



### THE CURFEW IN CANADA.

It Means That Children Must Be Under the Parental Roof at Nine O'Clock.

The curfew tolls the knell of parting day sometimes at eight and sometimes at nine o'clock in several of the towns in this province, says the Toronto Mail. It no longer means "lights out," but is simply a summons to little boys and girls to take themselves off the street to the shelter of the domestic roof, where their sphere of danger, of bad company and of mischief will be narrowed, while fuller scope will be given to their capacity for rest. The curfew bell might be looked upon as a piece of socialistic presumption on the part of the municipality, as an encroachment on the inalienable private right of the head of the family to order the affairs of his own household. But the moral sense of the town will wink at this elbowing aside of the parent by the municipality. The parent who is jealous of his prerogative as the ruler of his children fails to exercise that prerogative and delegates it to the town when he allows them to be a public nuisance and such a worry to the public.

The police should not be called upon to render service as nurses to truant officers. They should be left free to keep adults out of mischief. There is no more vexatious, tantalizing duty than that of keeping track of a company of mischievous boys. They are likely to absorb the attention of any policeman who has them on his beat. Consequently, older and worse offenders are given a freer hand. Nor is there anything that demoralizes a policeman more than that kind of service. He is apt to lose his interest in larger game and sink into a spy on the conduct of urchins, who will then make it a point to fill up his time with larks, and escapades. The curfew tends to take this strain off the police.

### HIS ORDER.

The College President's Injunction Was a Difficult One to Obey.

The speaker who has planned an address for a multitude, and finds himself confronted with but a single auditor, sometimes fails to readjust his remarks, and the result is apt to be ludicrous. A little story illustrative of this point is told in connection with a former president of the University of North Carolina.

One day, as this dignified and stately personage was walking about the campus, he observed an unlawful assemblage of students at some little distance. He did not hasten his steps, but proceeded slowly toward them with his head down and his eyes apparently bent in contemplation of his own boots.

When this leisurely proceeding had brought him to the spot where the students had been gathered, only one young man remained, the others having precipitately departed.

The president raised his head and surveyed the solitary culprit with apparent severity, although the young man always contended that he detected a twinkle in his keen eyes.

"Sir," said the president in a commanding tone, "instantly disperse to your several places of abode!"

Difficult though the feat required certainly was, the young man executed it to the best of his ability by "dispersing" without further delay.

### WOMEN STATION AGENTS.

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"I spent two months of last fall in Australia," said a traveler to a New York Telegram man, "and saw some very funny things, but nothing struck me as more peculiar than the lady station agents, who are now quite common in some parts of the colony. To do the ladies justice, they appear to be perfectly competent to carry out the work assigned to them, and they have a way of answering questions without resenting each one as an insult, which is very refreshing. In some of the small stations a woman is in sole control, operates the telegraph herself, sells the tickets, looks after what little freight arrives and is shipped, exercises general supervision over the train hands and sleeps in a little room either above or behind her office. None of them seems to be in the least disconcerted or alarmed in consequence of risks which they evidently run, and, as far as the public is concerned, the innovation is by no means objectionable. But just how these ladies keep body and soul together on the meager stipend which varies between thirty cents and sixty cents per day is one of those mysteries the solution of which is known only to the ladies themselves and the soulless corporations which employ them."

### Leeks Vs. Leeks.

An old hunter said the other day that when he first went up into Michigan and Wisconsin where wild leeks abound, he was surprised to find lying at the side of his plate at the table a piece of leek about three or four inches long. He did not understand why it was placed there until he tried the butter, which he found to be almost intolerable from the taste of leeks. He then followed the example of the others and ate the leek, when he found the butter instantly transferred into just as delicious butter as he ever tasted. The leeks grow up through the snow, and are the first green thing to be found in the fields and along the streams, and the cows eat them with a relish; with the result that the butter made from their milk is strongly scented, and the disagreeable taste can only be removed by fighting it with its own weapon, and so leeks are provided for each plate.

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