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Patriotic Entertainment.

A patriotic entertainment was held in the Orange Hall, Middle Simonds, on Saturday evening, March 20th. It was a complete success. The hall was filled, the anti-room and stair-way blocked with an eager listening crowd. The best of attention was given throughout. At times the enthusiasm was manifested by vigorous rounds of applause. Your correspondent regrets that he has not the full report of the speeches, as the sentences filled with patriotic sentiment and loyalty to Canada and British Institutions could not fail to be of the greatest interest and benefit to your many readers. Hipwell Lodge, under whose auspices the meeting was held, has set an excellent example in holding this "patriotic" meeting. We trust other lodges may follow their example. It is one of the first duties of Orangism to teach "Patriotism." Following is the programme:

—Opening song, Canada to England; Remarks by chairman; Speech by County Master Wiggins; Recitation, The Gambler's Wife, Edna Haley; Reading, The Bridal Cup, Horace Shaw; Recitation, Dominion Day, W. W. Ross; Duet, My Own Canadian Home, J. K. Fleming and W. W. Ross; Recitation, The Riot of 47, John Thomas; Recitation, The Veteran, Della Rideout; Speech, J. K. Fleming; Chorus, Rule Britannia; Speech, David Hipwell, P. County Master; Song, Fair Canada, W. W. Ross and J. K. Fleming; Recitation, How Columbus discovered America, Shaw; Recitation, Obbie Ebbett. W. C. Rideout, Master, Hipwell Lodge was chairman. The whole audience at the close declared it to have been one of the most pleasant and profitable meetings ever held in Simonds.

An Antidote for Asthma.

Mr. Albert Reid, Angus, Ont., was for over two years a sufferer from Asthma. A half bottle of Yellow Oil cured him completely, and although that was some time ago, he has never been troubled with the same complaint since.

The Queen No Figure-Head.

A well informed London correspondent writes:—"If no open rupture occurs, any real concert obtained will be largely due to one potent personal influence—that of the Queen of England. However the infirmities of old age may weigh upon Her Majesty, her intellect remains vigorous and her determination to interfere in the great crisis of England's foreign policy has been displayed as markedly as ever. The principle that the Queen reigns but does not govern" has never prevented her always well informed opinion having influence with her ministers nor hinder her influence being used at European courts in moments of international peril. At this juncture Her Majesty has been perhaps the strongest factor at work for justice to Greece and peace for Europe. She has kept in direct personal communication with the German Emperor and indirectly with the Czar. Her repeated interviews with Lord Salisbury at Windsor before leaving for Cimiez have been followed by a daily exchange of despatches from the Hotel Regina there, sometimes several telegraph messages being received from the English Premier and replied to in the course of a day. These communications will never form matter for a blue book, but their drift is known. The Queen used all her really immense influence to keep Europe from war, and continues pleading on behalf of Greece. The German Emperor sulks under her advice, while the Czar is said to be more cordially responsive."

Death-Dealer on Wheels.

It is only natural to expect that the auto-car would be soon adopted for the purposes of war. In our article is explained the autogun-car of Mr. E. J. Pennington, an American inventor, whose invention is, we understand, now under the consideration of the British War Office. The autogun-car is simply a little rapidly-traveling fortress. It is claimed for it that it can travel along an ordinary road at the rate of 45 miles an hour and discharge 700 rounds of shot per minute. The auto-car, which is driven by a 16 horse power engine, is armor-plated and contains accommodation for a gunner or gunners, as may be required. The wheels are fluted with four-inch solid rubber tires, upon which the enemy's rifle shots would have little or no effect. The guns are mounted on swivels so that they may be fired at any angle, and their capacity is from 10 to 700 rounds a minute, an electric button regulating the speed of firing. The guns may also be made to rotate automatically as they fire, thus making a clean sweep of the enemy around them.

There are two points in connection with the Pennington auto-car which apparently render it more valuable than any other war apparatus—viz., the fact that the guns are fired by the same engine which is used for driving the car, and the tremendous speed of the latter, which is practically anything from one to 45 miles an hour. The advantages to be derived from these points are unquestionable. The guns, being driven by mechanism, will not clog, and should the artillerymen be shot (an unlikely contingency, seeing how they are protected by armor

shields), the engine would still run the car and cause the guns to discharge their entire charge.

The value of the great speed of the autogun-car is inestimable, for not only will it render the apparatus invaluable for out-post destruction, the protection of an advance body of engineers, or the covering of skirmishers, but it will also render task of hitting the autogun-car practically impossible, for at the first sign of opposition the speed would be increased as to make even correct aim an impossibility.

Apart from the value of the autogun-car for some military purposes, it would appear for coast defence to be the ideal weapon. When next an enemy essays to scale the white cliffs of old Albion, he may reckon that a very considerable proportion of the autogun-car's 30,000 rounds of ammunition, which is its dead supply, will find a bullet in its hide, supposing, of course, that our government adopt the new weapon.

GRAVEL IN THE BLADDER.

Used Eighteen Boxes of Dodd's Pills—The Stone Dissolved and Removed—Knew of Others Cured.

Shelburne, Mar. 29 (Special).—Mr. John Medill known locally as well as far and near as physical giant and glorying in his strength came to be a great sufferer and tells his cure as follows:—

"I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills or anything else exactly as I find them. If a medicine cures me and if I think it will cure others why not say so?"

"It is true I had been suffering for some time with Bladder trouble and learning of a cure made in a similar case, by Dodd's Kidney Pills I commenced using them.

In all I have used eighteen boxes and they have dissolved the stone and have entirely cured me of any sign of such difficulty. I do not hesitate to speak of Dodd's Kidney Pills in the highest terms of praise for I know of many persons who have been cured by them.

His Trouble.

Mr. Spoonamore for some time had a sore feeling in the upper part of his throat. He went to an eminent specialist and stated his case.

The eminent specialist examined his throat by means of a costly electric apparatus, and told Mr. Spoonamore he had organic throat trouble, complicated by symptoms of tonsillitis. He wrote a prescription and handed it to him.

The bill was \$25.
Mr. Spoonamore paid it and went to a drug store to have the prescription filled. This cost him \$5 more.

On his way home he passed a dentist's office. Obeying a hasty impulse he went in.

"I wish you would see if there is anything the matter with my mouth," he said to the dentist.

The dentist made an examination.
"You have a bad wisdom tooth," he said.
"Pull it out."
It was pulled out.
The expense was 50 cents.

When Mr. Spoonamore got home he found that his throat trouble was entirely gone. But he still has his \$30 bottle of medicine, which may come handy if he ever really has organic throat trouble, complicated with symptoms of tonsillitis.—Chicago Tribune.

Cured Weak Back for 25 Cents.

For two years I was dosed, pill, and plastered for weak back, scalding urine and constipation, without benefit. One box of Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills relieved three boxes cured. R. J. Smith, Toronto. One pill a dose, price 25 cents.

He Saw the Speaker.

When Representatives Washington of Tennessee went to Speaker Read, writes a Washington correspondent, and asked to be recognized for the consideration of a bill for the benefit of the Methodist Book concern of Nashville, he could get on satisfaction. Finally Mr. Washington said:

Mr. Speaker, what can I tell my constituents to show that I am doing something in their behalf?

The speaker looked at the genial Tennessee member for a moment, and drawled; Joseph, just tell them that you saw me?

Jones—How does your wife like her new sealskin?
Brown—I haven't seen her lately.
Jones—How's that?
Brown—She's been so busy calling on her friends.—The Lark.

Stranger (to man in front)—Won't you please ask your wife to take off her hat? I can't see the stage at all. Man in front—Ask her yourself—I don't care.

Egging her on—First hen—"Why don't you revenge yourself on the master for killing and eating your husband?" Second hen—"Oh, I'm laying for him."

The Rab.—Smith—If you love her why don't you marry her? Brown—There is another woman in the case. Smith—Ah! Who? Brown—Her mother.

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One box cured William Kineslaw and two boxes James T. Stoddard, both of West Gwillimbury.

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J. W. Johnson, of Cliford, spent nearly \$300 on doctors, but found no permanent relief until he tried a 25-cent box of Chase's.

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Henry R. Scho's 176 Rectory street, London, tried a box with excellent effect.

Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is for sale by any dealer, or by Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Price 25 cents including blower.

Coughs, colds and bronchial troubles readily cured by the latest discovery, Chase's Laxative and Turpentine. Pleasant and easy to take. 25 cents.

GALOPS CANAL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for the Construction of the Galops Canal," will be received at this office until 10 o'clock on Saturday the 17th day of April, 1897, for the works connected with the enlargement of the Galops Canal.

Plans and specifications of the work may be seen on and after the 21st day of March, 1897, at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, and at the Engineer's office in Cornwall. Printed forms of tender can also be obtained at the places mentioned.

In the case of firms there must be attached to the tender the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same, and further, an accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$150,000 must accompany the tender. This accepted bank cheque must be endorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The accepted bank cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Contractors are specially notified that the condition requiring the works to be wholly completed by the 31st day of January, A. D. 1899, will be rigidly enforced and all penalties for delay exacted.

By order,
J. H. BALDERSON, Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, 20th March, 1897.

Notice of Sale.

To Augustus F. Lockhart, of the Parish of Wakefield, in the County of Carleton, and Province of New Brunswick, and David Smith, of the same place, and all others whom it may concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two and registered in said Carleton County Records in Book O. number three of records on page 760, 761 and 762, and made between the above named Augustus F. Lockhart of one part and the undersigned George L. Stickney of the other part; there will, for the purpose of satisfying the money secured by said Indenture of Mortgage default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at Public Auction in front of the Post Office in the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton aforesaid on Wednesday the thirtieth (30th) day of June next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the lands and premises described in said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—"All that certain tract or parcel of land in the said Parish of Wakefield bounded and described as follows, viz., commencing at the junction where the old cross road leading by the Hartford Mill and passing into the third tier road strikes the Connell Road so called, thence running northerly along said Connell Road about thirty rods to the dividing line between said land and land owned and occupied by David Scott, thence running easterly along said line about twenty rods to the bank of the stream called Marvin Brook on which the Hartford mill now stands, thence running southerly along said Brook down stream about thirty five rods to the aforesaid cross road leading to the Connell Road thence running along said cross road containing four acres more or less. Together with all and singular the buildings, improvements, privileges appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

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