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THE LOSSES BY FIRE.

Congress may consider the propriety of legislating so that the loss of life and property from forest fires may not be repeated. It seems that the subject has been under consideration, and perhaps congress did not act because the state government has to do with the care and protection of certain public lands, and there is always a danger of collision in authorities.

The legislature of Minnesota has a need of something approaching a memorial session if what is charged against it be true. It is alleged that though there are 20,000,000 acres of wooded land which is subject to fire, and there is standing timber upon it worth \$100,000,000, when the Forestry Commission asked for an appropriation of \$42,000, for fire ranging, it was cut in two. A month before the fire, when the dry time was on, and when a blaze was liable to spread rapidly, the rangers were called off and the way so opened for a calamity.

And it came, the conflagration sweeping over 2,500 square miles of country, and reducing everything in its track, villages, farm houses and saw mills, to ashes or smoking embers. It would have been less regrettable had the experience been a new one. But a few years ago there was a similar fire and in it a thousand persons lost their lives, and property worth \$25,000,000 was consumed. Congress may be able, through its conservation commission, to interfere, and see that the natural resources are fully protected.

If this can be done a great purpose will be accomplished, though the state legislatures may be solicitous about their rights and prerogatives. Some economies—or alleged economies—are in the long run very expensive, and this fire ranging is one of them.

PREFERRING A FUNERAL.

At the Baptist convention, in Toronto, and following the exciting debate on higher criticism, the prayer meeting came in for review. "The average meeting," said Rev. P. K. Day-foot, "is a sad affair. Personally," said he, "I think I would rather attend a funeral. There is more real live interest in the average funeral than in the average prayer meeting, and there are certainly more people there. Three weakening figures in our prayer meetings are the incessant talker, the hobby rider, and the debater. The meetings are in danger of falling between emotionalism and intellectualism. The devotional element is lacking."

The recital will serve a purpose. It will show that no church or denomination has a peculiar or isolated experience in this respect. The greatest surprise of the year was the small attendance at the meetings which were addressed in Kingston by Archdeacon Madden and Dr. Hanson, English delegates. These were able men. They came to Canada at the invitation of the Evangelical Alliance. They were remarkably interesting and impressive, yet the meetings were not a success, and one wonders what impressions they will carry "home" with them.

Twenty-five years ago the Week of Prayer was an event of the widest interest. The city hall was crowded. The churches rallied to the services. They were reported at length in the press. The statements of speakers were read with marked avidity. The passing year has seen these meetings become so dull that their abandonment may soon occur. And the experience in this joint movement is the experience of the individual church. The Baptist preachers would sooner attend a funeral than the weekly meeting. Is his confession an unusual one? If not, what is the inference? Has any one truly or correctly diagnosed the trouble?

AN EXPLOSION LATER ON.

Printer and Publisher, discussing the printing bureau scandals, takes the candid and courageous position that there must be two parties to a graft, as well as a quarrel, and so far exposure has been made of only one party. Certain officials, some of whom have been removed from the public service. One man, the head of the stationery department, fled from the seat of trouble and suicided.

The secretary of state has been purging the service of all its defuncts, but Printer and Publisher thinks that the men who supplied the bundles must be got at and punished. "Every new and then," says our contemporary, "ragged suggestions come to the ears of master printers in the United States and Canada that certain firms make a practice of using questionable

means in the securing of business. It is very difficult, nay, almost impossible, in such cases to secure conclusive evidence that such is the case. The dominion government has in its possession evidence sufficient to warrant the dismissal of members of the bureau as recipients of rackets and, therefore, sufficient to stigmatize certain firms as guilty of bribery. Occasional flashes of light, such as have been already given, are not sufficient, the light must be turned on full and kept bright until the printers and publishers of Canada know where the money came from."

Hon. Mr. Murphy is probably ready to lay all the facts before parliament; indeed the Whig understood some time ago that all his proceedings would be open to review, and that the reforms which he has contemplated will be stated in detail. The printing bureau, under two governments, has been the occasion of considerable scandal, and something must be done, if possible, to inaugurate a reign of absolute honesty. The temptations may be great, but they would diminish and disappear if the example were made of some of the great offenders. Parliament meets in November, so that the anxious ones will not have long to wait for exposure or vindication.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The assessment of Montreal has been increased by \$120,000,000 within a year. That is surely going some.

If the issue goes to the people—whether Dr. Helen MacMurphy or certain school trustees resign—the answer would be very emphatic. The citizens are with the doctor and against the medical men who are on the school board.

The governor-general shows his practical interest in the people by having capitalists in Ottawa discuss with Mr. Vivian, M.P., the working-men's housing scheme. Ottawa may, as a result, lead in the greatest reform of the day.

According to Mr. Fallon there is no higher criticism in the Catholic church. Clergymen and laymen accept the whole Bible as it is and of no opinions that are not in conformity with the general teaching of the church.

It is suggested that there should be a permanent commission of medical experts to give evidence in certain legal cases. A good idea, and one to which the government should pay attention seeing that the Ontario Medical Council is behind it.

In the championship baseball games the players got \$79,071.93, or \$131.80 per minute, or \$7,920 per hour. Still some people wonder why so many young men drift into athletics. Sometimes it pays better to play than to preach or practice medicine.

There appears to be considerable typhoid fever in the city, and of a very mild type. As Toronto has a similar experience the evidence is clear that the disease is not local in its character. The water, in all cases, is the cause of the trouble.

The heresy hunters should take a rest. The world has no patience with the men who have no taste or time for anything but fault-finding and hair-splitting. The controversy in the Baptist convention, and over Prof. Matthews' views, was surely the limit.

In Toronto thirteen class rooms are closed while forty-one class rooms are housed in temporary quarters and twenty schools are receiving additions. In other words there are 1,773 vacant seats in the schools while the building goes on. Fortunate city to be so flush of funds.

Toronto Street Market.

Toronto, Oct. 25.—Wheat, white, per bush, 85c; wheat, red, per bush, 85c; wheat, goose, per bush, 85c; oats, per bush, 40c; peas, per bush, 55c; barley, per bush, 55c; to 60c; hay, timothy, per ton, \$16 to \$19; hay, clover, per ton, \$14 to \$16; straw, per ton, \$16; Alewife clover—Fancy, per bush, 88 to 89; No. 1, per bush, \$7.50 to \$8; No. 2, per bush, \$6.75 to \$7.25; red clover, No. 1, per bush, \$7.75; red clover, No. 2, per bush, \$6.75 to \$6.25; dressed hogs, \$11.25 to \$11.75; butter, dairy, per lb., 20c to 22c; butter, inferior, per lb., 18c to 20c; eggs, new-laid, per dozen, 25c to 28c; chickens, spring, per lb., 15c to 18c; chickens, per lb., 14c to 15c; turkeys, per lb., 21c to 24c; geese, per lb., 11c to 13c; fowl, per lb., 11c to 12c; apples, per bbl., \$1.50 to \$2; cabbage, per dozen, 25c to 30c; cauliflower, per dozen, 25c to 30c; onions, per bag, \$1 to \$1.10; potatoes, per bag, 60c to 65c; beef, fore-quarters, \$10 to \$11; beef, fore-quarters, \$7 to \$8; beef, medium, carcass, \$7.50 to \$8.25; mutton, prime, per cwt., \$8 to \$10; veal, prime, per cwt., \$10 to \$12; lamb, cwt., \$11 to \$12.

A Charming Speaker.

Miss Lee, the Church of England Zezanna missionary at Poo Chow, who is to give an illustrated lecture in St. George's hall, on Thursday evening, is a charming speaker, clothing her interesting facts in picturesque language. Her views are particularly good.

ONE LIMIT IS FIXED

FOR CUTTING OF ICE OFFERED FOR SALE.

Merchants Who Cut for Their Own Use Will Be Held Responsible—Board of Health Recommended Increase in Health Officer's Salary.

At a special meeting of the board of health, on Tuesday afternoon, the new limits for ice-cutting in the harbor, next winter, were fixed. It was decided that there should be only one limit for either cooling or domestic purposes. Two members of the board, A. Strachan and H. Taylor, held out for one limit for all ice cut for any purpose. They wanted the refrigerator purposes to secure it, outside the same limit as fixed for the other cutting. The other four members, however, decided that the old rule with regard to merchants' refrigerator purposes should stand, but that this ice should not be used in contact with perishable goods, such as meats. Each month, merchants who cut ice for their own store purposes, must sign a declaration that they are not selling or giving ice away, and are keeping it for their own goods. If this rule is found not to work well, or if any attempt is made to evade it, the board, next year, will make the ice regulation as drastic as possible, and allow ice to be cut only beyond a certain point in the harbor.

The medical health officer reported as to typhoid fever cases which had been reported to him since the water supply was found to be contaminated. During the first week of October, two cases had been reported; during the second, three cases, and during the third, six.

The board decided to recommend to the city council that the salary of the health officer be increased by \$200, in view of the excellent work done by him, work that has given the greatest satisfaction to every member of the board. Ald. Bailey, chairman, said that Dr. Williamson couldn't be expected to remain in the position at the present salary. The service he was giving the city was worth a great deal more money than he was receiving. The mayor and the other members of the committee concurred in the chairman's views and thought the council should grant very little in giving the increase recommended.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Marks Company Presented "The Emerald Isle."

There was a fair-sized audience at the Grand, last evening, to witness the production of "The Emerald Isle," by the Marks company. Some good specialties were given between acts. Owing to the house being packed this evening for the production of "The Midnight Sons," the Marks company will not appear again till Thursday evening, when "The Slave Girl," will be presented.

Tonight "The Midnight Sons."

"The biggest entertainment under roof with the exception of the New York Hippodrome" can be applied to "The Midnight Sons," the mammoth musical production which Lew Fields is sending to the Grand tonight. As musical comedies go it is an injustice to term "The Midnight Sons" as such a play. Therefore it is known as a "musical moving picture in eight films." It does not rely upon pretty girls and tuneful music to carry it to success, although it possesses these necessary requisites, in addition to maze upon maze of gorgeous costumes, a half dozen stupendous scenes including a real opera house with an audience of 500 people, a Pullman train in motion, a stag dinner with 150 diners, etc., a special vaudeville company which is carried for the sole purpose of entertainment in the theatre square, a pony ballet, and a dozen other features.

There are thirty musical numbers scattered throughout the two acts and eight scenes. Strangely, for a musical production of the most picturesque and striking character, there are but a few minutes before the final curtain. In the words of the dramatic reviewer, "the interest is sustained until the finish."

FOUND 550 YEARS AGO.

North Pole Located by an Oxford Friar.

Washington, Oct. 26.—On the very day that Capt. Robert E. Peary returned to work at the navy department, a retired fisherman of the navy department library, a history to prove that Brother Nicholas, of Lynn, an Englishman, discovered the North Pole 550 years ago in the same way that Dr. Cook and Capt. Peary discovered it.

Brother Nicholas, who was an Oxford friar, took a company with him, but when it came to looking directly at the pole he went to the spot by himself, and when he came back he made a report. There is not one word at the navy department or from the National Geographic Society or from Dr. Cook's clientele to disprove what Brother Nicholas did and said. If anybody wants to nail Brother Nicholas he will have to disprove what was given out at the navy department from John Estlin's "New Naval History or Complete View of the British Marine," published in 1757. Mr. Estlin said: "In the year 1360 called Nicholas de Linna, of Lynn, had a good astronomer, went in company with others to the most northern island of the world, and there, leaving his company together, he travelled alone and made draughts of all those northern parts with the instrument; which at his return he presented to the king of England. It is added that he went to the North Pole by means of his skill in magic, or black art; but this magic, or black art, may probably have been nothing more than a knowledge of magnetic needle of a compass, found out about sixty years before, though not in common use until many years after."

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Many believe that nothing short of the surgeon's knife will effect cure. They do not know.

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J. Mawer, Roden, Man., writes: "Dr. Chase's Ointment is a wonderful preparation. I had itching piles for over six years, and though I tried two doctors' prescriptions and used many other preparations could not obtain much benefit. The doctor told me there was no cure for me, and that I would have to undergo an operation."

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SHE WAS LUCKY.

Fell Through Skylight Two Storeys With Few Scratches.

Geolph, Ont., Oct. 26.—While reaching out to rescue a cat from the roof of a neighboring building, three feet away, Mrs. Joseph Dawson, a woman employed at the Grand Central hotel here, lost her balance and fell through a skylight thirty feet to the cement floor of the hotel lavatory, two storeys below. Although Mrs. Dawson is a woman of thirty-five years, and weighs nearly 150 pounds, she sustained no injuries beyond a few cuts and scratches from the glass. She was taken to the hospital, but will probably be out in a day or so.

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HOUSEHOLD ECONOMY TO BE TAUGHT FARMERS.

Teachers to be Engaged—System Expected to Raise Standard of Comfort and Health Among Peasants.

Berlin, Oct. 26.—What is at once a new occupation for women and a new feature of German social policy is being established in Southern Germany by the employment of women as travelling teachers of household economy for the agricultural population. The first school for the training of the teachers has been founded at Muenbach, in Bavaria.

The course of instruction occupies a year and a half, and includes instruction in all departments of urban and rural housekeeping, Fruit culture, vegetable growing, and kitchen gardening in general, the treatment of fruit, poultry raising, and agriculture, sewing and needlework are also taught. The student must, in addition, become an expert in physical exercises, singing, and first aid to the injured.

The theoretical instruction deals chiefly with the chemistry of food, bookkeeping, hygiene, and the intellectual nourishment proper for the class among whom the students will have to work. As teachers they will have to visit all small towns and villages. The system is expected to do much to raise the standard of comfort, health, and education among German peasants.

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