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A DEMOCRATIC JUDGE

St. Thomas Times-Journal.
 Herbert Macdonald Mowat, better known as Honorable Mr. Justice Mowat of the Supreme Court of Ontario, and credited with being the most democratic high court judge in Canada, is presiding here this week at the non-jury assizes. A nephew of the late Sir Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario, 1872-1896, his lordship is perhaps one of the most unique justices ever seen in this city and by this nothing discourteous is meant. While the dignity of the court is maintained at all times by his lordship, it is never overdone. He is not the pompous, arbitrary individual who solemnly and appears to take delight in lording it over all and making poor, suffering court attendants continually open and close windows. Nor is he given to reprimanding legal men for some trivial breach of court etiquette in tones that make their offenses assume the aspects of heinous crimes. The moment his lordship steps into a courtroom, one sort of has a sixth sense that here is not a 'supreme court judge who has permitted his office to "go to his head." His greeting is commonplace. In this city, it was "Good afternoon, gentles!" Looking over the array of legal talent before him, his lordship's sharp eyes lighted on Mayor Miller of Aylmer. "Ah, my friend Mr. Miller," he remarked. "It's some time since we met last, Mr. Miller."

Possessed of a keen sense of humor, his lordship seems to find relief in interjecting little witticisms into the proceedings when they threaten to become heavily serious. When he addresses a witness, it is in conversational tones. He gets a witness to talk freely, removes the nervousness that the average man in the box usually feels toward the great personage looming over him. And his lordship—also is one of those rare individuals who is able to enjoy a joke on himself.

There was evidence of this Wednesday afternoon when a rather free-and-easy witness in the Aylmer explosion case was being examined. The witness was telling the court about sealing the joints of tile drain laid 'a Aylmer' to prevent the roots of trees from growing into the tile. "But no roots grow in quicksand," corrected his lordship. "There ain't eh?" retorted the witness, almost in tones of disgust. "Huh! Well, I guess there are!"

"Oh, my mistake!" apologized his lordship, thoroughly enjoying the situation. "Roots do grow in quicksand."

Yes, his lordship is unusual, pleasantly so. He is for all the world like some character who has stepped out of one of the works of the late Charles Dickens.

LATE DR. R. A. LEONARD.

Napanee Mourns the Passing of a Prominent Citizen.
 Napanee, May 1.—The late Dr. R. A. Leonard, postmaster of Napanee, who died Tuesday night in Kingston General Hospital, was born at Odessa general Hospital, was born at Odessa in the County of Lennox and Addington. He graduated in medicine from Queen's University. In 1878, forty-six years ago, he commenced the practice of his profession here and was always noted for his genial manner and for the excellence of his skill as a physician and surgeon. He was a lover of outdoor-life and sports, and greatly enjoyed curling and golf.

Dr. Leonard was an all-round good citizen and always did what he could for the good and advancement of the town. He served in the town council and was mayor for several terms. He was a member of the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, and his voice will be missed in the choir.

The funeral services will take place in the Church of St. Mary Magdalene on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

The funeral services for the late Frank C. Bogart were conducted at the residence of the deceased, Robinson street, yesterday afternoon, by Rural Dean Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, M.A., vicar of the Church of St. Mary Magdalene. The funeral was private, only immediate friends and relatives being present. The pallbearers were: Mark Trumppour, Arthur Bogart, Reade Roblin, Cyrus Buck, William Connell and George Bull. Interment at the Napanee cemetery.

It is reported that the owner and former proprietor of the Paisley House will in a short time resume the management of that well-known hostelry.

Mrs. Hattie Elizabeth Sheldon, aged seventy-six, wife of William Sheldon, North Martinsburg, N.Y., died Sunday following a paralytic stroke. She was born in Elizabethtown township, Leeds county.

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John R. Clynes, House leader of the Labor government, who admitted in the House of Commons that no government in Britain would hope to impose a capital levy without the full consent of the electorate.

STRANGE SEA MONSTER.

Harvard Experts to View Queer Fish at Boston.
 Boston, May 1.—Experts at Harvard University will be asked to classify a strange sea monster brought to the South Boston pier by a trawler. The fish, having the lower jaw and tail of a shark, has a strangely-shaped head, the like of which no one along the waterfront who viewed the monster recalled.

The creature, 11 feet long and weighing 650 pounds, and having a curiously "stove-in or dented" head, became entangled in the trawler's lines off Cape Cod, and was captured and killed after a struggle. Fishermen assume the creature's habitat is in southern waters and was brought north in the Gulf stream.

The Gentlemen Opposite.
 Miverton Sun.
 Agnes MacPhail, M.P., says it's tough enough to have a look at the faces of some of the members without having gargoyles in the architecture confronting one at every turn. A mere man couldn't have said that with half as much effect.—Toronto Star.

It would be interesting to know who sits opposite Miss MacPhail in the House.

At the Brockville assizes the action of Hunter vs. Neiman, to set aside a will and probate on the grounds of insanity, was dismissed with costs, if demanded.

PROBS:—Friday, some scattered showers, mostly fair and cool.

Friday Courtesy Day

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