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WANTED—GOOD PLAIN COOK AT ONCE. Apply during evening, 239 Princess street. 1-3—tf.

### MALE HELP WANTED

BOY WANTED. APPLY PADDOCK'S DRUG STORE. 1-21-6 t.

WANTED—ABOUT DOZEN BOYS TO learn machinist and brass finishing. Steady job. Apply T. McAvity & Sons, 69 Water St. 1-19-t f.

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TO LET — SEVERAL COMFORTABLY furnished and equipped rooms for light housekeeping, reasonable rent, at METROPOLITAN HOTEL, 103 to 109 Charlotte street.

## PROFESSOR ROBERTSON

### The Chief Asset of the Nation, He Says, Are Its Children.

(Toronto Globe)

Prof. J. W. Robertson, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue addressed the members of the Canadian Club at luncheon this week on some of the educational ideals he was endeavoring to carry out through the Macdonald Agricultural College and manual training schools. He emphasized the necessity of cultural education going hand-in-hand with vocational education and developed the thesis that on the schools of the country depended the whole material, moral and intellectual progress and prosperity of Canada.

As an evidence of what scientific agricultural education could do he referred to the fact that from practically the same area of land under cultivation Canada was now exporting one hundred million dollars' worth of farm produce, as compared with only forty-seven millions' worth ten years ago.

The United States a decade ago took Canada's hay and barley, two products which were steadily depleting the land. Now the character of the agricultural exports was changed. The export of six millions dollars' worth of butter was far better for the nation than the export of a similar quantity of hay, for the dairy industry benefited rather than depleted the land.

But more important than progress from the materialistic standpoint was progress from the humanitarian standpoint. Increased satisfaction in living was more than increased wealth in land and buildings and manufacturers. The spread of education the development of the school system, along natural lines of character development, was the most promising and fruitful source of a sound national prosperity in Canada. The bacon, the beef and the cheese products of Ontario had averaged during the last ten years a total increased annual product of $30,000,000. But the amount spent on schools was only three and one-half millions per year. "The chief asset of the nation, the children, are not getting their fair share of this increase in the nation's wealth," said Prof. Robertson.

Taxation, he continued, was the best evidence of civilization. The best guage of an advanced civilization was the measure of the amount of tax money devoted to the highest things making for the development of character. The man who objected to having his school tax raised fifty cents in order to give the youth of the land better mental nourishment was a narrow-visioned, unworthy citizen of this country. Even in Toronto the teachers in the schools were not yet getting a salary commensurate with the lasting and basic importance of their work.

"The ideals of school training," he concluded, "should broaden out to include all the energies and faculties of the boy—heart and mind and hand and eye."

## WIZARD OF THE NILE TONIGHT

### Robinson Opera Co. Open Their Return Engagement at the Opera House.

Something unheard of in the amusement line is the presentation of complete operatic productions at popular prices, but this is what the Opera House management are doing tonight. "The Wizard of the Nile," as it will be seen at the popular theatre this evening, will be as complete in every detail of custume, scenery and other stage properties as the original production at the New York Casino. The scenery is said to be the most expensive ever used in comic opera and is certainly unique in its type, being all Egyptian and historically correct to the smallest detail. The first act represents a public square in Alexandria, the second the terraced roof of King Ptolomey's palace, and the third is an exact scenic reproduction of the interior of the famous pyramid Cheops. The music and comedy of the opera are incomparably fine and the whole performance is such as to place it in a class by itself. One of the largest audiences ever assembled in the Opera House is expected this evening.

## FORSALE

FINE SUMMER COTTAGE, KNOWN AS 'Duncraigie Lodge," at Pandenic, partly furnished. As the owner has left the city it will be sold at a bargain. For further particulars apply to J. F. GLEESON, Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation Chambers, 65 Prince Wm. Street.

### LOST

LOST—ON SATURDAY NIGHT, FROM new cribs in Carleton, 2 small scows. Finder will be rewarded on advising D. C. CLARKE, contractor, W. E. 1-21-1 t.

LOST—FRIDAY NIGHT, BETWEEN TOLL House, Carleton, and Post Office, a wrist bag containing tickets, keys, etc. Finder please leave at TIMES OFFICE. 1-19-1 t.

LOST—ON SATURDAY EVENING 12TH. inst., between King Square and Brussels Street, by way of Waterloo and Middle Sts. a lady's boot, No. 3 (new). Will finder please leave at 278 WATERLOO STREET, or at this office. 1-18-1 t.

### FOUND

FOUND—A BUNCH OF KEYS, ON UNION street. Owner can have same at McLEAN, HOLT & CO.'S, Union Street, by paying for this ad. 1-19-1 t.

### MISCELLANEOUS

PLAIN SEWING AND SHIRT WAISTS made at reasonable prices. MISS MILLS, 643 Main Street, City. 1-19-3 t

WANTED—LABORING MEN TO SEE what we have to offer them in Gloves, Mitts, Sweaters, Underwear and Caps. We have some genuine good values. WETMORE'S The Young Men's Man, 154 Mill Street.

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TO LEASE—A BUILDING LOT. Apply to F. C. KINSMAN, Paradise Row. 1-8-t. f.

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## Merry Hobos.

T. C. MAPES.



THE LESSER EVIL.

First Tramp—I always get under a tree when there's a thunder-storm.

Second Tramp—Ain't you afraid uv lightning?

First Tramp—Well, yes—but I'm more afraid uv water.



DOESN'T STOP TO CHEW.

Gentle Willie—Does that bull-terrier of yours ever bite?

Mrs. Subbubbs—No, he generally swallows everything whole.



KNOCKING THE STATE.

The Preacher (to intoxicated beggar)—What excuse have you for being in this beastly state?

Beggar—I ain't—hic—got der price of a railroad ticket—hic—to git outer wid.



NOT EVEN ON HIMSELF.

First Hobo—There's one thing to my credit.

Second Hobo—What's that?

First Hobo—Nobody can say that I ever threw cold water on anything.



HE HAD A RUMBLOSSOM.

Mrs. Waunta Noe—What makes your nose so red?

The Tramp—Lady, my nose is blushing with pride because it don't meddle with other people's business.



HE WASN'T A SURVIVOR.

Mrs. Rural—So you were in that railroad accident? You're one of the survivors.

Dusty Tracks—No, mum, just a common freight-car passenger.

## INTERESTING TESTIMONY

### Evidence in Collins Case on Saturday Was Full of Interest

HOPEWELL CAPE, Jan. 21—At Saturday morning's session of the Collins murder trial, Joseph Joyce, of Forest Glen, was examined. He told of Collins coming to his hotel at Forest Glen on Aug. 20. The witness saw him in bed there about nine o'clock at night on that day. There were three beds in the room, one of which was occupied by Collins, another by the witness, and the third by James Young. About five o'clock in the morning of August 21st the witness saw a small gold hunting case watch in Collins' possession. He thought it was a lady's watch. At breakfast that morning he asked his mother what time it was and Collins produced a silver watch and told him. Collins left the house before seven o'clock.

James Young, who was in Joyce's house when Collins came in, said the prisoner had stated he had left Mary's Point that day and was going to St. John. He slept in the same room with the prisoner. While they were undressing a man came into the room and asked the time. Collins produced a watch from his pocket and told him. The watch was a small one and appeared to be gold.

Peter D. LeBlanc was examined at the afternoon session. He told of repairing a watch for Mary Ann McAulay, who left it at his place at Alberton April 4. The watch was a small gold one of the hunting case type, and had the initial "M." on the cover, and the name McAulay on the inside cover of the works. The watch was returned on May 24.

John Teahan told of finding the priest's buggy on the night of August 21.

James Doyle, who drove Father McAulay home on the afternoon of August 21 was next examined. When they got home Miss McAulay was not to be found, and at the priest's request he drove to Mrs. Williamson's to look for her. Then he drove to Duffy's, and Miss Duffy and Lena Martin accompanied him back. When they got back, the priest was standing on the road. They all went into the house. The priest asked him to go into his bedroom where things were tossed about and the panel was chopped out of the closet door. The door was locked but the priest got the key and opened it and pointed out his cash box which was under the unbroken part. Witness did not remember there were any splinters inside. Coming out of that room two men went into Father McAulay's office. Witness said the desk was in a state of disorder, as if it had been searched. After that they went to the kitchen. Witness said that by this time he was getting excited. Miss Duffy and he went to get wood to start a fire. He lit the lamp and he went into the wood pit, Miss Duffy standing near by. Father McAulay was standing on the woodshed floor. As the light shone over the rail he saw the form of a woman. He turned and said, "Father come here," he asked what was the trouble and witness replied that "there was a dead woman here." He thought it was the priest's housekeeper and that perhaps she had fainted. Her arm was bare and he put his hand on it and found it was cold. At the same time he became aware of a decayed smell. Miss Duffy handed them the light and the men went down to the pit and Father McAulay put his hand on her face and said "poor thing, her throat's cut, she's murdered." Up to that time he had not noticed any trace of blood on the floor. He saw the mat near a door which was partially open. The woodhouse floor is about two feet from the ground which is sidling, and there is about ten or twelve feet of the space which is not floored over. There was an old salt sack partly thrown over the dead woman's face, the witness continued, although he was too much agitated to take very particular notice exactly how it lay. There was, he said, blood on the sack.

Father McAulay then asked him to go to Elgin with a letter to David Moore.

Next day he went to Petitcodiac and wired a description of the prisoner to three different points. After the inquest witness said he searched for Father McAulay's axe. He searched the priest's bedroom, all through the house and the barn, and under the church. Witness looked under the commode in the priest's room but not behind it. Another door under the stairs in the priest's house had been tampered with, the panel having been split but not broken. Witness saw the axe which Mellen left there behind a large box in the barn. He took it and placed it in a large oat bin. He understood the reason why the priest wished to be sure to get home, was that prisoner was absent and Mary Ann would not wish to stay alone.

Mr. McKeown conducted the cross-examination of this witness. In answer to a question he said that the first thing he noticed in the priest's room was the broken closet door. The bed was not made up but he could not say whether or not the clothes were on it. Witness said that several searches were made for the priest's axe. At the time he searched in the bedroom he was alone and he thought he searched thoroughly.

"What is the reason you kept so clear of that commode?"

"I had no particular reason."

He said he moved the bureau a very little to ascertain if the axe was behind it. He had not so much room to see under it as under the commode. The first time witness saw the priest's axe was in court. His attention was called to the stain on the blade. He said he thought it was paint. And he gave it as his opinion that if an axe was struck into a newly painted board, and if the axe was wet with blood it would leave a stain on the wood. Witness was here handed a lens by Mr. McKeown, to examine the axe and after looking at it he said it appeared to be a little thicker in some places than in others. The axe and glass were then handed to the jury.

His honor cautioned them they were at perfect liberty to form their own opinion until it was proved. One of the jury remarked that he thought it was paint put on with a brush.

Witness did not notice any blood on the dead woman's clothes.

To Mr. Skinner, witness said he did not abstain from looking behind the commode at any one's suggestion. His search, he said, was an honest one, and he did not refrain from looking there because of any fear of finding it.

Catherine Duffy told of conditions in the priest's house after the murder. She had several times put towels on the commode in the priest's room, but had not noticed the axe.

At the monthly debate of the St. Peter's Y. M. A. held in their hall, Douglas avenue, yesterday afternoon, the subject was, "Resolved, that the farmer is more beneficial to society than the mechanic." T. Phillips led the affirmative, and was assisted by J. McCluckey, J. Walsh and H. Pierce. The negative was led by Edward Black, assisted by Joseph Gallagher, Leo Durick and Joseph Marry. The arguments were interesting and varied and much enjoyed by the audience. Judgment was given in favor of the negative.

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