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Drifting to the Cities.

One of the subjects frequently alluded to on the platforms during the electioneering proceedings of the past month, was the marked tendency of the population to leave the rural districts and become residents of the cities and towns. It is beyond all dispute that in Ontario the rural population has diminished or remained stationary, whilst in the cities the population has increased. Various reasons were assigned for the cityward drift of population, but politicians when on the rampage are not seeking for philosophical explanations of social tendencies but for arguments favorable to their party, and consequently the subject of the drift of population to the cities was discussed in connection with the N. P. the theory of Protection and the prospects of Tupperism. The cause, however, is much deeper. Social evolution has reached a point where the individual becomes unfitted for a solitary or a lonely life. The young man and the young woman who has been to school learned to read, and subscribes to several newspapers, has little taste for the isolation of the farm. In days gone by we have the bard's assurance that Dame Durden's five serving maids carried milking pails, and that her five serving men flourished spades and flails, and the bard leads us to the inference that with the slight addition of a small percentage of kisses both maids and men were happy and contented. In the present day the case is quite different. Dame Durden's girls now play the piano, and Dame Durden's men now smoke cigarettes, wear store clothes, and can waltz, wheel or discuss the relative influence of the sexes, equally well. To the socially disposed young man or woman life on the farm is distasteful, and the profits of farming are so greatly reduced that the farmers' sons and daughters are enabled to obtain from their parents only the most meagre allowance for their clothing and pocket money. It is proverbial that the farmer's daughter has to surreptitiously appropriate eggs to buy a new feather, whilst the farmer's son is unable to get sufficient changes of clothing to be free from the disgusting smell of the stable with which his daily labor is so closely connected. These are the causes which are producing the drift of population from the rural districts to the cities, and it is folly to seek to conceal from ourselves the real facts of the case. Can those causes be removed? That question is very difficult to answer: The probabilities all point to such changes taking place in our social organization as will produce concentration rather than diffusion of population, and the theory has been advanced that before the end of the twentieth century the entire population of North America will be concentrated in some one central city, and that such cultivation of land as may be required will be preformed by parties who leave the central city in the spring and return in the autumn. The subject is one of vast possibilities. It is not good for man to be alone. In that sentence will probably be found the cause of the crowding of our cities. —Bohcegon (Ont.) Independent.

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McKinley at Home.

McKinley's tastes are all simple and his habits of living have not been much changed since he was a young attorney. He eats heartily of plain food, has a good digestion, sleeps well, and takes very little exercise. His daily walk to his mother's house, which is about a half-mile from his own, is about all the muscular activity he gets. He does not make use of wine or liquors, although he is not a prohibitionist, and he has no desire to enforce his own habits in this respect on other people. He smokes four cigars a day, having lately prescribed this limit, finding he has been smoking too much. His social recreations consist in going out with his wife to some neighbor's house to take tea and spend the evening, but a great many people come to see him, and his house has always an inviting atmosphere of informality and friendliness encouraging to men and women to drop in for a chat with the Major and his wife. Every Sunday he goes to the Methodist church, which is the handsomest church edifice in Canton. There he has his membership and his pew, and he is one of the sturdy pillars of the denomination. At the same time there is nothing of the bigot or the religious controversialist in him. He never discusses religion with the people of other faiths. He has his own belief and he is entirely willing that they should have theirs. He owns property which would be worth in good times about fifty thousand dollars. It

is all in Canton, and most of it is in the form of a business block. His failure in 1893 grew out of his indorsement of paper for a friend who ran a little bank in Poland. All of his property and all of his wife's property were then put into the hands of three trustees, and they managed matters so as to pay off the debts and save all the real estate holdings of the McKinleys in Canton. It is said that the Major derives from his rents an income of between three and four thousand dollars a year.—From "William McKinley: a Study of His Character and Career," by Eugene V. Smalley, in Review of Reviews for July.

Up-to-Date Wedding.

The first bicycle wedding took place recently in Trenton, N. J. Harry E. Stahl, son of Captain E. C. Stahl, editor of a German newspaper and the newly elected department commander of the Grand Army, and Miss Nettie C. Morris were united in bicycle costumes leaning on their wheels. The bridegroom is a bicycle manufacturer and a member of the Mercer County Wheelmen. The bride is a member of the Mercer Lady Cyclists. She wore a bicycle costume of gray, with short skirt and gray leggings; he a bicycle suit of brown, with large plaid golf stockings. They rested their hands during the ceremony on a brand new tandem, which was painted white and decorated with white ribbons. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. H. Ingram, of the Fifth Presbyterian church, who is an enthusiastic wheelman. Mrs. Hope V. White, sister of the bridegroom, attended the bride, and James Morris, brother of the bride, was best man. Both wore cycling costumes, as did a number of the small company present.

After the ceremony the bride and bridegroom mounted their tandem and started on a trip to New York and Niagara Falls, every mile of which they will do on their wheels. They were escorted a short distance by a party of friends, who also rode wheels. The weather somewhat interfered with the best features of their unique wedding. It had been planned that the wedding should take place near Lawrenceville, on the exact spot where Mr. Stahl first met his wife, two years ago, on a wheeling trip. She had met with an accident, and he gallantly went to her rescue. For two years they have wheeled together. The Rev. Mr. Ingram was to have come on his wheel, as were all the invited guests, but, this part of the programme was reluctantly abandoned. The wedding cake was decorated with miniature machines. A small golden bicycle wheel was the form of the wedding ring.

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Watering the Sahara.

A Swiss scientist, M. Pictet, of Geneva, has devised a plan by which the waters of the Nile, by means of the spare heat of Egyptian sands, can be turned into the Sahara and make the desert blossom like the rose. His idea is to use the saunspouts which correspond to the waterspouts at sea, as a means of generating a steam pumping force that will pour the waters of the Nile in immense floods over the barren sands. By this means the whole of the desert of the Sahara might be watered by the Nile, but if this plan were adopted it would turn lower Egypt into a desert, and the Nile itself would be lost in the sands of Sahara. The project has the merit of novelty, and the scientific fact on which it is based, the use of the sun's heat to generate steam along the bank of the Nile, is something within the powers of man. It is hardly a greater undertaking than was the building of the Suez canal. If the sands of the desert could be irrigated by the Nile, and it does not seem to be an impossibility, it would bring to the service of mankind an immense area that would make northern Africa the garden of the world.

Political Riots in Ohio.

New York, June 28.—A special to the 'Herald' from Valparaiso says:—News has been received here from Melipilla, in the Santiago department, that a mob of adherents of Reyes, presidential candidate, assaulted the Erzurist Club. A fight ensued and three men were killed and fourteen wounded. The Reyes faction was headed by a judge and the public notary of the district. Both were arrested. The election will take place on Thursday. Reyes and Erzurist are the leading candidates. President Montett has assured all who have visited him that while the administration will take no part in the election it will certainly preserve order, and he has given warning that all who are found breaking the law will be severely punished.

Several prominent citizens of Charlestown, Mass., have urged that the Bucker Hill Monument should be illuminated with electricity, but the idea does not meet with popular favor.

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A California, just home from Alaska, says that there is wonderful hunting in the country. "Just think," says he, "of seeing seventy great, fat moose stalking along with in gunshot in one day." In the course of ten days himself had counted 400 moose, and the Indians told him that they had sometimes seen such vast herds of the animals trudging up the mountain sides on their spring migrations northward that they looked "like the side of a great yellow hill moving along." The Alaska moose is in most respects like that of Maine and Canada, but its fur is of a yellow tinge and it is not so fierce as its kin of the south. Caribou and polar and grizzly bears are very numerous in the domain, and the country is resorted to by Europeans of wealth and leisure who like to hunt the largest and fiercest game in the world. The California says that he has seen an Alaska white bear which must have stood thirteen feet high when it reared on its hind legs to charge at the hunters.

Vice-President Stevenson made the oration at the University of Alabama's commencement at Tuscaloosa.

The tiny boat Fox, in which two Norwegian sailors are rowing across the Atlantic, was spoken at sea on June 12.

The city of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., has been presented with the sum of \$50,000 by the children of the late John P. Adriance for the purpose of erecting a public library.

It is reported that there is an unusual scarcity of California dried fruit, the largest shipping house on the Pacific coast not having "600 boxes in stock all told."

A year-old baby of Mrs. Wilson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., crawled out of a window, but its own caught on a protruding nail and it hung suspended until recovered.

President Jordan, of Stanford University, has been appointed by President Cleveland to take charge of an expedition into Alaskan waters and study the seal and fishery question.

In Canada no campaign buttons, ribbons or badges can be worn between nomination and polling day. The carrying of flags as a party badge is also forbidden. The penalty is a fine of \$100 or three months in prison, or both.

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You are therefore required to cite the heirs, next of kin, creditors and all others interested in the said estate to appear before the Judge of Probate for the County of Carleton at a Court of Probate to be held at the office of the said Judge of Probate in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, aforesaid, on Thursday, the thirtieth day of July next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why Letters of Administration of the estate of the said John C. O'Leary deceased, should not be granted to the said petitioner. Given under my hand and the seal of the said Probate Court this Twenty-Seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. LEWIS P. FISHER, Judge of Probate for the County of Carleton.

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