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The Globe's report of the waiting of a deputation on the Attorney General yesterday in connection with the Crown Attorneyship of Halton, is wrong in at least one particular. The deputation did not favor Lieut.-Col. Goodwillie, but went to Toronto to press the claims of W. I. Dick, barrister, of Milton, Secretary of the Halton Reform Association for the last ten years. The deputation was a large one, composed of leading men from different parts of the county.

The Water Supply. The Farm Well. The Cheese Factory and Creamery.

Some rather startling facts in regard to the water supply of our farms, cheese factories and creameries, were brought out at the conference of dairy instructors and experts held in Ottawa last fall, the official report of which is now being distributed by J. A. Ruddick, Chief of the Dairy Division, Ottawa. In discussing the sanitation of cheese factories and creameries, Dr. Connell, bacteriologist at the Kingston Dairy School, pointed out that one great sanitary requisite is good water. Most of our factories obtain their water from shallow wells, only a few using water from deep wells, springs, creeks or rivers. Good water can be secured from shallow or surface wells, yet such water is always classified as suspicious by sanitarians when it is used for drinking purposes. The reason for this is simply that such water is ground water, derived by sewage through soil or the rain or snow water. Shallow wells are usually placed quite close to the houses or factories which they are to supply, and thus the soil in their neighborhood is apt to become contaminated, and this contamination is sooner or later carried by sewage into the well. Fortunately, the soil is an excellent filtering and cleansing agent, but it is only able to dispose of a certain amount of contaminating material. Such disposal takes time, so that if there is a particularly heavy rain, the contaminating matter may be carried far into the earth below the purifying layer, and thus soak unchanged into the wells. If a large amount of this contaminating material finds its way into the soil, the earth becomes "soured" and can no longer dispose of or purify the waste, which tends to soak into and mix with the ground water. Some surface wells are so constructed as to be mere surface drainage pits; that is they are not raised above the surrounding earth, and hence receive the surface washing direct. Farmers and makers ought to realize that a surface well does not get its water from some hidden source below, but is simply a collecting reservoir for the ground water derived from rain and snow water. And further, that if the soil in the neighborhood of such a well is saturated with slop water and house or factory drainings, that sooner or later these will make their way into the well.

Some Tests.—Prof. Shutt's chemical analyses of farm well water have shown the majority of the wells to be little better than cesspools. From 100 to 200 samples a year are analyzed at the chemical laboratory of the Central Experimental Farm, and one-fifth of these can be passed as safe and wholesome. By far the greater number are utterly condemned, while others are reported as suspicious, putting them in the category of those that are unsafe to use. The bacteriological examinations of Dr. Connell, and Prof. Harrison of the Ontario Agricultural College, show similar results. Dr. Connell mentioned that out of a dozen factory waters sent him last summer not one was found fit for use. All were badly contaminated, and for drinking purposes would be immediately condemned. Later Dr. Connell had an opportunity of seeing two of the wells from which the samples were taken. Both were subject to direct gross contamination from drainage water lying under the factory floors, and the streams of dirty slime could be seen opening into the wells about four feet below the surface. Both these waters were very foul, so foul that animals would not touch them. Such a well is generally termed a "mineral" one in the section, probably because the sulphuretted hydrogen of decomposition causes an odor somewhat like that of natural sulphur water.

Improvement Necessary.—A factory well cannot be kept uncontaminated, so long as the drainage and whey disposal system of the factory is not carefully looked after, so that the first essential for a pure water supply from the ordinary well is good drainage. Next is the proper construction of the well, including its covering, so as not to permit surface washings flowing in. As Prof. Shutt pointed out, this drainage matter, apart from its actually poisonous character, is the very material upon which microbes and germs live, and water polluted from the barnyard, privy, etc., is always loaded with countless millions of bacteria. It is impossible to turn out first-class dairy products where such water is used, so even from the dollars-and-cents standpoint, improvement in this respect is imperative.

It is not the smell or appearance of water that denotes its condition. Many samples of water, which to the sense of smell or sight or taste are perfect, yet simply reek with filth. The bacteria which we cannot detect by our senses are far more dangerous than those which we can detect.

W. A. CLEMONS,
Publication Clerk.

Department of Agriculture,
Commissioner's Branch,
Ottawa, May 26, 1904.

ASHGROVE.

May 31.

The regular preaching service will be withdrawn here on the coming Sunday.

Mrs. Henderson and Miss Lizzie Henderson, of Toronto, visited friends in this neighborhood last week.

Fred. Morrison spent Sunday with ville friends.

Hector Warren and Miss Violet, of Glenwilliams, spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haines, of Brampton, spent Saturday at R. Graham's.

We are glad to hear that Miss Flossy Ruddell is recovering from her recent illness.

Mungo and Miss Ada Nixon spent Sunday at the home of A. Cook, Trafalgar.

Mrs. Halliday and Master Arthur called on friends in the Grove recently.

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Halton Teachers' Institute.

Burlington Gazette.

The teachers of Halton County held their annual convention in the town hall here on Thursday and Friday, May 19 and 20. Owing to the heavy rain on Wednesday night and the consequent damage to the tracks, the train from the north did not arrive until 12 o'clock, and therefore there was no morning session the first day. Promptly at 1.30, however, the president, R. D. Coutts, B.A., opened the convention and called upon Rev. Dr. Williamson to lead in the religious exercises.

After disposing of various matters of formal business, Misses M. Howard and T. Sinclair read papers on the "Recognition of Clauses," which was followed by a brief discussion. Then came the table talk on teachers' difficulties, viz.: Talking, voice culture, department, punctuality and regularity. This was led by Misses J. Bradt and M. Bennett. A well prepared and thoughtful paper on "Habit and Its Relation to Education" was then read by the president, wherein was set forth "complete himself" as the end and object of true education and to this end the formation of right habits was shown to be of primary importance. The subject of memory and how it might be aided and improved was discussed by Miss D. Taylor and Miss S. Borham, after which Messrs. Fittal and Kersey aroused considerable discussion by their papers on the relative value of mental and written arithmetic.

On Friday morning the opening exercises were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Anderson, and the session began by the election of officers, the following being appointed: President, N. J. Wellwood, B.A.; Vice-President, F. T. Richardson; Secretary, Miss Ryan; Treasurer, J. S. Deacon; Librarian, W. F. Inman; Executive, C. McClenahan, Miss McKinlay, Miss G. Steele, H. D. Sherwood and all the ex-presidents. Delegates to the Ontario Teachers' Association, F. T. Richardson and Miss M. Norton. The first subject for consideration on Friday was nature study. Brief and interesting papers on that subject were read by Misses Currie and Norton, followed by a lively discussion, in which Misses Holmes, McQueen, McKinnon, Mrs. Hardy and Mr. Richardson took part. W. H. Shaw, principal of the Central Business College, Toronto, then gave a very practical and well illustrated lesson on the subject of writing. He would have all vertical writing discarded, except in the case of a pupil who was writing it well, and instead of devoting so much attention to the form of the letter as is usually done, he would drill the pupils for ten minutes each day on the position of the body, hand, &c., and on the various movements necessary for free and easy penmanship. After a discussion of the subject of spelling, led by Miss G. C. Kerns, the meeting was adjourned.

The afternoon session was opened by T. R. Earngey with a report of the O. E. A., to which he had been sent as a delegate. The subject of "supplementary and home reading" was then dealt with in carefully prepared papers by Miss Watterworth and Miss Dingman. The public school curriculum then came in for discussion under the form of a debate as to whether the number of subjects thereon should be increased. Mr. Vivian, Miss Bowes and Mr. Inman took the affirmative, while Mr. Richardson, Miss Shortill and Mr. Earngey upheld the negative. In accordance with the desire of the association the question was left undecided.

On Thursday night a very interesting, instructive and illustrated lecture on the life and works of Charles Dickens was given by E. S. Williamson, of Toronto, and was greatly appreciated by the members of the association and those of the general public who were so fortunate as to attend. It was decided to hold the next convenion at Acton.

The following teachers were in attendance:—

Trafalgar—Ida A. Ford, M. Norton, S. Scrimreove, T. McKinlay, R. R. Kersey, S. M. Bonham, Mrs. E. O Hardy, Ida Wass, J. Luscombe, J. A. Orr, G. Kerns, J. D. Williamson, S. M. Forester, A. Wooding.

Esquesing—D. T. Elliott, R. Russell, G. Steele, A. Barber, L. M. Sinclair, Geo. Fittal, Hazel Harrison, D Nicklin, H. T. Oram, T. McQueen, M. Bennett, J. Moore, A. Shortill.

Nelson—R. Dawson, W. J. McClenahan, M. Howes, A. McDonald, M. Kerns, M. Springer, E. Shields, H. D Sherwood, E. W. Vivian, C. E. Joyce, M. Pattinson.

Nassagaweya—A. E. Hamilton, J. R. Taylor, C. McClenahan, M. Nickell, S. J. Little, M. Langan, E. Friendship.

Acton—J. C. McKinnon, G. Young, M. E. Smith, M. Holmes, M. Dingman, E. Kennedy.

Milton—W. F. Inman, J. M. Patison, D. Taylor, C. E. Lawrence, C. Taylor, E. H. Bowes.

Oakville—A. B. McGill, J. Brady, R. Brown, B. Andrew, E. Matthews, B. R. Husband.

Burlington—F. T. Richardson, M. Allen, M. Williamson, F. Misener, M. Cartwright, M. Stewart.

Georgetown—T. R. Earngey, A. Ryan, K. Bradley, M. Watterworth.

Increased Pay for Militia.

Ottawa, May 30.—In the House today Mr. Henderson of Halton called the attention of the Minister of Justice to the fact that it is difficult to secure men for the coming camps on account of uncertainty as to the rate of pay. He found the Minister ready with a prepared written statement. It is to this effect: Long service and good conduct will be allowed at the rate of 20 cents for the first year, 40 cents for the second and 50 cents for the third. Several conditions are laid down. To be entitled to this pay, which is in addition to the regular rate of 50 cents a day, privates and non-commissioned officers must be duly enlisted in a regiment outside of the permanent corps.

They must perform the full amount of drill for which their regiments are called out. They must be reasonably efficient in the performance of their duties, in the use of the rifle, or whatever weapon then corps is equipped with. They must have received no punishment beyond admonition or reprimand. If these conditions are not complied with all right to the good service standing is forfeited. The act will come into force on June 1st, 1904, but privates and non-commissioned officers who have served continuously for three years will come under its provisions.

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The Russ-Jap War.

Skirmishing on rather a large scale seems to be taking place near Kaiping, to the south-east of Newchwang. The Russians assert that in a fight there on Monday the Japanese lost two hundred men, the major part as a result of a charge in which the Cossacks used the lance. Kuropatkin reports that the Japanese are now found in force at Saimatsza or Samaja, at the head of the Ai Valley, and almost as far north as Liaoyang. If the intention is to sweep around his left flank the net is being cast very wide. There is probably not time now before the rainy season begins to enter upon decisive operations in the north.

OAKVILLE.

May 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin and family, of Toronto, spent their holidays at the home of Mrs. Wm. Freeman last week.

Miss Lizzie Boles has returned to Toronto, after spending a short time at her home here.

Melton Strong, of Streetsville, renewed old acquaintances here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Passmore have recently arrived from Bishopsnympton, Devonshire, England, and are at present staying in Oakville.

Capt. Jno. and Robt. McGiffen, W. S. Ziller, of Toronto, and W. Reid, of Seaforth, visited Mrs. Ziller on Victoria Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McIntosh, of Toronto, spent Sunday at John Wales's.

Miss Ethel Wilson has returned to Hamilton, after visiting Miss A. Bond.

The musicale given by Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Chisholm to over too of their friends on Victoria Day was a great success.

Rev. Jas. E. Dyer, Miss Blanche Marshall and Arthur Adams were guests of Rev. D. A. Moir last week.

Mrs. Wm. Ribble has returned from a visit to her sister in Toronto.

Miss Gypsy Wales is home again after visiting Milton friends for a week.

Miss Byers, of Mitchell, is visiting Mrs. John Byers.

Our brave baseball team have won their first two games this season. On Saturday they battled with the Parrots, of Toronto, and on Victoria Day with the Mutuals.

The boating season is again in full swing. No accidents as yet are reported.

The sporting Oakvillians still continue to sing War Whoop's praises.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thornton spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Rev. and Mrs. McNair will shortly leave for St. John, N.B. They purpose being away for a month.

Capt. Fred. Morrison, of Ashgrove, visited his Oakville friends on Sunday.

Ross Orr is visiting at his home here.

W. H. Young was in London last week.

Milton District Meeting.

Georgetown, May 25.—At the annual meeting of the Milton District of the Methodist Church the following resolution was submitted and carried unanimously:—

"Moved by Rev. J. W. Cooley, seconded by Rev. J. S. Williamson, D.D.: Whereas the General Conference of 1902 expressed its sympathy with a proposal for the organic union of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational Churches, and formally inaugurated the movement for that object by initiating correspondence thereon with the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church and the Congregational Union, and since that approach has been responded to by the appointment of a committee by each of the bodies corresponded with, and since the joint meeting of the three committees unanimously adopted a resolution pronouncing that in their judgment the proposed union is both desirable and practicable; this district meeting hereby express great gratification that the movement for the organic union proposed has met with such a large measure of approval generally, and especially rejoice in the authoritative expression of opinion given forth by the joint committee, representative of the three churches concerned, with which view this district meeting declare themselves in hearty accord. This district meeting also believe that the time and circumstances are favorable for the taking of further steps in the direction of finding a basis of union, and meeting and solving the problems that must be solved before such organic union can become an accomplished fact, and express the earnest hope that such steps may be decided upon without unnecessary delay by all the churches involved."

Triumphs of Modern Surgery.

Wonderful things aie done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished and put back, or they may be removed entirely; bones are spliced, pipes take the place of diseased sections of veins, antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, which causes them to heal without maturation and in one-third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries causes them to heal very quickly. It also allaws the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering which such injuries entail. For sale by Higginbotham & Field.

Boyne May School Report.

V. Class—Amy Jardine 95, Nellie Jardine 93, Jessie Douglas 84, Norman Lawrence 61.

IV.—Mabel Johnston 87, Cecil Jarvis 69, Aggie Lawrence 58, Ben Ockerman 31.

Jr. III.—Nelson Lawrence 90, Gordon Tasker 89, Campbell Stoutt 68, Maggie Douglas 62, Horace Ockerman 32.

Sr. II.—Nellie Ockerman 88, Mildred Ford 87, Lizzie Stoutt 81, Bella Stoutt 60, Jessie Ockerman 36.

Jr. II.—Hazel Johnston 94, Kenneth McDougall 88.

Int. Pt. II.—Richard Stoutt 79.

Jr. Pt. II.—Violet Cooper 97, Adolphus Cooper 61.

I. B.—Stanley Stoutt 92, Gracie McDougall 81, Hazel Andrews 80.

I. A.—Lily Stoutt, Tommy Lawrence, Melvine Lawrence, Clare Ford, Hamilton Garbutt.

Average attendance, 29.

Ida A. Ford.

Turkish Booksellers.

A writer who spent much of his early life in Turkey observed that Turkish books and booksellers were among the curious features of the country. "The Turkish bookseller," he said, "has a soul above trade. He rarely or never attempts to push his wares and treasures some of his more valuable books so greatly that he can hardly be induced to sell them, although they form part of his stock in trade. Many of the books displayed by the bookseller are in manuscript, which the old fashioned Turks esteem more highly than print." The Koran he may not sell. He gives it away in return for a present of its value in money.

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The Whole Hog.

Whence comes the expression "to go the whole hog" which occupies so prominent a position in fiscal politics? asks the Liverpool Post. In one authoritative work on such matters it is stated that the phrase probably arose from the Arabian story versified in Cowper's "Love of the World Reproved." Mohammed allowed his followers to eat pork, except one portion of the animal, which he did not specify, and consequently strict Mohammedans were debarred from eating any. Others, however, "thought it hard from the whole hog to be debarred," and so "with sophistry their sauce they sweeten, till quite from tail to snout 'tis eaten." In an American book on political squibs, published in 1844, the author says, "To go the whole hog is an American-English phrase for radical reform and is much used here by the Democratic party to distinguish them from the Federalists, who don't profess such sweeping notions and consequently go only a part of the interesting quadruped in question."

"Had Had Had."

"While you're discussing the peculiarities of the English language," remarked the publisher as at the Franklin Inn club the other afternoon he sat down to his after luncheon cigar, "has it ever struck you that the word 'had' can, with perfect correctness, occur three times successively in an ordinary English sentence? No? Well, it can. Only the other evening I came across an instance. It was at the meeting of a certain association I am interested in, and there the secretary in reading the minutes said, 'The chairman of the committee then reported that the troubles which they had had had now been overcome.'"

"That's interesting," chimed in the literary man, "but it's nothing to the possibilities of recurrence we can correctly get out of the word 'that.' You may say that that 'that' that that speaker indicated was not that 'that' that that gentleman intended.

City Residents Nearsighted.

"The race is growing nearsighted, owing to city life and the conditions of our civilization," said an eye specialist.

"Our visual range is confined to near objects for the greater part of the day," said he, "and this keeps the eyes turned in. An object twenty feet away will make the eyeballs parallel.

"Anything less will turn them in, and people who spend their hours in offices and crowded flats necessarily have a short range of vision, which overworks and weakens the interior muscles close to the nasal cavity.

"The exterior muscles not being so strained are strong and hence cause the eyes to turn out. Let a person who is thus affected spend a week or two in the country and his eyes become normal again, because he gets greater range of vision. Savages are generally farsighted."

Wooed With Music.

Among the Yao Midos, one of the many Burmese-Tartar people, the young men woo their wives absolutely without words, but to the sound of music. On the first day of winter they have a great feast, at which all the marriageable girls gather and listen to the music made by the bachelors, who sit under the "desire tree," each playing his favorite instrument. As the maiden he loves passes him the youth plays louder and more feelingly. If the girl ignores him and passes on he knows that she will have none of him; if she steps up to him and lays a flower upon the instrument, he jumps up, grasps her by the hand, taking care not to drop the flower, and they go away together.

Dogs In the Arctic.

Dogs are undeniably the most useful animals for man in his polar expeditions where sledges must be dragged over the ice of the polar sea. They have the advantage also that, unlike horses and reindeer, they readily eat their fellows. Their weight is small, and they can be easily carried on light boats or on ice floes. As the Danish government has forbidden the exportation of dogs from Greenland explorers usually get their animals from western Siberia.

Wonderful Fireworks.

A manufacturer of pyrotechnics in Nagasaki, Japan, makes a rocket from which, when it explodes in the air, there flies away a large bird which resembles a homing bird in its movements. It is said that the secret of this wonderful production has been in the possession of the eldest child of the family for more than 400 years.

Wretched Postal Service.

Tailor—The postal service is in a wretched condition. Friend—Never noticed it. Tailor—Well, I have. During last month I sent out 180 statements of account, with requests for immediate payment, and so far as I can learn not more than two of my customers received their letters.

Origin of Measles.

"If I understand this measles business right," says a Carthage punster, "the German measles come from a germ, the French measles from a Parisite, the Irish measles from a Mike-crobe and the black measles from Africa."

Sympathy.

Cecil (sentimentally)—Don't you feel gloomy when the sky is overcast with gray, when the rhythmic rain sounds a dirge upon the roof, and the landscape's beauties are hid by the weeping mist? Hazel (sweetly)—Yes, it's dreadfully annoying. It does make one's hair come out of curl so!

A Reprobate.

Teacher—Well, Tom, where are you going? Tom (aged six)—Please, 'm, I'm going to the Band of 'Ope. Teacher—And is little Willie (aged three) going, too, or is he too young to belong to the Band of Hope? Tom—No, 'm; it's not that, but he ain't a teetotaler.—London Punch.

Her Age.

"How old would you say she was?" "Well, let's see. When we were in high school together, she used to snub me because I was a kid. Now I'm thirty-seven, and um-m-m-well, I should say she was about twenty-eight by this time."

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Judge Ferguson Dead.

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☞ Don't forget that we still sell the New Raymond Sewing Machine at store prices—about a third less than travelling agents' prices.

Machine Needles and parts always supplied.

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Deering Machines, Cockshutt Plows, McLaughlin Buggies

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The Cockshutt 2 Furrow Plow, with new straightening lever, are a big improvement for straightening the furrow.

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I also have the Ideal Woven Wire Fence, the best and cheapest fence made.

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