

## Lucknow Residency's Final Relief.

On Friday, March 19, 1857, the fortified residence of the British governor at Lucknow, the fifth largest city in India, near its northern boundary, in Oudh province, was finally relieved from that siege which had been carried on during the Indian Mutiny by the rebel Sepoys, since July 1, 1857. Three unsuccessful assaults were made by the mutineers on July 20, August 10 and 18; but the British within were dwindling away by death through want and disease, as well as warfare. Colonel Sir Henry Montgomery Lawrence, the governor of the whole Punjab district, dying on July 4, 1857, from wounds received in the defence of the "Bayard of India," and General Sir Henry Havelock, reached the gallant defenders by September 26, followed by Sir Colin Campbell, after wards created Baron Clyde, who rescued the civilians, ladies and children sent there for safety, from their long captivity, and having escorted them as far as necessary, sent them on the rest of the 610 miles to Calcutta. The rebels, with renewed strength had encompassed the greater part of Lucknow, for a circle of 20 miles, with an external line of defence. By March 2 Sir Colin Campbell marched thither once more, and captured its Dilkusha stronghold, and posted guns to command the Martiniere one. On the 5th, Brigadier-General Franks arrived with 6,000 men and Outram's force then crossed the river Gumti, while his main body attacked from the south-east, and after a week's hard fighting, from March 9 until March 15, the rebels were completely defeated and their posts captured; but not

## Peeresses Have Right to Sit in Upper House.

Viscountess Rhonda has established the claim of women who are Peeresses in their own right, to take their seats in the House of Lords. There are 24 Peeresses in the United Kingdom who can take advantage of the decision—one Duchess, four Countesses, two Viscountesses and 17 Baronesses. Some having married Peers higher in rank than themselves are known by their husband's titles. The list, omitting Viscountess Rhonda, is: Baroness Beaumont, Baroness Berkeley, Baroness Burton, Baroness Clifton of Bromswood, the Countess of Cromartie, the Countess of Powys (as Baroness Darcy de Knayth), Baroness de Roos (as the Countess de Darfley), Baroness Dorchester, the Countess of Yarborough (as Baroness Fauconberg and Conyers), the Duchess of Fife (Princess Arthur of Connaught), Baroness Purnall, Baroness Herries (the Duchess of Norfolk), Baroness Kinloss, the Countess of London, Baroness Lucas of Cridwell and Dingwall, Countess Roberts the Countess of Seaford, Baroness Strange of Knokin (Viscountess St. Davids), Baroness Strathcona and Mount Royal, Baroness Wentworth, Viscountess Wisely. There are four Scotch Peeresses in their own right: Baroness Gray, Baroness Herries, who is also Duchess of Norfolk; Baroness Kinloss, and the Countess of Seaford.

## Cruelty to Animals.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir,—As I walked to the Lakeside yesterday to get a closer look at Mr. Harold Macpherson's magnificent horse (Howard Mann) I saw two anomalies. One—Mr. Bartter (the contract inspector of the S.P.A. for three years) in golden uniform, driving in a cab to the scene of "Overdraws." I only hope he noticed the overdraw used on Howard Mann. The other is not such pleasant reading; 'tis only about a poor broken kneed blind horse which I met plying for hire brought to the country as one of a pair about 25 years ago by Sir W. D. Reid, later passing into the hands of the Hon. S. Milley, and (a horse's average age being 14 years) eventually finding its way into the hands of cabmen on the West End cabstand, where living—1888-1916, I have seen that horse nearly every day for almost a quarter of a century. Blind horses evidently live longer than those blessed with sight. Some at least of the directors of the S.P.A. had not heard of this horse's existence.

Thanking you in anticipation for space,  
I remain, yours truly,  
March 18, 1921. W. H. CROWDY.

## Nfld. Poultry Association.

Bay Roberts Court House was crowded yesterday afternoon to hear the lecture on "Poultry Culture" by the speakers from the St. John's Poultry Association. Bay Roberts clergymen, and prominent citizens were present as well as some two hundred scholars of the various schools. Every chair was occupied and some fifty people were standing. The chairman was Mr. A. C. Calpin, and the speakers were Mr. A. J. Bayly, Secretary of the Board of Agriculture; Geo. R. Williams, President of the Nfld. Poultry Association, and ex-Lieut. Butler, B.S.A., of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers and formerly of Truro Agricultural College. The meeting was held to try and revive the interest in poultry raising at Bay Roberts which formerly was a leading shipping centre of poultry products to markets at Grand Falls, and at St. John's. At present the number of birds kept is only fifty per cent of that of ten years ago whilst poultry product prices have soared almost four times in value. Feeds are now back to pre-war values at the source of production and as some \$130,000 is paid annually by Newfoundland for imported poultry eggs. The Nfld. Poultry Club are trying to induce folk to increase the production and keep the money in the country. The speakers were all well received. Prizes were offered to the children for essays on "What they have learned on poultry culture as the result of the lecture," and papers have to be sent Mr. A. J. Bayly by April 1st. The prizes were donated by Mr. John Duff, Mr. W. R. Butler, Dr. A. C. Tait and Geo. Williams. A supply of literature was distributed and it is hoped good results will follow as a result of the meeting.

## More Races Promised.

If the ice conditions are favorable it is likely that another set of races will be run off at Quidi Vidi Pond next Wednesday afternoon. As quite a number of horses were not in a condition to enter yesterday's events another meet should prove interesting. Mr. Lawrence Ward who won the \$500 victory bond in the colt race yesterday is receiving numerous congratulations to-day on his horse's performance. The colt which is owned by Mr. R. B. Job was reared, trained and driven by Mr. Ward.

MANY DRUNKS.—Over a dozen drunks who were celebrating St. Patrick's Day in a way reminiscent of the good old pre-Prohibition times, appeared before Judge Morris to-day. They were discharged.

## Star Mission Circle of Wesley Church.

GOOD AUDIENCE; CHOICE PROGRAMME.  
Those young ladies who give considerable time unselfishly working for the spiritual need of others in raising funds by sale of fancy work, etc., were rewarded last night by many friends patronizing their annual sale. The concert also, was very enjoyable. Mrs. C. F. Garland and Misses Calvert, Chancy, L. Pike, Messrs H. Courtney, G. King, A. W. Martin and A. and H. Pittman contributed items toward an excellent programme, also Miss Gwen Pratt who is an excellent reciter. All the singers were encoered and kindly responded. Special mention must be made of the motion singing by a group of girls from the Methodist Orphanage, so well trained, and accompanied by the lady Superintendent (Mrs. Hillard) at the piano. One of the pieces was most appropriate for St. Patrick's Day and their green sashes and girdles quite dainty. The club singing by some "Girl Guides" assisted by Mrs. Cave was very acceptable, and the selections by the Methodist Guards Band at intervals enlivened the proceedings with inspiring music. The officers, Misses Howell, Joyce, Pike, Martin, Taylor, Mrs. R. Cross, and all the splendid workers of the Circle are to be congratulated on the large receipts. In several annual reports of late years they raised over four hundred dollars and are hopeful of being "better than the best" by the June Conference.

## Pineapple Smelled Good.

Vienna.—A man walked into the bar of one of the big hotels the other afternoon and placed a pineapple on the table. "One pound sterling or 40-000 kronen," he said. There was no sale, but the incident serves to illustrate the chaotic idea of values prevalent here. An Austrian smelled it gratefully, remarking: "Its the first one I have seen since 1914."

## Fads and Fashions.

A blouse of yellow silk jersey is worn with a gray-and-yellow wool plaid skirt and cape.  
Foulards have taken such a place of importance, that even crepe de chine is less popular.  
A coat dress of soft grey serge is embroidered in blue and trimmed with blue crepe Georgette.  
Light blue ribbon embroidered in black and white is used on a frock of midnight blue cashmere crepe.  
A frock of green crepe de chine has exaggerated cuffs of rose panne velvet fringed with coarse silk.  
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DU BOURDIEU-JOY.  
A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at Holy Cross Church, Port au Port, on Tuesday, January 31st, by Rev. Father, Du Bourdieu, brother of the bride, the contracting parties being Miss Elizabeth Du Bourdieu, daughter of A. S. Du Bourdieu, Esq., J.P., Sub-Collector of Customs at that port, and Mr. John Joy of the firm of James Joy and Sons. The bride was given away by her father and looked charming in a costume of navy blue serge with furs and hat to match. She was attended by her sister, Miss Florence Du Bourdieu, and Mr. John Du Bourdieu, brother of the bride supported the groom. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold pendant and chain and to the bridesmaid a cameo brooch. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents at which a large number of guests attended and dancing was indulged in till the " wee sma' hours." The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Joy will reside at Port au Port and their many friends wish them bon voyage on the sea of matrimony.

## Mars 35,000,000 Miles Away.

In 1924, Mars is to be only 35,000,000 miles from the earth. This distance, occurring every 15 years, is but a stone's throw in celestial space. The other extreme in the orbit of Mars is 284,000,000 miles. Naturally astronomers are all agog to make the most of the opportunity of the neighborly proximity about to be attained. The sight of the telescope is far keener than at the last Martian approximation in 1909. Wireless instruments of astonishing experimental possibilities have been developed in the intervening period. All present evidences of the habitation of Mars are easily subject to disbelief. Elaborate speculations are built out of the deduction that Mars is a much older planet than is conjectured, may have lived long enough to be as far advanced as man would be at about 10,000,000 A.D. On the other hand, many astronomers consider that the Martian atmosphere is too thin to support life.

## \$1.00 a Month Rent.

A man who has found it possible to get living quarters in Greater New York for less than \$1 a month turned up in supreme court the other day. He is a recluse of Ozark park.  
He had been brought to court by a deputy sheriff after he had refused to respond to an order. Wearing a battered overcoat which had seen long service, an alive green suit which was almost threadbare and a pair of army shoes that were old and worn, he took the stand reluctant to divulge the sources of his income.  
Finally, under threat of contempt, he admitted that he owned two pieces of property at Rockaway road and Martin street, valued at \$11,500; to having \$4,000 in one bank, nearly \$100 in another, and \$300 worth of Liberty bonds; to collecting \$98 in rent and to getting \$150 a year from his father's estate.  
Pressed as to details, he removed three big safety pins from his overcoat and reached into a pocket and drew out a bundle wrapped in newspapers, tied with about seven rubber bands and yards of string. He unwrapped this and disclosed deeds to his properties and Liberty bonds.  
A lawyer asked:  
"Where do you live? Don't you live in a house?"  
He answered:  
"Oh, not in a whole stable. I only live in a stall. I rent the rest of the stable out for about \$7 a month sometimes, but it costs me about \$1 a month in taxes."

STILL DETAINED.—The Malakoff is still detained in port and will remain here until ice conditions on the West Coast improve.

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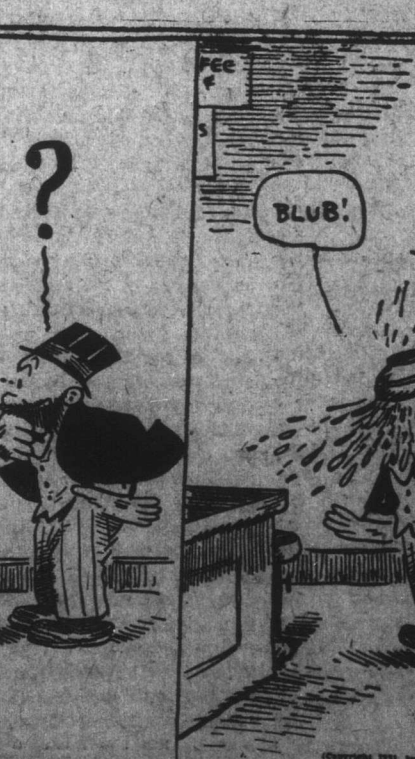
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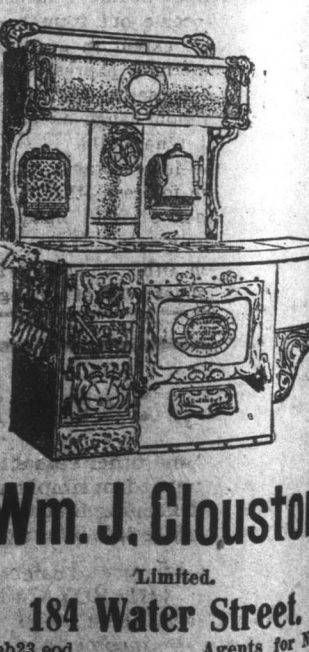
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