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Poetry.

WITHOUT THE CHILDREN.

O the weary, solemn silence Of a house without the children! O the strange, oppressive stillness Of the longing of the sleepless For the soft arms of the children, Ah! the longing for the faces Peeping through the opening door— Faces gone for evermore!

THE GERMAN HOSTELRY.

A LEGEND OF THE RHINE. The Rhine is celebrated for its innumerable ruined castles and monasteries that stud its banks and each has its history.

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the question as much as he did the soldier. 'Precisely the question I asked myself, returned the soldier; and since you have mentioned the expected arrival of the young Baron of Ravensburg, I think I have a clue to the whole affair. Some suitors, having heard of the Baron's journey, have formed a plan to waylay him. These two men were sent forward as scouts to apprise the others of the Baron's approach; they resolved to plunder a little on their own account. As I was not molested further on my way hither, the rendezvous of the band must be beyond here, consequently the Baron will reach this house in safety. Now, if you cannot accommodate me with a bed, I shall take up my quarters to-night upon this bench; for I feel it my duty to warn this young Baron, as I know something of his family, of the danger which threatens him.'

CRIM. CON. CASE IN TORONTO.

DAMAGES LAID AT \$40,000!

A case of *Crim. Con.* was tried in Toronto on Monday at the Assizes now sitting, in which Mr. Abraham J. Frank, a Jew, formerly of the city of Syracuse, State of New York, claimed \$40,000 damages from Mr. James Carson, butcher, of Toronto, on a charge of having seduced his wife, Sarah Frank, to desert her husband and live with him.

END OF THE TAIEPING REBELLION.

One of the greatest civil wars of modern times has just been brought to a close in China. For several years the cause of the rebels had been steadily declining. They lost one of their strongholds after another, and for some time Nanking, the ancient capital of China, had been the only important place remaining under their control.

THE LATE VICE-CHANCELLOR ESTEN.

During the night of Monday his lamented judge breathed his last at his own residence, near St. George's square. For nearly fifteen years he has occupied a position on the Chancery Bench, and has so filled it, that all who have the means of forming an opinion agree that his loss can scarcely be supplied.

HURRICANE IN MARA.

This locality was the scene of, probably, the most violent hurricane which has ever occurred in the memory of the oldest settler. The storm commenced about seven o'clock on Thursday evening, the 6th inst., blowing a furious gale from the South-West, and gathering strength in its course across Lake Simcoe. Showers of rain were falling at intervals during the fury of the tempest, which lasted for nearly an hour. The whole earth was enveloped in impenetrable gloom, except when lit up for a moment by a flash of lightning. In fact you could not discern an object within a few inches of the face; and the glare of the lightning only served to render everything more indistinct and invisible. The frequent and loud claps of thunder shook the very earth. Houses rocked perceptibly, and the plaster fell off the walls in many places. The scene was awfully grand and impressive, and might well be termed a tempest of destruction. In fact, the storm did not spare the small skirts of woods which fringe the clearances, and answered the double purpose of a sugar-bush and a protection from the cold north winds. These patches of woods have in a great many instances, been completely destroyed. Fences are levelled with the ground, and streaks will not repair the havoc done to them.

CANADIAN TOBACCO.

The French Canadian population of New Brunswick numbers 40,000 souls.

BAD TIMES AT QUEBEC.

The news brought by the Belgians, that thirty vessels built at Quebec last winter are lying at the London docks without purchasers, had a disheartening effect at Quebec, where a quarter of the entire population depend on ship building. There will be considerable loss on those sold.

QUICK DISPATCH OF FREIGHT.

An illustration of the marvelous gain in which we live, and of the rapid means of conveyance afforded by the happy blending of the iron horse with the "aerial line," recently came under our eyes in the form of a freight weighing perhaps a hundred pounds, shipped from a point on the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway about 25 miles from, and consigned to, this city, incredible as the story may appear, actually reached its destination in the extraordinary short space of *thirteen days!*

THEIR'S AROUND.

On Thursday last, while in the floral hall, Mrs. McKenzie laid the sum of \$151 in small bills, and a cheque for \$400, taken from inside her dress, where she had carried it, to the cashier of the Bank of Montreal. The sum was paid in the form of a cheque, however, has been stopped. Later in the day a big fellow with a heavy full-cloth coat on was seen to run out the back door of Mr. Fowler's store and across lots to the fences. Mr. A. P. Cameron, our efficient constable, happened to be coming from the hall at the time and Mr. Fowler put him on the track when a fine race between the thief and constable occurred, down across Mr. Arklund's fields in the direction of Mr. Risso's house. The big coat had nearly a quarter of a mile the start, but Cameron rapidly gained on him until on getting to the upper side of Mr. Gill's woods he was only about fifteen yards behind. Discovering his danger, the thief then threw off his great coat and continued his flight across the field beyond the woods, and at so rapid a pace that the constable saw it would be useless to follow, and retraced with the coat. The only article that Mr. Fowler has since been able to identify as his is a silver watch found in McElroy's stable.—*Oshawa Vindicator.*

THE BARGE'S MURDER.

The evidence against Muller for the murder of Mr. Briggs is as heartily and as loudly English papers complete. It will be remembered that Muller exchanged the gold chain which Mr. Prigg's wife wore at the time of the murder, for a jeweller named Death, for another chain and ring, which he afterwards wore; also, that Mr. Briggs' watch was found in his harbor. It was also arrested in New York that was found in the compartment of the Railway car when the murder was committed, and that Mr. Briggs' hat was afterwards worn by Muller, and was found with him when arrested. But Mr. Briggs' son failed to identify his hat, saying, that though like his father's, it was lower in the crown. The seller of the hat to Mr. Briggs, however, has fully identified it, as has also the working hatter who made, the latter by his private mark, and both of them proving that about an inch had been cut off the lower part of the hat, and the brim sewed on again very recently, but not by a tailor. The portion cut away had the name of the deceased written on it, and hence, doubtless, the murderer's precaution.

ON ARRIVING IN COPENHAGEN THE PRINCESS OF WALES WISHED TO DRESS FOR DINNER.

She suddenly found herself with "nothing to wear." Some stupid servant, who received orders about the luggage, followed out his instructions for leaving it at the palace which he thought meant the release of Bonaparte, and so when, half an hour before the dinner-time, her Royal Highness entered her dressing-room, the necessary garments wherewith to clothe and decorate her beautiful person were nowhere to be found. Bonaparte was four or five miles distant, so any help from there was not to be thought of; and the future Queen of England had to borrow a dress to wear.

A MAN WHO DIED IN 1721 AND WAS BURIED BETWEEN TWO SHEETS OF GUANO, HAS BEEN EXAMINED FRESH AS THOUGH HE HAD JUST ARRIVED FROM A NAP, AND IS NOW ON EXHIBITION AT PARIS.

He is exhibited at 50 cent a sight in a glass case.