part, as to the relations of the friendly Frenchman?

She seated herself at the writing table, selected a pen, and assumed her most businesslike air—a little performance which had always delighted her uncle in the old days.

Now that her cousin had got her there, however, he did not seem to know how to begin. He sat upon the edge of the table, rolling and unrolling the handkerchief around his cut thumb.

It occurred to Hermione afterward—though she took no note of it at the time, being too much occupied with her anticipations of what was coming next—that, though he once or twice unwound the handkerchief right down to the last fold, there was no blood about the injured member.

Ray got off the table presently, went to the fireplace behind her, and fidgeted among the irons, and it was from there he blurted out what he wanted to say.

"You remember the man I told you about when I first came home—Lemaistre—the fellow who gave me the information about poor old Leo?"

Yes; she remembered all about it quite well.

"Well, he has written to me hinting that he should like to be asked down here."

Hermione felt very mean; still there was nothing for her to do but hold her tongue. She could not speak out without betraying Ada's contemptible proceedings.

"Now in the first place," her cousin continued, "I don't know this fellow well enough to take any pleasure in his society; and, in the second, he is not at all the sort of man I should think of inviting to meet your mother and you—and Ada," he added with a jerk, as if conscious of the slur cast upon her by his unintentional omission of her name. "So all there is for me to do is to put him off so coldly that he won't be likely to repeat his request."

"I see," Hermione felt that such a commonplace remark was very unsatisfactory, and that Ray would wonder at her reticence; yet she was totally unable to think of anything else to say.

In spite of herself, her mind would run upon one line in the letter Ada had tricked her into reading on the preceding night: "Old comrades such as we are should dispense with ceremony; but affairs are now so improved with you that I wait for your invitation to present myself."

It was such an utter contradiction in all ways of her cousin's statement! It hinted at a close friendship in the past, and it betokened a courteous consideration which seemed to give lie direct to her cousin's disparagement of the writer. Surely a man who showed such delicacy in his dealings with another could be trusted to conduct himself before ladies? However, it was no affair of hers. He had asked her to answer one or two letters for him, but he had not sought her advice as to what the answer should be.

"We will make the reply as formal as possible," he said, still fussing about among the fire irons. "Begin: 'Sir: I am instructed by Mr Freymuth to answer yours of twenty-seventh ultimo. He regrets that a slight accident prevents him from answering you himself, and begs me to inform you that your letter shall receive his earliest consideration.' I think that ought to choke him off, 'Mione."

"I should think so," she answered, with quiet emphasis.

"Now sign your initials only, and add, 'Acting for Raymond Freymuth.' The address is, 'Bidolph's Hotel, Greenfield street, Tottenham Court road, London.' Thank you very much! It is a great relief to me to have that written. I was half afraid the eccentric creature might take into his head to come down without further ceremony."

"He would hardly do that upon such a slight acquaintance, would he?"

"There is no knowing what the people you meet on the other side of the world will do," he answered impatiently. "The mere fact of having spoken to me in Australia, and then coming across my name in that abominable charity list, evidently constitutes a ripe friendship in this man's mind. You see it is 'Hail, fellow, well met!' with everybody out there and that sort of thing grows rather embarrassing after one has returned to one's relatives—and respectability."

"I suppose so," replied Hermione. "It was no good, she told herself; her cousin was trying to make her believe what he himself knew to be untrue. His whole manner was forced and unreal, and he was conscious of it himself. What was the mystery about this man that Ray should go to the trouble of manufacturing elaborate falsehoods about his intercourse with him? Was her cousin really more intimately acquainted with him than he stated? And did Lemaistre know Ray better than— She checked her train of thought as a sudden overwhelming, horrible suspicion took shape in her brain.

That wild surmise of Ada's! Was there some truth in it, after all? Had her cousin been accompanied by the whole of his family when he met this Lemaistre a few days before he sailed for England, and was it his fear of unpleasant enquiries that made him so determined to keep this possibly talkative Frenchman out of the way now?

How much Hermione wished that Ada had never taken her into her confidence! Now that she was once started, she found herself as keen at scenting secrets as even Ada herself could wish. After the open, honest life she had hitherto lived, this atmosphere of mystery—this constant suggestion of something hidden—was an absolute torture to her.

When she had finished Ray's letters and he had carried them away, she went into the hall, where she found Ada already waiting.

"I would not have you disturbed," she whispered, pouncing upon Hermione in her most excited manner.

"Puttick told me that Ray had hurt his hand, and that you were writing some letters for him. I thought that, perhaps, by good luck, you might have to answer Lemaistre's among the rest. You have done so? I can see it by your face! Heaven, what a fortunate chance that he should have hurt himself this very morning! I'll write to the Frenchman at once—or perhaps even go to him if it's not too far. Where is he living? I could get more out of him at a personal interview. What is the address?"

"Ask Ray for it, Ada," came the reply.

The woman looked at Hermione as if she could hardly believe her ears.

"Do you mean to tell me to my face that you and my husband are going to have secrets from me under my very nose?" she demanded.

"That's a very unfair way to put it," the girl answered, feeling roughly tortured between her own fear that perhaps, after all, she was not behaving quite fairly to her cousin's wife and her dread of helping on any misunderstanding between her and Ray—"very unfair! You are really the one that is trying to make a secret of it. Ask me to give you the address in your husband's presence, and, unless he objects, I'll answer you at once."

"Foolery!" was the uncourteous rejoinder. "He'll want to know how I found out the existence of such a person."

"Ray has never made a secret of his existence. I'll ask him to tell you all about him, and then you can discuss Mr Lemaistre together to your hearts' content."

"You'll do nothing of the kind, thank you! I prefer to manage my affairs in my own way. If you won't assist me as I wish, I'll do without your help altogether."

Hermione thought for a moment. Possibly she was in the wrong, after all. Ray had not asked her to keep her own counsel with regard to Lemaistre's letter. Was there any reason why it should be made a secret of? She was on the point of giving in and divulging the address, when the memory of Ada's action stopped her. On the previous night, when Ada had told her how she got possession of the letter, it had seemed to Hermione a degrading proceeding, and yet here she was on the verge of becoming a partner in the mean, shabby business. If her cousin wished to cut off all communication with Mr Lemaistre, would she be justified in helping his wife to open up a correspondence with him?

"I'm afraid I shall seem disobliging, Ada," she said gently, "but I do so dislike chattering about other

people's affairs behind their backs! It's horrible! I wish you would consent to let me tell you openly before Ray. It's making a secret of it that I don't—"

"That will do, thank you!" interrupted the other. "I dare say I can get the information I want in a nother quarter. I give you fair warning, though, Hermione, that after this there will be no friendship between you and me. You've chosen to take Ray's part against me, and you must be prepared to stand by your bargain."

"I take no part!" cried Hermione; but Ada continued, heedless of her attempt at explanation:

(To be Continued.)

PROPER EDUCATION OF OUR GIRLS

The proper education of our girls is one of the important questions of the present century. It is something more than a social problem and is deserving of our best thoughts. It is a civil and political, a moral and religious problem. The presence of women constitutes one of the chief charms and benefits of society. It is she who far more than man gives character to society. Into her care have been entrusted the nation's future statesmen, those who soon are to be clothed with authority and to make laws for the greatest nation on the globe, as her education becomes a civil and political problem. Her gentle presence as she bends over the cradle at the silent influence of her daily life are shaping the entire moral character of the coming generation, and thus her education becomes a moral problem.

Tag Found In Cow's Stomach

A strange thing happened the other day in Fenelon Falls. John Cupp killed a cow and when the liver was taken to the butcher shop and cut, a sheep's tag was found embedded in it. The tag was bright and Balsam Grove was plainly stamped upon it. How did the tag get there is what is bothering many people. Had the cow been sucking the sheep's ear and sucked the tag out, or had it picked it up from the grass. Then how did it get out of the cow's stomach and into the liver, and how did the liver grow.—Bobbygeon Independent.

MANNERS AND THE MAN

The Halifax Morning Chronicle, in discussing Mr. Burnham's bill for the abolition of honorary titles in Canada, remarks that a man who tucks his napkin into his shirt collar ought not, for imperial reasons, to be permitted to mount the ladder of honor higher than the Michael or George standard. Does the Chronicle mean that a chap who aims to keep gray off the front of his vest is not fitted for the most exalted honors a democrat to the hilt may aspire to in the King's dominions?

NEW HOTEL FOR MILLBROOK.—Mr. J. C. Kells, of Millbrook, informs us that a new hotel is being fitted up in Millbrook, to be first-class in every respect. The premises secured is the large brick building formerly occupied by J. W. Gillett, King street, and is to be fitted up with modern heating, plumbing and lighting systems, such as will prove a credit to the village and a comfort to travellers.

BAPTIST CHURCH ESTABLISHED.—A meeting was held in the Disciple church Thursday evening to consider the establishing of a Baptist church in Bowmanville. Dr. W. E. Norton and Rev. J. B. Kennedy, M. A., of the Baptist Home Mission Board, Toronto, addressed the meeting and after considerable discussion it was decided to lease the Disciple church in the meantime as a mission church under the direction of Rev. Mr. Kennedy. Services will start Sunday Mar. 1st.—Bowmanville Statesman.

There are as usual many things to interest the sportsman in the latest issue of ROD AND GUN IN CANADA, the March issue, which has recently come to hand. The Ojibways at Abitibi by Bernard Muddiman; A Walrus Hunt within the Arctic Circle; A Caribou Hunt in the Yukon; The Little Lake of the Big Trout; Angling Notes by H. Mortimer Batten; and other stories and articles, along with the regular departments devoted to the interests of the trap line, shot-trap, etc., etc., which are as usual well maintained, are combined to make a magazine that should be read by all Canadian sportsmen and by those Americans who come to Canada annually for their hunting and fishing. This magazine which is the only publication devoted wholly to the interests of Canadian outdoor life is published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

MAIN LINE In Effect Jan. 4th, 1914 GOING WEST No. 19—Mail and Express.....3:44 a.m.

GOING EAST No. 6—Mail and Express.....9:34 a.m. No. 14—Express.....10:49 "

MIDLAND DIVISION DEPARTURES Express.....7:00 a.m. Mixed.....9:10 "

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The Weekly Guide \$2.00 per year, \$1.00 if paid in advance.

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ACRE PROFIT COMPETITION COUNTY DURHAM

CROP—MANGELS E H Martyn, Port Hope, yield 537 bus, cost production \$26.70, profit \$53.85.

One At a Time (Orilla Packer)

A poet, in a contemporary magazine, pleads: "Oh, brush the tears from your two eyes." But the Signal Hill Sage, with characteristic Scotch caution, and the chivalry for which he is distinguished, advises that she should brush the brine from only one at the start, to ascertain if the result is satisfactory.

INCORPORATED 1855 THE BANK OF TORONTO Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000. Reserved Funds \$6,176,578

WEATHER FORECASTS

March Will Open up With Storms of Rain, Wind and Snow

BY REV. IRL HICKS

A reactionary storm period is central on the 4th, 5th and 6th. The regular storm period, however, central on February 27th, reaches at least two days into March, and storms of rain, wind and snow will be passing western to central sections of the country up to the 2nd.

A regular storm period, and one that should excite apprehension and watchfulness, is central on the 11th, and extends from about the 9th to the 14th. This period is coincident with the annual period of maximum electric and magnetic unrest, growth of the peculiar relation of the Earth's magnetic pole to the Sun.

One At a Time

A regular storm period is central on the 22nd, the central day of the Earth's Vernal equinox, and within two days of the centre of Mercury's equator on the 25th and in apogee

and new on the 26th. This period promises to bring a time of prolonged and general storminess, with two or three paroxysms of wind and rain, culminating in widespread and destructive sleet storms.

A reactionary storm period will come close on the heels of the preceding disturbances, causing the prolonged unsettled conditions to break into storms of rain, turning to snow northward, on and next to the 27th, 28th and 29th.

MESSRS DUNCAN AND WILSON REMEMBERED BY THEIR CLASS

Those who attended the wind up of the Agricultural Class in a most successful horse, cattle and seed show last week could not be otherwise than pleased with the most auspicious outcome.

When the Advisory Board of the Agricultural Department decided to locate the class here this year we were all thankful to Warden Hickson and A J Fallis the two members of the Board from the North for their success in so arranging things, and the successful outcome is the best evidence of their wisdom.

NO EXCUSE

I can't keep the visitors from coming up, said the office boy dejectedly to the editor. When I say you're out they don't believe me. They say they must see you.

POLICE COURT

Bennett Was Remanded For One Week.

Edwin Bennett, of Campbellcroft, was in Court, Thursday, charged with assaulting his wife. In view of Mrs Bennett's serious condition it has been impossible to secure a statement from her and consequently the case was adjourned for one week.

WEDDED IN THE COUNTY JAIL

Groom Will Spend Solitary Honeymoon of Three Months

Lindsay, Feb. 27.—There was no wedding march, no notes of any kind played, no giving away of the bride, no standing under the bridal arch during the performance of the ceremony, when Esther Edna Warwick, of Fenelon Falls, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Frank York at the County Jail.

The couple were married in the waiting room of the jail, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. McConachie, curate of St. Paul's church.

Tragedy Narrowly Averted On Streets of Oshawa—When Love's Young Dream is Interrupted

Oshawa Reporter. She was short, stout, fair and buxom, a Scotch lassie, with a broad accent, and a round plump face.

What was more delightful? what more sublime?—Nothing could stop it. Each severed from their native land—he fell in love with her and she fell in love with him.

On Friday evening, a banquet was held at which the class presented Mr Duncan with a set of military hair and clothes brushes in leather cases, and to Mr Wilson, a gold watch fob. Mr C Larmer read the address, and Mr Harry Earl made the presentation, to which very thankful replies were made.

HARTMAN—NORTHCUTT

On Wednesday, Feb. 25th, a quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Northcutt, Bewdley, when their youngest daughter, Ruby Sarah Elizabeth, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Frederick David Hartman, of Peterborough.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Joseph Brice desires to thank her many friends and neighbors for the expressions of sympathy and kindness shown in the recent illness and death of her husband the late Joseph Brice.

PERSONAL

"What is the matter?" inquired the doctor. "Look! Look!" she cried, "It's poison, poison!" "What are you going to do with it?" he inquired.

Upon parting, the physician gave them the advice to "either get a bigger dose the next time they had a tilt or search for a calm, secluded corner, put their arms around each other and blubber it out. But don't make an exhibition of yourself on the public highway."

License For The Hotel National

Strong Opposition Comes From the Ministerial Association

The License Commissioners met in one of the stormiest sessions ever held by the Board last evening, when the application for a license from George Graham, was discussed.

WEDDING BELLS

WALKER—PETERS A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist Parsonage, February Twenty-Fifth, of Annie May, youngest daughter of Mr. Edgar Peters, Charles street, to Frederick Rosevear Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Walker, Welcome.

SCRIVENER—BENNETT

A dainty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McTavish, 440 Indian Road, when her sister, Jessie Chisholm Bennett, was married to Mr. Alfred Louis Scrivener, of Vancouver, B. C., the Rev. Dr. McTavish officiating.

GAME OVERSEER

The report of the Game and Fisheries Department of Ontario contains the following report of A. J. Kent, Bewdley.—The laws were well observed with regard to the fish. The past season was a record one, the fishing being the finest that has ever been known for many years.

KENT'S REPORT

Muskats were not very plentiful last Spring, and he recommends that the open season be shortened. Ducks and black squirrels are very numerous, and partridges seem to be on the increase.

THOS. LONG & SON, Agents

COOK'S TOURS

A BIG DOLLAR'S WORTH.

The Horticultural Society will distribute to its members this Spring 1 shrub—"Hydrangea Arborescens."

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COOK'S TOURS

There are many ways of seeing Europe, but one of the best ways is by taking one of the associated or escorted tours of Thos. Cook & Son.

RATES of INTEREST

as you doubtless know, fluctuate from time to time. For several months past we have been paying

4 1/2 PER CENT. on \$1,000 or more if left on Debenture for three years.

Present indications are that interest may take a turn towards lower rates. To-day you can still secure a 4 1/2 rate, good at least for three years.

Authorized Trustee Investment

Why be among those who invariably wait for the proverbial—"WE TOLD YOU SO?"

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LOST SILVER WATCH, with the initials E. O. S.

LOST, STRAYED, OR STOLEN FROM THE RESIDENCE OF F. H. BROWN

FOUND A ROBE, ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21st.

TO RENT COTTAGE ON JULIA STREET, 7 rooms, and bath, newly papered and painted.

DESIRABLE TEN ROOMED HOUSE ON WALTON STREET No. 201.

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FINE, MODERN HOME, at the corner of Ellen and Martha streets.

HOUSE ON LAVAN STREET; ALL modern conveniences; free water.

AUCTION SALE Mr. Wilbur J. Sackville is removing to the north west, and will sell by auction at his place, lot 31, con. S. Hamilton, one mile south-east of Bewdley, on Tuesday, March 10th, at 1 o'clock sharp.

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HARBOR BOARD

Held Its Regular Meeting—International Tool Steel Co's Property Reverts To Town

The regular meeting of the Harbor Board was held on Monday afternoon. There were present R. A. Mullholland, chairman, J. H. Rosevear, R. G. Russell, T. B. Chalk, J. A. Brown, Dr. Powers, and H. A. Ward.

Mr. Mullholland reported that he had interviewed Mr. J. C. Hayden and that Mr. Hayden had agreed to lease the property now occupied by him at the wharf for 5 years at a rental of \$100, rent to be reduced if large cargoes of coal were brought in and wharfage duties paid.

It was moved by Mr. Rosevear, seconded by Dr. Powers, that the offer of Mr. Hayden, as presented by the chairman, be accepted, lease to be for five years, possession to be given the Board by giving three months notice when required for other than coal business. Rental \$100.00 per year, payable half yearly and in the event of bringing in a cargo of coal of 400 tons paying wharfage dues on same, the rental is to be reduced to \$60 per year and if bringing a cargo of 800 tons or more rental to be \$1.00 per year and that a proper lease be prepared by the solicitor to be duly executed.

Moved by Mr. Chalk, seconded by

Mr. Ward, that the chairman and Mr. Russell be a committee to interview Mr. Patterson re the office building on Cavan street now occupied by him and enquire if it is harbor property.

Moved by Mr. Russell, seconded by Mr. Brown, that the offer of \$15 for the office owned by the Harbor be accepted from Mr. Hayden.

Moved by Mr. Chalk, seconded by Mr. Rosevear, that a lease be offered to Mr. Patterson the same as Mr. Hayden and if not accepted, he is to be given three months notice to vacate.

Moved by Mr. Brown, seconded by Dr. Powers, that the sum of eleven dollars be paid to the chairman, Mr. Mullholland, as part of his expenses to Ottawa.

Mr. Mullholland reported that the solicitor had carried out the instructions re the International Tool Steel property and that the buildings are owned by the Town and Harbor Board.

MAN AND WIFE BURNED TO DEATH

In Boarding House Fire—Twenty Boarders Make Escape.

Campbellford, March 5.—At Healey's Falls six miles north of here, an Austrian named Pete Bonivant and his wife were burned to death Monday morning in a fire which destroyed their boarding house, about 1.30.

Bonivant discovered the fire and roused the inmates. Twenty boarders, all Austrians, employed on construction work, escaped in their night-clothes. Bonivant re-entered the house to get his wife out, but the escape was cut off and only the charred trunks of their bodies were found in the ruins.

Unusual Affection

A clergyman in Prince Edward Island some years ago when preaching on the sweetness of home and duties of husbands, said, that old married men should kiss their wives as they did when they were a year or two married.

Meeting the preacher the next day an old man said: "It's no good maister."

"What isn't?" asked the preacher. "Weel," said the man, "when I went home after the sermon last night and kissed my wife, she said, 'What's gone wrong with you, you old fool.'"

NOTICE OF GUARDIANSHIP

In the Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Elmo Wesley Watt, the infant son of John Wesley Watt, late of the Township of Hamilton in the said County of Northumberland, Farmer deceased, and of Mary Josephine Watt, late of the Township of Hope, in the said County of Durham, Widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this notice, application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham for Grant of Letters of Guardianship of the above named infant to Harriet Ann Philp of the Township of Hope, in the said County of Durham, Spinster, the lawful Aunt of the said infant.

Dated the Twenty-seventh day of February, 1914.
Seth S. Smith,
of the Town of Port Hope, in the County of Durham, Solicitor for the applicant.

RECORD OF HIGH WIND VELOCITIES

On Sunday Wind Attained Velocity of 84 Miles an Hour — 35 Pounds to the Square Foot

March commenced in windy fashion on several occasions, but Sunday was perhaps the windiest first day of March on record. Previous to 1900 complete records have not been kept.

Sunday saw the windiest opening day of the month since 1901. In 1908, on the first day of March, a gale blew at 48 miles an hour, and on the first, 1911, 40 miles an hour.

Since 1901 the highest wind velocity on the first days of March have been as follows:

Year	Wind Velocity
1902	17 miles
1903	32 miles
1904	24 miles
1905	17 miles
1906	11 miles
1907	30 miles
1908	48 miles
1909	24 miles
1910	10 miles
1911	40 miles
1912	20 miles
1913	14 miles
1914	84 miles

Why did your house shake on Sunday night? Well, why shouldn't it? Suppose you shot a few tons out of a catapult against a brick wall, does it not stand to reason that it would jar it a little? Especially if the building has been erected under the supervision of inspectors who have so much to do that they cannot inspect.

At 5 o'clock Sunday night the wind attained a velocity for a brief gust, of 83 miles per hour. This means a pressure per square foot of 35 pounds. Work this out on a three storey house with a frontage of 25 feet, and you have a wind pressure of over thirteen tons when the wind was blowing at 84 miles. To be exact, a house with 750-foot area would have a wind pressure of 26,250. If you chucked thirteen tons of anything against your house, you would be rather surprised if the jar was not felt, wouldn't you?

Next time a wind storm comes along during Church time, if the sermon isn't particularly interesting, and if the rattling of the windows, and trembling of the structure will allow you to do mental arithmetic, you can figure out the number of tons of wind that are pounding on the outside of the building and the probability of its withstanding the shock.

ZION

From Our Own Correspondent.

Our Pastor, Rev. Mr. Hill, preached a good sermon, to a large congregation here on Sunday afternoon. In spite of the cold weather a large number attended the S. S. which is a source of interest to old and young.

On Sunday next, Mar 8th, special sermons will be preached at 2:30 by Rev. Mr. La Flair of Port Hope, and at 7 o'clock our former esteemed friend Rev. Mr. Cannon will preach. Special music by the choir, assisted by talent from Welcome, etc, will be furnished. Special collections at both services.

On Tuesday March 10th, an oyster supper will be served in the basement from 5 o'clock after which a good program will be given. The Zion congregation are making every effort to make this entertainment a success. A good orchestra will be in attendance. Quite a number of Zion people storm-staid (Monday) among them Miss Cobblestick who went to her home in Newcastle on Friday. There was no school to-day (Monday).

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rowe attended the Dominion Alliance Convention in Toronto last week; they report a good time.
Mr. and Miss Irvin, Midland, Mr. W. Davison, Port Hope, were guests at the home of Mrs. Wm. Edwards, last week.

Our local drovers shipped three load of stock on Friday to Toronto and Montreal.

The W. I. meets at the home of Mrs. Thos. Raby on Wednesday next. The Institute is doing good work in this locality. We understand they are preparing linen for the Private Ward in the P. H. Hospital. We wish them every success in their good work.

Miss Lucy Edwards has returned home, having spent two weeks in Millbrook the guest of her aunt Mrs. Elliott.

Mrs. W. Austin and son, Toronto, have returned home after an extended visit at her father's, Mr. E. Bebee.

March 2nd, 1914.

The High School wishes to express its appreciation of the hearty co-operation of the public, and to thank all those, who by their patronage, assistance in entertainment, or attendance at the Art Exhibit of last week, helped to make it a success.

JACK BURKHOLDER HAS CONFESSED

Will Plead Guilty in Counterfeiting Case

Lindsay Post

Just before going to press to-day the Post secured information from an absolutely reliable source that John Burkholder, who was arrested this week in connection with the counterfeiting case, has made a confession to Inspector Parkinson and Detective Greer.

As was stated in the Post on Tuesday, Burkholder put \$100 into the fund for the purpose of purchasing the plates, etc. James O'Neill, who is now awaiting sentence at Barrie, put in \$300 of the \$1,100 which he secured from the G. T. R. on account of the loss of his arm while in the service of the company. The press, etc., was made in Lindsay, but the plates were purchased by Burke in Toronto. Later on O'Neill was given back \$280—good money. The plant was operated in Burkholder's house. This statement is corroborated by Mrs. Burkholder, who has given the provincial officer some interesting information. Some of the "queer" turned out was not developed to a state of perfection satisfactory to the "overseer," (whose name, in the interests of justice is withheld for the present) and as a result it was not distributed. The accused were informed that a party in Milwaukee was ready and willing to take and dispose of all "queer" if it was turned out in a satisfactory manner.

The Post is in possession of other information of a sensational character, but in a spirit of fairness to the accused as well as in the interests of justice, it is withheld.

Brave Peterboro Constable

News of the death of Charles McGinty, of Peterboro, constable on the police force for about thirty years, was heard with regret by many people in Port Hope, who not only knew him, but knew of him.

The deceased, it will be remembered by many, figured prominently in the arrest of a young Peterboro boy who about two years ago was taken for the shooting of his mother. The youthful matricide, after the commission of the horrible crime defied the police and held them all at bay at the point of a repeating revolver, but McGinty was not to be daunted; he was the oldest man on the force and the bravest; it was a time when duty called him and this he was never known to shirk. The revolting crime of the youth fanned his courage to a point of ebullition, and facing a shining gun barrel with its complement of leaden bullets demanded the desperado's surrender, the latter having taken up his position on the bridge. The determination displayed by Mr. McGinty caused the youth to pale, and surrendered himself to the constable without exchanging shots.

Such is one brief episode in the history of the brave man who was called away to probably fill a more prominent part of duty and where his services will receive a higher reward.

STATISTICS FOR FEBRUARY

Following are the registrations at the Town Hall for the month of February:

BIRTHS.

Edward McMahon, Herbert Everet McElroy, William Henry Hussey, Lawrence Allan Wilson, Francis Joseph Horgan, Clifford Laverne Walford, Alice Annie Ashman, Wilfred Ross Ennis.

MARRIAGES.

Stephen Campbell to Ada Lingard.

DEATHS.

John C. Jewell, Julia Green-shields, Thomas Dixon, Elias Slee, Robinson Dafee, George Nixon, James F. Honor.

A CREDIT TO THE FAMILY

Miss Kennedy, daughter of William Kennedy, of Bethesda, and a brother of Wm Kennedy, Jr., whose bravery in capturing a burglar last July was recognized by his neighbors in a presentation, proved last Friday that she is a credit to the family. A horse which she was driving became frightened at the G. T. R. crossing on King street and bolting broke the breeching straps. This increased the animal's fright but Miss Kennedy stuck sturdily to the reins, guiding the cutter through the streets and vehicles as far as Pratt's Mill where it was caught, the occupants none the worse for the experience. Miss Kennedy has certainly to be commended for her pluck as but for her cool headedness several sleighs might have been wrecked and serious accidents resulted.—Co-bourg Star.

The Port Hope Guide

has completed arrangements with the CANADIAN COUNTRYMAN PUBLISHING COMPANY of Toronto, whereby we can give our readers one of the most sensational newspaper bargains in the history of newspaper publishing. Many so-called bargains have from time to time been offered the public, in the shape of prizes, subscription extensions, etc.—but for straight value, we believe this offer to be the best that has ever come to our notice.

The Canadian Countryman

Canada's Greatest National Farm Weekly, while only having been in existence some fifteen months, now holds place in more than thirty thousand homes, and is becoming more popular every week.

It is not like the ordinary farm weekly, which we have become so used to seeing—but is gotten up on an entirely new and original plan. There is a photographic cover each week which has earned the magazine a name for itself, and which is well worth the purchase price alone! There is a strong editorial page, in which the popular questions of the day are ably discussed; a live stock department, conducted by one of Canada's best specialists, J. W. Sangster; a horticultural department, conducted by A. B. Cutting—which is all it is necessary to say; poultry department; children's page; serial story, short story and other things in every issue which all go to make up a big national magazine.

The contents box on the big editorial page is a new and helpful feature in farm magazines, and for those who are interested in Canada's past history we believe the original history articles by W. S. Wallace of Toronto University, which appear each week to be the most interesting of their kind.

The regular price of THE COUNTRYMAN is \$1.50 but by a special arrangement made direct with the publishers, THE GUIDE can give its readers an opportunity to get this excellent journal at a price hitherto unknown, and in addition give a premium which is worth what we regularly get for THE GUIDE alone. This premium is a set of five photographs of the famous Clydesdale horses of the world, printed on special glazed paper suitable for framing. Every up-to-date farmer has long wished to secure a set of these photographs, but owing to the prohibitive cost of having them made specially to order, only a few have gone to the necessary expense, and this opportunity of securing a complete set free of charge we feel sure will be readily taken advantage of.

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	\$3.50

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LORD MINTO IS DEAD

Former Governor-General Was Ill For Several Weeks.

HE HAD A VARIED CAREER

Fourth Earl of Minto Performed Distinguished Service in Many Parts of the British Empire and Held Two of the Highest Positions in the Service of the State—Saw Military Service.

LONDON, March 2.—Lord Minto, former Governor-General of Canada and Viceroy of India, who had been seriously ill at his country home, Minto House, Hawick, Roxburghshire, Scotland, for several weeks, passed away at four a.m. yesterday. He was 69 years of age.

Gilbert John Murray Kynynmond Elliot, fourth Earl of Minto, was born in 1845, and received his schooling at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge. While at college he was ardent in following and participating in sports, and throughout his entire life sport of the right sort gave him pleasure, and he gave it his support. It is said of him that he wrote his graduation examinations dressed in a riding costume, covered with his academic gown, and that as soon as his paper was completed he leaped into the saddle and arrived at a race track just in time to enter and win the university steeplechase. The Minto Lacrosse Cup, now held by New



THE EARL OF MINTO.

Westminster, B.C., was donated by him during his term of office in Canada.

But the Earl of Minto's mind turned toward more than sport and constant pleasure. His painstaking and unselfish public service in almost every part of the British Empire proves that. In 1870 he retired from the Scots Guards, after being three years ensign there.

He followed the Carlist uprising in Spain as a war correspondent, and in 1877 served with the Turkish army, and was present at the famous crossing of the Danube. He was with Lord Roberts in the Afghan campaign, and in 1881 served as his private secretary in South Africa. In 1882 he volunteered in the Egyptian campaign.

Even in Canada he had to do with fighting, for when he came as military secretary to the then Governor-General, Lord Lansdowne, he was made chief of staff under Gen. Middleton in the Northwest Rebellion in 1885. The experience gained during this stay in the Dominion was put to use when, in 1898, at the age of 43, he became Governor-General of Canada. He remained in such until 1904.

In 1905 the Earl of Minto succeeded Lord Curzon as Viceroy of India. He was highly efficient in that office, and his opinions on affairs in India were taken in the highest circles. One of his unique reforms in India was the use of finger-prints on money orders in the postal service. He resigned the office of viceroy in 1909, thus bringing to a close his long career of service.

The Countess of Minto, who became his wife, in 1883, was Mary, the daughter of Gen. Hon. Charles Grey. There were two sons and three daughters. The Earl of Minto was possessed of great wealth, most of which he inherited.

Regret at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, March 2.—When informed of Lord Minto's death yesterday evening, Premier Borden said: "The news of Lord Minto's death will be received with profound regret by his friends in Canada. He served the Empire faithfully and well, both as a soldier and diplomat. As Governor-General of Canada and as Viceroy of India he filled high and sometimes difficult positions with ability, firmness and discretion.

"His associations with this Dominion, both in early and later life, won for him a well-deserved place in the affections and respect of the Canadian people, whose deepest sympathy will be extended to Lady Minto and her family."

Blizzard in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., March 2.—Citizens who went home Friday night ankle-deep in mud and slush, following a 36-hour thaw, made their way downtown Saturday morning fighting against a raging snowstorm, backed by a cutting north wind and with the thermometer falling to 15 below zero. Conditions are the most unpleasant of the present winter. The probabilities are for continued cold over the week-end.

Just after noon Friday the thermometer stood 40 above zero and a number of people had discarded their furs.

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In Lawrence Park and Strath Gowan we have not only developed the most beautiful Garden Suburb in this country but we have created the finest investment opportunity to be found anywhere in Canada.

A Wonderful Tribute from a Rival City

The accompanying news item is photographed from the Financial Times of Montreal, Oct. 25th, 1913, and shows how Montreal investors view the realty situation in Toronto. The Financial Times is an authority on investments of all kinds and is usually very conservative in its statements.

There has always been a certain amount of friendly jealousy between Toronto and Montreal and such a tribute coming from a city which we have always considered a rival is something to justify Toronto's faith in itself.

The Dovercourt Land, Building and Savings Co. has always had a deep abiding faith in the future of Toronto, and now that faith is being justified beyond our greatest expectations.

What is plainly visible to everybody now, we foresaw years ago, and acted accordingly. We foresaw Toronto's growth northward and we created Lawrence Park and Strath Gowan.

Toronto's Growth is now Northward—up Yonge St.—Lawrence Park and Strath Gowan are Situated in the Fastest Growing Section of the City

We wish to call the attention of investors particularly to that paragraph of the accompanying article which relates to North Toronto. We have always been keen observers of Toronto's line of extension and several years ago we foresaw that which has now come to pass—that the city would soon reach its limit of expansion to the east and west and then its growth would be exclusively northward.

This northerly expansion has already commenced, and the demand for lots in the North Yonge St. district is becoming greater day by day.

Yonge St. is not only Toronto's most important business street, but it is the principal highway of Ontario, with an electric car line traversing its entire length—about 50 miles.

With the completion of the buildings now under construction at King and Yonge Sts. this will be one of the most remarkable corners

in the world, as it will have a group of the highest buildings in the British Empire. And straight up Yonge Street from this fifteen million dollar corner, is located the most magnificent homesite subdivision in the Dominion—Lawrence Park and Strath Gowan.

Of all Yonge St. homesite property our subdivision stands unrivalled. It is not a bare survey, but a residence property with all city improvements, and up to the present writing some sixty of the finest homes in Toronto have been built here. It is to North Yonge St. what Rosedale was to North Sherbourne St., only on a more magnificent scale, and as an investment it offers greater possibilities than did Rosedale a few years ago when it sold at \$30 a foot. Land in Rosedale is now worth \$100 a foot up, with none to be had even at that price.

We are Spending \$150,000 Developing Lawrence Park and Strath Gowan—Making them the most Magnificent Residence Estates in the Dominion.

We offer you now the opportunity to share in the profits that will accrue to those who invest in this beautiful suburban residence park. Already more than sixty homes have been built here and all these houses are the finest examples of modern architecture to be found in the city. At the rate it is building up, a few years will see the last of the vacant land in Lawrence Park, and prices will be several times what they are at present.

We, as the largest, best equipped and most thoroughly organized real estate corporation in Canada, are doing for investors what they, for want of large capital, could not do for themselves—that is, we are developing for them the land they buy from us, thus placing them in a position to realize handsome profits on their investment.

And this is how we do it—we, with our immense capital, are able to purchase at low acreage prices raw land on the edge of the city's expansion. This we sell to our clients and investors at a price which shows a fair profit on our own investment. We then use part of these profits in developing this land into beautiful residence parks, and the more select, highly developed and restricted they are, the higher the price the land brings from those who desire to build and reside there. This money goes to our investors and clients and is generally many times the price at which they purchased from us. The benefit is mutual—we make money and our clients make money. We have never yet placed a subdivision on the market which did not make money for those who invested through us.

We are not land speculators—we are developers. We own outright every property we place on the market, and we guarantee a clear title to every foot of land purchased from us.

We always prefer that possible customers should see our properties before they invest, for a sight of the property is our strongest selling argument, but to those who find it impossible to come to the city we wish to say this—you can rely absolutely on every statement we make, that during the 28 years we have been in business in Toronto it was our sane, conservative attitude towards real estate investment that has earned for us the reputation we now enjoy.

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TORONTO'S RATE OF GROWTH PROBABLY HIGHEST IN WORLD

In Ten Years it Should Have Over 1,100,000 Inhabitants—Growth of City Has Been Mostly East and West, and the North Section, with Elevation and Accessibility in Its Favor, Will Now Catch Up.

A correct census of the population of the principal cities of this continent—in fact of the whole world—taken in each decade of the past 50 years would tend to prove that Toronto's growth was probably the most phenomenal of all. In many parts of this continent the mining and industrial centres have developed with great rapidity. The building of railways and harbours has progressed many a busy town site in a few years, but we must turn to Toronto for an example of what is probably the most remarkable percentage of increase for the past 50 years of any city in the world. The figures are as follows:

1857	46,000
1867	53,000
1877	70,567
1887	120,159
1897	183,172
1907	292,600
1913	445,573

The above statistics show that the constant influx of immigrants from all parts of the world is steadily increasing, and if the same ratio of progress continues, Toronto's population in 1923 will be around 1,110,000. There are 30 square miles of territory within the city limits today. At the above rate of expansion the city will require in five years time, viz. 1918, 67 square miles, and in 1923 not less than 105 square miles of territory will be needed.

City	Area (sq. miles)	Pop. (1913)	% of pop. in 1913
Buffalo	42	105,000	23.2
Chicago	490	11,000,000	23.7
Cleveland	45	12,700,000	45.9
Montreal	40	12,500,000	70.3
Detroit	140	14,800,000	138.0
Toronto	30	445,573	138.0

During the past ten years Toronto's expansion has been towards the East and the West, and while a considerable amount of acreage has been used for building purposes it represents but a small proportion of the new Toronto, the densely built sections in East and West Toronto now reach six to seven miles from the City's centre—a street car ride of at least forty minutes—whereas they extend only about two miles in a northerly direction. This neglect of North Toronto appears more remarkable when we consider the natural advantages of this suburb over the East and the West. The land is several hundred feet above Lake Ontario and right along the main thoroughfare, Yonge Street, is picturesque, admirably adapted for building purposes, and has a street railway traversing its entire length for a distance of about 50 miles. For these reasons it is obvious that the future growth of Toronto must be North, and as land in East and West Toronto is many times the price of land in North Toronto at a similar distance from the City's centre, the purchase of North Toronto land offers the greatest possible security, and is today the most profitable investment to be found in the whole of Canada.

ROWELL IS ENDORSED.

Alliance Votes Overwhelmingly For Liberal Policy. TORONTO, Feb. 28.—The concluding session of the Ontario Alliance convention was taken up chiefly with the report of the committee on political action which, among other recommendations, "advised upon the Alliance to continue in its support of the Rowell policy in the Legislature.

TO LIMIT PRIVILEGES.

Hon. Mr. White Introduces Trust and Loan Company Bills. OTTAWA, Feb. 27.—Another reform in the financial and banking laws was advanced in the Commons yesterday by the Minister of Finance. Hon. T. V. White, Minister of Finance, moved the second reading of his bill respecting trust companies.

CARRANZA STOPS PROBE

Washington Learns That Benton Was Defenceless When Slain. CARRANZA STOPS PROBE

He Takes the Stand That His Dealings With Regard to British Subject's Death Must Be Conducted With Britain—Bullet Wounds In Stomach Received Just After Entering the Office.

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 2.—William S. Benton, the British subject slain at Juarez, was unarmed and was shot to death in Villa's office, pistol bullets through the stomach ending his life, according to conclusive information which has reached Washington officials.

Benton carried no arms when he approached Villa's office in Juarez, according to information; he spent two hours waiting for the interview that ended in his death, walking back and forth in front of the office building; he was shot through the stomach after he entered the office and received other wounds afterward, although the first was mortal.

JUAREZ, Mexico, March 2.—The Benton investigating committee yesterday was prevented from proceeding to Chihuahua to examine the British body by rebel orders. Col. Fidel Avila, military commander here, declined to permit them to board the regular passenger train which was waiting.

The trip was suddenly postponed or abandoned yesterday shortly before the commissioners were about to take the train at El Paso, Texas. Those concerned said that any explanation must come from the State Department.

The commissioners, with their luggage, were at the train in Juarez when Zach Cobb, collector of customs at El Paso, drove up and informed them that they were not to go. "It is possible that you may go later," he told them.

The commissioners are Chas. A. C. Percival, British consul at Galveston, and James Humberston, a British subject, long resident in Mexico; R. E. Thomas, a lawyer of El Paso, who has made a special study of international and Mexican law; and Dr. B. M. Worsham, of El Paso, and Majors W. T. Davidson and C. J. Manly of the United States army.

Saturday night Percival and other officials concerned with the investigation said they did not know when they would depart, although a train for Chihuahua was available. Their movements yesterday morning were secret, but their return was less successful in this respect.

CARRANZA OBSTINATE. NOGALES, Sonora, Mexico, March 2.—Gen. Carranza declined yesterday to furnish information to the State Department at Washington regarding the killing at Juarez of the British subject, William S. Benton. At the same time he gave assurances to Secretary Bryan that he would investigate the disappearance near Juarez of Gustav Bauch, an American citizen.

Until yesterday afternoon Gen. Carranza's replies were made to both queries at the same time and in the form of documents translated into English. The stand was taken by the revolutionary leader that the death of Benton, a British subject, should be taken up through diplomatic channels of his country.

HAD A STORMY PASSAGE. Overdue C.P.R. Liner Docks at Halifax From Liverpool. HALIFAX, March 2.—The liner Empress of Ireland arrived yesterday morning after a stormy trip from Liverpool. She brought the largest passenger list of the season and 374 sacks of mail. The Empress reported that on Feb. 24 she was in wireless communication with the overdue Uranium liner Principello in latitude 48 N., longitude 30, 33 W. The steamer is from Rotterdam to Halifax.

The Allan liner Abatona got away early yesterday for Liverpool with five hundred passengers and a large cargo. Among the passengers were: Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways; W. D. Scott, inspector of immigration, and G. M. Bosworth, vice-president of the C.P.R., and wife.

Portugal Strike Ended. LISBON, Portugal, March 2.—An announcement of the "conclusion of the present revolutionary railway strike in Portugal" was made Saturday by the committee directing the movement. All the strikers have been ordered to return to work.

The action of the committee is regarded in official circles as certain to bring about tranquillity throughout the country, where rail-road, telephone and telegraphic communication has been interrupted for several days in consequence of acts of violence by the strikers.

Aviator Beachey Has Close Shave. SANTA BARBARA, Cal., March 2.—While looping the loop here yesterday Lincoln Beachey lost control of his biplane and fell 1,600 feet, but managed to right himself four hundred feet from the ground and escaped with slight injuries. His machine crashed into a tree but was not greatly damaged.

WET MAJORITY II.

Welland Recount Shows Big Gains for Anti Forces.

WELLAND, Ont., March 2.—Judge Livingstone sustained the first count of the Deputy Returning Officer Count-hurst at Brizburg, in poll No. 2 on Saturday. The count was 20 for and 54 against the Scott Act, which, according to the verdict of the judge, is the only count which can be taken, for the evidence given by many witnesses in this case was conflicting and showed that the ballots had been tampered with since the first count by the deputy returning officer. By this decision the wet majority is reduced to 34 votes in this poll, but there is still left a majority of 114 votes against the act in the county.

In 1A, Fort Erie, the wets gained seven, and in 1B, Fort Erie, where the wets gained two, Judge Livingstone was unable to find that any wrongdoing had been definitely established and confirmed the count as it now stands. In No. 6, Pelham, and No. 3 and No. 6, Wainfleet, his honor rejected 180 numbered ballots, which increased the wet majority by 96; without these the wet majority would be 18.

Application was then made by Mr. Rancy to submit further evidence in regard to the Thorold Township poll No. 4. Mr. Haverson objected on the ground that the case had been closed and all evidence taken in this poll. His honor sustained Mr. Haverson in his objection, refusing to reopen the case, as he had been satisfied with the evidence submitted by the deputy returning officers and witnesses in this particular case.

SIR GEORGE ROSS SINKING. Liberal Statesman Cannot Live More Than a Few Days.

TORONTO, March 2.—Dr. William Goldie, the physician in attendance on Sir George Ross, issued the following bulletin at the General Hospital at 10 o'clock last night: "While there is a crisis, it is not immediate. Sir George is sinking. It is not a matter of hours, but is a matter of days."

The news of the serious turn of his illness on Saturday and the grave tone of the bulletins proclaim that the end is not very far off. Yesterday the strength of the patient was well sustained, and, barring complications, which might be expected at any moment, the immediate death of the statesman was not anticipated.

The news of the change for the worse came rather unexpectedly in a bulletin by Dr. Goldie, in which he said: "It is possible that you may go later," he told them.

"Sir George W. Ross, after a sudden collapse last night, is in a very low condition, and recovery is not expected."

The patient came to the General Hospital from Ottawa on Thursday, Jan. 29. Sir George Ross, who is leader of the Opposition in the Senate, spoke a few days prior to his arrival in Toronto, in the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne. Following that he contracted a cold, which he attributed to the overheated Senate chamber.

POWER COMPANY LIMITED. New York State Officials Fix Price For Imported "Juice."

ALBANY, N.Y., March 2.—The Canadian-American Power Corporation, a new domestic corporation, is permitted to enter the public utilities field by a decision made public yesterday by the record district public service commission. It will import 46,000 h.p. into New York State. This permission, however, coupled with the commission's consent to the absorption of the old Niagara Falls Electrical Transmission Co., is hedged with stringent limitations.

As a condition precedent to doing business the new concern is limited to an average charge of \$19 a horsepower, and it must reserve at least 23,000 horse-power, half of its output "for direct service to consumers, as against transmitting or distributing companies."

The commission reserves the right to reduce the \$19 price at any time, pointing out that Canadian companies are supplying power at \$12.50 and even \$9 to their own people, while the cheapest price to Americans of such transmitted power is \$16 to the City of Buffalo, and \$25 to the Buffalo General Electric Company.

LOOKED LIKE A RAID. But Assaults of Asquith's House Were Only Film Actors.

LONDON, March 2.—An surprising attempt by a band of supposed militant suffragettes to raid Premier Asquith's official residence in Downing street Saturday was frustrated by the police, who are always stationed in strong force in the vicinity. Several automobiles, containing a dozen women, wearing the colors of the militant organization, dashed suddenly into the street from Whitehall and the occupants were about to start "hostilities" when the police surrounded them.

It is transpired afterward that the "operatives" had been promoted by an American moving picture concern, which had hired a number of chorus girls to represent the militants.

Girls Will Not Work Nights. MONTREAL, March 2.—Proper police protection for girl operators in the districts where it has exchanges is a trouble that the Bell Telephone Co. is now being forced to add to its other worries. The first case in this district to be attended to has occurred in Outremont, where the company has found difficulty in getting operators for a new exchange owing to lack of light and police protection. Complaining of this to the City Council of Outremont, the company says women have refused to work at night at the new exchange because they are afraid of being attacked on their way home.

THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Proof that the edge was off the export demand spoiled the wheat market today for the bulls. Prices, after showing an upward bent, closed weak at a loss of 1-5c to 3-16c net. Corn wound up the same as last night to 1-5c higher, and oats remained unchanged to 1-16c off.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET. Wheat, fall, bushel..... \$0 96 to \$0 97 Barley, bushel..... 0 82 to 0 84 Peas, bushel..... 0 80 to 0 81 Oats, bushel..... 0 41 to 0 42 Rye, bushel..... 0 65 to 0 66 Buckwheat, bushel..... 0 70 to 0 75

TORONTO DAIRY MARKET. Butter, store lots..... 0 24 to 0 25 Butter, creamery, lb. roll..... 0 22 to 0 23 Butter, separator, dairy..... 0 27 to 0 28 Butter, creamery, solids..... 0 23 to 0 24 Eggs, new-laid, doz..... 0 14 to 0 15 Cheese, old, lb..... 0 15 to 0 16 Cheese, new, lb..... 0 14 to 0 15 Honey combs, dozen..... 2 50 to 3 00 Honey, extracted, lb..... 0 09 to 0 10

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. WHEAT—No. 1 northern, 51 1/2c; No. 2 do., 50 1/2c; No. 3 do., 49 1/2c; No. 4 do., 48 1/2c; No. 5 do., 47 1/2c; No. 6 do., 46 1/2c; No. 7 do., 45 1/2c; No. 8 do., 44 1/2c; No. 9 do., 43 1/2c; No. 10 do., 42 1/2c; No. 11 do., 41 1/2c; No. 12 do., 40 1/2c; No. 13 do., 39 1/2c; No. 14 do., 38 1/2c; No. 15 do., 37 1/2c; No. 16 do., 36 1/2c; No. 17 do., 35 1/2c; No. 18 do., 34 1/2c; No. 19 do., 33 1/2c; No. 20 do., 32 1/2c; No. 21 do., 31 1/2c; No. 22 do., 30 1/2c; No. 23 do., 29 1/2c; No. 24 do., 28 1/2c; No. 25 do., 27 1/2c; No. 26 do., 26 1/2c; No. 27 do., 25 1/2c; No. 28 do., 24 1/2c; No. 29 do., 23 1/2c; No. 30 do., 22 1/2c; No. 31 do., 21 1/2c; No. 32 do., 20 1/2c; No. 33 do., 19 1/2c; No. 34 do., 18 1/2c; No. 35 do., 17 1/2c; No. 36 do., 16 1/2c; No. 37 do., 15 1/2c; No. 38 do., 14 1/2c; No. 39 do., 13 1/2c; No. 40 do., 12 1/2c; No. 41 do., 11 1/2c; No. 42 do., 10 1/2c; No. 43 do., 9 1/2c; No. 44 do., 8 1/2c; No. 45 do., 7 1/2c; No. 46 do., 6 1/2c; No. 47 do., 5 1/2c; No. 48 do., 4 1/2c; 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MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 28.—Closed Wheat, May, 92c bid; July, 93c asked; No. 1 hard, 95c; No. 1 northern, 92 1/2c; No. 2 do., 91c; No. 3 do., 89c; No. 4 do., 87c; No. 5 do., 85c; No. 6 do., 83c; No. 7 do., 81c; No. 8 do., 79c; No. 9 do., 77c; No. 10 do., 75c; No. 11 do., 73c; No. 12 do., 71c; No. 13 do., 69c; No. 14 do., 67c; No. 15 do., 65c; No. 16 do., 63c; No. 17 do., 61c; No. 18 do., 59c; No. 19 do., 57c; No. 20 do., 55c; No. 21 do., 53c; No. 22 do., 51c; No. 23 do., 49c; No. 24 do., 47c; No. 25 do., 45c; No. 26 do., 43c; No. 27 do., 41c; No. 28 do., 39c; No. 29 do., 37c; No. 30 do., 35c; No. 31 do., 33c; No. 32 do., 31c; No. 33 do., 29c; No. 34 do., 27c; No. 35 do., 25c; No. 36 do., 23c; No. 37 do., 21c; No. 38 do., 19c; No. 39 do., 17c; No. 40 do., 15c; No. 41 do., 13c; No. 42 do., 11c; No. 43 do., 9c; No. 44 do., 7c; No. 45 do., 5c; No. 46 do., 3c; No. 47 do., 1c; No. 48 do., 1/2c; No. 49 do., 1/4c; No. 50 do., 1/8c; No. 51 do., 1/16c; No. 52 do., 1/32c; No. 53 do., 1/64c; No. 54 do., 1/128c; No. 55 do., 1/256c; No. 56 do., 1/512c; No. 57 do., 1/1024c; No. 58 do., 1/2048c; No. 59 do., 1/4096c; No. 60 do., 1/8192c; No. 61 do., 1/16384c; No. 62 do., 1/32768c; No. 63 do., 1/65536c; No. 64 do., 1/131072c; No. 65 do., 1/262144c; No. 66 do., 1/524288c; No. 67 do., 1/1048576c; No. 68 do., 1/2097152c; No. 69 do., 1/4194304c; No. 70 do., 1/8388608c; No. 71 do., 1/16777216c; No. 72 do., 1/33554432c; No. 73 do., 1/67108864c; No. 74 do., 1/134217728c; No. 75 do., 1/268435456c; No. 76 do., 1/536870912c; No. 77 do., 1/1073741824c; No. 78 do., 1/2147483648c; No. 79 do., 1/4294967296c; No. 80 do., 1/8589934592c; No. 81 do., 1/17179869184c; No. 82 do., 1/34359738368c; No. 83 do., 1/68719476736c; No. 84 do., 1/137438953472c; No. 85 do., 1/274877906944c; No. 86 do., 1/549755813888c; No. 87 do., 1/1099511627776c; No. 88 do., 1/2199023255552c; No. 89 do., 1/4398046511104c; No. 90 do., 1/8796093022208c; No. 91 do., 1/17592186444016c; No. 92 do., 1/35184372888032c; No. 93 do., 1/70368745776064c; No. 94 do., 1/140737491552128c; No. 95 do., 1/281474983104256c; No. 96 do., 1/562949966208512c; No. 97 do., 1/1125899932417024c; No. 98 do., 1/2251799864834048c; No. 99 do., 1/4503599729668096c; No. 100 do., 1/9007199459336192c; No. 101 do., 1/18014398918672384c; No. 102 do., 1/36028797837344768c; No. 103 do., 1/72057595674689536c; No. 104 do., 1/144115191349379072c; No. 105 do., 1/288230382698758144c; No. 106 do., 1/576460765397516288c; No. 107 do., 1/1152921530795032576c; No. 108 do., 1/2305843061590065152c; No. 109 do., 1/4611686123180130304c; No. 110 do., 1/9223372246360260608c; No. 111 do., 1/18446744492720521216c; No. 112 do., 1/36893488985441042432c; No. 113 do., 1/73786977970882084864c; No. 114 do., 1/14757395594176417728c; No. 115 do., 1/29514791188352835456c; No. 116 do., 1/59029582376705670912c; No. 117 do., 1/118059164753411341824c; No. 118 do., 1/236118329506822683648c; No. 119 do., 1/472236659

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PORT HOPE, MARCH 6, 1914

CASH PAID.—Thomas Hudson will pay cash for raw furs and hides at J. T. Steen's store, Walton street.

APPOINTED CORONER.—Dr. D. W. Clark, Pontypool, has been appointed Associate Coroner for Northumberland and Durham.

MAX SOLOVITCH, dealer in live poultry, scrap iron and metals of all kinds, highest prices paid. Prompt attention given. Residence, Harcourt street, P.O. Box 674.

ENTERTAINMENT.—An entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, of Welcome church will be given on Wednesday evening, March 11th, 1914. There will be a splendid program consisting of music, both vocal and instrumental. Miss Hicks, an elocutionist of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, will take a prominent part.

COULDN'T SEE IT THAT WAY.—At a church fair recently, a solemn-looking elderly gentleman remarked to a young man: "I never attend a church fair like this without thinking of the money changers in the temple. I don't see the resemblance, sir, replied the young man. There's no money changing here; what you give 'em they keep."

COSTS TOOK IT ALL.—After a suit involving household goods worth \$212 had been in the St. Louis courts for fifteen years and had incurred routine court costs of \$500, a referee's report last week recommended that the goods and the costs be divided between the litigants. Four persons connected with the suit have died since it was filed.

EXHIBIT K.—Mr. Rudyard Kipling, who was 48 recently, is probably the only living man of letters who has been "done" as one of the sights of London. Soon after his first settlement here he was visited by a hustling American and his two sons. Bursting in, the visitor asked briskly—"You are Rudyard Kipling?" On being answered, he turned to his sons with "Boys, this is Rudyard Kipling." "And this is where you write?" "Boys, this is where he writes." "And before I could so much as ask his name," says Mr. Kipling, "they were gone."—From the London Chronicle.

ATTENDED HOSPITAL OPENING.—Mr. J. H. Helm attended the opening of the Cobourg hospital on Thursday and delivered an address. Speaking of Mr. Helm's remarks the Cobourg World says:—Mr. J. H. Helm, Port Hope, congratulated all who had been instrumental in helping to erect the present beautiful building. It would be a great blessing to the town and surrounding district. He referred to his late father, who was proud to call Cobourg his native place. No other town the size of Cobourg, he said, had a hospital equal to this. Anything worth doing was worth doing well. He suggested changing the name Chapel street, to New Road or East Drive. "Let Cobourg Hospital flourish" said he in conclusion.

A PECULIAR TYPE OF FRAUD.—An American journal tells of how one faker made easy money. He was popularly known as "The Dead Man." The "Dead Man" borrowed his name from the fact that he would do business with none but decedents. In the early days of his honesty, Hicks had learned a cheap process of gilt-letting. His method of procedure was to scan the obituary lists for dead men of means. The prospective customer safely buried, Hicks would send a fountain pen to the deceased, bearing his name in neat gilt letters. Accompanying the pen would be a letter addressed to the late citizen in which Mr. Hicks expressed his pleasure in sending one porographic pen as per order. With the pen was enclosed a bill for five dollars, an amount which represented a profit of several hundred per cent. The next of kin was usually much touched—in more senses than one—by this last remembrance and paid the bill without question in nine cases out of ten. Thereupon the "porographic" became an heirloom, which made the fact that it was impossible to write with it an immaterial detail.

Holloway's Corn Cure takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

TAKEN TO CHATHAM.—A policeman arrived from Chatham on Saturday and returned with his prisoner Sanderson. He is wanted on several charges, including forgery.

WINDOWS BLOWN IN.—The heavy wind on Monday smashed in the north windows of the High School and the classes had to be dismissed.

GRATIFYING NEWS.—The "Herald" announces this morning in red letters across its front page, "Trans-continental trip for Prime Minister Borden next Summer." This will be very gratifying news to the thousands of laboring men out of work this winter. It is so nice, you know, to have the Premier fiddling while Rome is burning.—Halifax Recorder.

A POWERFUL MEDICINE.—The healing properties in six essential oils are concentrated in every bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil forming one of the most beneficial liniments ever offered to the use of man. Thousands can testify as to its power in allaying pain and many thousands more can certify that they owe their strength to it. Its wonderful power is not expressed by its cheapness.

SUFFERING FROM CANCER.—Mr. Haggis is in the hospital suffering from cancer of the lip. He was operated on, Tuesday. The cancer is of very bad type, extending from the corner of the mouth to the centre of the lip.

RELIEF FOR THE DEPRESSED.—Physical and mental depression usually have their origin in a disordered state of the stomach and liver as when these organs are deranged in their action the whole system is affected. Try Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They revive the digestive process act beneficially, on the nerves and restores the spirits as no other pills will. They are cheap, simple, and sure and the effects are lasting.

ONE OF THE MOST UNIQUE ENTERTAINMENTS of the season will be given in the School Room of the Methodist church on Thursday evening, March 12th, 1914. A role entitled "The First Ladies' Aid Meeting at Mohawk Crossroads" will be put on by twenty-three ladies, gowned in the costumes of the early Victorian age. td

THE BOWELS MUST ACT HEALTHILY.—In most ailments the first care of the medical man is to see that the bowels are performing their functions. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are so compounded that certain ingredients in them act on the bowels solely and they are the very best medicine available to produce healthy action of the bowels. Indeed there is no other specific so serviceable in keeping the digestive organs in healthy action.

CONSOLING.—County Vicar (to widow whose best pig has died); "Well, you know, Mrs. Higgs, these little troubles are sent us by Providence for our good." Mrs. Higgs—"Oh, yes, sir; but what a comfort it is to know that there's One above us won't let Providence go too far."

Many children die from the assaults of worms, and the first care of mothers is to see that their infants are free from these pests. A vermifuge that can be depended upon is Miller's Worm Powders. They not only expell worms from the system, but act as a health-giving medicine and a remedy for many of the ailments that beset infants, enfeebling them and endangering their lives.

FOR STRAIGHT SHOOTING.—Members of the various civilian rifle clubs throughout the Dominion, will in future have a new incentive for shooting straight. The Militia Council has decided to offer a special individual prize to be known as the Dominion of Canada prize. The prize will consist of a nickel-silver ornamental salver 10 inches in diameter, bearing the coat of arms of the Dominion. To be eligible for the prize it will be necessary for the association in question to hold four competitions during the season in which at least 40 per cent of the members must take part. The ranges over which the competition will be shot will be 200, 300 and 600 yards.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

A number of the friends of Mr and Mrs Thomas A Bray gathered at their home in Dale recently and presented them with a parlour suite and the following address.—
To Mr and Mrs T A G Bray,
Dear Mr and Mrs Bray;— We, a few of your many friends, unite in congratulating you upon this the tenth anniversary of your marriage. During these years you have lived in our community, we have learned to know you well and we wish to assure you that you have won the respect of us all, and the sincere affection of many of us.

The time you have lived together since your marriage, has, no doubt, seemed short to you. Looking backward you can hardly realize that so many years have come with their silent footfall and as silently gone; and the happiness you have enjoyed in your home, and your mutual affection, have made them slip more rapidly away.

The generous hospitality you have shown your acquaintances, and the ready kindness with which you have always helped, whenever you could help, has not escaped our notice. We have been pleased to know that your home has been always open to us, and we have appreciated it very much. It would be hard to estimate the value of a home such as yours is, in our community. We have brought you a token of our esteem and good will. Kindly accept this "Parlour Suite" and with it our congratulations. May it suggest to you each day what we are trying to give expression to now. May your years be many in our community. May health, happiness and prosperity be granted to you and your family and may the good God, Who has blessed you in the past, continue His favor in the days to come.

Signed on behalf of your many friends,
E J Jackson,
M V Garrett,
F L Ough.

Mr Bray made a very suitable reply on behalf of himself and wife. The evening was pleasantly spent in various games and the light fantastic tripped into the wee small hours.

CANTON

The Rev. J. W. Cannon who was appointed as delegate to the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance Convention, held in Toronto last week, has returned and reports one of the most interesting and important conventions ever held in this province in the interests of the cause of Temperance. Not only was the delegation the largest, but never before did there gather such large numbers as met at each of the mass meetings, there being from three to four thousand present each night. So great was the interest at times, that those assembled stood up and cheered until the great hall rang with a note of triumph such as sounded the death knell of the liquor traffic.

Next Sabbath, March 8th, the annual thank offering services in connection with the Canton Methodist church, will be held, when the pastor, J. W. Cannon, will preach at 10.30 a. m. This will be Mr. Cannon's first public service since the last Sunday in October, after which he was seized with a sudden illness which laid him aside for over four months. In the evening at 7 o'clock, the Rev. J. F. Mears, who has so ably supplied the pulpit, will preach.

On Monday evening he will deliver his most interesting and popular lecture on Jean Val Jean and after the lecture, the ladies of the church will serve refreshments. Think of it! All this for 20c for adults and 15c for children.

KIDNEY HEADACHE

is caused from the blood being thickened with uric acid poisons circulating in the head. Anti-Uric Pills cure all forms of kidney trouble. They are so good and so sure T. Geo. Watson guarantees them. Be sure you get Anti-Uric Pills. B. V. Marion on every box. Sold only at Watson's drug store.

MRS. JAS. McDONALD DIED AT MILLBROOK

There died in Millbrook on Monday, February 23rd, at 6 a. m., the wife of Mr. James McDonald and daughter of the late Samuel McConnell, of the fourth line of Cavan. The late Mrs. McDonald was 74 years of age and leaves to mourn her loss, her sorrowing husband, two sons and six daughters, twenty grandchildren also two great grandchildren. One sister is Mrs. John Hopkins, of Kirkfield. Mrs. McDonald was a staunch Presbyterian, a faithful wife and a kind and loving mother.

For years Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has ranked as the most effective preparation manufacturer, and it always maintains its reputation.

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS

The near approach of Spring suggests discarding the heavy woollen Blankets for a more congenial and convenient kind. Another consignment of those superior ENGLISH FLANNELETTE BLANKETS came to hand recently, in Grey and White. Yes, SUPERIOR is the word that conveys the proper and significant meaning, because from the standpoint of quality, value and convenience, these English Blankets take first place.

WHITE per pair.....\$1.50
GREY, three sizes, per pair \$1.40, \$1.50 and.....\$1.65

TOWELS

Our assortment of these very necessary household articles was never better. Every convenient and necessary quality and size is here. You'll be pleased and amply rewarded by a thorough inspection of our offering of Towels. Ask to be shown our values.

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OUR TERMS—Strictly cash and one price to all.

If you do not know who has the largest and best stock of Wall Paper and Paint Specialties in town, why not phone ten of your friends and ask them?

TRY Uncle Sam's Breakfast Food

Recommended by physicians

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Phone 28

The flag at the Town Hall was flying at half mast on Tuesday and Wednesday, as a mark of respect to the late James Honor.

Gladys—So he proposed to you in his motor after a week's acquaintance? What did you tell him? Dolly—He was exceeding the speed limit.

A FREAK.—A freak of Nature was discovered in Pawtucket, R. I., in a willow tree whose roots crossed the street, found an opening in a six-inch sewer pipe and eventually filled the pipe for a distance of four feet, causing a complete block until the roots were chopped away.

DISMISSED FOR DANCING TANGO.—Hamilton, Feb 24 — Because a Bell Telephone operator broke into the tango during the dance of employees at the Bell Club rooms, she was dismissed the following morning. The superintendent of the company had stipulated that there should be no tango in the club rooms.

ACTION IS DEFERRED.—The Board of License Commissioners met on Saturday evening to consider the question of transferring the license of the Hotel 'National' to Mr. George Graham. Action in respect to the matter was deferred until Thursday, February 26th. A deputization representing the Ministerial Association was present.—Peterboro Examiner.

SAFE AT TIMES.—Hon. L. P. Pelletier says Mr. White is a safe financial pilot. "I suppose you know where all the rocks in this harbor are?" said a captain to an Irish pilot. "Sure sorr, and—" as the vessel crashed upon one—"that's one of them." Mr. White knows where the financial rocks are when he hits one.

INDUCTED.—Thursday, Rev. Mr. Alp, of Sturgeon Falls, was inducted into the pastorate of the Bethesda and Rosemeath Presbyterian churches. Rev. A D Thompson, of Hastings, Moderator of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston, inducted the pastor into his new charge, Rev. R J Ross addressed the people, and Rev. Wm. Beattie addressed the Minister.

A WARNING.—A Boston paper says: "A policeman of Barre, Vermont, was discovered the other night with his arms and legs frozen. This should act as a warning to the protectors of the public who are inclined to sleep on their beats."

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.—Fifty Cents. "In Memoriam" Notices from 50 cents up, each insertion.

DIED
DAFOE—At Port Hope, on Friday, Feb. 27th, aged 69 years, Robinson S. Dafoe.
NIXON—At Port Hope, on Saturday, February 28th, 1914, George Nixon, aged 52 years.
HONOR—At Port Hope, on Monday, March 2nd, 1914, James Francis Honor, aged 61 years

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