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A LIGHT SENTENCE.

Judge Stevens Considers the Poverty in Irene Rickerson's Case.

Irene Rickerson, a young woman of Woodstock, charged with the serious offences of breaking into the Presbyterian manse here on the 16th of August, and stealing therefrom a quantity of clothing, carpets, etc., belonging to Rev. Jas. Whiteside, was tried by Judge Stevens, under the provisions of the Speedy Trials Act, on Wednesday afternoon last.

The Judge asked her if she would be tried by a jury, or, immediately, by him, and the prisoner elected to be tried by the Judge, at once. She then pleaded guilty, and in passing the sentence, His Honor said:—In all my long experience I never had a more distressing case than this. The circumstances relating to the commission of this crime by you have troubled me very much. The punishment for an offence of this kind may be 14 years in the penitentiary, because the law considers this to be one of the most grievous offences in the calendar. To send you for a term of years to the penitentiary would be most distressing, and a duty I would desire to avoid. Since I have been in Woodstock I have seen a great many influential persons, and they have represented the case in its most mild and favorable light, having shown a great deal of interest in you. Many of them said they did not know the circumstances in which you were placed in the way of poverty, before. It is a pity it had not been known, for, if so, perhaps you might not have been driven to commit this crime. What tempted you to do it is best known to yourself, whether impelled by a sense of extreme poverty you lost your balance of mind at the time, is known to yourself, only. You must now be aware it was a very grievous crime, still, I am not going to impose a severe sentence upon you. While it is in my discretion, I must be guided by public policy, and yet, if I do not regard the law I would not be worthy of the position I now hold. In many cases like this the Judge imposes the sentence, and an appeal is then made to Ottawa for pardon. I am about to take the responsibility, only, on the representations that have been made to me by influential people in Woodstock. The parties would not have represented the case, as they have done, unless they felt they had good ground for doing so. If it were not for this I would have to send you to penitentiary for a term of years. Let this be a warning to you. I know from what has been told me that you have suffered greatly from such poverty as is seldom known in a Christian land. I am told that you, yourself, have been an industrious person, able and willing to earn your own living. You must never be before me, again, for any such offence, or be sure, if so, you will have to take your place among criminals in the provincial penitentiary. Considering that the people of Woodstock have taken an interest in your case, and knowing of the extremely sad circumstances in which you have been placed, your aged mother dependent on your labor, and your willingness to support that mother, I am inclined to make this punishment as light as possible, and order that you be confined in the goal of the County of Carleton for a period of 60 days, commencing from this day.

AN AWFUL COLD.

Mrs. Wm. Darks, Pine Grove, Ont., says: "I recommended Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness and Sore Throat. I had an awful cold and could hardly speak. One bottle of Norway Pine Syrup cured me completely."

Bismarck's Religious Faith.

Bismarck may or may not have been a man without a scruple; he certainly was not a man without a very living faith in a living God. He took as little stock in "streams of tendency" as Mr. Gladstone himself. Oliver Cromwell indeed was not more firmly convinced of the reality of a divine Providence than this intellectual giant of the skeptical nineteenth century.

This was in him a lifelong characteristic. When he was a boy Bismarck's parents made a great point of inculcating truth on his youthful mind. When young Otto was fifteen it was Schleiermacher who prepared him for confirmation. Old Bismarck wrote to the famous preacher and professor, begging him in his instructions to lay special stress on the virtues of sincerity and truth. Schleiermacher confirmed Bismarck and gave him as his motto for the guidance of his future life an altered version of Ephesians vi. 7—"What thou doest do as to the Lord and not to men."

When he was in the heyday of his fame, in 1887, he talked much to Sir W. B. Richmond about religion and prayer. "I remember," he said, "at fourteen thinking prayer needless, for it struck me then that God knew better than I. I think much the same now except that the usefulness of prayer is in that it implies submission to a stronger power. I am conscious of that power, which is neither arbitrary nor capricious. Of a future life I do not doubt. The present is too sad and incomplete to answer to our highest selves. It is evidently a struggle, then only in vain if it is to end here; ultimate perfection I believe in."

Nor was he in the least disposed to shrink

from professing his faith before men. When Mr. Gladstone died, Lord Salisbury described him in his eulogium in the House of Lords as a "most eminent Christian." Followers of the meek and lowly Nazarene would possibly be slow to recognize the man of blood and iron as a disciple of the Christ who was crucified. But Bismarck himself had no misgivings as to his place among the believers. Nor was his death-bed repentance. He did not postpone his avowal of faith in the unseen until things seen were becoming dimly visible through the mists of death. In the supreme moment of his career on the eve of the war which gave Prussia the headship of Germany in the midst of the war that made Germany the master of Europe, he avowed with proud humility that to him all that was vital in this life sprang from his faith in the life to come.—From "The Greatness of Bismarck," by W. T. Stead, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for September.

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In thousands of happy and thrifty homes in the Dominion and in the colony of Newfoundland the work of rug and mat making is becoming very popular. Home-made rugs and mats are more highly esteemed just now than imported goods. This is not surprising when we remember the fact that the home articles are the best wearing and prettiest.

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Russian Ice Crusher.

The Russian Government is now having constructed in England an ice-crusher of gigantic proportions. The vessel is intended for use in keeping an open channel during winter to Cronstadt and St. Petersburg, and in summer is to be stationed in the Kara sea, to keep open a way for vessels trading with North Siberia. The vessels will have engines of ten thousand indicated horse-power and will cost \$875,000. She will not only have a double bottom throughout her whole length of three hundred and five feet, but will also be provided with a double skin up to a few feet above the water line, with a space of about three feet between the skins. She will have four sets of engines of a special make, one being situated forward for working a plurality of screw propellers, and the other three will be placed aft and connected with three screws. Bunkers will be provided for five thousand tons of coal, the daily consumption being about a hundred and sixty one tons. The vessel is to be finished by the end of the year, and should her trial trip prove successful the keel will immediately be laid for a sister ship.

Superintendent: "I think that lady over there is not being properly waited upon." Floorwalker: "Oh, she doesn't want to buy anything. Everything that has been shown her she declared perfectly lovely. She hasn't found fault in the least with anything."

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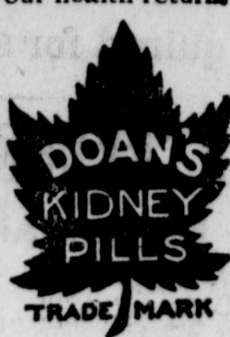
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Teacher—What celebrated event occurred at Plymouth Rock? Tommy—I know. Teacher—Well let us hear you tell the class what it was. Nobody else seems to know. Tommy—They started a new breed of chickens there.

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