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Local and General.

—Two Barrie women give notice in the local papers that they will not be responsible for debts contracted by their husbands. This is a sign of the times.

—Found, on the road between Little Britain and Lindsay, on the 5th inst., a gentleman's tan-colored pocket-book, containing a small sum of money. Owner can have same by applying to W. T. Greer, Lindsay.

—Among the list of patents recently granted to Canadian inventors appears the name of Thos. Hodgson, Beaverton, pump head and handle attachment; J. C. Craig, Kinmount, mowing machine; Wm. W. Owens, Peterboro, harrows.

—Any tendency to premature baldness may be promptly checked by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. Don't delay till the scalp is bare and the hair-roots destroyed. If you would realize the best results, begin at once with this invaluable preparation.

—Mr. Geo. W. Johnston of Toronto was practically "dealing in futures" last week. While in town representing the S. J. Wilson Lumber Co., he purchased the entire cut for next season of elm, basswood and ash of the Lindsay Lumber Mills, owned by Mr. John Carew.

—A young man in Lowell, Mass., troubled for years with a constant succession of boils on his neck, was completely cured by taking only three bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Another result of the treatment was greatly improved digestion with increased avordupois.

—President Harper of the University of Chicago has announced that Lady Aberdeen, wife of the governor-general of Canada, will be the convocation orator at the university commencement exercises in the Auditorium on April 1st. Lady Aberdeen will have the honor of being the first woman chosen for such an occasion in this country.

—Maud Sizeland, a London, Ont., girl of fifteen years, died a few days ago from the effects, it is alleged, of having been criminally assaulted by theree young men in that city on the night of Sept. 24. Charles Evans, Louis Hooper and Albert Fredenburg are under arrest charged with the assault. Bail of $1,000 was offered for Evans, but the authorities declined to accept it.

—Mr. John Carew of the Lindsay Lumber Mills has removed his business office from the vicinity of the mills to the corner of Colborne and William-sts. Mr. Carew is looking forward to a big season's cut this year, and already has a large stock of logs purchased in the north country. He is advertising for a quantity of cedar, pine, hemlock and basswood logs, to be delivered at the mills.

—Some important changes are about to be made in the Ontario mining laws. The government will select a number of mining engineers, who will survey all the unsurveyed government lands. This will be kept closed as property of the province for some time, and then will be put up at auction. Experts will also examine the mines in operation, or those which are stocked, and give information to the people as to the standing of the property. All property in future which will be granted by the government will make a certain amount of work necessary each year. Royalties will be abolished for the time being. As it is now, royalties are imposed after the mine is in operation for seven years.

—A number of cases of poisoning have been reported to the Montreal health department during the past few months. Fortunately, none of the cases have proved fatal, though one lady has become paralyzed. The medical health officer, Dr. Laberge, explains that, so far as he has been able to ascertain, the poisonings have been caused by cheap tin and agate kettles, teapots, etc., which are being sent into the city from Germany and other foreign countries, and sold in various stores for a small price. He is of opinion that a large amount of common lead is mixed in the manufacture of these articles, hence the poisonings. In order to verify this suspicion he has sent a teapot and one or two kettles to be analyzed by experts in Ottawa.

—The ordinary Grand Trank engine is supposed to draw about twenty cars, which means that an engineer, fireman, conductor and two brakemen will be employed on every run. General Manager Hays, in cutting down expenses, has hit upon a novel plan, whereby the expenditure in wages will be decreased considerably. Instead of making one engine pull twenty cars, he has decided to place two engines on each freight train, and make them pull from 35 to 42 cars. By this means, one train gang is done away with, the conductor and brakemen looking after double the number of cars. One of these big trains arrived at Toronto from Belleville the other night, the plan having worked satisfactorily.

—A mirror could not lie if it wanted to. The glass has nothing to gain by flattery. If the roses of health and the plumpness of beauty are leaving your face, your mirror will tell you so. Health is the greatest beautifier in the world. When a woman sees the indications of ill-health in the face she may with almost absolute certainty look for the cause in one or both of two conditions—constipation, and derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure permanently and positively any so-called "female complaint." Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will cure constipation. There is no reason in the world why a woman should not be perfectly healthy. She will gain in health, strength and flesh. Hollows and angles will give place to fulness and grace. She will be that noblest and most beautiful of all creation—a perfect woman. Send thirty-one cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated.

—A London (Eng.) cable, dated Feb. 5th, says:—Mr. Charles Fitzpatrick, solicitor-general of Canada, who has just returned here from a trip to the continent, and will sail for home on Feb. 13, has taken the opinion of Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., in regard to the appeals of the Manitoba government from the decision of the Privy Council in the matter of the Manitoba school dispute. Mr. Blake expresses the opinion that it is a complete misapprehension to think that the Privy Council ordered the discontinued schools to be restored, and is further of the opinion that the federal government have no power to deal with the taxes of Manitoba, or to allocate any money to Catholic or separate schools. An amicable arrangement on the lines of the proposal of the Manitoba government, he thinks, would be much more advantageous from every point of view to the Catholic minority than any remedial bill could possibly be. Mr. J. Walton, Q.C., the legal adviser of the leading Catholic bodies in England, concurs in the opinion given by Mr. Blake.

Demand For Chester Whites.

A breeder of Chester White pigs reports that he finds business better at present than it has been for a long while, says a Chester county, Penna., exchange. A few mornings ago he had an order for twenty-two specimens, and that same evening he received a call for seven more. The pigs were shipped to New England, where the flavor of the Boston bean is said to be greatly improved if a tender, juicy slice of Chester White pork is baked in the same pot. Thus Massachusetts receives its return for the elocutionists, musicians and teachers which are annually sent down to Pennsylvania. We are informed that first-class Chester Whites can be obtained from Potts Bros., Parkesburg, Chester Co., Pa., as well as Scotch collie dogs and poultry.

THE DANGEROUS DOG.

The dogs delight to bark and bite,
And make unearthly noise;
They scare the horses on the street,
And nip the girls and boys.

—A few days ago a boy named Alfred Brown was bitten by a dog. A bill of damages will probably be sent in to the south ward resident who owns the animal.

—There are over 500 dogs owned in the town, according to the last census. One-tenth the number would be more than ample, as many are not even ornamental, while but very few are useful.

—A couple of dogs entered the barnyard of S. J. Fox, at the brick-yards, one day recently, and killed a dozen hens and turkeys in a short space of time. The destructive animals did not wait to pick up the feathers when a man with a club put in an appearance, but quickly decamped.

—One afternoon last week a Manvers farmer was dumped out of his cutter into the ditch on Lindsay-st., the sudden bark of a wayside dog having caused the horse to shy. A pedestrian prevented the horse from going home without its driver. The farmer don't want his name in print, but will give a dollar for the carcase of that particular dog.

—A hungry east ward dog has taken to killing and eating cats. This is a real good thing, as it will lessen the number of felines in that part of the town, but it would be much better if dog would only take to devouring dog, as the canines are a much greater nusiance than cats.

—The dog stood in the alleyway at Walsh's hotel on Saturday. It was an innocent looking brute. Just then a roughly dressed man, wearing a short jacket and baggy trousers, came along. As he passed by there was a growl, a spring, a yell and a fall. The piece of cloth torn out of a vital part of the baggy trousers was about the size of a pie-plate, but the remarks of the victim of this canine assault were anything but pious.

—One day recently Mabel Argue, the 13-year-old daughter of Mrs. H. McDonald, Sussex-st., was attacked by a vicious dog and badly bitten on the lower limbs. The dog got in four bites before it was driven off, inflicting painful wounds. The animal has since been destroyed. It would have been a good thing if it had been killed sooner. The dog was a vagrant, but had made its home at Mrs. Ewart's for some time past.

—Two dogs fastened together by the tails with about a yard of rope furnished fun for a gang of boys in the vicinity of the electric works on William-st., on Saturday evening of last week. The tug-of-war between the dogs, with active fighting between times, was a fright to behold. Finally, under a heavy shower of snowballs, the larger dog got the swing on the other one, and started off down toward the river with it, both howling to beat the band. What became of the poor brutes is not known.

—A Mariposa subscriber writes: "Why don't the owners of dogs in Lindsay tie them up, chain them up, barrel them up, or hang them up. They are a positive nuisance—the dogs, I mean. I never go to town but they try to eat me and the horse up, and tear the robes. Do something quick, and suppress the annoying barking dog. Start a saugage factory, or turn them into mince-meat; feed them on cold lead and poison—anything to get rid of them."

Literary Notes.

—"The Maple Leaf." The Canadian Home Journal for February is of special interest to Canadians, containing, among many other bright features, a half-tone portrait and sketch of Mr. Alexander Muir, as well as his popular patriotic song, "The Maple Leaf Forever," words and music complete. Sample copy 10c, yearly subscription $1.00, which will be received at this office.

—The February number of "Modes"—one of the best of the American fashion journals—is to hand. It is beautifully printed on good paper, and every one of its twenty-five or thirty pages is filled with well-executed illustrations and descriptive matter as to the latest fashions for ladies, misses and children. The subscription price is only one dollar per annum, or ten cents a single number. The Modes Publishing Co., 132 White-st., New York city.

—In Harper's Weekly for February 6th, John Kendrick Bangs will begin a new serial, "The Pursuit of the Houseboat," a clever sequel to his amusing story, "The Houseboat on the Styx." It will be illustrated by Peter Newell, and will run for about three months. "Rapid Transit in New York" is the subject of a profusely illustrated article giving the latest details of the plans prepared by the engineer, Mr. Parsons; and adopted by the Rapid Transit commissioners. A brief account of Nansen's adventures in reaching the farthest north, condensed from his forthcoming volume, and strikingly illustrated by T. de Thulstrup, will be an important feature of the number. Colonel George E. Waring, jr., will continue his articles on street cleaning, with a description of the methods employed in Brussels. Hon. Carl Schurz will begin with the current number to contribute a series of signed articles on important political subjects.

—The January number of Farming is a special poultry number, giving much useful and interesting information on poultry raising in its various branches. A large number of illustrations of poultry houses, feeding troughs, water fountains, nests, etc., is given which cannot fail to be of value to those willing to take some trouble in order to obtain good profits from this branch of farming. The best breeds and the best methods of feeding is amply discussed, and an article by Mr. Thos. Duff on "Common Diseases Amongst Poultry and Simple Remedies," is an extremely useful and practical one. Much valuable information is given on the packing of poultry for market, besides the means of obtaining a plentiful supply of new laid eggs in winter. Poultry raising and its importance to the farmer, by one of the leading poultry men on this continent will be especially interesting to the farmers of this locality. It is shown that hens may be made to yield a far larger percentage of profit on the outlay than cows, taking into consideration orignal cost and keep. Of course, this can only be done where care and attention is given as in dairying or stock-raising. It will certainly pay farmers to read this number. Subscription only $1 per annum. THE WATCHMAN and Farming one year for $1.50.

Gran'pop Fullip—Whaffor yo' fool pickanninies pullin' yo' gran'fadder's laig dat tar way? Mebbe yo' fink I'se a wishbone!

HIS SURPRISE PARTY

The village of Meredith was seven miles from the Darrington homestead, and it was quite an event in the lives of the Darrington women when they could manage to secure a horse to take them so long a distance.

There were other farm houses near, to be sure, but Mr. Darrington was opposed to "havin' his wife and darters gad about to all the neighbors," and everybody fell in with the habit of letting the Darringtons severely alone.

One morning when Mr. Darrington announced his intention of driving to the village, Kate timidly ventured a request that she be allowed to accompany him; her uncle John kept a store in Meredith, and she had not seen that store for ten months.

"'Taint nec'sary," the father answered, testily; "if you want anything, I'll get it. You've got enough work to do in the house without gaddin' around in town. I'll stop at John's store, and if his wagon is comin' past here this mornin' I'll order him to stop with a lot of groc'ries. Rob ain't goin' to-day. It'll take me too consarned long at the blacksmith's."

Just before dinner Uncle John's wagon stopped with the groceries. Sophie was opening the basket to put the things away when she noticed some writing on the brown paper that was laid over them.

"Why, what's this?" she cried. "Father seems to have sent us a note."

"Well, what does he say, child?" asked her mother, anxiously. "Read it out loud."

But before she could begin, Kate and Mrs. Darrington looked over her shoulder, and this is what they saw:

"Go around and inwite all the nabors to spend the evenin' with us and we'll have a genwin Surprise Party, don't forgit tom's folks' can't you make some cake?"

"What can have come over father I can't imagine," said Mrs. Darrington, looking bewildered, "but we'll have to do it, as he says so."

When Rob was informed of the new departure of his father's he joined with the rest in being both surprised and delighted.

"To think of him even asking Tom's folks, that he hasn't spoken to for the last five years! Tom's a nice fellow, and ain't to blame for that quarrel. But I wonder whatever possessed father to do this."

"I just went out and told the man to tell Uncle John and the folks to be sure to come up to-night," said Kate, entering the room at that moment. "Of course, father must have asked them."

"Why, yes, it's more'n likely he did," assented her mother, "and, come to think of it, wasn't it sly of father to leave Rob home to do the inviting and not say a word about it?"

"Yes, and sending all the groceries, too," added Kate; "father was very thoughtful."

That evening as Mr. Darrington was driving up the lane toward the house, he was startled by hearing the unusual sound of laughter coming therefrom. He looked up and saw, to his astonishment, that the whole house was illuminated.

What could it mean? He left the horse standing by the shed and hurried to the front door to solve the mystery. When he entered he felt that he must certainly be in dreamland.

His daughters were radiantly beautiful in dresses of pure white—he had forgotten until now what really handsome girls they were—and his wife, in her neat black silk, was a woman of whom one might be proud. Even Rob looked more genteel than he had looked for many a long day.

Here was his own household openly disobeying his commands, and yet they came to him as bravely and smiling as if he had never forbidden the pleasure of having company. But it must have been a hard-hearted man, indeed, who could fail to find enjoyment in it.

And who was that coming toward him with outstretched hand? Could it really be Tom Deane, the one who had vowed that he would never speak to Joe Darrington again? Yes, it was not other than old Tom, and he was making the first advances in spite of his vow.

"Howdy, Joe? Seems nateral, don't it?"

"Yes, I must—I must say," stammered Mr. Darrington, "powerful nateral; but I must go and tidy up a bit, for I ain't fit to be seen."

In a dazed sort of way he left the room, but when he returned, shortly after, dressed in his very best suit, he was as bright and gay as anyone present.

He entered with all his heart into the merry-making of the evening, only stopping now and then to wonder how the women folks had dared to defy him so boldly.

John and his folks had arrived and were joining in the general hilarity when Joe Darrington entered the parlor the second time, but he would not have lost his equanimity now had Queen Victoria been announced.

It was only when the neighbors had departed, leaving the brothers and their families together, that he gave utterance to any thought on the subject. Then he said, playfully: "Sorter sly of you, John, not to mention this mornin' that you was comin' up."

"Why, I hadn't got no invite then."

"What do you mean, father?" asked Kate, opening her blue eyes wide in surprise, "didn't you invite Uncle John?"

"What under the canopy do you mean?" asked Mr. Darrington in astonishment.

"Why, yes you did, father," said Kate, "you sent us a note telling us to invite all the neighbors."

"I didn't do nothin' of the kind, onless my mentality was wanderin'."

Kate straightway brought the paper and handed it to her father. "There is the note you sent us with the groceries."

"I didn't put up the groceries, and I'm innercent of the writin' on that paper," he said, after he had read the invitation.

Then Uncle John examined the paper, but no sooner had he glanced at the words than he burst into such a fit of laughter that he was unable to speak for several seconds. When at last he found his voice he said:

"I writ that myself last week. I had sech a cold that I couldn't talk, and I got into the habit of speakin' to the folks on paper. One afternoon I felt like havin' a leetle company, and I asked Mary to get ready for folks that night. I writ them words to her in the sto[illegible] the man never noticed them when he put the paper on the groceries."

Joe Darrington smiled grimly. "I see—a mistake all around. Wal, I'm not sorry we had the settin', and I say it's onnec'sary to let this thing get to the neighbors. We ought to have more comp'ny, and we will. I want the women folks to go around more, too. They're not to be ashamed of when they're dressed up right smart."—Chicago News.

How to Use Court-Plaster.

Did you ever notice the way a physician prepares the court-plaster for a wound? First, he folds the piece lengthwise directly through the middle. The plaster should be considerably larger than the wound, to keep well over the edges; then slash the plaster lengthwise nearly to the edge. Straighten the court-plaster out flat, and cut the slashed pieces at opposite ends. Place the straight edges of the courtplaster to the flesh on either side of the wound, bringing the strips across the wound. Moisten them, and taking a strip from each side, draw them together gently, closing the cut, and stick the plaster in place. Continue with all the strips, and the cut will be dressed in a manner to insure a perfect healing, and as well as any doctor could do it.

To Make a Neat Patch.

Here is an uncommon way of mending a silk or woollen garment in which a hole has been torn, and where only a patch can remedy matters. The frayed edges around the tear should be carefully smoothed out and any longer threads trimmed off. Moisten a piece of the material with very thin mucilage and place it under the tear. Lay this part of the garment on a flat surface and place a level weight upon the tear and let it remain until the mucilage is perfectly dry. The patch will be scarcely perceptible.

The Frog and His Wind.

The frog cannot breathe with its mouth open, its breathing apparatus being so arranged as to exclude air at all times, except when the nostrils alone are working.

Superstitions

Just day before yesterday I was in the waiting room of one of the big dry goods shops, when a tired-looking young woman came up with a baby in her arms. Every chair was occupied, and the mother laid the sleeping infant on the table. Instantly a well-dressed woman sprang up and fairly jerked the baby off the table.

"Don't you ever do that thing again," she cried to the astonished mother. "Don't you know that's a sure foreshadowing of the child's death? Never lay it on a table if you want to raise it."

One of my young girl friends was graduated from the girls' school near here in June. All the graduates wrote essays in competition for the annual school prize. My friend won. She told me all about it as soon as she came home.

"I came mighty near not getting it," she said. "When I copied my essay to send it in I found it had thirteen pages. Of course, I knew then that I couldn't win; nobody could with thirteen for a hoodoo against her. So I, well, I just copied the last page over again and numbered it twelve and a half."—Washington Post.

Sequence in Dreams.

Dreams are curious things. About a week ago a west Philadelphia girl dreamed that she lost her watch, and in the morning she looked in the place where she always kept her timepiece, to discover that it was gone. This, of course, led her to believe that some one had actually stolen it, and that she was not dreaming, but was merely in a half-sleep. With this disheartening suspicion the crestfallen young woman told her brother of the affair. The brother had to visit various pawnshops and station houses, give a careful description of the costly article, and was kept hustling around about three or four days, vainly endeavoring to get a clew. But he finally abandoned all hopes of recovering the lost treasure. In the evening of the very day that her brother discontinued the search the fair loser of the timepiece had another dream. This time she dreamed that before retiring she had hidden her watch in a shoe in the bottom of a closet. After rising next morning, merely out of curiosity, she went to the place designated in her dream, and to her amazement there beheld the innocent timepiece.—Philadelphia Record.

The Latest Extravagances.

Even the woman who cannot afford them is interested in knowing what the jewelers and china manufacturers have combined to make for the tables of the rich. Here are some of the latest extravagances: Silver trays, with sugar bowl, cream pitcher, after-dinner coffee pots and a tiny Dresden china bell, with silver handle.

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Delft trays, panels, boxes and bowls.

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Cordial sets—tray, decanter and glasses—of glass, with framework of gold encircling them.

Liquor flasks of leather, with cup of silver.

Apples as Food.

By a careful analysis it has been found that apples contain a larger amount of phosphorus or brain food than any other fruit or vegetable; and on this account they are very important to sedentary men, who work their brains rather than their muscles. They also contain the acids which are needed especially for sedentary men, the action of whose liver is sluggish, to eliminate the effete matters, which, if retained in the system, produce inaction of the brain, and, indeed of the whole system, causing jaundice, sleepiness, scurvy and troublesome diseases of the skin.—Agassiz.

Frills of the Day.

Some of the granny muffs are made even larger by frills of satin at the openings.

The old-fashioned "rat" is now used to produce the new-fashioned pompadour coiffure.

A gown, which for extravagance cannot be excelled, is a silk-lined velvet, trimmed with real lace, sable and genuine diamond buttons.

Long sleeeves for evening wear come with buttons, by which they are attained to the shoulder of the gown, thus actually forming a sleeve of kid.

Maintaining a Reputation.

The dairyman who has built up a steady demand for his butter must work just about as hard to keep that demand in a healthy condition as he did to secure it in the first place. If by some misfortune a batch of butter is inferior to that usually made, it should never be sent to regular customers. Sell it on the market without calling attention to the name of the person who made it. Let it bring what it is worth.

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