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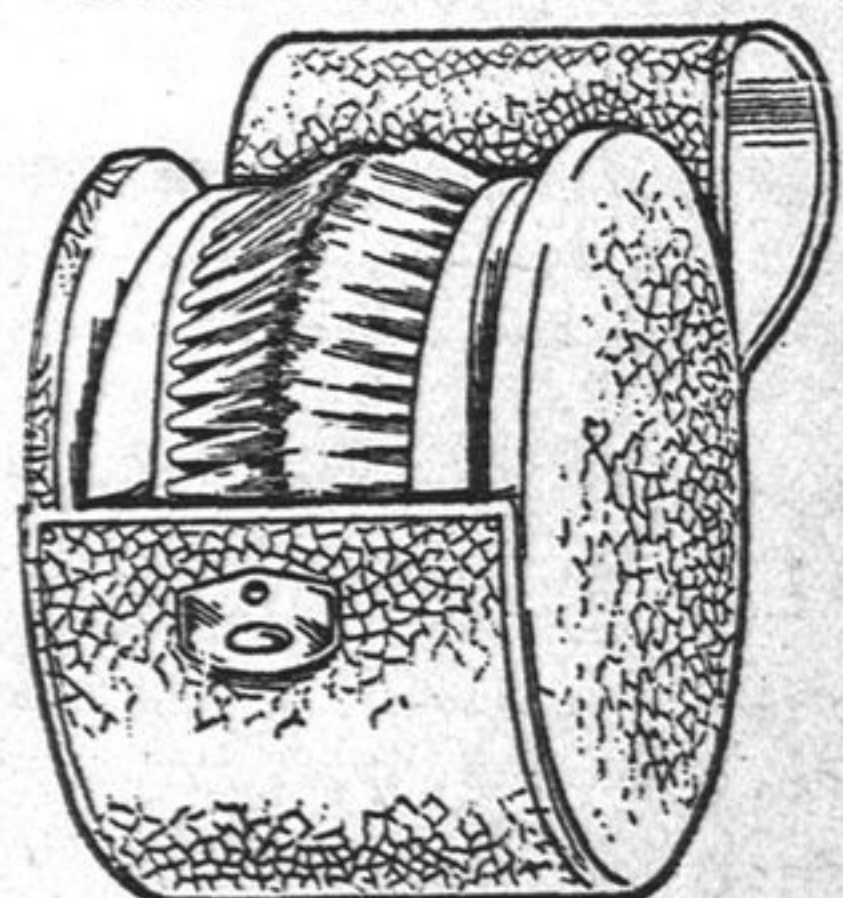
HONOR THY FATHER AND THY MOTHER

One of the grandest lessons of reverence and regard for parents is taught by one of those who occupies a high place among his fellow mortals, and in these days when would-be smart youths refer to the mother who bore them as "the old woman," it comes as a lesson of striking force and example.

Pope Pius X., carries at his girdle an old watch of base metal, the face chipped, with a plain leather guard, and when a Roman noble tendered him a very costly gold one in exchange for the much-worn timepiece which he said he should regard as a priceless possession, the Pope gently declined.

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and endured for his sake sacrifices akin to divinity itself.

THE LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

It is hard to judge the strength and probable results of moral and religious movements while they are in progress. To all but the few seers, time is necessary to secure anything like a true prospective.

That the Christian Church, roused to a sense of her responsibilities, and of her real mission, has it within her power to evangelize the world, few will question. It is a matter of the will to undertake the task—a matter of consecrated men and consecrated money.

That the winning to Christianity of the heathen nations would effect a stupendous change in this world of ours is a proposition that also is beyond argument. Were the religion which has done so much for Europe, and which during the past generation has civilized the savages of the South Africa, to spread its benign influence

to all the remaining dark places of the earth, bringing hope to the hopeless, and help to the helpless, to spread peace and good will among men, what a different world there would be?

The Laymen's Missionary Movement is a deliberate, calculated effort—or a part of a deliberate, calculated effort—to bring about this revolution. Moreover, it has so far met with marvelous success. Just as centuries ago men in armies devoted their lives to the conquest of the Holy Land, so to-day, with equal and better applied zeal, Christian laymen are turning from the office, the counting house, the shop and the farm to give their time and attention to this movement for the evangelization of the world.

JUST A SUGGESTION

The giving of advice is sometimes a thankless task. However, we do not now propose to give advice, but simply to make a suggestion. If you are at all in doubt as to what you are to give to your friend as a Christmas gift, why not consider the matter of letting him have his church paper for a year?

REEVE GAVE BANQUET.

Mr. P. J. Anderson, reeve of Cannington, at the close of Wednesday night's council meeting, invited the members to partake of an oyster supper at the Bennett House.

FOR 1910 COUNCILS.

It has been rumored that Mr. John A. Jackson, a former popular township councillor of Ops, but now a resident of Lindsay, may offer himself for the position of second deputy-reeve, but it is not known whether he will accept the nomination or not.

A NEAT CHRISTMAS NUMBER.

A copy of the Christmas number of the Northern Messenger, published at Montreal, has reached this office and is indeed a very creditable number. It has been printed in many colors and the Biblical scenes as well as Christmas pictures are nicely colored.

A special train of eight cars left Montreal for the west with Christmas mail.

Eldon Council Proceedings

Lorneville, Dec. 15.—Council met in Plank's Hall, Lorneville, on Dec. 15, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m. Members present: Reeve Hawkins, Councillors Spence, Robinson, McDonald and McEachern.

The minutes of the former meeting of Nov. 24, and also the adjourned Court of Revision on Drain No. 1 of the same date, were read and on motion were accepted.

Communications were read as follows: McEachern & Weeks, stating that drainage by-laws, being money by-laws, must be registered and notice of the registration published. J. R. McNeillie, county treasurer, asking to have county rates forwarded to his office before the end of year; also acknowledging receipt of arrears resident collectors roll. Sawyer & Massy, agreeing to accept \$12.50 in full payment for broken law for crusher. Notice from Stewart & O'Connor, stating that it was the intention of Peter McEachern, Farquhar Stewart, Angus McEachern, Angus Ross, Albert Marks, and Edmund Metcalf, to appeal to the drainage referee to have by-law No. 335 of the municipality re. municipal drain No. 1 quashed.

D. A. McArthur, asking to have Flora McInnes taxes for lot No. 37, North Portage Road, abated by the council. John H. Smith, asking the council to have the engineer put on to locate the line on the Portage road opposite his property. Dr. Galloway, medical health officer's report for 1909. A. G. Cavana, containing certificate that M. McLean had completed the culvert which was the township's portion on the A. D. Campbell drain to his entire satisfaction.

Spence—Robinson—That by-law No. 335 of the township of Eldon, a by-law for improving, extending and making a new outlet for municipal drain No. 1, and for borrowing money on credit of corporation for same be read a third time and passed, signed and sealed in duplicate.—Carried.

Spence—McDonald—That the clerk be instructed to take necessary procedure re. having by-law No. 338 registered, advertised, etc.—Carried.

McDonald—Robinson—That by-law No. 341 be read a second and third time, passed, signed and sealed; and that the clerk be instructed to set a sufficient number of notices of same printed and posted up.

Peter McEachern waited on council re gravel taken from the west end of the south half of lot 23, con. 3, stating that persons taking gravel out of the pit formerly purchased by the township had gone beyond the limit of said pit on his property undermining his fence.

VISITING OLD TOWN

FORMER LINDSAY CITIZEN VISITING IN TOWN.

Mr. John McNabb, of Manitou, Manitoba, an old Lindsay boy, who has been absent from town for thirty years, arrived last evening and will spend the winter with his friends in Lindsay and vicinity. Mr. McNabb is a prosperous farmer in Manitoba, and while in this vicinity resided two miles west of Lindsay, where Mr. Patrick Leddy now lives.

A HEAVY FINE.

A man's purse is usually hit pretty hard every Christmas, but an extra \$28.50 will have to come out of the funds of a local man who supplied another who was on the Indian list, with liquor. The intoxicated man, received his fine on Saturday, nearly twenty dollars, including costs, and paid up Saturday afternoon. The supplier was fined \$25 and costs this afternoon.

Could Not Sleep In The Dark.

Doctor Said Heart and Nerves Were Responsible.

There is many a man and woman tossing night after night upon a sleepless bed. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Some constitutional disturbance, worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system, that it cannot be quieted.

Mrs. Calvin Stark, Rosmore, Ont., writes: "About two years ago I began to be troubled with a smothering sensation at night, when I would lie down. I got so bad I could not sleep in the dark, and would have to sit up and rub my limbs, they would become so numb. My doctor said my heart and nerves were responsible. I saw Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills advertised and got a box to try them. I took three boxes and can now lie down and sleep without the light burning and can rest well. I can recommend them highly to all nervous and run down women."

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ing that persons taking gravel out of the pit formerly purchased by the township had gone beyond the limit of said pit on his property undermining his fence. He stated that he was willing to take \$10 for the gravel taken, and damage to fence, or he would sell another half acre of the ground for \$100.

Spence—Robinson—That the following taxes be abated by the council: Fred Bailey, taxes for statute labor, \$1; Dallas Wright, taxes for property wrongfully assessed, \$1.14; Ed Hudd, taxes for property wrongfully assessed being assessed both to him and R. Danes, \$27; Mrs. Cameron, taxes for property wrongfully assessed, \$1.27; Flora McInnes, taxes for lot 37, N.P.R., \$5.80; Geo. McEwen, taxes for statute labor, \$1; and that the following taxes be rebated: Jas. Jackson, taxes for statute labor, \$2; John McEwen, taxes for statute labor, \$2; John Burton, taxes for statute labor \$1; L. J. McInness, taxes for statute labor \$1; Katharine Connors, taxes for statute labor, \$2; T. Russell, taxes for statute labor, \$13; Jas. Jordan, taxes for statute labor, \$12; Jas. Cornish, taxes for statute labor, \$8; Alex. Ewens, taxes for statute labor, \$7; Hector Campbell, taxes for property wrongfully assessed twice, \$1.—Carried.

Spence—Robinson—That the reeve be instructed to make full arrangements for defending by-law No. 335, if appealed against as per notices served on reeve and clerk.—Carried.

Spence—Robinson—That the clerk be instructed to notify Mr. J. Smith, Bolsover, that the wire fence by-law of the township of Eldon states that all parties are required to locate their own lines.—Carried.

McDonald—McEachern—That the report of the medical health officer as read, be adopted and filed.—Carried.

McDonald—Robinson—That this council pay John McArthur the sum of \$5.45 on account for removing the stone crusher from John Browns, and that John Brown be instructed to pay the balance, \$3.50, and that A. McArthur be paid \$1.50 for work for removing stone crusher to Kirkfield.—Carried.

On motion of Messrs. McDonald and McEachern, a number of accounts were ordered to be paid.

Spence—McDonald—That this council now dissolve, to meet on Monday, Jan. 10, in accordance with statute. B. STACEY, Clerk.

OBITUARY

JANE SIMPSON.

Jane Simpson, relict of the late William Simpson, passed away Friday morning at eleven o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Charles Peel, lot 19, con. 11, Ops. Deceased had attained the remarkable age of ninety-five years.

The late Mrs. Simpson was born in Ireland came to Canada about the year 1858. She married Wm. Simpson, a shoe maker, who predeceased her thirty years. They lived in Omeamee, Muskoka, and various other parts of Ontario. Two children are living, William, in Cobocook, and Mrs. Hume, Grand Rapids, Mich. For the past nine years she has been living with her sister in Ops. Deceased was of a kindly and generous nature and was a regular attendant of the Church of England. The funeral was held to the Riverside cemetery, Lindsay, to-day, (Dec. 18) leaving the residence of Mr. Chas. Peel, lot 19, con. 11, at two o'clock p.m.

ENTERTAINMENT AT CAMERON. Hurrah for Cameron. A Christmas tree to be held on Dec. 22, 1909. An excellent program, consisting of dialogues, songs, marches and recitations, will be given by the pupils of the school. Come one, come all and enjoy a treat. Warden G. A. Jordan, chairman. Admission, children 10c., adults 15c. Doors open at 7.30 concert at 8.00.

STRAWBERRIES. Strawberries in December beats all records. Last week Mr. Jas. Taylor of Cambury, vicinity, picked up several strawberry plants in bloom while strolling over his farm.

INDIVIDUAL CUPS.

St. Andrew's church managers and the members of the session, have decided to adopt the individual communion cups in that church. It has been decided that the individual cups are more sanitary and also this method is a truer interpretation of the biblical teaching.

C.P.R. TRAIN CHANGES.

It has been decided to withdraw trains Nos. 1 and 2 east of Winnipeg and west of Calgary, the same as was done last year. The last No. 1 running through to Vancouver, will leave Montreal, Dec. 28. No. 1 leaving Montreal on Dec. 29, 30 and 31 will run only to Calgary, and after Dec. 31 No. 1 will not run between Montreal and Winnipeg, but between Winnipeg and Calgary only. The last No. 2 will leave Vancouver Dec. 31 and run through to Montreal, passing Winnipeg, Jan. 2, and arriving in Montreal on Jan. 4, thereafter No. 2 will run between Calgary and Winnipeg only.

That Gift You Overlooked Buying

Or probably it was one you received from an expected source and you feel that you ought to acknowledge it. If it was the first case why don't worry---it's hard to just buy every little item during the Holiday rush---just come right in here and you will find many very satisfactory items for gift-giving! The gift will be just as much appreciated for oversight is apt to occur with anyone.

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SALE REGISTER

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