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Not Good Grammer, But— The Khan in Toronto Star. I've searched the Scriptures like Kruger does, But this is what puzzles me. No matter how much his Maxims uzz He's in the minority. Readin' the papers my eyes are dim. Me and my wife discuss 'What's the use of a man like him, Hittin' a man like us? Licked? he was licked before he started; Licked? and now he is nicely thwarted; Licked? but, please! it makes me tired. Readin' the papers my eyes get dim. I pity the poor old cuss 'What's the use of a man like him, Hittin' a man like us? "Go to sleep," the old woman says, And let them fight away. But a fool like them in all my days, I never see, I say. What are they trying to hammer at? What is this terrible fuss? 'What's the use of a man like that Hittin' a man like us? "Lie over and go to sleep," says she; "Never a bit," says I. "Til find the reason that these things be, And why these things are why. Now, don't get a tantrum or a whim, Don't kick the bedclothes thus. Why does a darn old fool like him Fight with a man like us?"

DIED IN JAIL. Inquest on the Death of Catharine Kenny, Formerly of Durham. Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock Catharine Kenny died in the Owen Sound jail. The customary inquest was held last night in the goaler's room at the court house. Governor Miller in his evidence stated that Catharine Kenny was a single woman 69 years of age. She was committed from Durham on Oct. 20, 1897, as being insane. She was considered a fit patient for an asylum, but had never been removed to that Institution. She was born in Canada and was a Methodist.

Brave Men Fall. Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a lease on life." Only 50 cents, at any Drug Store. Every bottle guaranteed.

Exchange Echoes. On Monday evening, about a mile above Proton Station, the main driving shaft on the engine of the evening express broke and went through the cab. The fireman had a narrow escape from death. The cab of the engine was badly wrecked.—Dundalk Herald.

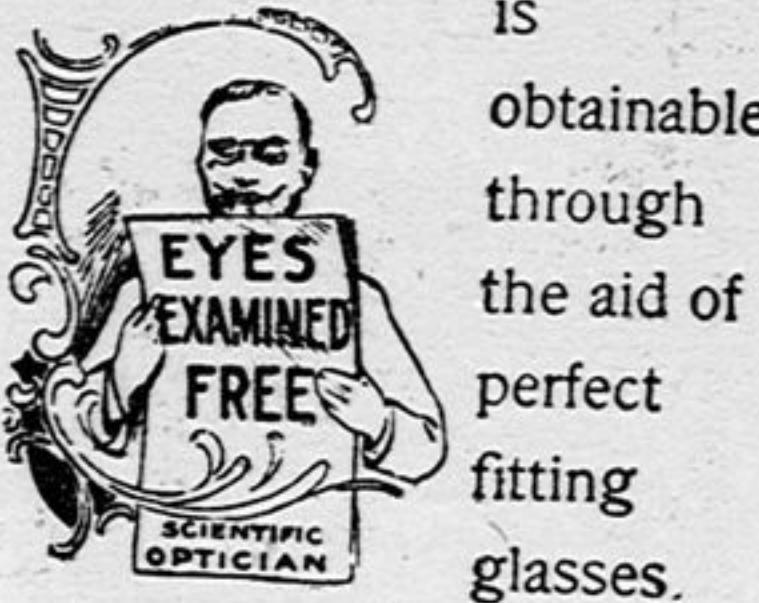
Mrs. Baines, wife of Mr. J. R. Baines of this place, died suddenly last Sunday evening, aged 56 years. Deceased had gone last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Richard English, of Glasscott, and on Sunday morning was stricken with paralysis, and continued in an unconscious state until after 8 p. m. when she passed away. Mr. and Mrs. Baines moved to Markdale a year ago and were among our most respected citizens. Deceased had been in the enjoyment of her accustomed good, good health right up to the day of her death. The remains were laid away in the family plot, Baptist cemetery, Sullivan on Tuesday, her sons and sons-in-law acting as pall bearers. She leaves a family of five daughters and two sons, all of whom are married but two.—Markdale Standard.

All that was mortal of the late Miss Jennie Pritchard, of Louisville, was interred in the Williamsford cemetery on Tuesday morning. She is a daughter of Mr. Pritchard, postmaster at Louise. She was only 16 years of age and to be thus cut off in the blush of youth is very sad indeed. She was a bright, intelligent maiden and a general favorite with all her girl friends. She has been suffering from lung trouble for about a year and her anxious parents could see but too plainly that their dearly beloved daughter was passing away from them. An elder sister, Miss Annie, succumbed to the same fell disease a year ago Christmas. The sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of the community in their loss. Mrs. Robert Laidlaw of this place is a sister of the deceased.—Hanover Post.

Some weeks ago the Rev. Mr. Newell, of this place, published in the Toronto Mail and Empire a poem entitled "Canada to Dufferin," being an elegy on the death of Lord Dufferin's eldest son, Lord Ava, who fell fighting in the early days of the present war. It seems that some one sent His Lordship a copy of the paper containing the poem; and last Monday Mr. Newell was agreeably surprised to receive a most kindly and courteous letter from Lord Dufferin on behalf of himself and Lady Dufferin, expressive of "the deepest gratitude for the tender and generous tribute to the memory of their son. Nor are we," continues His Lordship, "less sensible of the friendly spirit towards ourselves which breathes through your beautiful poem." Mr. Newell feels a natural satisfaction at the flattering recognition which he has unexpectedly won from Canada's former Governor-General.—Markdale Standard.

Extremely fortunate is Miss Lucy McIntosh, a young woman who for several years has worked in Owen Sound and vicinity as a domestic servant, and who is now in the employ of Mr. A. W. Danard, of Derby, Orphaned early in life she was thrown on her own resources when a young girl, and entered domestic service. Now, at the age of thirty, she finds herself heiress to a fortune of \$14,000 bequeathed her by an aunt in Glenagarry. Miss McIntosh will leave next week for that place. It is understood that Miss McIntosh is the sole heiress though some of the other relatives seem to believe that will come in for a share of the fortune.—O. S. Times.

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Mr. M. Neithercut, while climbing into the mow in his barn last week, fell and severely injured himself. When found he was lying in the yard. He has no recollection of the accident, except that he was going into the mow. His hip was severely bruised and also suffering from a bad cut in the head. At present he is confined to his bed.—Dundalk Herald.

Some ill-disposed person or persons entered the Salvation Army barracks one night last week and deliberately cut the heads of the big drum and several tambourines. There is no positive clue to the guilty party or parties, although several well known characters are under suspicion. It is to be hoped that the Salvation Army officers and the local constables will not relax their efforts until the guilty ones are brought to justice.—Meaford Mirror.

That was a magnificent patriotic speech that Sir Wilfrid Laurier made last week in reply to Mr. Bourassa. A every word he uttered was true. It is quite as true, however, that Mr. Bourassa's strongest arguments against sending a contingent to were drawn from Sir Wilfrid Laurier's interview with a Globe correspondent in Oct. last so that for a matter of fact, the reply of Sir Wilfrid last week was a reply to the Sir Wilfrid of last October.—Kincairdine Review.

At a Discount. Obituary poetry is frequently brought or sent to this office for publication. The Confederate has no wish to injure the feelings of any of its readers, but desires to state that it is a rule of this office not to publish any contributions of that nature.—Confederate. Obituary poetry is the bane of an editor's life as well as of the majority of the readers of the paper. Believing this to be the case and having had to refuse a contribution of this kind the past week, we wish to give public notice that henceforth obituary poetry will not be given space in our paper.—Representative. It's hard to refuse the publication of some of these little poetic effusions, but really many of them should never be seen in print. We have actually known editors to swear at some of them.

BUNESSAN.

Mr. A. Brown, of Bentiuck, spent a few days visiting friends on the North Line. Miss Kate Ector after an eight weeks' visit here has gone back to Collingwood. Angus McArthur hauled a stick of timber of about 125 feet with one team. That's a big load for two small horses. Miss Eliza McCormick was visiting friends in Bentiuck. Maggie Beaton got the meals ready for Dan while she was away. The Government ought to supply our P. O. with a flag-pole and Union Jack to be hoisted at every important holiday or British victory. There were several social gatherings in the neighborhood in honor of the young people who have left here lately. M. K. Beaton and wife, of Flesher-ton, spent a day here a couple of weeks ago. C. McKinnon's hay-press was nearly a week at Otto Konold's, pressing some fifty or sixty tons. With the assistance of some neighbors Otto has it all now in town. That's a snug \$300 or so. If that Holstein Binder Twine factory fails to be a success it will be through no fault of Geo. Binnie, the provisional President. He spends a good deal of time trying to push it on, and is meeting with some encouragement. Billy Ryan is around with a petition so that he may get a license for the Rob Roy. He will get the required number of signers and soon we'll be able to get our whiskey close at hand. Note that Corner Concerns. Spring ought to be here soon, and with it we suppose will come the usual cargo of Spring poetry. That Pomona man will doubtless give us a treat. How many of a family have you got. Mr. Gander? We always thought you were a bachelor, but by the familiar way in which you talk of children and bliss, we imagine you must have a lot. Miss Mary A. Beaton left here last Monday week for British Columbia, where she intends to remain and work at her trade. Few young women would brave a new, rough mining country like that. She will be much missed by her many friends here, who, while they might wish her still to remain, cannot help but admire her spirit of progress and determination. No fear of her failure, Miss Beaton was accompanied by Duncan Beaton, her cousin, who has spent a term of nine years' successful ranching near Kamloops. Duncan has nothing but praise for the country; tho' there are some hardships, yet money can be made easier and more plentifully than ever it could here. There will soon be a colony of Beaton's in B. C. W. Britton's sale of stock, etc., happened on rather a stormy day so Hugh MacKay had to talk to a smaller crowd than usual. Prices were hardly up to the usual mark, but quite a snug sum of money was realized. Mr. Britton and family moved away last week to stay with friends in Bentiuck. They will finally settle in Western Ontario. This neighborhood loses thereby some of its most respected people. We hope they may find a good happy home out West and always keep a spot in their hearts for Bunessan. There's a curiosity in the country out this way. It's a young man with a third eye-brow. Quite a number of our people attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Moffat, Edue Hill.

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que, Ont., was a great sufferer from heart disease. Hers was a stubborn case of over five years' standing. She was treated by several eminent physicians and heart specialists without any permanent relief. She became so bad that she went to the hospital, and was in a short while discharged from there a hopeless incurable; but to use her own words, "As a last resort, I bought a bottle of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. One dose gave me almost instant relief from a very acute spasm. I felt encouraged, and persisted in its use. It just took three bottles to cure me completely, and I gladly bear my testimony to this wonderful remedy as a life saver." What has done for Mrs. Fitzpatrick it can do for any sufferer from heart disease. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder relieves cold in the head in ten minutes and has cured catarrh cases of fifty years' standing. Dr. Agnew's Ointment will cure blind, bleeding or itching piles in from three to five nights. One application relieves the most irritating skin diseases; 35 cents. Dr. Agnew's Pills, for constipation, sick headache, biliousness and stomach troubles generally. Only 20 cts. a visl.

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