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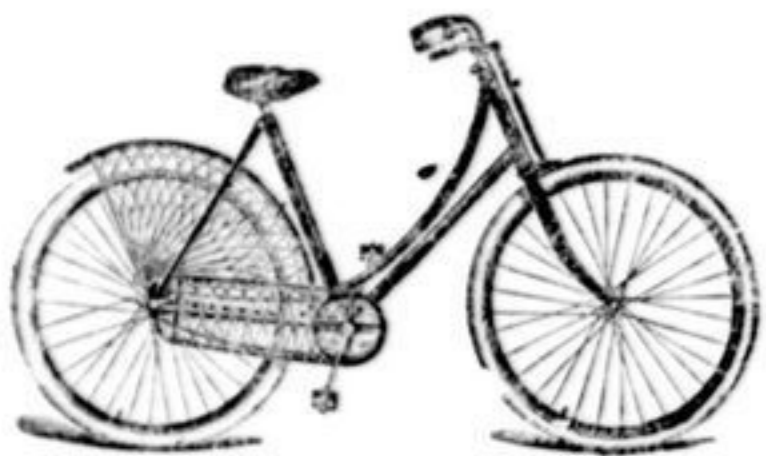
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Galy a Puppy Yet.

The youth had just left college, and his ambition, like his collar, was high.

At home the all-engrossing subject was the young man's future career, and he was discussing with his parents which of the professions stood most in need of his genius.

The father's idea of the son's ability was disgustingly low.

"I think," said the old man, "that you had better adorn one of the stools in my office."

The young man drew himself up, and the high collar grew tight as he strove to swallow his righteous anger. Folding his arms, he asked:

"Am I a dog?" "No; but you'll grow!" came the ringing response.

IN MEMORIAM.

Lines on the death of Mrs. Denny, of Norval, who died on March 21st, 1902, aged 39 years and 4 months. She leaves a husband and family to mourn her loss.

In a lonely graveyard, Many miles away, Lies our dearest mother, Neath the cold, cold clay. Memories oft returning Of her tears and smiles— If you love your mother Meet her in the skies.

Now the home is vacant, Has no charm for you. One dear form is absent, Mother kind and true. There she dwells for ever Where pleasure never dies,— If you love your mother Meet her in the skies.

Now in true repentance To your Saviour flee, He who pardoned mother Will also pardon thee. Now He wants to pardon, He will not despise— If you love your Saviour Meet Him in the skies.

A precious one from us is gone, A voice we love is stilled, A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled. God in his wisdom has recalled The boon his love has given: Although the body moulds below The soul is safe in Heaven.

Mrs. S. J. W. Holstein, March 28th, 1903.

GLENMONT.

Dear Editor—As I have not gone West yet I take this opportunity of jotting down a few items for your valuable paper.

Miss Mary Tucker is very ill at present with typhoid fever. We hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Wm. H. Hargrave has rented a farm out near Vickers, and this week he is moving out his farm implements etc. Willie is a fine obliging fellow, and we are sorry to lose him from our neighborhood.

The officers of the Ebenezer Sunday School have lately purchased a new library and in a short time we expect to see the Sunday School in good running order for the summer.

Two sales were held in our neighborhood last week, viz: Messrs. Dan McKinnon's and Thos. Bothwell's. The attendance was very good at each. These two young men intend going West in a few weeks.

Mr. Matthew Hooper has rented T. Bothwell's farm, and intends moving into our neighborhood in a few days.

ROCKY SAUGEEN.

Intended for last week.

Wood Bees are the order of the day for the past week or two in this vicinity.

Mr. John McKechnie returned home last Thursday from the lumber woods where he spent the winter. We are pleased to have him in our midst again.

Mr. Albert Middleon, we are sorry to report, was the loser of a valuable horse recently.

Quite a few of our farmers have started to plough this week. But the recent snow storm has stopped the turning of the sod for the present.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. McKinnon but hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Mr. Peter McGillivray left a week ago Wednesday for London, Ont., where he is employed for the summer. We wish him success.

The Rev. Mr. Graham, of Dornoch, preached his farewell sermon in the Rocky church on Sunday last to a large congregation.

Mr. McDonald, the township assessor, passed through this burg on Monday.

What we would pronounce as a very mean trick occurred one night last week at the Rocky hotel by a rail being propped against the bar room door. When two young men were leaving to go home, what was their surprise on opening the door to see a rail fall in. Fortunately no person was hurt, but the parties that did it should be very careful of their tricks in the future.

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Mr. R. J. Foster, of Mulmur, is taking action against Mulmur township for unstated damages for death of his three children. An epidemic of scarlet fever broke out in his neighborhood, and he claims that his children would be still alive if the authorities had provided him with the necessary help when they quarantined his house.—Star and Vidette.

GENERAL NEWS.

Senator Miller is seriously ill at Ottawa.

London rolling mills have started operations with 35 men.

Over 800 settlers have arrived at Winnipeg from the east.

Joseph Hugell, of McKillop, was kicked by a colt and killed.

J. W. Robson has the Conservative nomination for Swan River.

Presbyterians of West London will erect a new mission building.

A Methodist church costing \$5,000 is to be built at Baldur, Man.

Hotelkeeper Schmuck lost his libel suit against the Guelph Mercury.

M. Brennan, section foreman on the G. T. R., was killed near Allandale.

Newfoundlanders are anxious about the sealing fleet, which has been gone 17 days.

Miss Maggie Hill, of Renfrew, is in a critical condition from blowing out the gas in a Kingston hotel.

W. McVane, G. T. R. yardman at Georgetown was badly crushed under a freight car.

Dr. Hicks, of Griswold, has been nominated by the Conservatives of Lansdowne, Man., as their candidate.

Tim Bevins of Long Point, while handling a gun carelessly shot Maggie Burns in the back and she may die.

John Williams, a striker at Vancouver, was fined \$50 for inducing substitute men for the C. P. R. not to work.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given notice in the House of Commons that the Redistribution Bill will be introduced on Tuesday.

Clifford Oakes, 17 years of age, was crushed between an engine of the M. C. R. at St. Thomas and the sand-house and cannot recover.

The children and sisters in St. Joseph's Orphanage at Winnipeg had a narrow escape from cremation owing to a fire which broke out in the nursery.

Four men were drowned while boating on Bass Lake, five miles from Presque Isle. Wm. Nichol, Jas. McLellan (Owen Sound), and one McCallum were three of the victims.

Fort William has closed a contract with the Anglo-American Power Co. of Chicago to develop the water-power on the Kaministiquia, the town to receive 1,000 horse-power at \$15 per horse-power.

The ice has broken up on Lake Temiskaming and immigration to the new district has been interrupted. A party of settlers who left a few days ago got as far as Kippewa on the C. P. R., but were obliged to return. There will be no possibility of getting to New Liskeard before navigation opens, which will not be for three or four weeks yet.

The Dominion Government has been urged by a deputation from Ontario County to resume control of Whitby harbour. It could be made a good port of refuge at a reasonable expense, but would be particularly useful in moving the grain from the North-West via Midland, as the road from there to Whitby is the shortest from the upper to the lower lakes.

The Fernie miners are still out on strike.

An isolation hospital for Peterboro' is being advocated.

Meaford's market square will be converted into a public park.

A \$1,400 pipe organ is being placed in Meaford Methodist church.

Oyer 650,000 ties were made on the Lake of the Woods this winter.

Robert Mitchell, game warden at Ceebe, Muskoka, is in his 84th year.

The water-works engineer at Meaford has had his salary increased by \$100.

According to the Free Press, a new broom factory is to be located in Acton.

John Hulley, of Belleville, was run over by a G. T. R. train at Stirling and killed.

Rev. John Hogg, of Winnipeg, recently broke his right arm at the shoulder.

Grand Trunk Engineer Martin was run over and killed by his own engine at Hamilton.

B. L. Baldwinson, M. P. P., has been nominated as Conservative candidate for Gimli, Man.

It is officially denied that the Royal Bank of Montreal is passing under American control.

Three Lakesfield young men were fined \$5 and costs each for assaulting two Chinamen.

Wreckage found off Vancouver Island would indicate that a Liverpool vessel had gone down.

Thomas Skinner, of London, Eng., is likely to be appointed to the vice-presidency of the C. P. R.

The value of permits for the month of March for new buildings in Vancouver will reach \$200,000.

A Buff Cochon hen belonging to Mr. A. Hood, of Oak Lake, died recently at the ripe old age of 17 years.

John Bulet, a wealthy farmer, committed suicide near Stratford by hanging himself in his own bush.

James Wild has been appointed chief of police at Collingwood, succeeding Fred Maiden, who resigned.

A quarter-section of land about five miles north-east of Edmonton was sold last week for \$30 an acre.

Three thousand dollars' stock was subscribed last week for the new greenhouse to be built at Georgetown.

James Hutton, the Queen's University student, convicted of grave robbing was let off with two months in jail.

Rev. David A. Moire, of Oakville, has declined three calls to other Methodist churches and will remain in Oakville.

The C. O. C. F. Executive at London appointed W. L. Roberts of Horning's Mills, Chairman of the Finance Committee.

A piece of a nail flew into the eye of John Watson of Hamilton, while helping to shoe a horse, and he will lose his sight.

Farm buildings and live stock belonging to Wm. Butler, Dereham township, were destroyed by fire, causing \$13,000 loss.

The fire in the mine of the Dominion Coal Company at Glace Bay is still burning, and it has been decided to resort to flooding.

The Carman Standard says; Wolves have been fairly plentiful in Dufferin municipality this winter. Up to date Webb Dunn has shot 36.

Many emigrants from the States bound for the North-West territories are entering Canada via Nelson and the Crow's Nest Pass road.

Frank E. Baker, injured in the Wanstead wreck, has just left London for Point Edward. He received a satisfactory settlement with the company.

G. K. McPherson, K. C., has retired from the Board of License Commissioners for North Perth, of which he has been chairman for a number of years.

Rat Portage experienced a wholesale dog poisoning epidemic last week and as a result some twelve valuable canines have died from strychnine poisoning.

The strike of the employees of the McLaughlin Carriage Co. of Oshawa, which lasted over a month, is practically over, the men returning to work under the old conditions.

Members of Simcoe County Council are being criticized for granting \$50 to the St. Joseph's Sacred Heart Orphanage, Toronto, a class institution. Only six members opposed the grant.

Queen's University has petitioned for amendments making its constitution and governing Board undenominational in character and its theological faculty a separate and distinct corporation.

The coroner's inquest over the fatalities of the G. T. R. near Guelph, resulted in an open verdict with a rider to the effect that a Government official should be appointed to examine and report on all such wrecks as speedily as possible.

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