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All for \$1.25

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W. A. Mitchell's

GRAND UNION HOTEL

WAS MAN AFTER ALL.

Forgot His Secret When He Fell in Love.

St. Louis, Feb. 25.—"Helen," a telephone operator, who was once the only other girl in Forest exchange, is no longer in the employ of the company.

New School For Belleville.

Belleville, Feb. 25.—The Roman Catholics of this city have made arrangements to build a \$40,000 school building on the hospital lot in this city, and operations will be begun when the spring opens.

What Causes Headache.

From October to May, colds are the most frequent cause of headache. Last active Roman Quinine removes cause.

CATARACTS CANNOT BE CURED.

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it, you must take internal remedies.

THE 5 P.M. EDITION

A SECOND TRAGEDY IN A HOUSE AT MEDINA NEW YORK.

Quarrelled With His Sister—Shot Her Dog Then Shot the Woman and Turned the Weapon Upon Himself.

Rochester, N.Y., Feb. 25.—Louis Barber, aged forty-five, shot and killed his sister, Mrs. Jerome Lewis, aged fifty-five, at their home, in South Main street, Medina, yesterday, and then inflicted a probably fatal wound on himself. It is the second double tragedy that has occurred in this family within six months.

TRAGIC LOVE AFFAIR.

Burned For Nun—Shot Himself.

A strange love affair has been brought to light by a tragedy. Last week a man was found shot dead in the grounds of the Sacred Heart Convent at Ventnor.

He haunted the place persistently in order to catch a glimpse of the sister, but made no attempt to communicate with the object of his affections.

One night Battistoli crept into one of the covers of the convent estate and shot himself through the head.

He was found with a diamond pin, a penny, and a letter written in Italian, which was as follows: "My idea took me all at once in my head and put me to this finishing moment. I have been unfortunate. I never thought I should come to this affair."

FIFTH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

A six-penny stamp and vermilion Newfoundland stamp of 1860 has been sold for £13 3s., a record price.

Hotelmen, to-day, admit that prostitution in Winnipeg is very certain, since the new law permits women to trade.

A part of the International hotel, Windsor, Ont., will be demolished to make room for the new Dominion Bank building.

Ten thousand dollars a day is needed by the Presbyterian church treasury if the amount for home missions is to be met this week.

Mrs. Police Parent, Sandwich East township, is dead, at the age of eighty-eight. She died in the same house in which she was born.

A RAILWAY ACCIDENT

And a Goodly Company of Tourists Were Injured.

Laredo, Tex., Feb. 25.—Thirty persons are reported to have been injured in the derailment of an excursion train carrying a number of northern tourists at Orville, twelve miles north of Laredo.

HOLDS THE BELT.

He is Still the World's Sculling Champion.

Wanganui, New Zealand, Feb. 25.—William Webb, the world's sculling champion, to-day, retained the title by defeating R. Tresidder, in a contest on the Wanganui river.

FATALLY INJURED.

The Attorney-General Shot in His Office.

Brooklyn, N.Y., Feb. 25.—Attorney-General Charles M. Sanford was shot while in his office, in the Garfield building, this morning, by a woman. He is fatally injured.

A School Teacher Dead.

Kincardine, Ont., Feb. 25.—R. D. Hall, who, for upwards of thirty years presided over one of the departments of the Central school, of this town, died last night, after a long illness, in his sixty-fifth year.

Valencia and Seville oranges, for marinated, at Carnovsky's.

APPEAL OF B. W. FOLGER

On Behalf of the Women of the Country.

Kingston, Feb. 25.—(To the Editor): This is the first time I have appeared in print, or it is the first time I have signed my name to a letter in a personal appeal to the people upon a public matter.

You may have given the poultry by-law some consideration, but you have not met the women of the country, as I have done, and so do not realize the indignation with which they are moved.

The country people usually get the worst of it in any deal with the city. The cry some years ago was that the tolls were a nuisance and would have to go. The city in effect said: "Abolish the tolls on the roads, and we will abolish the market fees."

There is a small circumstance, however, compared with the proposal that the women of the country, the hard-working wives of the farmers, shall not only be the servants but the slaves of the women in the city.

The poultry, I am told, is the better when left unsexed until shortly before it is used.

AGAINST CHURCH UNION.

John McIntyre, K.C., Says Union is Undesirable.

John McIntyre, K.C., who was unable to be present at the meeting of St. Andrew's congregation to discuss church union, has, after full consideration of the subject, expressed his opinion in the following resolution, which he would have moved had he been present.

"Resolved, that while in theory the union of the churches as contemplated by the resolution of the General Assembly presents many desirable features, yet it was apprehended by this congregation that in carrying it out in practical effect, it would be attended by such difficulties as would render it ultimately undesirable; therefore this congregation does not approve of union at present."

TO TAKE PRECAUTIONS

Against the Spreading of Small-pox.

In regard to the outbreak of small-pox at Sydenham, Medical Health Officer Dr. Bell stated this afternoon that he was in communication with the provincial health officer, at Toronto, and also with the authorities at Sydenham, and all the necessary precautions would be taken to prevent the spread of the disease and to safeguard Kingston.

The Hatchet Not Buried.

In conservative circles it is freely stated that there is no love between J. H. Metcalfe and W. F. Nickle, the former not forgetting his defeat by Hon. William Marty in 1902, and which defeat he placed upon the local conservative leaders for not giving him their aid.

Died At The Home.

Mrs. Bella Ferguson, an inmate at the House of Industry, died on Tuesday morning, at the age of sixty-seven years. Deceased was born in Canada. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning to Cataract cemetery, from Corbett's undertaking parlors.

Death Of Miss Corrigan.

The death occurred in this city on Tuesday morning, of Miss Annie Corrigan, a resident of Grafton, Ont., after a lengthy illness. Deceased was thirty-four years of age and suffered from tuberculosis. Thomas Corrigan, brother of deceased, arrived in the city, to take the remains to Grafton.

Great Clearing Sale.

Provost, Brock street, has made a great reduction in price in the order and ready-made clothing department, also in the men's furnishing department. The stock is well assorted with new goods.

Would Turn Anglican.

Rev. Dr. Mackie, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Kingston, affirms that if church union takes place he would go into Anglicanism rather than stay in the united church.

Two new scarlet fever cases were reported in the city to-day, one on Clergy street, and the other on Love's Bogot street.

ACCUSED OF THEFT

E. STRACHAN COX IN THE POLICE COURT.

Paid Him Money to Secure a Seat on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange—Could Not Recover Cash.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—E. Strachan Cox, a well-known broker and ex-alderman, was charged in the police court, this morning, with stealing \$465 from H. A. Drummond. Some time ago Drummond claims he paid Cox \$650 to secure him a seat on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

In the police court, this morning, Ernest Moore, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct by slapping several chorus girls in the Gaiety theatre, during the performance, yesterday, when the girls passed in the aisle near his seat.

The repeal of the three-fifths clause which will be presented to the provincial government by the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance for the suppression of the liquor traffic, which opened its convention in Bond Street Congregational church, to-day.

There were about 500 delegates present. The president, Joseph Gibson, Ingersoll, said it was the place of the government to do its duty now that the people had done theirs and one of its duties was to repeal the three-fifths clause.

SEEKS A PARDON.

An Appeal to Be Made to Czar of Russia.



BASKETBALL.

The Game Set For To-Night is Postponed.

The return game of basketball between the Gananoque and Kingston Y.W.C.A. teams was to have been played to-day, but the Gananoque team would not come off next week.

Picks 14th To Win.

Manager Bert Short, of the St. George's, is of the opinion that the 14th Regimental team of Kingston, will land the senior O.H.A. championship. "If they play anything like they played last Friday the Stratford bunch will not stand a ghost of a chance," said Bert this morning.

Hockey Notes.

The Kingston Business College and K.C.C. teams played a practice game on Zion rink, this afternoon. The Mic-Macs have arranged a game with the Deseronto team, and will play there on Thursday night.

A Negro Electrocuted.

Trenton, N.J., Feb. 25.—Gilbert Maddox, a negro, was electrocuted at the state prison, this morning, for the murder of J. E. Camm, at Bridgeton, last October.

The Succession Dues.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 25.—The succession duties from the estate of the late T. G. Blackstock, of this city, amount to a little over \$24,000.

Washington Naval Oranges.

Pine apples, tangerines, grapes, red apples, grape fruit, bananas, pomegranates, etc., at Carnovsky's.

1 Day Only, Wednesday.

8 lbs. washing soda, 10c, 1 lb. white, 10c. At Mullin's grocery.

"Paralyticus and Mental Throat Gums."

"Paralyticus and Mental Throat Gums," are sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspapers Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

S. S. Corbett was in Brockville, to-day, on business.

Eyes tested free at Best's. Gold frames, \$1.50.

There was no session of the police court, this morning.

Dr. E. Ryan, who is in Montreal, will return home to-morrow.

Have your eyes tested by an expert at Best's. Gold frames for \$1.50. A set two-quart mountain syringe for 60c. at Wade's drug store.

Still further improvement was reported in the condition of Alderman Gaskin, to-day.

Frank Milne, of Brandon, Man., is visiting his father, Alexander Milne, Johnson street.

Kenneth Grimshaw returned from Toronto, to-day, after a two weeks' visit with his brother.

The only occupant of the police cells last night, was a man who applied for protection. He said that he had been promised work to-day.

Use Dr. Thomas' White Liniment for all sprains, rheumatism, etc. Free samples at Best's.

"Cashmere Bouquet Toilet Soap," 10c, and 25c. cakes, at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

John Smiley, of the local branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, left, this afternoon, for Belleville, to attend a dance, this evening.

The genuine Carter's Little Iron Pills are sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Take no other.

Another very pleasant dance was held at Barrieffield town hall, on Monday evening. This is the last of a series of dances that have been given every week during the winter.

Do your papering now and avoid the spring rush. We'll make it worth your while. D. E. Fraser, 78 William street.

Plan for Sweden Street choir concert open for ticket holders, Saturday February 29th, and for general public, Monday, March 2nd.

Mrs. John Saunders, of the Queen's Hotel, Brock street, is very ill. Her daughters, Mrs. John Ahern and Mrs. Fred Joyner, of Troy, N.Y., have come to her bedside.

A farmer's team ran away on Alfred street, this morning, and caused quite a little excitement. A young lad driving a butcher's sleigh, had a very narrow escape from being run over.

When in need of a cough cure don't forget Best's Short Stop always cures and costs but 15 cents.

The report that Rev. Father Collins, of Carleton Place, was seriously ill is without foundation. The reverend gentleman is around as usual attending to his parochial duties, and is being assisted by Rev. Father Culineane, of the archbishop's palace.

A young farmer, badly under the influence of liquor, started to plant the town rod, this morning. He got into two or three scraps, and finally ran up against a young chap who "put it all over him" in a very few moments. The good beating handed out to the tiller of the soil seemed to sober him up greatly.

The Board of Works, it is learned, has not dropped the scheme it had in view a fortnight ago concerning a certain civic office. It is to be discussed at Thursday's meeting. One part of the scheme is said to be bluff, because the council will not spend the extra \$300 necessary. Then the city will be in a plight, temporarily at least.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Prices Furnished By F. W. Boschen (Per W. Hector H. Hume, Manager.)

Table of New York Stock prices for February 25th, listing various stocks and their opening and closing prices.

CHICAGO PRICES.

Table of Chicago prices for February 25th, listing wheat, corn, and other commodities.

A Boy Slager.

Iver Wallace, the boy soprano, of Kingston, made his first appearance at the Princess Theatre, last night, and delighted the audience. He sang with George Hammond, and the different numbers were well rendered.

"Perfumed Bath Powder."

"Perfumed Bath Powder," sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Phone 230. Taylor, H. Morris, Bath St. Paul, Que., is dead, stricken with apoplexy.



BEAUTIFUL NEW DRESS GOODS

Our Dress Goods Department is ready with a splendid showing of New Spring Dress Materials. Fine Worsted Suitings, Fine French Broadcloths, Chevron Weaves, Panama Cloths, Voiles.

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Extra good values just received in Perrins' Famous Kid Gloves. Tan Shades, Blacks, White.

Long Chamois Gloves

The Correct Glove for Early Spring Wear. The Natural Chamois Shade. Two lengths to select from.



Two Splendid Bargains

One Lot, all sizes, Ladies' Dongola Kid Blucher Cut Lace Boots. Very attractive style; excellent quality of Kid; would be good value at two-and-a-half; will sell while they last AT \$2.00.

Another lot just as good quality, but not so well finished nor quite as good style, but splendid leathers and good wearers ONLY \$1.50.

The Lockett Shoe Store. Large stock Trunks and Valises.