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THE HARBOR EXPANSION TIMETABLE—WHAT IS HALTING IT?

"Divide and rule, a capital motto:
Unite and lead, a better one!"

Every once in a while, just as it appears that Saint John is about to make a long and profitable step forward in harbor policy and expansion, something, or somebody, throws the proverbial monkey-wrench into the machinery. That has cost this city heavily in money, in hope, in prospects, because the delay weakened our enterprises from many angles, and tended

Of having three sets of legislative as femilies, three prime ministers and triplication of Cabinet ministers. We had an idea that united departments could work more effectively for the development of that country. We humbly suggested that this would be a good move.

However, the suggestion has brought down on our heads the wrath of newspaper editors of the Maritime Provinces to settle themselves. If they like the present system no one is going to dictate to them. They can run their own affairs.

The Times-Star itself is among the prises from many angles, and tended The Times-Star itself is among the

project—essential to the proper use of Maritime Union and Maritime readthis port by the Canadian National Railways—has been bedeviled from its very inception. In 1908 when the Grand Trunk Pacific was preparing to build in or resentment, but we were unable to the proper use of the Trunk Pacific was preparing to build to avoid the conviction that their arguments were based upon false premises and betrayed a conspicuous misunderfrom Winnipeg to the Courtenay Bay and betrayed a conspicuous misunderstanding of the case.

Why is it, that when hubby says
That cooking meals is play,
He always, when his wife is gone,
Will eat at a cafe? pier-side, when, in the language of an standing of the case. orator of that day, we could already the Press says frankly that Some kids will get sunburne the whistle of the Hong-Kong the people of Ontario have no thought swimming this summer—and train," the people of Saint John, or telling the people down by the sea will get tanned. seeing in the newspapers pictures of a what they should do, and it continues

way that we had for many years bene- that reference to Toronto will be refited from the Canadian Pacific Rail- ceived with something like smiling apway on the West Side. That was true preciation. It is foolish to talk about hatred growing up between the prov-Detailed plans for a comprehensive inces or cities of the Dominion; it is

dredging was done. Then there was of thought, Toronto and one or two consin Octopus. no money. Before the last general other centres are lagging behind, why, election dredging was started and that will all come out in the wash. there was an appropriation available, left over from the year before.

Today, when the people of Saint It will contain much more than a finan-John are expecting that ample money cial accounting and survey of the Cana-to build the piers will be provided in the supplementary estimates, new tents the speech will throw fresh light difficulties have arisen. Somebody has upon the whole political situation. suddenly discovered-some gentleman with a monkey wrench concealed about his person—that the piers ought not to Odds and Ends to build them, and where reclamation work has already been done, but that the scheme is all wrong and that they (The Nomad in Boston Transcript.) should be built elsewhere-doubtless in order that somebody may profit F.

richly by the change in location. The order-in-council authorizing this work was passed on September 26, 1925. It sets out the existing facts and the declared purposes of the Government in language clear beyond under the authority of the Privy Council, that the C. N. R. asked for the development and approved of it, and views and agreed to prosecute the written to the Nomad of this sky phenomenon of March 25. It is described to conclusion with all reasonable nomenon of March 25. It is described

ary estimates do not contain ample wonders were everywhere seen in the the inevitable and general conclusion will be that Saint John is once more the victim of political bunk on a scale at once foolish and extraordinary.

Should Saint John make that discovery when the supplementary estimates are tabled, it would naturally consider in what fashion it will answer such a challenge to its intelligence and such a deliberate attack upon its most vital prospects—from whatever source that attack was launched.

Do you see that cloud, that's almost in shape like a came!

By HENRY BERENGER

Ambassador of France in the U. S, and former journalist, in an address.

WE who have worked a long time on the press and in politics know on the press and in politics know of their Olympus.

Never have these humble truths appeared more important than today in the present relations between America and the other continents. Many occasions of misunderstanding or hills.

A FAMILY AFFAIR.

That excellent Canadian journal, the That excellent Canadian journal, the London Free Press, which has said more than one word of encouragement if he have imagination, is in no need of and appreciation regarding the situation menageries or of art galleries.

Very like a whale.

Not only do the foreign correspondents register all the vibrations of this great humanity, but they are also able to increase or disturb them. and appreciation regarding the situation menageries or of art galleries. in the Maritimes, has returned again to the fray. In a recent editorial it

The Maritime Provinces evidently do not relish the idea fo a union of the three provinces under one government. At this distance it looked to The Free Press as the sensible thing to have a union of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island under one government. We imagined that it would make for economy and efficiency in and so supported, has never failed. And collaborators of this great and sincere international solidarity. (Minneapolis Journal.)

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The Very Idea! By Mail Cochurana

PAPERING THE wall paper man's been ahangin' around, an' changin' the looks of

the place. A swish and a swash is his nusical sound, and a paste brush is settin' the pace.

He's littered the dining room, kitchen and hall, but that's part of his bus'ness, I guess. The paper scraps linger wherever they fall, and add to the terrible mess.

When father comes home say it

When father comes home-say, it isn't so nice. He just has to climb

the drug stores stay open.

seeing in the newspapers pictures of a what they should be stress of docks with great steamships in a vein that is interesting and that, skirts any more. Try and do it! Men don't hide behind their wives

what they should do, and it continues series of docks with great steamships thying therein, loading and unloading and unloading

Just Fun

THAT FIRST MATCH cheme of development at East Saint absurd to think that in the end nine FIRST AUTOIST: Why are yo

Silver moon, Pretty miss; Lips upturned For a kiss.

uses the overhead game."—Notre

plume-like in appearance. The writer 'phoned Harvard Observatory, but as they had not seen what I mentioned the information EGGS WERE RUSHED ing considerably impressed we looked for some mention in the MRS. JUSTWED: Your eggs seem very small today. GROCER: They do. I'm sure

by an observer at West Roxbury as too being in appearance remarkably like the Aurora though it passed from the east across the north toward the west,

HIGHBROW (softly): It's a com-

Saint John, and Liberals having the ear of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, should examine the copy of that order-in-council—which is public property—and should press resolutely for an implex life."
LOWBROW: Eh! Why?

mediate showdown.

In other words, if the supplementmember the days when the World War

hoped for was not obtained. Be-

Boston papers, but were disap-

Methinks it is like a weasel.

It is backed like a weasel.

Or, like a whale? Very like a whale.

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, SAINT JOHN, N B., THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1926 Probably Not

THE WORST OF GREAT PERSONS IS THAT WHILE THEY LOOK DISTINGUISHED ENOUGH DRESSED UP INSIDE FRAMES .-



IF YOU COULD SEE THEM IN ORDINARY CLOTHES SITTING OPPOSITE YOU IN THE TUBE, YOU PROBABLY WOULDN'T BE AT ALL IMPRESSED.

"Counsel to Girls," by Robert Herrick, field, he stands without a peer in Eng-

From the Star, London.



Tohn were drawn, were approved millions of people of the one family anot only by the Domainion Department of Public Works, but by the engineers of the C. N. R. Some will emerge for all. If, in the procession of the content of throwing that match away?

SECONT AUTOIST: I always throw the first one away because I never have been able to light my cigar on the first one, anyway.—Wistone content of throwing that match away?

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Butler wanted to be a painter. He

Was to be learnt about it—if I had approached painting in this way I would have been all right.

"I listened to the nonsense about how I ought to study before beginning to paint, and about never painting without the same old story with regard to all the same old story

Today brings the budget at Ottawa. It will contain much more than a financial accounting and survey of the Canadian field. By its very nature and contents the speech will throw fresh light upon the whole political situation.

Odds and Ends

Wonders in the Sky

(The Nomad in Boston Transcript.)

This note is sent to the Nomad by F. W. W. from Newtonville:

The evening of March 25, about ten o'clock, clouds of unusual size and beauty were seen. One was plume-like in appearance. The will be considered against practical ones, and the maker of any brought it back and made you understand. The two study and not to paint, and about never painting with four in studying how to study and not to paint. The two study and not to paint, and about never painting with our analytic and low to study and not to paint. The two study and no A SAFE PLACE

[KE: I have some very valuable
papers here. Can you advise me
concerning a safe place for them.



A TRAVELER in the South chatted with an aged negro, whom he met "And I suppose you were once a

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have arisen or are arising. The responsibility for dispelling these clouds and sweetening this bitterness is ours as journalists and diplomats.

The instruments of their sovereignty are the telegraph or the telephone News from them can make fortunes and empires rise and fall. But different

premises, and the fall of the dumplings on the hard ground shattering them, the ducks gobbled up the fragments.

Five minutes letter Five minutes later, a timid knock was heard at the door, and a pale-faced urchin, awed by the strange tale of disaster he had to tell, thrust in his head and gasped, "Missus, yer ducks become ""."

GIRLS UNDER A CLOUD

Japanese girls are up against a tough proposition. An old superstition of obscure origin is responsible for im-"And, so, after the war, you gained posing a severe handicap on girls who your freedom," the gentleman con- are 20 years old this year. It is said sadly.

"No, suh," he declared with great emphasis. "Not perzactly, suh. I didn't get mah freedom, suh, after de war—I done got married!"

"Insulate for wives. In this unlucky time occurs every 61 years, and although the superstition is waning, there are still large numbers of parents who won't allow their sons to marry girls under this cloud.



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