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MONEY IN CANARIES

Four girls were swept over a dam in the Neosho river at Hartford, Kan., and drowned.

NEWS OF NEIGHBORS

WHAT WHIG CORRESPONDENTS TELL US.

The Tidings From Various Points in Eastern Ontario—What People Are Doing And What They Are Saying.

Cushendall Items.

Cushendall, May 9.—The many friends of Mrs. C. Keyes regret to hear of her recent illness in the city. J. Johnston, representing Dr. Barnard's Home, Toronto, visited the ill friend children this week. Mrs. George Anderson, Jr., is very ill. Mrs. Vincent Mallen has returned to the city after visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. McKane, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. C. Thompson recently visited at Mrs. Hyland's. James Vanalstine left for the Rainy river district this week.

Kilbirnie News.

Kilbirnie, May 9.—Owing to the very wet weather of late many of the farmers are feeling discouraged. Miss Estelle M. Heis is visiting friends east. J. Harding and W. Patterson paid a flying visit to Gananoque this week. J. Clark has rented A. Donaldson's farm for this year. Mrs. J. Harding and Master Alden Harding were visiting at Erly on Tuesday. J. Pitt is busy painting at W. Patterson's. A. Cowan has been engaged putting up wire fence for the neighbors during the week. Rev. Mr. McQuarry, of St. John's church, takes charge of the service at Wesley on Sunday evening.

Bellantyne Tidings.

Bellantyne, May 9.—Seedling is in slow progress, owing to the recent rains. Ambrose Payne, ill for the past few months, is recovering. There has been a number of cows lost in this vicinity, owing to too much feed. Jesse Stokier and John Spence, of Springfield, were recent visitors of the Sucker Creek, and report a good run. Visitors: Miss Jennie Mandell, of Mrs. Henry Orr's, of Willetsholme; Miss Edith McMaster, visiting friends on Amherst Island, has returned home. Thomas McMaster and Thomas Payne made a flying trip to Kingston on Sunday last; Simpson Brother, at T. McNeely's, of Willetsholme; Oliver S. Payne spent Sunday on Wolfe Island.

At Yonge Mills.

Yonge Mills, May 8.—Earl Gibson is seriously ill. Mrs. Stephen Scott has been confined to her bed for several weeks and is not improving. Mrs. J. E. Purvis and daughters, Grace and Edna, have returned from their visit with Caintown and Junetown friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dickey attended the funeral of the late Charles Bate at Brockville on Friday. Mrs. Walter Wilson, Willetsholme, is spending a couple of weeks with friends here. Miss Agnes Clow was the guest of Mrs. J. A. Dickey last week. Roy Gibson and W. Graham, Caintown, spent Sunday at Mrs. N. Gibson's. Mr. and Mrs. H. Cook attended the funeral of the late Mr. Bryant at Brockville. Joseph Kirkby has moved into James Service's house. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, Lyn, were visiting at H. T. Gibson's recently. Miss Flossie Gibson has left school and taken a clerkship in F. H. Malloy's store.

Harlowe Happenings.

Harlowe, May 8.—Mrs. A. Gray and Miss Jennie and Master Samuel have gone to Ardoch for the summer. The factory on Monday with a fair supply of milk. F. McKim, Northbrooke, was in town on Tuesday last. Casper Thompson has bought his uncle's, J. Thompson's farm. Miss L. Miller spent Monday and Tuesday with Miss M. Bott. Mrs. C. Gray spent Sunday last with her sister, Mrs. A. Gray. Wheeler, Elms Dale, called on his sister, Mrs. A. Palmater, Coey Nook, on Wednesday last. The remains of the late Andrew Thompson, Arden, were interred in the Methodist cemetery here on Monday. Mrs. A. Palmater is having fine the stone erected for her and her husband. J. Critchley and son, Hugh, Myer's Cave, spent Tuesday evening at their home here. E. Bishop lost a horse on Sunday. The stewards of the M. E. church are making their rounds this week collecting for the pastor.

HE IS SUPREME.

Declares He is Head of Army and Navy.

Washington, May 11.—Three members of the United States senate have received letters from President Roosevelt within the last few days, declaring his supremacy as commander-in-chief in all matters referring to the control of the army and navy.

The letters have created intense feeling in the senate, and it is not unlikely that they will precipitate a conference of republican members.

The letters in every case are in defence of his course in discharging without honor the negro soldiers he believed to be guilty of "shooting up" the town of Brownsville, Tex., and his action in banishing Col. William F. Stewart to a desert section of Arizona.

City Council Doings.

To put through the license reduction bill will require some tall talking. Meatime lots of corn will be traded on. The cure "Putnam's" has been curing corns and warts for years. "Putnam's" never fails.

Called Chief A Liar.

Bethow, Ont., May 11.—Alexander Scott, stock owner of the Jameson Meat company, limited, had occasion, as he thinks, to call Chief McElmott "a black liar," who in turn called Mr. Scott "a yellow one," and was fined the minimum sum of \$2 by Police Magistrate Eady.

W. W. Gibson, the druggist, will give free a box of McConkey's delicious chocolates to every lady who buys a 10c soda or ice cream at his store on Wednesday next. Just watch those boxes disappear!

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FLINTON TIDINGS.

Death of David Dufour—Huntsmen Fined.

Flinton, May 9.—A snow storm is quite a rarity for this time of year. A storm like the one ten days ago is considered to be useful. Sixty years ago in June there was a great snow fall. The crops that year were enormous. A year or so later the second crop of clover was cut in September, but never was harvested. Trapping for muskrats has been the order of the day, but the trapping is done as the time has expired. Muskrats bring a good price, every one seemed after them. The game inspector visited here lately and had parties the sum of \$30 for catching otter and beaver against the law.

The cheese factory commenced operations on the 4th. The flow of milk won't be much as there are not many cows in and the feed is backward, on account of the cold weather. Cattle in general seem to be in a very poor condition, owing to the long, severe winter, and may be very scarce.

Hay is present in many places around the county could not be got for love nor money. Another old settler has gone to his reward, David Dufour. He was a pioneer of the old type, married and lived here the most of his life. Mr. Dufour was an honest and upright man in all his dealings. He leaves an aged widow and two sons, who reside here. He moved off the farm to Flinton two years ago. He was ill all winter. He was seventy-five years of age. Mr. Dufour was always hard working man. He was resigned to go when God called him as he was a good man and God-fearing.

Charles Scott and family of Arden have moved to the village. Mrs. William Flynn and son Leonard of Medicine Hat, Alta., spent a few days visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Flynn leaves to-day for Victoria hospital, Montreal, where she expects to undergo an operation for tumors and stomach trouble.

A new post office called Elzevir, has been established in Charles McNulty's residence at French Settlement, six miles from here. Mr. McNulty is postmaster and mail carrier. The remains of the late Cyrus Cole were taken from Tweed vault and conveyed to the family burying ground at Cloyne. This makes the seventh of that family lying side by side. Mrs. Herbert Kniff of Kaladar, died very suddenly after an illness of three days. He died in Union cemetery on Wednesday. John O'Donnell, Orillia, visited his mother for a few days here. He left here Tuesday with a gang of men to work on river there. Lisa, Lloyd, George Miller and family and Aubrey Miller and wife, expect to leave here for Tisdale, Sask., the last of May. James Juby and Kenneth spent a few days visiting his daughter Mrs. Charles E. Miller.

A Summer Gown.



This gown will be very effective reproduced in any of the thin wash materials. It consists of a guimpe and surplice overbust, or jumper. The overbust is trimmed with Valenciennes lace and tucks, back and front. The sleeves are short and full, gathered into cuffs which can be trimmed in any style desired. The skirt is five gored and is finished with a knee flounce.

Campbell Bros'.

For hats with a reputation. Ernest Hancock, Hamilton, was drowned in the bay on Saturday afternoon. A playmate held him up as long as he was able, but was not able to effect a rescue.

OLD AGE.

When Does It Begin?

Many of the most successful, alert and active business men of this century are men who have passed the milestones allotted by the Palmist to men of three score years and ten. This is because it has been demonstrated over and over again that when active men lay down their burdens, give up business and retire into an inactive life, decrepitude and all the symptoms of old age quickly appear.

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BLACK DAYS OF HISTORY.

Dates Which Mark National Calamities Are So Designated.

The name of Black Friday was applied to the day of December 6, 1745, when the news reached London that the Pretender to the throne had arrived at Derby and the safety of the crown of King George was regarded as seriously threatened, albeit the revolting and apostrophical brought to an end. In the financial history of England, May 11, 1866, is designated as Black Friday, as on that day began a disastrous financial panic which was brought about by the failure of the firm of Overend, Gurney & Co., in London, who were afterward tried and acquitted of conspiracy to defraud.

In ecclesiastical history the Roman calendar, which has frequently designated Good Friday as Black Friday, as on that day all clerical vestments and altar draperies are strictly of black. The term black-letter days is applied to minor holidays, and sabbath days, whose names appear on calendars in black letters instead of red letters, as do the high days and holy days. In the English calendar, certain black letter days have been retained because they mark civil dates of importance, such as Hilary term and Martinmas summer, or because they commemorate some public benefactor.

The name Black Monday is given in English history to Easter Monday, April 14, 1300, when Edward III. lay with his host before the city of Paris and the weather was so stormy and bitter cold that many men died as they sat on their horses. The term was afterward extended to include all Easter Mondays, and is so used by Shakespeare in "The Merchant of Venice," in the line, "Then it was not for nothing that my nose fell a-bleeding on Black Monday last."

Dickens refers to the schoolboy custom of regarding the day for returning to school after the long vacation as Black Monday, and an article in "Household Words" mentions that the name of Black Monday was given to the school box was packed. In Irish history the term Black Monday is given to the day of the bush fire known in the history of the colony raged over an immense extent of territory and the heat was felt far out at sea and birds overcome by it fell on the decks of coasting vessels. The loss caused by the conflagration was exceedingly great.

Black Saturday was the name given in Scotland to August 4, 1621, when the Parliament, sitting in Edinburgh, February 6, 1817, was introducing the Church of England practices into the churches of Scotland which were opposed to the religious convictions of the Scotch Presbyterians. The violent thunderstorm which occurred at the time, with much lightning and great darkness, was held to be a manifest token of the displeasure of Heaven.

Sir Walter Scott in one of his novels, "The Two Rovers," referring to a neighbor of some particular which she was to recall to his memory by the token that Thomas Reid and he had set out together to go to the battle which took place on the Black Saturday.

So far as the records show, no other day of the week has had the adjective black attached to it. Red-letter days are any lucky, fortunate or auspicious days, and are so called because in the older Italian and French the greater holy days are designated by red letters. Dickens makes one of his characters in "Bleak House" say, "It is the old girl's birthday, and that is the greatest holiday and redder letter day in Mr. Bagin's calendar." Charles Lamb, in his "Oxford in the Vacation," writes: "The red-letter days now become, to all intents and purposes, dead-letter days."

A Judicial Outrage.

Mr. E. G. Jellicoe, Dinizulu's English counsel, has suddenly thrown up his case and left South Africa. The excitement caused by his departure is increased by the publication of a letter from Mr. Jellicoe to the governor, Sir John Nathan, containing extraordinary and sensational charges. Mr. Jellicoe alleges that the Government is making a political affair of Dinizulu's trial, that witnesses were forced under martial law to make statements against Dinizulu, and were refused an opportunity of withdrawing them, and that the proceedings were purposely arranged with the object of effecting Dinizulu's ruin. Mr. Jellicoe declares that he possesses evidence that the prosecuting lawyers were shot under martial law, that hundreds of Dinizulu's witnesses were arrested and thrown into prison, and their whereabouts concealed, and that all facilities were refused Dinizulu for testing his legal case.

He describes the proceedings as a "judicial outrage" and a "disgrace to a British colony," and declared that the Natal press is a "palladium of licentiousness," and the whole colony is exploiting the natives for the furtherance of barefaced schemes of political adventurers. In an interview, Mr. Jellicoe has declared that he will fight tooth and nail to get the Imperial Government to refuse to sanction the act of indemnity for trial of natives under martial law.

Astonishing Information.

Two men wrote to the editor of a correspondence column of a magazine, Mr. A. asking what to do for teething babies and Mr. C. asking how to get rid of grasshoppers. The editor in answer to Mr. A. got the reply: "The man asked about babies got the reply: 'If you want to get rid of the little pests cover them up with grass and set fire to it.' The one who asked about the grasshoppers got the reply: 'If they are teething, give them a warm bath and rub their gums with boneseed every day.'"

Men and Women.

Mr. Merritt, Franklin, the six-year-old son of Edward Hartley, was drowned not far from his father's house. The little fellow went out to play and got into the water. The Toronto Telegram says he will go to Quebec on full pay.

SURGEON'S KNIFE IS NEEDED.

Method of Treating the Bad Politics.

Dr. J. Hunter, in Toronto Globe. "Mordid germs, on gaining access to the body, begin to destroy healthy tissues, and produce what is called an abscess; when the contents of an abscess reach the surface a discharge of a very infectious material takes place. Should the uncleanly and unscientific method of applying a hot moist poultice be resorted to at this stage, the discharge flows under the poultice and infects new abscesses. Clean, scientific surgery lays open the abscess, removes diseased tissue, destroys the germs and prompt healing follows.

"Mr. Whitney's government was soon infected with the spoils system par excellence. Honorable inspectors and magistrates were dismissed wholesale to make positions for party bosses and ward heelers. A big partisan majority in the house acted as a hot moist poultice to keep these parasites warm and vigorous and to cover up their misdeeds. The virtues accredited to the government soon melted away under this unclean and unscientific treatment, so that at the end of the last session the odor of many of the government measures became so rank that thousands of electors, who were willing to give the government a fair trial, have turned away disappointed and disgusted. Rev. Mr. Hosack, in an elegant, truthful and patriotic letter, voiced the opinions of the mass of intelligent electors in Ontario.

"Mr. Whitney and his cohorts are frantically appealing to the electorate to keep the present partisan majority in power. What will the result be if the people be deceived again? Will it not be that a stream of political corruption will flow out from beneath the government benches and infect every ruling in the province?"

"No count—'is safe that allows a partisan majority to act as a poultice, covering up and spreading political corruption, and the party that resorts to this unclean and unscientific treatment of political parasites will in the end meet with a crushing disaster. The service clean, scientific surgery can render the body, honest, intelligent, independent electors can render the state."

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