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J. L. STEWART,..... EDITOR.

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 15.

Enlightenment Required.

We always supposed that those who in the language of some denominations "professed religion" were accounted as incapable of committing any sin, as always and under all circumstances acceptable to God and especially beloved by Him.—*Freeman.*

Is it possible that the Speaker of the House of Commons has really been laboring under so great a delusion as he confesses? Is it possible that anybody in this country can be so ignorant of the spirit of Protestantism as to suppose that those who "profess religion are accounted as incapable of committing any sin"? And yet we must accept the statement, as it is evidently sincere. Protestantism must be grievously misunderstood by the mass of our Catholic fellow-citizens when their political and journalistic chief imagines that members of Protestant churches are regarded as saints without sin, and it would be well to take some steps for the spreading of information on the subject. Those who talk to Catholics of Protestantism, and those who talk to Protestants of Catholicism, are, unfortunately, generally those who are ignorant of the subject, or those who have been rendered incapable of telling the truth on it by personal grievances. Here is Mr. Anglin, for instance, with many Protestant readers and friends, and on whom thousands of Catholics have long depended for correct interpretations of Protestant movements, so ignorant of Protestantism as to suppose that "professing Christians" are regarded as sinless by their co-religionists! It is time, surely, that a Home Mission should be started for the spread of useful information. When the members of different denominations understand each other better there will be less sectarian bickering.

Muzzling the Press.

Newspaper license, especially on international topics, is often condemned as one of the disadvantages of free countries. Despotism points to its muzzled press, and its imprisoned editors, and claims to be managing things much more satisfactorily. In Prussia, so strict is the censorship exercised over the press, that it is said that the next most disagreeable thing to being a bishop is being a newspaper editor. The press is hardly less sharply looked after there than the Church, and, in figurative language, the editor who would venture to call his soul his own would be brought to immediate and condign punishment. Not to go beyond the present moment no less than four editors are undergoing various terms of imprisonment for violation of the law, though two of them are permitted to continue their literary labors during confinement. Other Continental Governments pursue the same policy of keeping up a strict watch over the political utterances of the public journals. It is doubtful whether all the advantages that are derived from this system are equal to the disadvantages attending it, as, in countries where the press is held in check by special laws and special control, the authorities are naturally regarded as responsible for utterances which they allow to pass unnoticed and unchecked; and, in fact, every newspaper is invested with a sort of official character. An imprudent or offensive statement in a newspaper may thus justify diplomatic complaints and a good deal of annoyance. Such a statement, for instance, in a French newspaper would be a proper subject for remonstrance; but no one would think of troubling the British Government on account of anything published in an English paper. We have seen, quite recently, a dangerous state of national excitement created by an article in a Berlin newspaper, simply because it was assumed that the journal would not have dared to publish such an article without the approval of the authorities.

The United States have no Burpee Ring, but they have the Credit Mobilier Ring, the Mail Contract Ring, the Land Grant Ring, the Ocean Subsidy Ring, the Whiskey Ring, the Memphis-El Paso Ring, Boss Shepherd and Measurer Babcock's Washington Ring, Delano's Indian Ring, Landaulet Williams's Southern Marshal's Ring, Secor Robeson's Naval Contract Ring, Fish and Webster's Spanish-Cuban Ring, Cresswell's Postal Contract Straw-bid Ring, the Louisiana Casey-Kellogg Ring, Grant and Babcock's San Domingo Ring, the Tweed Ring and the Canal Ring.

This is the kind of a man, according to the N. Y. *Sun*, who holds a seat in that august body, the Senate of the United States:

There is not in the Union a finer specimen of the carpet-bagger than Spencer of Alabama. A camp follower, sutler, thief, ballot-box stuffer, protégé of Williams, favorite of Grant, he is precisely that kind of human vulture we imagine the perfect carpet-bagger to be. In the Senate he has steadily enhanced the infamy acquired by his previous career, until, like the lowest type of the night-walker, he is shunned by those who naturally seek the shelter of the same shadows, and his own species pass him by on the other side.

The Methodist Conference in Calais has ordained six Chinamen as deacons.

Moncton decided in favor of incorporation yesterday, the vote being 158 to 66.

There is to be a spelling match tonight in the hall at Hampton Village. A large number of contestants will participate, and much fun may be expected. Mr. Raymond, Principal of the Kings County Grammar School, has kindly consented to act as pedagogue.

Well done, Geddes.—The many St. John friends of Mr. T. C. Geddes, formerly of THE TRIBUNE, will be glad to know that he has sailed safely into the haven of matrimony. The wedding, we are told, was a good old-fashioned affair. The guests were numerous, and the dancing was kept up till morning. A truly rural charivaric, participated in by a large crowd, showed the popular interest in the happy event.

There appears to be some hitch about the contract for the Fredericton City Hall, which was awarded to Messrs. Crosby & Campbell of this city. The *Head Quarters* says that the Mayor has made it binding, and his alterations appear to the contractors to be "overstringent." Under the circumstances the matter should be plainly understood now, that the corporation may not have to raise a considerable additional amount to complete the building. If it should be erected at the contract price and according to specifications, the rate-payers will have no cause to regret the bargain.

The Coming Poem on the Scandal.

Walt Whitman is devoting his leisure moments to the composition of a poem on the scandal. A few lines will serve to show that the terrors of his genius are unabated:

Cornucopœia of pestiferous peccadilloes!
Plague, pestilence, slaughter, famine,
arson, murder, tempest,
lightning, shipwreck, North
Pacific Bonds and Orange
county butter—
What are these to that, or this to those?
Warming the Pole; icing the Equator;
Siting sad, solitary; leaping, crawling,
flying all around the world, and
on the rocks of Terra del Fuego.
Parthenope horrida! Periscopic woe!
Succotash of social slime immense,
Dimming the argent plenilune;
Mush, slush, gush. Shearman avaunt!
O Elisabeth! O Henry!

A RIDE FOR A RING.

(*Continued from First Page.*)

The morning broke clear and bright; every tree was silvered with hoar frost, and a deep rime covered the ground, and many an anxious conjecture was raised amongst the party assembled as to the probability of its being fit for hunting. Perhaps the most really interested of any, though apparently unconcerned, was Cicely. True, Evelyn's maid had discovered for her a habit that fitted to perfection, and her hat was a most *piquante* affair, so that it would be a great pity not to display them. Girls are naturally anxious to occupy the place in which they show to most advantage, and Miss Burnett knew she shone on horseback. At length the frost on the bows turned to glistening beads, then drops began to patter on the ground beneath, the white rime disappeared, and as one by one scarlet-coated men appeared before the house, all fear as to the hounds being stopped was at an end. There was huge feeding at Eldon Hall that morning, for old Squire Crawford was not one to reject the rights of hospitality. The lord in scarlet and yeoman in green might be seen side by side around his ample board, while flagons of ale were freely dispensed to the rustics and servants who led the horses to and fro without.

What a scene it was as Mr. Hinton at length gave the signal to throw off, and the hounds were put into the laurels (a sure find). More than a hundred horsemen, to say nothing of carriages and foot people, all eager for the sport, were present. Cicely felt all its influence and her eye sparkled and brow flushed as the Squire lifted her upon Swallow until the old man thought her handsomer than his own loved daughter, into whose ear Hilton was at the same moment whispering some compliment. A fox was soon found and nearly as soon killed, for it was a show meet, and the foot people felt privileged to surround him and "holloa" in every direction. "Now for Moorside Craigs," said the master, when the "Whoo-whoop," and "Tear him, tear him!" was all over.

"How cruel," said Evelyn, "to go to that horrid place; you know, if you find, we must keep the roads in that country."

"Is it, then, so very difficult?" asked Cicely, her eye again brightening.

"Not to good riders well mounted," said the Squire; "but far too severe for old fellows like me, and ladies. In fact few of our best men care to ride it when the ground is deep."

Moorside Craigs was a small covert overlooking a fine vale across which foxes generally ran to some woodlands about ten miles distant, and was composed of gorse, brambles, old thorns, &c., interspersed with huge boulders of rock, from which the place took its name. Our principal object is not so much to describe a fox-hunt as its consequences, or we should tell how Finder challenged, and how from single notes the whole pack at last joined chorus. That our readers must excuse, and fancy our friends seated on high ground, anxiously watching the course of events, when one of the whippers-in is seen to hold his cap in the air at the lower corner of the covert.

"By Jove he's over the vale!" exclaims Hinton, clapping spurs to his horse, and half scrambling, half sliding down the slippery turf towards the point indicated.

"He's for Boughead Woods," cries the Squire; "we must take the lanes, girls, make haste. Come along"— and off he bustles, followed by Evelyn.

Not so Cicely. Turning Swallow's head, she faced the descent, leaped a low wall at the bottom, and was soon racing across a large pasture, in company with Hinton, the whips, and some dozens others. The hounds were well away, the pace tremendous, and it was only as Hinton turned his head for a moment, on hearing a crashing of rails, that he became aware of the fair form beside him. There she was, firm as a rock, yet giving easily to every motion of her horse, sailing along without an effort, taking every obstacle in her stride neck and neck with him. Fond of hunting as he was, gallantly as the hounds were running, he could not help dividing his attention. Those were not the days in which women rode so much or so well as at present, and he had never seen anything like it. Less and less was his attention bestowed on the hounds, and more on Cicely, as the chase sped onward. Their companions dropped to the rear one by one; he noticed it not. As it appeared, instinctively picking the firmest ground and most practicable places, she sailed along as if by magic, while old Swallow nobly repaid the confidence reposed in him.

At length Hinton became conscious that the pack were disappearing momentarily from view, to emerge dripping wet on what seemed a merely level surface. "Good Heavens!" cried he, "here's the brook. You must not attempt it. I know a ford close at hand." And still with a lingering eye on his pack, he reluctantly turned away.

A quiet smile was Cicely's only answer, as she patted Swallow's neck, and then setting him skilfully at it, cleared the water at a bound. She heard the beat of Hinton's feet as he turned to follow her—heard the thud as he pitched and the splash and struggle that followed when the bank gave way, and horse and rider slipped back into the water, but she never turned her head. When he once more gained *terra firma* Swallow was more than a field ahead, and still going straight as his name applied. The water had shaken the few remaining stragglers, and Hinton struggled on in the line of the flying pack and their fair attendant alone in a hopeless stern chase. At last crashing into a field he found the hounds snarling over the remains of their fox, and was just in time to save the head for himself and the brush to present to Miss Burnett.

"Really, Mr. Hinton, I fear I have been imprudent in deserting my companions in this fashion, but I could not resist when the hounds went away so beautifully. Am I very far from Eldon Hall?"

"Nearly twelve miles; but I see my whips in the distance. When I have delivered the hounds into their charge, you must allow me to assume the office of guide and escort you thither, for the route is somewhat intricate. Nay, I can take no denial, and as I am already engaged to dine there this evening, you are really conferring a favor by saving me a lonely ride."

What passed during that long twelve-mile journey has never transpired. Cicely was quiet, nay almost absent during dinner. Nor was there any conference between the friends that night in Evelyn's boudoir. The latter chided her friend gently for running such desperate risks the next day, and told her that Hinton had spoken so highly of her riding that she really feared she had come there to steal her sweetheart. Cicely smiled, and told her Hinton was more likely to be chagrined because she had fairly ridden away from him. And when church was over and dinner discussed next day she entered into the Christmas gambols more gayly than any child present—and their name was legion—and declared when she kissed Evelyn, and departed a few days subsequently, that it was the jolliest Christmas she had ever spent.

Within a month of that she was a bride at the altar; Hinton was her bridegroom; and poor Evelyn, ere another year came round, was in the churchyard, whither the old Squire soon followed her. And Eldon has long since ceased to hold a merry Christmastide.

Never in the history of New York, says the *Sun*, were there so many stores to let on Broadway as now. The first of May has passed, and yet the posters "To Let" stare one in the face all the way up Broadway from Canal to Fourteenth st. Beyond that, from say Sixteenth to Twenty-third street, the pedestrian misses them. Then again they begin to appear in the otherwise vacant shop windows, and that pretty steadily far up to Forty-second street.

LOCALS.

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET, see Auction column.

New Advertisements.

Advertisers must send in their favors before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure their appearance in this list.

New Prints—Likely, Cameron & Golding
Straw Paper— Everitt & Butler
North Shore Steamer— Enoch Lunt & Sons
Mess Pork— Geo Morrison, Jr
New Books— J & A McMillan
Table Salt— Masters & Patterson
Blacking— do
Split Herring— do
Beans— do

AUCTIONS.

Bankrupt Stock E H Lester

REMOVAL.—The Business Office of the DAILY TRIBUNE has been Removed up stairs, on the same Floor with Editorial Rooms.

Sunday Services.

Duke street Chapel—Preaching by Elder Garratt at 11 a. m. Theme—A Christian's refuge from justice. Evening—Slavery preferred to a throne. All seats free.

Dr. Arnold requests us to state, that he will give attendance and medicine free to all the poor of the Province, at the Victoria Hotel, from 2 till 4 o'clock every day, during his stay in St. John, which will be until October next. 1m

Brevities.

All the strikes have ended.

The remains of the late Mr. Morrison were interred at St. Andrews yesterday.

The County Court will sit next week to determine the remainder of the Glass Works cases.

A number of dramatic artists, including the genial Mr. J. B. Fuller, have arrived in the city.

This afternoon the Suspension Bridge Co. are to consider the question of selling out to the Government.

It is stated that the system of free mail delivery in the city will be inaugurated at an early day. The carriers will be six or seven in number, and there will be three deliveries each day in the business districts and two in those more remote.

The Railway Round House, near City Road, is to be supplied with water from Lily Lake, for the use of the locomotives. The work of digging trenches for the pipes was commenced yesterday morning, and about 100 men will be employed. It is said these are nearly all members of the L. B. A. The pay is $1.40 a day.

The best selected stock of Cigars, including the celebrated brands Henry Clay, Prof. Morse and Flor del Fumar, meerschaum and briar pipes, tobaccos and smokers' articles, will be found at Robertson's, 74 Prince Wm. street.

Barnabee last night.

Nobody who has heard Barnabee was surprised at the full house he drew last night, and no one who went for the first time was disappointed in the entertainment. The programme was good in its arrangement and well carried out, Barnabee, as usual, retiring after each selection amid applause which showed a genuine appreciation of the gifted humorist. From first to last the entertainment was enjoyable, and so judiciously timed as to produce none of that weariness which so frequently attends the exhibition of stage humor. Barnabee is a genius in several lines, and is successful in whatever he undertakes. Miss Persis Bell has great skill in procuring harmony from the violin. Her efforts last night were well appreciated, as they could hardly fail to be by all whose senses were susceptible to the sweetness of music. Mr. Dow presided at the piano with his usual well known skill, and materially added to the success of this excellent entertainment.

THE DAILY TRIBUNE and all the most popular Canadian, English and American newspapers and magazines can always be obtained at the bookstore of Mr. W. K. Crawford, King street. aug 8

Common Council.

A lengthy session of the Common Council was held yesterday afternoon.

The report of the Fire Committee was adopted. It recommends the appointment of thirteen hosemen for No. 3 Company, and leaves three vacancies to be filled. The Secretary of the H. & L. Company was directed to furnish monthly statements of the men's attendance. The Chamberlain was authorized to borrow money to pay the Department to November last; and permission was given John Kerr to attach a private alarm to the wires, he paying the expense.

Several leases were ordered to be granted, on recommendation of the different Lands Committees.

The Special Committee on the petition of Mathew Thompson, recommended that no compromise be made, as the suit against the city has been entered at the present Court. Mr. Thompson denies that he authorized any action. Report adopted.

The report of the Police Committee was also adopted. It recommends that the fine recently imposed on F. A. Moffat be not refunded. The most important section of the report related to the police force, to which, it recommended, three men be added; and that the scale of wages be as follows: Sergeants $1.75 per day; men who have served 6 months on the force, $1.50 per day, and those under 6 months $1.25 per day—these latter to receive $1.50 after six months' service.

Considerable discussion was caused by the report of the Street Committee, which, among other things, recommended that a horse and carriage be purchased for the use of the Street Inspector. Coun. Flaglor thought that a man who could not attend to such duties on foot should make room for one who could, and he believed that the team would be used oftener for fishing excursions than for the purposes of street inspection. The report was finally adopted, and the Inspector is to have a horse at the expense of the people.

Messrs. H. A. Glasgow and J. H. Leonard were appointed directors of the Carleton Branch Railway.

The committee appointed to examine into the matter of the moneys alleged to be held by Mr. Ketchum, late Chairman of the Water Commissioners in Carleton, reported that about $2,000 is still due. They recommended that the sureties, Messrs. Daniel Clark and —— ——, be directed to pay this in seven days, or in default be proceeded against at law. Accompanying the report was a letter from Geo. F. Harding, the present chairman, who stated that on the 21st of April Mr. Ketchum tendered him a statement with the balance which he said was then due, $189.40. This Mr. Harding refused to receive; but subsequently it was sent to him in a package. In this statement Mr. Ketchum claims $600 a year for the ten years since 1864. During all these years he has received—$400 in some years, $325 in others, and $600 in each of the last two years—in all $4,700, which would leave $1,900 due him at the end of 1874, and this amount he had withheld. After a long debate, in which one member said that one of the sureties had put the property out of his hands in anticipation of being called on, the whole matter was referred to a special committee.

The petition of Mrs. Langan for the remission of a fine imposed on her for throwing slops on the street was referred.

The matter of the sunken scow in the Market Slip was referred to the Harbor Committee with power to remove.

The Mayor was empowered to make the best arrangements in regard to leasing the right of advertising on the outer walls of the temporary market shed.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Bunting, clerk to the assessors, as he desires to visit some relatives on the Pacific coast.

Ald. Ferguson and Couns. Quinton, Stockton, Cassidy and Coxetter were appointed revisors.

The different lessees of slippage were appointed collectors of the tolls thereof.

The Mayor reported that the spar buoy had been stolen from the harbor, and $30 was voted for a new one.

A motion was passed ordering the "usual amount" to be paid to the Bill Committee for expenses to Fredericton, but what this usual amount was could not be ascertained.

The Fire Committee were instructed to enquire into the cost of a suitable alarm bell for Lower Cove, and after a number of small motions regarding sidewalks, lamps, &c., the Council adjourned.

"ALAS FOR THE RARITY OF CHRISTIAN CHARITY UNDER THE SUN."—A few days ago an old man might have been seen going round town begging cents; his plea was that he was sick and wanted to buy medicine. After many unsuccessful attempts he at last accosted a gentleman at the corner of King and Germain streets with the same plea. He was asked, What do you want the medicine for? He replied that he had Catarrh very bad and wanted to raise thirty five cents to buy a box of Reder's German Snuff. The gentleman, having been cured himself of that disease with this wonderful compound, readily gave him the amount and sent the old man on his way rejoicing.

Shipping Notes.

New Vessels.—Messrs. Hillard Bros., Straight Shore, have on the stocks at their yard, planked and partly painted, a ship of about 1,500 tons, measuring, length 215 feet, breadth 39 feet, depth 24 feet. She is being built for D. V. Roberts, Esq., and others of this city. She is a handsome craft, built of the best material.

Pugwash harbor is open for navigation. There has been one arrival.

Pictou's first tug.—The first screw tug boat built in the County of Pictou was launched from the yard of the Nova Scotia Forge Company on the 8th inst. She is named Alpha and is owned by parties in Pictou, being intended for service on the harbor.

Steamers.—The City of St. John arrived at Point du Chene yesterday afternoon. She left for Richibucto direct this morning. She will return to the Point this evening, leaving again on Monday, on the arrival of the morning train from St. John, for Chatham and Newcastle, returning again Tuesday. On the 20th she commences her regular trips to Campbellton.

The Barrington Lightship has been placed in her position, the Government steamer Lady Head having towed her round.

Shipbuilding at Nappan.—Mr. James Feterlon has on the stocks at his yard a ship of about 1000 tons. She measures 160 feet keel, 35 feet beam, and 20 feet held, and will class 8 years French Lloyds. She is copper fastened twenty feet up. This vessel is being sold in shares by her builder. She will be launched next fall.

Point Lepreaux, May 15th, 9 a. m.—Wind E. S. E., moderate, cloudy; one bark, six schooners outward; one schr. inward; ship Choice in sight, outward, at sunset.

Rural Cemetery.

MR. SPRAGG will run the two first-class omnibuses, ONWARD and UNDAUNTED, to the RURAL CEMETERY, every fine day during the season, beginning on Monday, May 3rd., for the accommodation of visitors. Hours for leaving the Bell Tower (head of King street) will be as follows: Half-past one, two, half-past two and three o'clock, p. m. Mr. Spragg also runs a "buss" regularly to Fairville, twice daily, leaving Market Square at 9 a. m. and 3.15 p. m.

None but a physician knows how much a reliable *alterative* is needed by the people. On all sides of us, in all communities everywhere, there are multitudes who suffer from complaints that nothing but an *alterative* cures. Hence a great many of them have been made and put abroad with the assurance of being effectual. But they fail to accomplish the cures they promise, because they have not the intrinsic virtues they claim. In this state of the case, DR. J. C. AYER & CO., of Lowell, have supplied a COMPOUND EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA, which proves to be a long desired remedy. Its peculiar difference from other kindred preparations in the market is that it *cures* the diseases for which it is recommended, while they do not. We are assured of this fact by more than one intelligent physician in this neighborhood, and have the further evidence of our own experience of its truth.—*Nashville (Tenn.) Farmer.*

Partagas—number one—cigars, at Robertson's, 74 Prince Wm. street.

The expenditure of brain power too early or too severely in children often results in physical debility; the use of Fellows' Hypophosphites exerts a singularly happy effect in such cases.

A SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

A Shoemaker Shoots his Landlady and kills himself—A letter explaining the cause.

The most shocking tragedy that has occurred since the Doyle murder and suicide last summer took place in a house on Brussels street this morning. The parties were a man named Ambrose Bowles, 58 years of age, shoemaker, and a woman named Gallant, aged about 47, wife of John Gallant, house carpenter. The cause of the quarrel is not certainly known, but is supposed to have been jealousy arrising out of some alleged improper relation of Bowles to the woman. The tragedy took place in a house on Brussels street, nearly opposite the Baptist Church, and occupied by Gallant and family in the upper stories, and containing shops on the ground flat. The house was formerly owned by Bowles, but was recently put into the hands of his son. Bowles, who is a widower, has boarded with the Gallants for about a year, and it is rumored has a long time sustained an intimacy with the object of his attack. Until to-day it was not thought there was any quarrel between the parties, and even now the motives of the man are only a matter of conjecture.

At half-past six this morning Mr. Wotrich, gunsmith, opened his shop, which is in the lower story of Bowles's house. Soon after Bowles came in and sat down. He appeared in his usual condition, was thought to be perfectly sane and gave no evidence of any unusual emotion. He remarked that it was a pleasant morning, and after sitting a short time went out. Mr. Wotrich did not see him again until after the shooting.

About half-past nine Wotrich was at work in his shop which is to the right hand of the stairway leading up to Gallant's apartments. The door between the hall and the shop was open and any words could have been heard if uttered by parties on the stairs. Wotrich heard no dispute of any kind, but was startled by the report of a revolver. Immediately after, Mrs. Gallant, who had been scrubbing the stairs, ran down to the shop door. As she did so another shot was fired. She stood at the door as if bewildered and then turned to go up stairs. Then two shots were fired in quick succession, and she ran back with the blood flowing from the front of the waist of her dress. The next moment two shots were fired in a room above Wotrich's shop. The people of the neighborhood had by this time gathered around, and the woman, who was still able to stand up, was taken up stairs, and word was sent to the Police Office. In the meantime Policemen McHarg and Barnes, who were on the King Square, had heard of the shooting of the woman and rushed to the scene. They first ran into the front chamber, up stairs, and found Bowles lying, face downwards, on the sofa. He was pointed out to them as the man who committed the the deed, and, not being aware that he had shot himself, they turned him over and handcuffed him. Then they ran into the next room and found the woman lying wounded and bleeding. When the word reached the Police Office, the court was just opening, and a large number of police were present. The Chief, without an instant's delay, ordered Sergt. Hayes and six men to proceed at once to Brussels street and accompanied by a representative of the TRIBUNE they