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The Christian Alliance stands out as an example of what can be accomplished by devotion.

The Alliance covers by its work all the republics of South America, Jamaica, Congo, Soudan, Northern and Southern China and India.

Last year \$185,000 was raised by the Alliance for missions.

The names of the givers are not known. They may have given out of their abundance, or they may have given their all.

A MAN FOR THE PEOPLE.

Mayor Howland seeks to minimize the service which Mr. Ames rendered to the people of Toronto.

It makes precious little difference to the people in what capacity men act so long as they do able and effective work.

The occasion of the seeming reproach is apparent. Mr. Howland, six months in advance of the time, is looking for a third term as mayor.

Mr. Ames is not only a man of education and of means, but he has the talent and the time to serve the people well.

FORGING ANNEXATION.

The Review of Reviews has a remarkable article on the future of the Philippines. The editor says these people are in a peculiar position.

For what end? "They must be free to be their own rulers. But first they must become a political entity."

In the future—the long and distant future—they may be esteemed capable of self-government.

To treat the Philippines in this way is to hasten what was the object all the while, though cleverly disguised, namely, of appropriating the islands.

WAKE UP, FATHERS.

Our city fathers should really have a little style about them.

The visitor by boat takes a street car at the city buildings and sets out for a run around the belt line.

Weeds, weeds, on the principal streets! What a lesson they teach of carelessness of indifference?

The city invites visitors. It pays to have them come here. The best that can be done for them is to make the call pleasant.

In mitigation of their neglect it will hardly be wise to explain that during the summer the council adjourns, and the city runs itself!

ADDING TO THEIR MISERY.

The French Academy of Medicine has done the world a favour by demonstrating that men are hurt in place of helped, physically, by the appetizers which they drink.

The appetite is something which is not to be wooed by the caprice of the individual. Nature, healthy, at its best, uninfluenced by any of the irritations to which it is subjected.

Man, simple-minded, foolish, even idiotic, thinks he can tickle the appetite as he can the taste with his fanciful concoctions.

The doctors say that all this is wrong. It was not necessary that the French physicians should declare this in order to make it true.

If the children, in our schools, are taught more physiology they will become better men and women.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

June of this year is said to have been the coldest in fifty years.

Hughes, school inspector of Toronto, had better do something quick. His usefulness is gone.

Those who were promised places in the public service of this province by the conservative government have not yet got used to their disappointment.

The chap who has been studying astronomy finds in the experiences of this year the evidence that the sun is losing its heat, and that the earth is gradually but surely becoming cooler.

Old man Wardell was thrown down by the electors in North Wentworth. His friends protest the election on the ground that he has been "robbed of his seat by the grits."

The Toronto News does not appear to enjoy the confidence of the Mail as to Mr. Whitney's claims.

THE FALLS UNIMPAIRED

POWER HOUSES CAN USE LITTLE OF THE VAST FORCE.

Lord Kelvin Was Wrong—Mr. Langmuir Says Day Is Very Remote When Beauty of Niagara Falls Will Be Spoiled.

The immense plants being built at Niagara Falls for the generation of electricity have raised the fear in many minds that all the water in the falls would soon be used for commercial purposes.

That is a question often put to me, lamplarily since the remarkable statement attributed to Lord Kelvin recently, in time all the water of the falls would be used for commercial purposes.

The Ontario power company, the new rival of the Canadian Niagara power company, has secured rights in Queen Victoria park at Niagara Falls.

The company is to take water from the Welland river, and will lead it to the park, a distance of two miles.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

They Know Him. Mr. Whitney is burning a lot of red fire, but the liberals will not scare.

It Is Not Forgotten. The last time that the liberals had a majority of one, it ushered in four years of opposition.

Not Now, Sonny. Give Whitney a majority of one and there won't be any need for another general election.

Had Enough Of It. This daily muttering of thunder is presumably June trying to explain why it behaved so badly.

Pretty Fast Work. A Windsor clergyman is reported to have conducted three wedding ceremonies in twenty minutes.

COMBINE IN TOBACCO.

Judge McTavish Will Soon Start An Enquiry. Ottawa, July 9.—Judge McTavish, Ontario, sets out next month in his enquiry into the existence of alleged combines in the tobacco trade of Canada.

In the Dominion rifle association programme this year a quick magazine firing match has been arranged for. The distances will be 200, 500, 800, 1,000 and 1,100 yards.

British Peer Dead. London, July 9.—The earl of Arundel and Surrey, only son of the duke of Norfolk, died this morning at Arundel castle, Sussex.

Boer Officers in Canada. Halifax, N.S., July 9.—West India steamer Beta which arrived at midnight had on board a number of Boer officers, including General Cronje.

Brotherhood Go To Switzerland. Paris, July 9.—It is rumored that the Chateaux brotherhood, fabricators of the chateaux liquor, whose secret of composition is only known to them, is to leave France for Switzerland.

Rain Coats. Rain Coats. Nothing like our rain coats anywhere else. See them, price \$12.50. The H. D. Bibby Co.

SAYINGS AND COMMENTS.

By Captain J. D. Chartrand, of Kingston. I already said that my best friend, the great man of fashion, has no brains to thank for it.

The best player of the club gave him his first lesson last week. Our crack-player is a tall man, calm, cool, serene and impassive, in bad as in good fortune.

After having taught the dode the mechanism of the game, the crack-player handed him the following bunch of advice:

Now, go right home and take Foster. Don't mind the others, Foster is the best professor of bridge of them all. Read first the rules of the make; then take a pack of cards and give yourself thirty minutes to look over and try to find the right make.

When you are the leader, study your cards in view of a possible go-over, if such or such trump is declared. Then consult or ask to play without hesitation. Hesitating is unfair, for it shows your partner your hand is almost good enough for a go-over.

When you are dummy, spread your cards with order, each suit in its place. Avoid scattering the whole bunch over half the table. Do not interfere in any way in the playing, except by giving out the card ordered, or else by calling the attention of your partner if he renounces a suit or leads from the wrong hand.

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SUNLIGHT SOAP advertisement with image of a woman washing clothes. Text: One rub with Sunlight Soap cleans more than two rubs with common soap. SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE.

FROZEN STIFF advertisement with image of a man in a suit. Text: It is not necessary to be stiff in order to keep cool. Just do as a sensible man should do. Don't over exercise, avoid all excitement, keep sweet, dress for the weather and defy the weather. Wear any of our Serge or Flannel Suits \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$10.50.

THE H. D. BIBBY CO., ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE, OAK HALL. Queen Quality HOT WEATHER SHOES. Our shelves are loaded with a choice assortment of MEN'S WHITE AND GREY CANVAS SHOES. We are selling them very cheap. Prices from \$1.25 up. Preader, we've got a nice pair for you. Try us. SUTHERLAND'S SHOP STORE.

RUCKERS! advertisement with image of a rocking chair. Text: We have a Choice Line of Fancy Rattan, Cobble Seat or Upholstered Platform Rockers, we are closing out at reduced prices. A handsome Solid Golden Oak Rocker; Solid Leather Seat, only \$2.50. Fancy Rattan Rockers in 16th Century Finish, only \$2.50. Upholstered Platform Rockers, in Velour, with Silk Finish Bands, from \$3 up. Also Fancy Rattan Club Chairs and Settees.

JAMES REID, The Leading Undertaker advertisement with image of a casket. Text: He is plucky, he kept to his purpose and went home, where he feverishly studied every day. I have no doubt that after a while this excellent dude, may become one of those bridge players, who never lose more than three tricks, at each hand. One million Catholics will be represented in the national convention of the American federation of Catholic societies in Chicago, August 5th, 6th and 7th. The grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, is in session at Stratford. Reports show the order to be in a flourishing condition. John Henderson, who, as official ex-ambassador of the dominion government, was sent to London in 1885, is dead. In a match at Bibby, the Canadian team defeated the Khedivial team by sixteen points.