

TURN OF THE TIDE.

Grand Manan Sensation in Harper's Monthly Magazine.

The Author of the Story a Son-in-law of the Duke of Wellington.

Meeting Rev. J. B. Daggett, a native of Grand Manan, and familiar with the people of the island, and mentioning the matter to him, we found that he had seen the story, had written Harper & Brothers about it, and had answers from them. We requested the correspondence. Here it is:

FREDRINGTON JUNCTION, N. B., Jan. 5, 1903.

Dear Sir—In the January number of your monthly there appears an article entitled "The Turn of the Tide" against which I desire to protest as an outrage, as by a respectable company of your readers have been misled and wrongly informed.

Mr. Canning, the British minister of foreign affairs, suggested to Richard Rush, American minister to London, that their governments should issuing a joint note against the designs of the "holy alliance". In this it was proposed that what is now practically the Monroe doctrine should be issued as a rule of conduct for European governments.

Dear Sir—We have your note of the 5th and greatly regret that it is not possible for me to give you any answer at this time.

PORTLAND, ME.

Fish Famine Averted—Experience of a Sea-Island Fisherman.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 3.—One care of 8,000 pounds of fresh fish, practically the first to arrive in Portland in three weeks, came in today and with promise of moderating weather dealers believe the threatened fish famine will be averted.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 3.—The coal dealers of this city today decided to reduce the price of various grades of coal to the same level as in other New England coast cities.

USE PUTNAM'S PATENT CORN AND WHEAT EXTRACTOR.

NOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 4.—A heavy rain and wind storm is expected tonight.

THE GENESIS

Of the Much Discussed Monroe Doctrine.

If Napoleon Bonaparte and the Duke of Wellington had never lived, there would have been no Monroe doctrine; at least its official pronouncement would have been long delayed.

Napoleon figures in the "birth" of the Monroe doctrine for the reason that he created the conditions which rendered its enunciation an absolute necessity to us.

It goes without saying that the protest of the Duke of Wellington was inspired by his government just as certainly as it also goes without saying that the government was not actuated by motives of parental interest in the young country across the seas which had won its independence.

Turning her eyes westward she discerned promises of relief, but what bade fair to become an intolerable situation in the "greenness" of the men States.

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endeavor of any European power we have not interfered and shall not interfere, but with the governments who have declared their independence and maintained it and whose independence we have on great consideration and on just principles acknowledged we could not view an interposition for the purpose of opposing them or controlling in any other manner their destiny by any European power in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States.

John Quincy Adams, as secretary of state, having been intrusted with the negotiations leading up to this consummation, President Monroe assigned to him the work of preparing that portion of the message relating to the Spanish-American republics.

Monroe gave way, the message was sent to congress, and the principle which has become the great glory of our politics of the world than any ever enunciated had passed into history to become not, as was feared, an incentive, but a preventive of war.

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Soon the digestive system becomes deranged, the appetite impaired, and in many there is a tendency to diarrhoea and formation of gas in the bowels. There are frequently recurring headaches, attacks of dizziness, and severe pains in the back and limbs.

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VERMONT

VOTES LICENSE.

Goes Back on Its Long Prohibition Record.

And Votes in Favor of a Local Option Law By Small Majority.

While the Little Towns Stood By Their Fifty Years Record, the Large Cities Went Boldly in Favor of Licenses.

WHILE VERMONT JUNCTION, Vt., Feb. 3.—The advocates of local option carried the state today, and after more than half a century of prohibition the voters in the cities and towns of Vermont will, after March 1st, be permitted to decide whether or not intoxicating liquors shall be sold in those communities.

The total vote, with eight towns missing, was 36,333 in favor of 1,943 for local option, and 34,390 for licenses.

The vote today was much closer than was anticipated, and the 1,900 margin in a total vote of about 36,000 surprised even the local optionists.

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Advertisement for Surprise Soap, featuring a woman washing clothes and the text "A pure hard Soap" and "MAKES CHILD'S PLAY OF WASH DAY".

NOVA SCOTIA TOWN ELECTIONS.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 3.—Elections for mayor and councillors took place today in the twenty-nine incorporated towns of Nova Scotia.

In Sydney, for the mayoralty, J. A. Gillespie, M. F., was defeated by W. Richardson.

In Dartmouth, where ex-Mayor Searle was elected, defeating ex-Mayor Johnson, neither candidate did any personal canvassing throughout the town.

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BOARD OF TRADE

Monthly Meeting

day Afternoon, Monday

ly Attended

Report of the Council

Regarding U. S. Silver

Damming of the St. John

Closing of West Coast

considered.

The Board of Trade yesterday afternoon, W. M. Jarvis, president, was in the chair.

The secretary stated that the Board of Trade had received from the U. S. Treasury a copy of the report of the committee appointed to investigate the silver question.

The committee's report was read and discussed. It was found that the silver question is one of the most important of the day.

The committee recommended that the Board of Trade should urge the government to take prompt action to secure the repeal of the silver laws.

The Board of Trade will meet again on Monday afternoon, and will discuss the report of the committee on the silver question.

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WAGES QUESTION

Discussed By Hon. Carroll D. Wright, in Boston.

BOSTON, Feb. 4.—"The wages question" was discussed by the Hon. Carroll D. Wright tonight before the 20th Century Club.

Mr. Wright, in his address, said: "The wages question in all its branches is perhaps the most important branch of political economy, certainly it is the most difficult. It is the most important because labor is at the basis of all values and the workers for wages constitute the great mass of every community.

It is the most difficult because of the varied and complicated conditions surrounding labor. We see in every progressive community that the demand of the workingman is no longer for a wage sufficient to enable him to keep body and soul together. It is no longer the iron law of wages; it is no longer the desire of labor to secure a wage under that law.

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ACCIDENT, NOT MURDER

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