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A STORY OF THE GUARDS.

How the Coldstreams Fought at Waterloo
and Inkerman.

Close to the southwestern door of St. Paul's Cathedral one can see an old stand of colors, calmly retired from the ripping turmoil of battle, and peacefully drooping, like maimed and weeping veterans, in ragged glory over the monument to the heroes of the Coldstream Guards who fell during the gloomy war in the Crimea.

Just the same, as erst, they fought at Waterloo, the Guards did mighty work around the sand-bag battery at Inkerman and after a stern and awful conflict repulsed the overwhelming attack of 10,000 Russians. This is the very story of how they fought at Waterloo:

The Coldstreams Guards and the 3rd and 1st Regiments were ordered by the Duke of Wellington to keep the Chateau Hougomont at all costs. Wellington's eagle eye had fixed on the farmhouse as the vantage point of battle.

Napoleon, cursing the genius that made it an improved fort for the British, sent orders to Reille to assault the chateau, and forthwith Prince Jerome's skirmishers swarmed over field, lane and hedge, like birds of prey on their quarry.

Their muskets vomited forth a rattling fire, but as they advanced there came a roar of the British lion. His devastating breath belched from the guns of the Coldstream Guards, and the deadly tempest swept their foremost files to earth. The French fell back and, crouching in the shelter of a wall, poured a desultory rain of shot at the British.

But soon, out of a wood close by, a more formidable force came to the support of the skirmishers.

A British position was no longer tenable. They were being outflanked by the increasing numbers of the enemy, and thereupon they withdrew to this great courtyard, and instantly closed the gate and blockaded it with whatever would serve as a barricade.

As the hours drew on, and the horrible whirlwind of war had heaped around Hougomont an appalling wreck of shrieking or death-distorted humanity, while the French were still peppering the farmstead with their murderous fire, Graham, a sergeant of the colors, who held his post behind a garden wall facing the wood, asked permission from his colonel, Macdonald, to fall out.

Surprised at such a request, the colonel asked him why. "To save my wounded brother who is in yonder burning building. That being done, I'll return at once."

His request was granted, and across the line of fire he sped and darted into the blazing building. In a few moments he was seen to emerge from the clouds of curling smoke with his brother in his arms. He laid him in safety in a ditch at the rear of the enclosure and retraced to his post.

Two months after the battle of Waterloo a clergyman of Framlingham, named Norcross, expressed a wish to confer a pension of 10 a year for life on some Waterloo hero selected by the Duke of Wellington. Sergeant James Graham was chosen for the proffered annuity.

Unfortunately, the annuity lapsed some years after through the bankruptcy of the donor, and Graham spent the winter of his life playing dominoes and telling stories of his feats of arms in the Royal Hospital in Kilmainham, Dublin.

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A Friend of Children.

Lewis Carroll, the R. C. H. Dodgson, author of "Alice in Wonderland," died at Guildford, Eng., on Jan 15th. The papers are full of reminiscence of his many stories, showing how intense was his love for children, and how universal was his shyness and dignity to others. "Lewis Carroll" was very particular as to his personal appearance. His alert figure and general vigor conveyed the impression that he was much younger than 65. He never wore an overcoat in his life, and continued to take long constitutional to the end. The deceased was staying with his sister at Guildford when he died.

A Banker's Experience.

"I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for a troublesome affection of the throat," writes Manager Thomas Dewson of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne Avenue, Toronto. "It proved effective. I regard the remedy as simple, cheap and exceedingly good. It has hitherto been my habit to consult a physician in trouble of this nature. Hereafter, however, I intend to be my own family doctor."

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Florenceville,.....	3 12	7 15	11 25
Peel,.....	3 30	7 40	11 55
Hartland,.....	3 42	7 58	12 17
Woodstock,.....	4 22	8 50	1 30

Civility costs nothing—so we have been duly instructed from a very early age—but the civility that has cost us nothing is of very little worth. True civility implies some degree, however small, of self-sacrifice, and self-sacrifice certainly costs us something. No doubt there is such a thing as feeling pleasure in self-sacrifice, a pleasure keener than can be gained by self-seeking. But such a pleasure is itself an evidence of goodness, and must not be confounded with natural passion or instinct. It is the fruit of an habitual endeavor to act kindly by those with whom we have to do, and has reached maturity after many struggles and conflicts. Thus, whoever takes pleasure in civility has generally something good in him; for the civility we mean is not a mere superficial politeness, but a hearty wish to make others comfortable even at our own expense.

Among the fond fancies of children is the belief that when "grown up" there will be no more lessons to learn, no more commands to obey, no more scolding to endure. They will be men and women, no longer children in the nursery, pupils in the schoolroom; therefore they will be free, independent, above rebuke and beyond coercion. It is a helpful belief, lending them the aid of hope wherewith to assist patience during the dark days of the actual, in expectation of the cloudless skies of the ideal. And it is about as baseless as the mist-wreaths of the morning. As if we were ever free from rebuke, lessons, command, coercion!

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I met a man who was a great admirer of Dickens and who claimed that Dickens had done more good than any living writer of later days. That is rather a sweeping assertion. But there is a good deal of truth in these lines about the celebrated novelist. Hater of shams and hypocrisy's foe, No folly could withstand his satire's blow; Friend of the oppressed and champion of the weak, Silent his voice yet still his pen doth speak, And still the creatures of his master brain, Charm us from smiles to tears, and tears to smiles again.

"Sufficient to the day is the evil thereof," is a saying proceeding from the mouth of wisdom and it would be a great thing for us if we would bear in mind its ever important truth, and not worry too much about the morrow, nor the yesterday. One is past, the morrow may never come. Honest regret for past misdoings, and desire to do better with every fair and upright provision for the future, is our duty as well as our right, but this motto will well find a place in the note book of every person liable and prone to failure: "Think not mournfully of the past, it comes not again, use well the present, it is thine, prepare to meet the dim and shadowy future, without fear and with a cheerful heart." Or again, in the words of a sweet poet who did not aim to be a mystic, but only to say the songs of people.

Trust no future however present,
Let the dead past bury its dead,
Act, act in the living present,
Man on earth and God o'er head.

Loyalty to our own county ought to be taught in our schools and preached in our churches. People should be exhorted every week to buy at home. Too much of our money goes away. If it were kept here the school teachers and preachers would, on general principles, be rewarded in increased salaries for announcing the good doctrine. Why not buy Cod Liver Oil, Sarsaparilla, and other medicine of Woodstock make, rather than the foreign article? The home made medicine is just as good but people do not sometimes think so, on the same principle that "a prophet is not without honour save in his own country." Tennyson's "Northern Farmer" said "the poor in a lot, are bad." I would not agree with him, but I do think that a certain amount of financial prosperity is essential to our mental and spiritual well being, and we ought to learn to help ourselves, to help our county and our province in every way we can, and the little things count.

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Twinging Shooting Pain.

Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up and as young as ever I was."

Brought in Pa's Prayers.

Once upon a time sickness came to the family of the poorly paid pastor of a country church. It was winter, and the pastor was in financial straits. A number of his flock decided to meet at his house and offer prayers for the speedy recovery of the sick ones and for material blessings upon the pastor's family. While one of the deacons was offering a fervent prayer for blessings upon the pastor's household there was a loud knock at the door. When the door was opened a stout farmer boy was seen, wrapped up comfortably.

"What do you want, boy?" asked one of the elders.

"I've brought pa's prayers," replied the boy.

"Brought pa's prayers? What do you mean?"

"Yep, brought his prayers, an' they're out in the wagon. Just help me an' we'll get 'em in."

Investigation disclosed the fact that "pa's prayers" consisted of potatoes, flour, bacon, cornmeal, turnips, apples, warm clothing and a lot of jellies for the sick ones. The prayer meeting was adjourned in short order.—Omaha World-Herald.

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