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TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Sentinel
 March 27th, 1897.

While at work on a car unloading lumber on Saturday last, Albert Hayden fell off, striking on his back across the rail. He received a severe shock which will keep him in the house for some time.

The Advent Christian Conference closed its session last Sunday evening in the Advent Chapel. The following preacher

were present: Elders H Raymond, F W Blackmer, J Denton and E H Wyeth. The preaching was timely and profitable, and the people who attended the Conference were benefited.

A large crowd, including quite a number from Houlton, witnessed the races in the Roller Rink Monday evening. The one mile race was first called, James Sullivan and George Greer, both of Woodstock, being the contestants. The former got the best of the start, but young Greer kept right at it; he was not speedy enough, however, and Sullivan

won by a quarter of a lap. The second race was a disappointment in some particulars. This contest was between George Law, champion of Maine, and James Montgomery of this town, and was a two mile race. Jim did not show up in very good shape, having been sick for some days, and, shortly after starting, Montgomery fell, which put him out of the race. Woodstock Cornet Band furnished good music.

FANATICS IN THE ORIENT.

In Persia Religious Monks Are Regarded as Saints.

It appears there are places where fanatics are not shut up and kept away from the rest of the world, but are revered as saints.

This is the queer state of affairs that exists in some of the interior cities of Persia, according to an oriental traveler named Potter, who tells interesting tales of mentally deranged men who are looked upon in the light of wonderful beings.

One particularly crazy man, according to Mr. Potter the craziest man he ever saw or heard of, does nothing all day long but race up and down the streets of the city crying out at the top of his voice:

"Ah! Ah! Ah!"

Mr. Potter says that this is not a temporary form of madness, for the man has kept it up for twenty years or so. He started it when he was still a young man, and his idea, of course, is to venerate the name of the god he knows by ceaselessly shrieking his name.

"Every one venerates this lunatic," says Mr. Potter. "The richest men in the city have presented him with rare gifts. One of them gave him a horse and saddle, and with that he gallops through the streets when he is not walking. He is privileged to break up any kind of meeting or assembly, and all stop and listen to his cries as long as he is of the nation to stay in their midst."

"At his death a huge monument has already been promised, on which will be carved the word 'Ah!' so it will be to generations to come the story of a man who spent the best years of his life and all of his waking hours shrieking the name of the deity he worshipped." Exchange

AN OVERSEAS MINISTER

NEW OFFICE HAS BEEN CREATED IN DOMINION CABINET.

Sir George Perley Will Undertake the Task of Looking After Canada's Interest in Great Britain and Will Look Also After Efficiency and Welfare of the Expeditionary Forces.

SIR GEORGE PERLEY has been appointed Minister of the Canadian Overseas Forces in Great Britain, and will preside over a sub-militia council which it is intended to establish there. The requisite order-in-Council was passed last week. The situation leading up to the new system is outlined in the following memorandum issued by Sir Robert Borden:

"During his recent visit to Great Britain the Minister of Militia gave very careful consideration to more effective arrangements in connection with the overseas forces, and reached the conclusion that a committee or sub-militia council ought to be established. In view of the unexpected length of the war and the unprecedented efforts which are being exerted by Canada, in common with the rest of the Empire, for its defence and for the common welfare, careful attention was necessarily given to the situation which has developed.

The forces already despatched by Canada for overseas service in Europe number about 258,000. The expenditure involved in the organization, maintenance, equipment, and direction overseas of these forces is very great, and every available effort must be made to assure not only the highest degree of efficiency, but the most thorough and prompt co-operation of the overseas forces with those of the Mother Country and of the other dominions, as well as the most economical and careful administration of the means which are appropriated for that purpose. Having regard to all these considerations, it has been thought desirable that, in connection with the proposal to establish such a committee or council, there should be a member of the Government resident in London and charged with important duties and responsibilities in connection with the overseas forces. The Minister of Militia can visit Great Britain only occasionally, while a resident Minister would be continually in touch with the British Government, as well as with all questions touching the efficiency and welfare of the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

"The necessary orders-in-Council for the purpose have been passed, and Sir George Perley, who for two years has been resident in London, discharging the duties of High Commissioner, has been selected by the Prime Minister to undertake the duties and responsibilities of Minister of the Overseas Forces. He will bring to the important responsibilities which he has undertaken qualities and experience which will enable him to give splendid service to the country in the discharge of his duties."

Under Obligation.

"That man Jones backed me into a corner last night and kept me there two hours telling me the bright things his two-year-old boy has said."

"Gosh! You must owe Jones an awful lot of money if you'll stand for that!"

DEFOE IN THE PILLORY.

When the Famous Writer Was Both Punished and Applauded.

The whipping post had as its companion 100 years or more ago, not in this country, but in England, the pillory. This punishment was ended by an act of the British parliament, dated June 30, 1837.

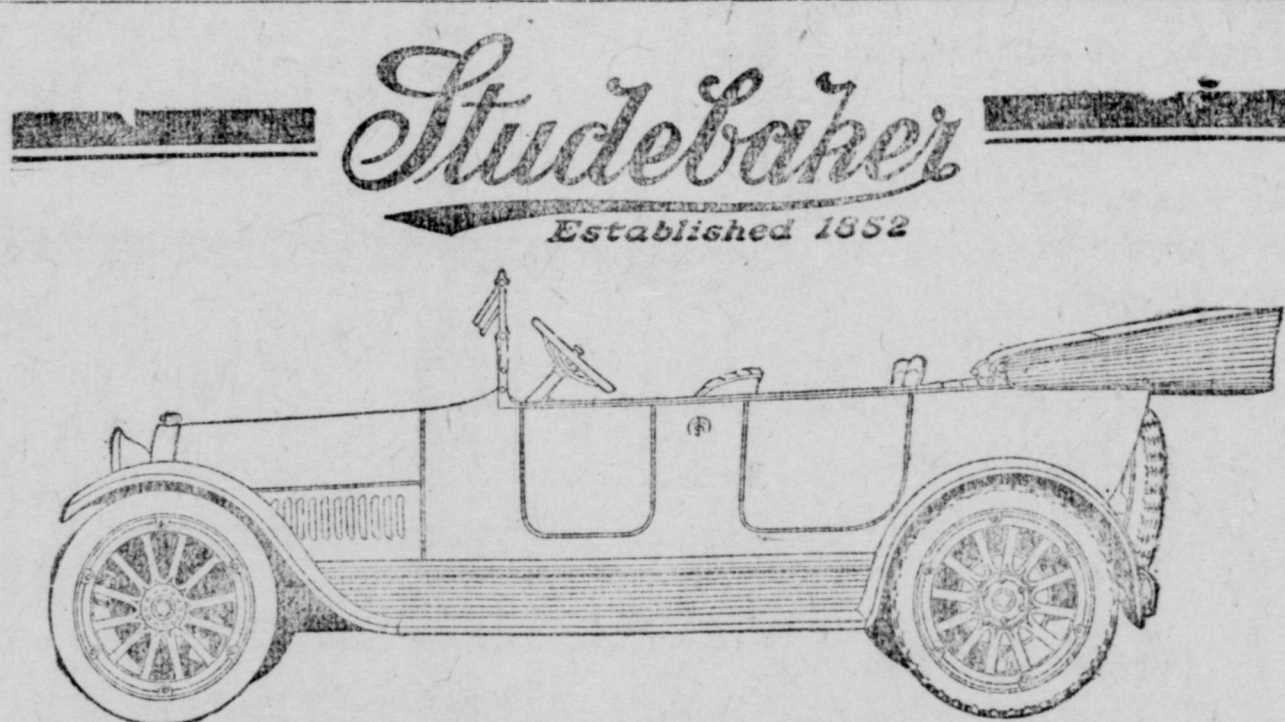
Perhaps the most famous sufferer at the pillory was a man who has delighted millions of English speaking boys and girls and many older persons by his book, "Robinson Crusoe," which was the precursor of juvenile books as we now know them. This sufferer was Daniel Defoe, who was not only a writer of entrancing fiction, but famous as a keen political pamphleteer. In 1703, in the reign of Queen Anne, there came from his hand "a scandalous and seditious pamphlet," entitled "The Shortest Way With the Dissenters." A reward of £50 was offered by the government for the author, and, rather than that his printer and publisher should suffer in his stead, Defoe gave himself up and was sentenced to be pilloried three times.

On July 29 of that year the daring satirist stood unblasted on the pillory in Cheapside. The punishment was repeated two days afterward in the Temple, where a sympathizing crowd flung garlands instead of garbage at the stout hearted pamphleteer, drank his health with loud acclamations and sang his "Hymn to the Pillory." In this hymn occur these lines:

Tell them the men that placed him here
 Are scoundrels to the times;
 Are at a loss to find his guilt
 And can't commit his crimes.

Water Colors.

Pigments have been used from the earliest times and are now used by all savages for decorative purposes. But the paint used in Babylon and Nineveh and in Pompeii was composed of pigments mixed not with oil, but with water to which had been added a little glue, our albumen, or perhaps some times casein, which is albuminous matter from milk or the gluten from cereal grains. Glue, however, which was well known to the ancient Egyptians, was the most used binding material. Such paints are now known as fresco paints or water colors.



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