

FACTS AND INCIDENTS.

News Notes and Interesting Gossip from all over the world.

As an act of grace, on the occasion of the sixth anniversary of his accession to the throne, the Sultan of Turkey pardoned sixty-nine persons suffering imprisonment for various offences.

Does the weather change with the moon? Sir William Thomson tells the British Science Association that there is no connection between the two things as far as he can discover, and he has studied them.

Speaking recently at Norwich, Cardinal Manning said that last year he had the pleasure of sitting next Gen. Sir G. Wolsey at a public dinner in London, and observed that the General was a strict total abstainer.

Is a city under obligation to protect its citizens from damage by fire? That question is involved in a suit brought against Montreal by Mr. Dion, a sculptor, who lost an eye in consequence of a fire in a house where the law as to fire escapes had not been enforced.

The fat men of Connecticut are perturbed. The President of their association chose a place which they do not like for their annual clambake, and they threaten to sue him, unless he yields, for a return of the gold-headed cane which he carries as their chief officer.

An insurance company to indemnify public singers against the loss of their voices is proposed in Paris, the idea being to contract to support the insured in a manner appropriate to their position and the amount of premiums paid by them before their voices deserted them.

The best tricycle exploit reported thus far is the recent ride of Mr. A. Nixon, the honorary secretary of the London Tricycle Club, from John o' Groat's to Land's End, a distance of 1,007 miles, in a little less than a fortnight, making an average ride of over seventy-one miles per day.

During service in the cathedral at Ragusa some days ago the officiating priest, a member of the Society of the Jesuits, was stabbed to death by a girl whom he had betrayed. She inflicted five wounds. The congregation poured amid wild excitement into the streets, and the girl was taken into custody.

The Rev. Mr. Lansdell, an English clergyman, who started several weeks ago from St. Petersburg on a missionary tour in Siberia, was arrested and brought back, the police having taken the Bibles he distributed as Nihilist literature. After some considerable difficulty, however, the reverend gentleman freed himself.

Recently large shoals of whales have been frequenting the creeks and bays in the Orkney Islands, on the Scottish coast, but it has been found difficult to capture any of them. Finally, however, in Scapa Bay, while there were over two hundred whales swimming about, the boats succeeded in catching one whale nineteen feet long.

The Paris Figaro says that the ex-Khedive's abode in Paris is that very Chateau de la Terrasse described by Alphonse Daudet in his "Kings in Exile." Ismail is 52, not tall, but stout. He wears his beard, and has a way of observing everything while apparently looking at nothing. He knows French well, having been partly educated in Paris.

A Calcutta gentleman, Babu Lok Nath Ghose, has conceived the idea of compiling a "Peerage and Landed Gentry" for India. He proposes to give the genealogy and family history of all the native chiefs, great and small; and also some account of the many native gentlemen upon whom honorific distinctions have been conferred by the British Government.

Polish journals call attention to a memorial tablet in a Warsaw church which contains the record of the age and death of the oldest man concerning whom there is an authentic account in existence. The priest Cybulski is shown by this tablet to have been born in 1,500, and to have died in 1,667. There is said to be unquestionable evidence of the correctness of these dates.

In Wales there are some very little parishes. A few days since the Bishop of St. David's re-opened the parish church of Lladwake, a Norman building of great antiquity, which for years has been in a most ruinous and dangerous condition. The parish is only 620 acres in extent, and all the land except the glebe is owned by a single Nonconformist, while the population all told is only 21.

At this season of the year one sees at Paris railroad stations groups of boys who have returned from excursions. They belong to technical and other schools and in the summer are sent, under the care of teachers, to study industrial arts at their chief points. The city of Paris pays their expenses, but to make this as light as possible, the Minister of Public Instruction extends hospitality to the boys at the Government schools or colleges on their route.

The opinion expressed by the Foreign officers who witnessed the recent extensive reviews and maneuvers of the Russian troops at St. Petersburg is according to the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin, that the infantry has great powers of endurance, but it is not well disciplined, and that the cavalry, while possessing excellent horses, does not ride so well as it should. In large bodies the troops made a fair showing, but in detached battalions they did poorly.

Chicago police justices are accused of protecting criminals by changing the charges against them from something serious to something comparatively trivial, so as to inflict light sentences and thereby save them from jury trials. In one day, three men were arraigned before as many justices, one for horse stealing, one for highway robbery, and one for forgery, and in each case the accusation was changed to disorderly conduct, involving merely a fine of \$5 to \$50.

In slavery days, the chimes of St. Michael's Church, Charlestown, were rung at 7 p. m. in winter and 8 in summer as a signal to negroes that their bedtime was night, and again an hour later to warn them to disappear from the streets, after which all blacks found abroad were arrested. The custom was continued until a few days ago, though nobody has obeyed the bell since the war. The Mayor has now put off the salary of the ringer, and the act is exciting considerable discussion among the old residents.

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Brevity in Speech—Sweetness in Music.

Some one has said that short speeches are most impressive, and simple, sweet music the most touching. If there be anything in the idea, certainly the following from C. C. De Zouche, of De Zouche & Co., Piano and Organ Dealers, 233 St. James street, Montreal, is to the point and convincing: "St. Jacobs Oil has proved of incalculable value to me in a case of rheumatism, having given me almost instant relief." In the same strain of expressive brevity writes Mr. John Fleming, editor in chief of the Montreal Post: "I have much pleasure in stating that, from the use of St. Jacobs Oil, I find it excellent and I think it a good medicine."

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Weather Signal Office.

Mr. Jeremiah Toadvine, of the rural district, brought a letter of introduction to the United States Signal Office, and by the latter gentleman was shown the beautiful scientific instruments for measuring and determining the various changes and conditions of the weather. Pointing to the standard thermometer he explained to Mr. Toadvine the uses of the instrument. He hadn't much use to spare—such a thing is not to be had in the market; he evoked the expression, "I wouldn't give it for the rackets to run the wind mill with." The barometer was shown to many for Toadvine, and looking curiously at the official, as if he were utterly nonplussed and ignorant of words, said: "Friend, did you ever have the rheumatism?" The abruptness of the question surprised the official, who replied, "No—never." "What?" Evidently not recognizing himself, Mr. Toadvine recollected the edge of the threadbare remark, and said: "I only wanted to know, for it shows the good an' bad weather afore it's time, it would be a bully trap for people with rheumatism; they could think it every time. Up my country when folks has it they use St. Jacobs Oil, an' it's powerful argument again rheumatism—it's the upper dorg in the fight every time." With thanks for the unexpected information, the official politely turned Mr. Toadvine over to the usher to show him to the street car, while he looked over his paper, read: "Mrs. T. A. Gist, No. 334 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes: I had inflammatory rheumatism very badly. In one hold with the determination to stay, and the morning I obtained the St. Jacobs Oil, I could not put my foot down to the floor, even for an instant. I used it that evening for the first time, and the next morning for the second time, and that afternoon put my foot down for several minutes. On the Sunday following I could stand up and walk a few steps. On Tuesday could walk about my room and went down stairs by holding on to the banisters. Now I can walk quite well and there is very little pain left. Just think! one bottle and I'm almost free from pain! It is a wonderful medicine."

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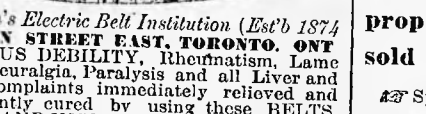
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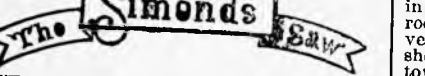
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