

### GANANOQUE'S COUNCIL

#### ADVISED NOT TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT

With Electric Company for More Than Three Years—Family on Leek Island Barely Escaped from Their Burning Home.

Gananoque, Oct. 5.—The Board of Trade at its meeting on Thursday evening decided to recommend to the town council that it do not enter into a contract with the electric light company for a term longer than three years. It also asked the council to secure rates for electricity paid by other towns before entering into a contract. A letter was received from W. J. Wilson, complaining about a G.T.R. conductor in charge of midnight train No. 5 on September 4th. This conductor refused to take twenty-five passengers at Gananoque, stating that his train was overcrowded, and asking the people to wait till the second section came along. It turned out there was no second section. The board ordered the master reported to railway headquarters. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for the annual turkey show.

The German doctors arrived from Kingston about three o'clock yesterday afternoon, by steamer America and were welcomed to Gananoque by the mayor and a delegation of the town council. They left at 3.45 o'clock by special train for Montreal. Julia Ann Harris, a well known resident of the town, passed away at her residence on St. Lawrence street on Thursday evening, aged seventy years. She had been in poor health for many months. The funeral took place to-day at St. John's church and the Gananoque Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Sarah Tulloch, relict of the late William Tulloch of Gananoque, a native of the Orkney Islands, Scotland, aged sixty-six years, was held from the family residence, Princess street, yesterday afternoon. The service was conducted by Rev. Henry Gracey, pastor of St. Andrew's church of which she was a member, after which the remains were laid to rest beside her husband in Willow Bank cemetery, he having predeceased her about six years ago.

The Mesdames W. W. Stafford, G. W. Scott and W. E. Meggs represented Grace Methodist Sabbath School at the tenth annual convention of the Leeds County Association in Lansdowne yesterday. A cottage on Leek Island, the property of Mrs. A. Kip, South Orange, N.J., occupied by William Gauthier, assistant caretaker of the island, was burned by Thursday evening, in the absence of Mr. Gauthier, he leaving early this morning. His wife and three children, the youngest only about a month old, barely escaped with what clothing they had on. Mrs. Gauthier and her children were brought over to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Amo, Wellington Street, yesterday.

The steel girders and vaults for the roof of the new armory arrived here during the past few days. The walls have been completed.

Mrs. John B. Turner was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, for treatment on Thursday.

The T.I.R. company had a gang of men during the past few days repairing the sub-structure of the swing bridge putting it in shape for replanking. The timbers were badly rotted, so that the bridge was considered unsafe and closed to all traffic.

The local police report that they have been finding short weight in many of the loads of coal weighed by them recently. The attention of the police has also been directed toward other branches of legal violation in this section.

The names of a number of farmers who have been selling goods through the town without payment of market fees in violation of the market by-law, have been handed to the police magistrate by the local police, and there will probably be a day of reckoning soon.

W. J. Bulloch left Thursday on a hunting trip in the Charleston lake section. Mrs. (Dr.) White left Fondra, N.Y., spending the past few weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McCallan, has returned home. Mrs. William Reid, Jr., is spending a few weeks in Watertown N.Y., with relatives.

Archbishop Spratt's Visit.

Gananoque, October 7.—Archbishop Spratt, of Kingston, paid his first official visit to Gananoque on Saturday. He examined the class to appear before him for confirmation on the following day. After high mass yesterday the ceremony of confirmation of about 175 young people was conducted by his grace, they taking their first communion at that time. The class was made up of 74 boys, 89 girls and the balance adults. The major part was from St. John's church, the balance from Howe Island and Lansdowne, both of which are in charge of Rev. Father J. P. Kehoe. Judge Herbert Stone McDonald, of Brookville, conducted both services in Christ Church yesterday. Rev. Mr. Wimberley, of Ottawa, who

was secured as supply for September in Christ Church, during the absence of the rector, Rev. Walter Cox, in England, has returned to his duties in Ottawa.

Joseph Sherby, for many years post carrier of the mail on the Seely's Bay route, has, on account of the installation of the rural delivery on that route, been suspended by George Cunningham.

Mrs. Thos. Scott has been elected as delegate from Grace Sunday school to represent that body at the provincial convention in Hamilton.

The annual meeting of the Citizens' band was held during the past week, when Prof. O. A. Meredith was re-elected as leader for 1913. The following officers were elected: Executive, E. W. Spencer, W. D. Cotton, secretary, N. J. Clifford; treasurer, David Eyrton; property committee, H. Parker, G. Orser and F. Dorey.

William Courtenay, Buffalo, N.Y., is spending a short time here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Courtenay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lappan, Sand Bay, were guests during the past few days of town councillor and Mrs. Francis Brown at "Richmond view." A Mrs. Charles R. Paxton, of Newmarket, Warwickshire, Eng., a passenger on the White Star liner Laurentic, which arrived in Quebec Saturday, has joined her husband in Gananoque. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Nettie Hill, who will locate here for the present.

Mrs. M. Y. Boyd has returned from a visit with friends in Prince Edward County. She was accompanied back by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harrison, who will spend a few weeks with her.

Mrs. A. J. McNeil, spending the past month in Hamilton with her son, C. V. McNeil, has returned home.

#### Defied the Kaiser.

In a fit of impatience because the speed of his yacht was slowed down on entering a certain harbor, the German Emperor on one occasion tried to assert his authority, and rang the bell for "full speed ahead." To his great surprise the pilot, an old Norwegian named Nordhaus, who knew the dangerous character of the channel, placed himself in the way, and leaning over the wheel, called down the tube to the engine room: "Half-speed ahead. Never mind the bell!" "What! You dare to countermand my orders?" cried the impetuous monarch, again ringing the bell.

"Disregard the bell," calmly repeated Nordhaus through the tube. For a moment the Kaiser glared at the intrepid pilot, and then, drawing himself up to his full height, said majestically: "Go below, sir, and report yourself under arrest."

"Leave the bridge," thundered the Norwegian grimly, as he grasped the wheel more firmly. "This ship is in my charge, and I'll have no interference with my orders from Emperor or seaman!"

The officers on deck hurried silently aft, wishing luck to the sturdy old sea-dog, who, knowing that he had the law as well as common sense on his side, stood at his post unshaken by threats, unheeding commands, and steered the Hohenzollern safely into port.

The next day the Emperor came to his senses, and decorated the pilot—the king at the wheel—with one grade of the order of the Black Eagle, and also appointed him his life pilot in Norwegian waters.

#### "G.P." and the Scribe.

When Hon. Geo. P. Graham was Minister of Railways and Canals, a break in the canal at Corawall called for his personal attention. Upon the same day there arrived a young reporter for the Montreal Star, who had been assigned to write up the accident. The latter in his search for information approached a moustached individual dressed in a loose rain coat with a slouch hat pulled down over his forehead.

"Nasty break in the canal?" observed the cub reporter.

"Pretty bad," said the stranger.

"And I suppose 'red tape' will prevent repairs for the rest of the season?"

"I wouldn't be at all surprised," agreed the stranger.

"Awful mess when a Government tries to do a thing, isn't it?"

"Terrible mess."

"Like as not they send down a regiment of woodenheads to fix it up."

"I wouldn't be surprised."

Just then a foreman stepped past the reporter and touched his hat to the stranger in the rough clothes.

"Beg pardon, Mr. Graham," he began.

The reporter's eyes opened wide and his heart struggled to climb up his throat. "Excuse me," he mumbled, and turning about, put on his high-speed gear for an indefinite point on the horizon.

When Queen Victoria was at Balmoral she visited an aged cottager, and, on leaving her, said: "You will now no longer be afraid of me, and I shall expect you to pay me a visit."

"Ah, madam," she replied, "it's them years I'm frightened at; it's them grand servants."

A man's wife seldom lectures him on the sin of gambling as long as he quits winner.

### HERE IS A REAL DYSPEPSIA CURE

#### "Pape's Diasepsin" Settles Sour, Upset Stomachs in Five Minutes.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly: ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, get this down: Pape's Diasepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

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Go now, make the best investment you ever made by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diasepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

#### Tips to Housewives.

To preserve lemonade and other fragile glasses, toughen them after purchase by laying them in a pan of cold water to which you have added a handful of salt, and then bring the water to boiling point, let it remain there a few minutes and then let it cool with the glasses in it.

To keep the zinc tray of a gas stove bright and clean—rub with benzine, then wash with soap and pulverized pumice. It will look like new. If spots are stubborn use a little kerosene.

Clean plaster of Paris ornaments with wet starch brushed off when dry.

To lessen the odor of wet paint, put bowls of hot water in the rooms. The water has the effect of absorbing the paint odors.

Feathers that have grown grimy may be given a bath in alcohol, after which they should be shaken over heat or in the hot sun until dry.

Blackened metal that has become blighted may be cleaned by rubbing them with lemon dipped in salt. Stained enamelled pans can also be cleaned by rubbing them with coarse sand and lemon pulp.

To clean pewter and block tin, wash the article, dry it and rub on a little sweet oil, then dip in dry flannel in whitening and rub with this. Use a chamois skin for final polish.

To remove fruit stains from the fingers wash them with a null brush wet with strong tea, and then in clear, warm water.

A good remedy for hoarseness is the white of an egg, well beaten and mixed with lemon juice and slightly sweetened. The mixture should be slowly dissolved in the mouth before swallowing.

#### Lot's Chinese Play.

Pierre Loti, the famous French author, is to cross the Atlantic at the behest of dramatic art. His real name is Jean Vaucl, and though sixty, he is very active. He has followed the sea for forty years and time has dealt lightly with him.

His great drama, "The Daughter of Heaven," which will be presented at the New York Century Theatre in October, will give Americans an opportunity of appreciating his genius.

"You probably know," he said, in Paris, one day last week, "that I am going to America in the autumn; not as a traveller, because I have given up travelling, but to superintend the rehearsals of 'The Daughter of Heaven,' a Chinese tragedy which I wrote in collaboration with Madame Cudith Gautier. We originally intended the play for Sarah Bernhardt, who would have played the part of the empress herself, but the stage of her theatre is not large enough. The massive scenery requires a revolving stage, so we decided to accept Mr. Tyler's offer to produce the play at the Century Theatre. He will spend no expense, and has promised to make it the grandest spectacle ever offered to the American public. I agreed to go to New York for the rehearsals, and I will keep my word, although crossing the Atlantic in a boat which is not my own has no charms for me. I have always been accustomed to have my own men about me, and I shall be horribly alone on a strange ship."

The subject of "The Daughter of Heaven" is the great struggle between the Mings and the Tains and the final downfall of the Manchu invaders.

#### Why He Was Needed.

When Senator Taylor was governor of Tennessee, he issued a great many pardons to men and women confined in penitentiaries or jails in that state. His reputation as a "pardoning governor" resulted in his being besieged by everybody who had a relative incarcerated. One morning an old negro woman made her way into the executive office and asked Taylor to pardon her husband, who was in jail.

"What's he in for?" asked the governor.

"Fo' nothin' but stealin' a ham," explained the wife.

"You don't want me to pardon him," argued the governor. "If he got out he would only make trouble for you again."

"Deed I does want him out o' dat place!" she objected. "I needs dat man."

"Why do you need him?" inquired Taylor, patiently.

"He an' de chillun," she said, as slowly, "needs another ham."

He also waits who serves—especially if he tries to serve a woman. A. Sometimes the hired girl solves her own problems by getting married.



MAY ROBSON, in "A Night Out," at the Grand on Thursday, October 10th.

Vanishing Lake. A lake called Dunkirk, at North wich, England, which was formed many years ago, began recently to empty itself, many millions of gallons of water disappearing, presumably into some old salt workings. A dreds of feet below. Rumbling noises like thunder was heard during the night. The lake covers an area of two acres, and the water has already sank twenty feet. The lake is fed by a brook. The Mæjelen, at the foot of the great Aletsch Glacier, in the Canton of Valais, Switzerland, temporarily vanishes about the end of August every three or four years. The water returns during the following winter and spring. Scientists state that the phenomenon is due to meteorological causes. Owing to the melting of the glacier wall the lake attains a maximum level once in three or four years. The pressure of the great volume of water causes fissures to appear in the wall until it becomes as porous as sponge. Most of the water eventually flows into the Rhone and disastrous floods are caused in the Rhone Valley in consequence. The man who first arrives in the valley with the news that the lake is emptying itself is rewarded with a pair of shoes.

My dress was washed with OMO that is why it looks so spotless, so soft and so delicate. OMO is the ideal washer for all white things. This famous bleacher, cleanser and purifier, preserves the finest textures unharmed, for no rubbing or hard work is required. Just boil the wash in OMO and water for half-an-hour. Let soak a further half-hour, rinse and hang to dry—everything spotlessly white. Safe and sure but must not be used for colored articles, woollens or fabrics. 10c. Pugsley, Dingman & Co. Limited, Toronto.

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### "My GURNEY OXFORD jumped right in and helped with my housekeeping"

Dear Edith, In a general way I have wished you all the good things I know of, so now I am going to descend to the practical and give you some sound advice from the store I have accumulated since I started housekeeping. Housekeeping naturally suggests the kitchen first—its equipment and management, or in other words, THE RANGE My range, as you know, is a Gurney-Oxford. I never enjoyed much of a reputation as a cook in my younger days, so when I thought of being responsible for three meals a day my heart sank. I imagined myself battling all day with a sulky range, trying to coax it into a good humour, and covered with mortification because of late or spoiled meals. But my dear, my Gurney-Oxford seemed to sympathize with my inexperience. From the day it came it jumped right in and helped. It has become my good right hand, and I go my way confident that my Gurney-Oxford will not disappoint me. It has the cleverest arrangement for regulating the drafts, well named the Gurney Economizer. One small lever put up or down does everything. The fire will stay in all day, hardly burning any coal at all—then, presto! It is burning brightly, ready to bake or roast. An arrangement of flues keeps the oven always properly heated, so that the biscuits or bread come out light and crisp and brown. Yes, Edith, as Bob says, I have developed into "some cook," and I often tell him he must give at least half the credit to our Gurney-Oxford. You will understand my enthusiasm better after you have had your Gurney-Oxford a month or so. Sincerely Yours, MARY HOUSEWIFE.

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