

THE COLD-BLOODED ACT OF WOMAN IN ALBERTA

MOOSEJAW, December 13.—Cunningly planned and cleverly carried out execution was the murder of Ralph Warwick on a homestead near Iversman on the night of November 18. Last night his wife on the witness stand at the coroner's inquest told how she and Stanley Price planned the details. Mrs. Warwick is a Newcastle, England girl; pretty, and barely out of her teens.

NEW FRENCH PRESIDENT TO BE NAMED.

PARIS, December 12.—The first actual political step looking toward the choice of the next president of France was taken this afternoon at a meeting of a republican group in the chamber of deputies. On January 17 next take the members of the senate and of the chamber of deputies meeting jointly as the national assembly at Versailles, will choose a successor to President Fallieres.

Several deputies who were on the point of naming their preference were stopped by their colleagues. This illustrates the tendency up to the present to refrain from all public consideration of possible candidates. It is too early therefore to obtain any rational idea as to how the election will swing. It is understood that considerable pressure is being brought to bear on Leon Bourgeois, the former premier, to allow his name to be used.

KINDNESS REWARDED.

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 13.—When three years ago she volunteered her assistance to a feebly old man, weighed down with a couple of suit cases on his way to The Grand Trunk Railway station, little did Mrs. Edward Mills of Thorncliffe believe that the episode was to have an ending other than that of the old gentleman's fervent "God Bless You," although she wondered at the time that he who she had slightly defriended, should insist on her leaving her name and address with him. The other day she found that no less than \$3,500 had been left her by the old gentleman who last week met death by burning at his home in Midletown, N.Y. He was J. A. Gilson and very wealthy.

B. SHAW'S REVERENCE.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Conan Doyle and Bernard Shaw were among the speakers at a big meeting of Protestant show rulers in London. Bernard Shaw in his speech, which was mainly an argument for the cessation of petty religious strife in order that Ireland might proceed with social reform, introduced the following story of his childhood:—"My father," he said, "was an Irishman, my mother was an Irishwoman."

Could Not Digest His Food

Suffered For Years From Indigestion Until Cured by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.



Mr. J. D. S. Barrett. If you suffer from chronic indigestion, forget about the stomach and pay attention to the condition of the liver and bowels. Ten to one that is where the real trouble lies. The liver gets sluggish and fails to filter the bile from the blood. The bowels become constipated and the whole digestive system is upset. As to cure, you cannot do better than to read of Mr. Barrett's experience with Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. There is no treatment so prompt and thoroughly effective. Mr. J. D. S. Barrett, Nelson, B. C., and formerly of Twillingate, (Nfld.), writes:—"For several years I was a great sufferer from indigestion. The least bit of food caused me considerable trouble and often I could scarcely eat a meal a day. The many remedies I tried proved futile until in 1906 I began the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and after using about eight boxes I was completely cured. Since that time I have not been troubled with indigestion, which I consider a great blessing." Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose 25 cents a box, all dealers or Edman Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

DAILY SELECTIONS FOR GUARDIAN READERS

GOD'S WAY IS BEST. When the florist wants a plant to bloom he puts it into a small vessel. The roots soon fill the pot and when they can go no further the energies of the plant are directed towards the blossom. It is forced into bloom. I sometimes think that this is the way the Lord has to deal with us. Perhaps there is no one who has experienced the inconveniences and limitations of poverty that has not at some time had a greater longing for wealth. He wishes he had been born rich and he wonders he was not, for he surely would have put his money to a good use. But perhaps that is just where you are mistaken. God knew that poverty was better for you than wealth. Or he wanted the service you are now giving, which would not have been given had you possessed riches.

SCHOOL TROUBLES. WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 13.—Inspector Engall of Ottawa paid his first visit to the separate school of Tecumseh Friday afternoon and as he entered the school practically all the children walked out. In an investigation held it developed that the children walked out on instructions from their parents, and their action was approved by the trustees, "not as trustees, but as Frenchmen." The action is a protest against the bilingual regulations of the Whitney government. The inspector was not recognized in his official capacity.

MAN ARRESTED WAS TRAVELLING BAR ROOM. ST. JOHN, December 13.—A traveling bar-room in the person of one Arthur Sullivan, was arrested yesterday afternoon. The man was arrested on a charge of drunkenness, and when searched at the police station there was found on his person, three imperial quarts of Irish Red, a couple of square faces of gin and a flask of Scotch whiskey.

TO BRING SCOTT BACK.

CHRISTCHURCH, New Zealand, Dec. 13.—The ship Terra Nova will sail tomorrow for the Antarctic region with the object of bringing back Captain Scott and his associates of the British expedition to the South Pole. Captain Scott was last heard from on January 4 last, at which time the Polar party were only 145 miles from the goal of their hopes, and were travelling at the rate of 15 miles a day. All being well the Pole should therefore have been reached about January 15 last. The party were supposed back at Hut Point, where the Terra Nova was waiting for them, about March 15. But on March 5 the sea was freezing so rapidly that the ship's commander considered it unwise to remain longer, owing to the hourly increasing risk that the ship would be frozen in. It is supposed that Captain Scott and his companions returned to the winter quarters about the end of March. No further news can be received from him until the Terra Nova again returns from the Far South about the end of next March.

REV. MR. PITBLADO DYING.

St. John, Dec. 13.—From California comes word that Rev. C. B. Pitblado former pastor of Westminster and St. Andrew's church, Winnipeg, dying in California. He went west from Halifax, and was one of the best known Presbyterian divines in Canada.

Rev. Charles Bruce Pitblado is a son of John Pitblado and was born in Fifeshire, Scotland, in 1836, coming to Nova Scotia with his parents in 1850. His first charge was at Glenelg, East River, and Caledonia, N.S., from whence he came to Chalmer's Church in Winnipeg. In 1881 he accepted a call to St. Andrew's, Winnipeg, where he remained for seven years, where he became pastor of the then newly formed congregation of Westminster in the same city. He also became a member of the Halifax volunteer battalion to the North West rebellion in 1885 and was for many years chairman of the committee on education appointed by the Presbyterian synod of the Maritime Provinces. He married in 1865, Miss Sophia, daughter of Isaac Christie of Truro.

GREAT CRANE FALLS.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—In the height of a gale a huge cantilever crane at Vickers' naval construction yard at Barrow was blown over, with the result that two men, Thomas Scott and Thomas McKenzie of Birkenhead, were killed, and twelve other workmen injured. The big cantilever cranes stand high above the hulls of ships in course of construction and run on rails on high ganchies with electric power. The crane in question was conveying material from one place to another when a sudden squall of wind carried it along. The driver, falling to stop it, jumped out on to the platform and the crane dashed against the stops and fell over, crashing through the roof of a shed in which hundreds of workmen were busy. Hundreds of tons of metal work came down, and that end of the shed entirely wrecked.

"We still have 45 Gentlemen's Sinent Rings, to dispose of and to do it quickly we'll do anything in reason. We propose to give you 25 per cent off these rings and further we'll arrange them free. Hutchison's Clearance Sale. 12-14M31.

Vigorous Health Restored To Run Down Woman

Seemed to Have Lost All Ambition, Was Pale and Anæmic



Made Wonderful Recovery When Dr. Hamilton's Pills Were Used.

"I was never actually sick," writes Mrs. La Pierre, wife of a well-known resident of Lachine, "yet I never could get strong like other women. I ate well enough, but somehow rich and red blood I could never make. When I married I took a great pride in my housekeeping, but it kept me tired all the time. Mrs. Lechance, my neighbor, looked well—she told me her health had been made by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. I only thought of pills as a physic, but now I know that Dr. Hamilton's Pills are more, for they quickened my stomach, liver and bowels—made me stouter and stronger, gave me such color in my cheeks as I never had before. I sincerely believe Dr. Hamilton's Pills should be used by every woman—that's why I write this letter." No medicine invigorates and renews health and spirits like Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box, five for \$1.00, at all druggists and storekeepers, or postpaid from the Cataract-Wholesale Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingston, Ont.

S. A. McDonald The Island's Leading Store Great Sale of Overcoats is Creating Deep Interest For the next fifteen days we are going to conduct the greatest overcoat sale in our history. We have values to offer you that have never been equalled out side of our store. Among the lot are fifty overcoats, the regular values run from \$15.00 to \$20.00, which is to be sold now for exactly half-price. In some cases there is only one of a line, but they range in sizes from 34 breast to 44. Most of these are good patterns, some of them we carried over from last season. \$10.00 for 5.00, \$14.00 for 7.00, \$15.00 for 7.50, \$18.00 for 9.00, \$20.00 for 10.75. All ready for Christmas with the biggest and best stock of goods ever shown in this Province. May we suggest a few Suitable Gifts For Men For Ladies. Beautiful furs, blouses in net and silk, babies' sweaters, ladies' sweaters, fancy table covers, kimonos, dressing jackets, wool toques and scarfs, tea aprons, embroidery and drawn linens, pillow covers, centre pieces, doilies, table covers, cushion tops, table linen, napkins, handkerchiefs, Gloves in kid, dogskin, mocha, fur-lined, fur-trimmed and silk-line. Hand bags in suede, leather and alligator, opera scarfs, fancy collars, jabots, lovely belts, beauty pins. Children's bearskin coats, infants' wool jackets, booties and gaiters. Suit cases, umbrellas, gold mounted umbrellas, silk and folding umbrellas. Mink ruffs and muffs from \$15 to \$75.00, mink stoles and throws \$35 to \$75. Persian Lamb and Persian Paw muffs and throws from \$1.50 to \$22.00. Seal sets, muffs and throws at \$36.00. Gray lamb collar, muffs and throws from \$7.50 to \$12. Marmot muffs and throws at all prices. Ostrich throws in black, gray and silver. Chiacilla coating, ladies' suit lengths, silk waist lengths, silks, velvets, etc.

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