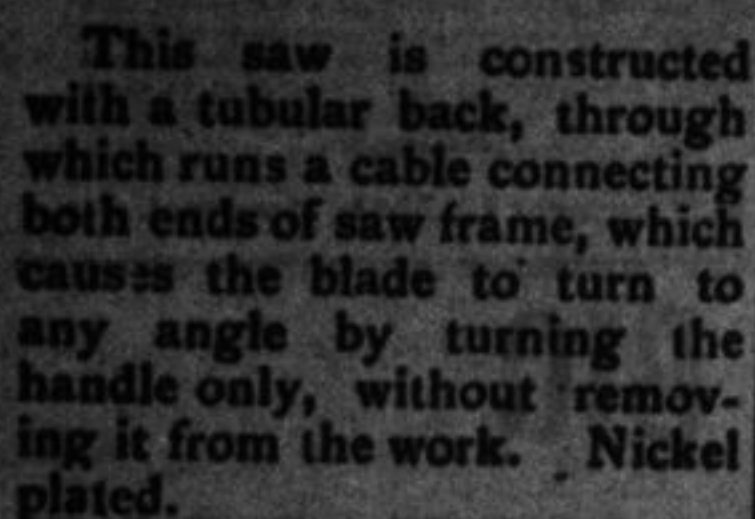


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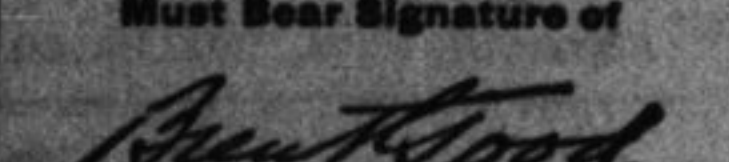
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**News Of The District On Both Sides Of The Line.**

**William Grooms, an old resident of Picton, is dead.**

**The nine-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Castle, Brockville, is dead.**

**Mrs. Joseph Bonson, Sophiasburgh, after a lingering illness, died on Sunday night. She was a most estimable lady.**

**The two-weeks' bride of Wellington Ashley, formerly of Foxboro, is down with smallpox at Lindsay. It is thought she contracted the disease from shantymen who came into the Rathburn mills, where her husband is foreman.**

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## THE WHIG—71st YEAR

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## THE DAILY WHIG.

SET BACK AT SHERBROOKE.

Municipal ownership in Sherbrooke, Que., has not been popular. Some months ago the town proposed to purchase the electric light plant, which is run by a company. The scheme was defeated. Only the property owners voted, and property valuation was taken into effect. So that the smaller number, but representing the larger assessment, prevailed, and the municipal enterprise for the time being was checked or restrained. But a change in the charter of the town was secured from the legislature, and by this change property valuation was eliminated. As a result there was no difference between the voters. The power of a small property had as much influence in the ballot as the owner of a large property. Under these circumstances the town council hoped for success with its plans. But again a defeat was scored, and the Montreal Gazette summing up the situation remarks: "A campaign of education had given the people an opportunity of estimating the claims of windy theorists at the real value." Which is another way of saying that there is not much in municipal ownership. It all depends, friend, on the management. Granted that it is good, that it is something approaching that vouchsafed by a company of business men, and the proposition is a reasonable one.

**THE TYPHOID ANTITOXINE.**

The water in Toronto has become so bad, so conducive to typhoid fever, that the medical health officer has recommended that it be boiled when used for domestic purposes.

Typoid is one of the commonest and most serious ailments in this country, and because such is the case it is remarkable that an antitoxine has not been found and one of undoubted usefulness.

Last year the director of the Jenner Institute, in London, Dr. Allan MacFadyen, reported that he had made a discovery. By crushing the microscopic cells of the typhoid bacillus in liquid air to freeze and so render them brittle—the intercellular juices were obtained apart from their living organism.

These juices were held to be highly toxic, but, by injecting them in small repeated doses into a vigorous living animal its blood serum was rendered both bactericidal and antitoxic, and is, to say, it became an antidote alike to living typhoid bacteria and to the poison that can be extracted therefrom.

Thus the intense cold of liquid air, which is quite incapable of killing bacteria, has proved to be the intermediary step to circumventing their malign activity, simply by rendering them brittle.

Beyond announcement as to the discovery, however, nothing has been heard of the typhoid antitoxine, and the conclusion is that it is not available for general use. And the more's the pity.

**FRENCH AND ENGLISH VALOUR.**

The opposition members in the Commons are terribly anxious to pose as loyalists. They have given expression to several passionate outbursts, and the last occasion for it was the discussion of the new militia bill.

The point under debate was the sending of the militia out of Canada without the consent of parliament. It came up during the South African war when it was deemed expedient to tender the British government the service of the Canadian contingents. Parliament had not contemplated such a contingency. The situation was urgent and the government finally acted, assuming all the responsibility and reporting to parliament later.

The new militia bill has been so amended that the onus for action will rest upon the government.

Of course, the opposition had to work of some of its fireworks. Mr. Barker, for instance, rebuked Mr. Lavergne, of Montmagny, because he laughed when some reference was made to the British subjects. Mr. Lavergne replied: "If the British flag is still here in Canada, and you can keep your two hands on it, it is due to the action of the French-Canadians in 1776 and in 1812, and honourable gentlemen opposite, with their tin swords and paper cocked-hats and rocking horses, are no more necessary to the defence of Canada than we are."

There was loud applause at this, and Mr. Barker felt that he was compelled to pay a tribute to the French. He was quite willing to admit all that they had done, he said, but that men of Ontario had fought for their country, too. Who said that they did not?

**Foreign Crop Summary.**

United Kingdom—Wheat harvest has fairly started.

France—There are increased complaints regarding the important wheat crop in the north. Elsewhere conditions are unchanged.

Germany—Heat and drought continue, damaging the oats and fodder crops.

Russia—Rains in some districts of the south have damaged the quality. In the east and south-east spring wheat prospects are better.

Roumania—The land is baked hard, making ploughing almost impossible.

Bulgaria—Corn crop is very poor.

Spain—The wheat yield will be short.

**A Farmer Found Dead.**

Cornwall, Ont., Aug. 3.—Thomas Blackadder, a well-known farmer of the west front, was found dead yesterday near a barn which was being roofed. At first it was thought that he had fallen off the barn, but a medical examination revealed nothing to indicate that death was due to other than natural causes. He was fifty-eight years of age.

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## MORE SKILL THAN NERVE.

Belt, the Toronto youth, who started out to make money easily by leaping the gap on his bicycle, has met the fate of so many others in the same business. He had a fall at Buffalo, and as a result of it lingered in pain for two or three days and then died.

The performance has been pitilessly criticized and referred to as something which did not involve development in muscle or skill. "A man does not have to train himself in agility in order to do it. He has only to set still and keep his wheel steady. If he has the nerve he can do it the first time he tries."

That is not the opinion of Dr. Clark, of Kansas City, who was the first man to leap the gap. He had been for two years practicing medicine in Galveston, and the "loop-the-loop" rider of Forepaugh & Sells' circus had been injured in St. Louis. Clark was a trick bicycle rider, studied the "loop-the-loop" turn for two years, and then volunteered to "leap the gap" when that act was invented. He learned it on an open field in New Jersey, amid many hazards, and once he had a terrible fall. "Now," said he, "I'm without an understudy," speaking to a member of Success staff. "The last one, though a trick rider, landed on the front wheel and went over the handlebars, breaking his nose and collar bone."

Belt was young in the business. He had the nerve, the one essential, according to our contemporary, but he had not the experience. Had he seen as much of life and the tricks of the cat as Dr. Clark he would have refused to perform on a rickety incline. Recently the inventor of the "loop-the-gap" was in Brooklyn. The incline got wet and the rubber tires of the bicycle slipped sideways after he started. "I was a third of the way down," he said, "going at full speed, and within three inches of the edge before the tires got a grip and held on. I got through all right, but it illustrates the difficulty of getting an understudy."

The things that look easy, that are accomplished with such grace and precision, require long practice. The French acrobats, Anicotti, have a new act, looping-the-gap, involving new perils to life. The three men do it, but none of them, said a friend, is called a brave man. With each skill "eliminates most of the risk." The Clarke brothers, flying trapeze men, worked in a double somersault for two years before they did it in public, and one of them said he fell twenty times a day in his rehearsals. The drop into the net was harmless, because he knew how to fall, though others had been killed in the operation. So that nerve is not everything. There is more in the skill, and it is developed from youth.

## EDITORIAL VIEWS.

The street lights have been very poor during the past two nights. Is this an effect of municipal ownership?

Hicks has predicted some shocking weather, with a series of air and earth disturbances, during this month. For once it is hoped the old man has been dreaming.

A water famine is feared in Montreal. One of the great pumps has been broken, and a month will elapse before it is repaired. Meanwhile the consumption of water must be very economical.

Col. Sam Hughes alleged that the farmers ought to be left to detect the fakirs in their riding. Sir William Mack replied that it took the farmers of North Victoria a long time to get onto them. The laugh was on the colonel.

The mails cannot be used hereafter for the circulation of patent medicine literature. The postmaster has determined to check the delusion of the people by the record of "marvellous, extravagant, and grossly improbable cures."

The Mail prints a whole column of tribute to the Scotchmen of Canada. What have they done for Canada? A great deal. What do they owe the conservative party for their success? Not very much. The Scotch may be innocent, but not quite so innocent as the Mail supposes.

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## FITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest News Culled From All Over The World.

Major F. D. Allen, Grimshy, died suddenly at Hamilton.

R. A. Brocklebank, nominated as labor candidate in Calgary, has decided not to run.

Michael Donnelly, leader of the striking Chicago packers, thinks the men will win out.

Count Tolstoy's son is leaving for the front as a volunteer in the two hundred and seventeenth (Kromy) regiment of infantry.

A woman, believed to be Mrs. Gustie Pass, jumped from the fifth floor of the Mount Sinai hospital at New York, and was killed.

George Shafter, a Pittsburg youth, inane through excessive use of cigarettes, jumped through a glass door, cutting himself badly.

Burglars entered the house of J. Hoffman, near Beausville, chloroformed him, and robbed him of jewellery, money, and cigars.

Thomas McMurray, Chatham, was sentenced to five months in the Central prison for attempting to kidnap little Florence Madigan, of Windsor.

The civic reception committee, Toronto, has recommended that a grant



M. DELCASSE, French foreign minister, who will visit St. Petersburg.

of \$500 be made towards the reception of Private Perry, winner of the King's prize.

Mrs. Ella S. Botta, forty-five years old, was killed in an elevator in a Brooklyn, N.Y., departmental store in the presence of hundreds of women shoppers.

Several Canadians were among the victims of the highwaymen who robbed the passengers of the Illinois Central railway's "diamond" special near Chicago.

The report is circulated that Mr. Puttee, labor candidate, will be the only opponent of Evans (conservative) in the Winnipeg contest, Bole (liberal) withdrawing from the fight.

Miss Grace Ayer, of Montreal, the brave girl who rescued from drowning, Willie Elder, the boy who fell into the Humber river, is to receive the Canadian Humane Society's medal.

Sir Henri Taschereau, chief justice of the Quebec supreme court, denies having expressed an opinion upon the case of Lord Dundonald, while in London, as reported by cable a fortnight ago.

A writer in an Australian paper complains that the country is allowing herself to be eluded from the mind of Englishmen, and that this indifferent attitude will lead to independence.

Miss Len Larue, an accomplished vocalist, and a former Quebec girl, has been married to Rev. A. Chisholm, in charge of the Anglican congregation at Pulpit, Man., whom she met while studying in Paris. She is well known in Ottawa.

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## SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

**Costly Kisses.**

Kansas City Star.—The pretty daughter of a Cass county farmer offered four kisses to the farm hand who would do the most work in two days last week, and before night three men had been prostrated by the heat.

**May Lose The Job.**

Montreal Herald.—Mr. Balfour's open expression of doubt as to whether Lord Dundonald's conduct in Canada has not disqualified him for the high military position it was intended he should have is a sufficient commentary on the situation.

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## PROGRESS REPORTED.

**In Filling The Sink Hole On The C.P.R.**

Arden, Aug. 2.—For the last week or two, two or three hundred men, mostly Italians, have been working at a sink hole, a short distance east of Arden, on the C.P.R. Many carloads of "rocks" and gravel have been dumped into it, without making much headway. It is said that hard bottom is not reached in one place at less than seventy feet. However, for the last day or two, some progress is reported to have been made, giving some hopes of success.

In the meantime a new track has been talked of, making a curve around the hole, so as to avoid the difficulty, and the delay caused by traffic.

The township council met yesterday in the town of C. M. Perry, Dead Creek, has started a new meat wagon, and delivers meat in the village twice a week, and is doing a good business. J. W. Brown's new building is going up rapidly. James Parks, the young man, tried recently for assault on Thomas Woodcock and let off on a suspended sentence, got home yesterday.

Several new buildings going up, and the number of men employed at the sinkhole, makes the village lively, and the merchants are kept busy. Isaiah Loyt, just married to Widow Parks. All the pupils under Francis J. Clark, while studying in Paris. She is well known in Ottawa.

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The Ontario crown lands department has received reports showing that the settlers in the Tomisquaming district received \$22,738 from lumbermen for timber which they cut.

## APPEAL TO THE PRINCE.

**Stopped Him To Tell Her Story.**

Berlin, Aug. 3.—A dramatic incident occurred while the German crown prince was riding at the head of his company of the 1st Regiment of Grenadier Guards at Potsdam.

While the horses were at a canter a smartly dressed girl of distinguished appearance, carrying a baby on her arm, threw herself in front of the crown prince's horse. The crown prince promptly checked his horse to avoid trampling on her prostrate body, and the whole company was brought to a sudden halt.

The girl thereupon assumed an attitude of supplication, and the prince, dismounting from his horse, gently raised her, and inquired what was the cause of her strange behavior. She was in a state of agitation bordering on hysterics, but was able to explain that she was the friendless orphan of a German officer who died wearing the emperor's uniform, and that a courtier whom she named, had betrayed and deserted her, leaving her destitute.

In desperation at the prospect of her child dying of starvation, she had been driven to appeal to the only member of the imperial family within reach.

The prince promised to report the incident to the emperor, and meanwhile had the lady placed under the protection of the local pastor's wife.

**She Died At The Age Of 104.**

Moncton, N.B., Aug. 3.—Mrs. Donald McNeil of Bouldandrie, West Coast Britain, is dead at the phenomenal age of 104. Up to a short time before her death she had never known what sickness was.

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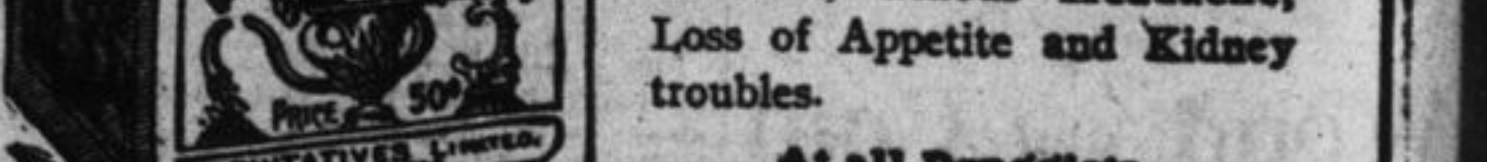
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