Short Story of the Day

A SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY.

It was about 4 o'clock one afternoof in February, and Hippesley was sitting on the veranda of the Cafe de Paris at Monte Carlo. He sat, deep in thought, his ears mechanically listening to the strains of the Httls Hungarian band a few yards away from him. He was thinking of the reason that had brought him to the place. He had been abroad for tweive years, yet, within a month of his return, he had left again and hurried to spend a few days on the Riviera before taking steamer at Marseilles.

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It was absurd, he knew it, but the longing to see her face again was irresistible. He would not seek an apportunity of speaking with her—the scheme on which their lives had been worked out made this impossible. He simply had an overwhelming desire to see her. Then he could go back to his lonely life, not happy—he could never be that, but with a fresh picture of the one woman he had ever loved. He noticed a smart carriage draw up before the broad steps of the Castno, and, almost simultaneously, a man and a woman came out of the building. The man was middle-aged, a trifle heavy in build and faultlessly dressed. He handed the lady into her carriage. Hippesley, as he caught sight of her face, gave a start, and clutched hold of the table. She was a young Englishwoman, magnificently beautiful.

The color left his face, and he riveted his eyes on her. He watched her smillingly say "good by" to the man on the steps, then the carriage turned and drove rapidly away. As it vanished from sight he sank back in his char, his mouth twitching. His throat seemed dry and parched; he stretched forward and drank some tea at a gulp. Then the voices of two men talking just behind him reached his ears,

ears.
"That was the Princess Zandra—she
is living at the Villa Erondel, at Beau-

"Enormously rich?"
"She was till a day or so ago." The man lowered his voice. Hippesley found himself straining for the next words. "I happened to know," came in almost a whisper, "that the late Prince was sufficiently ill-advised to invest nearly all his money in an enterprise that has recently come to the ground with a crash, and the Princess, who never had the slightest suspicion of her affairs not being in a satisfactory state, has suddenly been told that another year at her present rate of expenditure will leave her penniless."
"What will she do?"
"Go on living as she has done—and

penditure will leave her pennilese."

"What will she do?"

"Go on living as she has done—and marry again! Women with such beauty can pick and choose—there are no hard places for them. Rumor says it will be the man who has just left her. He is not a good man, but he is passionately in love with her, and a millsonaire twice over!"

Hippesley rose from his seat, and, making his way round to the terrace, sank into a seat. He felt he could hear no more. It was all so curious, so startlingly strange. To think that the girl he had left living with her father on the outskirts of a quiet English country town should have developed into this wonderful Frincess Zandra, whose beauty was known throughout Europe. And they had loved one another! He had gone abroad with the hope of making a name for himself, of being able to claim her. But ill luck had dogged him, and the time had never come when he could write to her. He had left her free, and as the years wont by, bringing nothing but persistent failure, he knew that it was not for him to possess the only thing he counted worth having. Occasionally scraps of intelligence as to the course her life had taken drifted to him. Her father had died, and she had gone to live with a wealthy aunt in London. From stray papers that reached him he learned that her beauty had caus-From stray papers that reached him he learned that her beauty had caus-ed quite a sensation in society. Then at last came the news that she had married a foreigner of great position.

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He wondered if she ever thought of him-remembered the night he had confessed his love for her. Not a day had passed in those long years of fall-ture but her image had been before him. Now at length, when he had achieved some slight success, it was too late. All that was left for him was to take the absurd little journey of sentiment.

Early next morning he travelled to Beaulieu. He got out at the railway station and, following the path that led round to St. Jean, passed the fishing village, and gained the Point. There he sank down on the ground, and gave himself up to his reflections. It was a perfect morning, a cloudless sky, the nir soft and pregnant with the perfume of the roses that grew right to the edge of the tiny cliff. Some thirty feet below him was the sea, not a ripple on its smooth surface, the clear blue tints gleaming in the sunshine.

The students visited a number of places, took copious notes, and returned to New Haven in the evening. Rev. Geo. Cutten is a well known provincialist.

WILL GO TO TIVERTON.

D. Loomer, who has been in business on South wharf for some years, is clossing out his stock and will remove to Tiverton, N. S., where he already has a branch and a fesh packing and canning establishment. Mr. Loome of the roses that grew right to the edge of the tiny cliff. Some thirty feet below him was the sea, not a ripple on its smooth surface, the clear blue tints gleaming in the sunshine.

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Presently he was aware of a woman gazing curiously at him. The next moment they had recognized one another. She went suddenly pale and her lips parted in wonder. "Ralph!" she gasped.

He looked at her mutely. He was face to face with her at last, and the blood went throbbing through his veins.

"Yes-just Ralph!" he said mech-

She held out her hand, and he took it awkwardly.

"And to think it is you after all these years!" she said softly.

Hippesley fild not speak. His thoughts had flown back a dozen years to the night, when he had left her. An indefinable idea came to him that she, too, was thinking of the same thing.

"I won't lie!" he said, abruptly. "I am not here by chance. I heard you were on the Riviera, and, after all these years I wanted to see you again—just to see you. I had no notion of speaking."

She gased at him steadily, as if trying to read his thoughts.

"You have loved me all this time?" she saked, slowly.

He bowed his head. She turned away with a little soh.

"And you never wrote!" she cried.
"On why defin!"

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swan't worth waiting for."

She looked at him, the tears glistening in her eyes.

"What a jumple Fate made of our lives!" she sirhed.

"It did not matter; you are the Princess Zandra."

"Oh, I am tired, tiged to death of it all!" she ortied in a tone of utter weariness. "To have to five in an artificial world, among people who are not my people—there is no one left to me now—and to have to begin it all overagain," she added in a half-sorrow-ful, musing tone.

He understood, He remembered the words he had overheard at the cafe. It was all true then. She looked up at him quickly with a smile.

"But you, Ralph—what have you done?" she asked gently.

"For years nothing. Now, at last. I've got a small estate in Ceylon. It's a fair living wifilist I work hard—not a bad life, too, for a man who has lost his ambitions."

"No, not a bad life, "she repeated. "A lonely one, though." She gave a something that sent him trembling from head to foot.

"My God, Esme!" he cried. "H—if you were not the Princess Zandra!"

He saw her eyes suddenly shine, the color rush to her cheeks.

"Remember only that I am a poor woman again!" she whispered. "That I've never forgotten, never could forget—" Her voice died away.

"But the life!" he cried. "Thisk, after all, you've—""

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LATE SHIP, NEWS.

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hardly possible.
"But the life!" he cried. "Think. "But the Bie! he cried, "Think, after all, you've—""
"I only loved once—it was you I thought had forgotten—"
The low, soft voice came to a stop.
They stood looking into one another's

eyes,
"Don't send me back to the old life
again, Ralph," she murmured.—Gilbert
Dayle in Mainly About People.

WORKING GIRLS FED AT COST.

The Young Women's Christian association, of Kansas City, last week opened a funch room for working women, which has already been proven a much needed institution. The food is to be sold at exact cost, and the accompanying bill of fare gives an idea of what the cost can be under judicious mangement:

2	"Noonday" Bill of Fare.
-	Cream of Tomato Soup
t	Roast Beef and Potatoes
28	Salmon Croquettes, 2 for
	Rescallement Potestoes
	Mashed Potatoes
1	Peas.
ì	Peas. Cabbage Salad.
9	Annie Pie
	Coffee, Tea or Milk.
1	Cheese.
	Olives, 3 for.
1	
	Sandwiches, 2 for
	Butter
6	Cucumber Pickles,
۱	Chocolate
a	Although intended for women, qui
9	a number of men have chosen to ta
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counter prices, and so long as they do not come in sufficient numbers to in-terfere with the comfort of the women they will not be debarred.

REV. GEORGE CUTTEN.

Twenty-five Yale men were in New York on Friday to visit the slums and study social conditions for a day at close range. Most of them were divinity students, or in the graduate courses in social science. Among them, says the Mail and Express, was "Rev. George Cutten, one of the best centre rushes who ever got into football togs. The sergeant at the desk in the Eldridge street police station hadn't heard of the invasion of his precinct.

CUBAN TOBACCO DUTY.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The secretary of war has issued an order, upon recommendation of Gen. Wood, governor general of Cubs, abolishing all export duties on tobacco after April

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1, next.
To obtain this was one of the principal objects of the recent visit of the
Cuban Economist Commission to this
city.

TOWN.

JOHNSTOWN, N. Y., March 10.—Andrew Carnegie has written to William T. Briggs, president of the Johnstown board of trade, that if the city will furnish a suitable site and the common council guarantee \$2,500 annually for its maintenance, he will contribute \$20,000 for a public library building for Johnstown.

BIG ORDER FOR WINDOW GLASS PITTSBURG, March 10.—It was learned officially today that the order siyen to the American Window Glass company by the Jobbers' association was for 775,000 boxes, and the price to be paid the highest in the history of the window glass industry. The order is worth \$3,00,000.

SHIPPING NEWS.

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NHON, March 11—The British str
threvis, Captain Smith, from Portland,
has been docked et Cardiff. Her decks
other parts of the vessel are damaged.
JOHNS, NF, March 11—The Furnessa liner Ulunda, Captain Chambers, from
Proof Fdb 25 for 8t Johns, has not yet
befalles her the served that some accident
befalles her.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. March 12-Sch Rowena, 96, Cameron,

SPORTING NEWS.

NEW YORK, March 12.—The World says: After a year or more of discussion, an alli-lace has been formed by the Amateur Ath-letic Union and the National Cycling Asso-iation. Hereafter a sanction-from both the controlling bodies will be necessary when-wer cycling and athletic meetings are held. SKATING.

Duffy Wins the Champ

Bant Dutly was the Championship.

Bant Dutly won the maritime championship at last night's races. He took every event in whiches time, erred, making in a couple of them fast time, 210-yards—Dutly, 1st; Bouche, 2nd; Breen, 220-yards—Dutly, 1st; Breen, 2nd; Bouche, 2nd; time, 1.42.

440 yards—Dutly, 1st; Breen, 2nd; Bouche, 2rd; time, 401-5.

Junior boys, half mile—Johnston, 1st.

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Hait mile backwards—C. Brown, 1st; R. Brown, 2rd; time, 1.89.
One mRe—Willis, 1st; Breen, 2nd; time, 3.18.3-5.
One mile boys —Price, 1st; McLaughits, 2ad; time, 3.17.3-5.
229 yards hurdles—O. Kalson, 1st; G. Brown, 2nd; time, 3 sec.
Two miles—Duffy, 1st; Breen, 2nd; time, 6.52.

COMMERCIAL.

EXPORTS.

Per str Lusitania, for Liverpool—1,400 pcs maple blacks, 175 bbls apples, 7 pkgs h h goods, 333 bxs cheese, 52 pkgs leather, 2,185 bxs cheese, 241 do do, 1 bx hams, 24 pkgs leather, 1 cs machinery, 1 moose head, 1 horse, 1 bdl shovels, 121 trcs grease, 231 sacks concentrates, 34 cs printed matter, 26 cs typewriters, 1 cs kid gloves, 16,049 bushels wheat, 9,553 do cats, 7,606 bdls shooks, 1,534 do pulp, 905 do pickets, 84 do ash laths, 34 cs shoes, 171 sacks oil cakes, 1,749 do flour, 250 bxs ore, 1 moose head, 1 coll wire rope, 1,100 maple blocks, 560 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 bxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 do ends, 85 cs baccon, 1,560 maple blocks, 600 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 3,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals, 1,325 do scantiling, 5,006 pxs cheese, 82,984 fc deals,

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OVER THE WHARF.

A restive young horse, attached to a sled, hauling for John Sealy, backed over the wharf back of the warehouse into Merritt's slip today. The tide was pretty well out and the animal dropped about fifteen feet into the water. It was released from the sled and swam around to market slip, where a landing was made. The horse did not appear to be hurt.

A BAD SCENT.

ctised Openly by 2,000 Per sons in Utah. (Mail and Express.)

gan its career by excluding a polygamous member-elect from Utah there arose a widespread hope, amounting almost to a belief, that the event would prove a staggering blow to Mormonism in the citadel of its power. The case of Mr. Roberts was a challenge to the moral sense of the country. It confronted the people for the first time with the audacious proposition that, although congress is specifically designated as the judge of the qualifications of its own members, it has no right to exclude a member-elect on account of polygamous marriages. This challenge was promptly accepted. Mr. Roberts frankly acknowledged to an investigating committee that he had three wives, and on the strength of his declaration that he would never give them up the house voted that he was disqualified.

This proceeding was a distinct gain for morality and social order. The hope, however, that it might serve as a check to Mormón power in Utah has not been realized, nor is it likely to be. Some penetrating light on this side of the question appears in a paper recently published in the "Heraid and Presbyter" by the Rev. Dr. G. E. Wishard, who there presents a graphic summary of prevailing conditions in Utah. He cites as a significant fact that the leading officials of the state—the governor, treasurer, secretary of state, auditor and superintend.

in Utah. He cites as a significant fact that the leading officials of the state—the governor, treasurer, secretary of state, auditor and superintendent of public tastruction—are all Mormons. The entire machinery of administration is under Mormon control. Last year every prosecuting attorpey in the state with a single exception, was a Mormon.

The result of this domination of administrative progress by Mormon influence can be easily imagined. Polygamy goes unpunished. It is practiced, according to Dr. Wishard's estimate, by at least 2,000 persons in the state. The complaint filed against B. H. Roberts, and supported with unassailable evidence, has never been prosecuted, the district attorney defending his nomaction with the grotesque pretext that "there is no sentiment in the county demanding the prosecution." In another case, that against Snow, "prophet, seer and revelator of the Mormon church," the prosecuting attorney refused to act, assigning as the reason that "it could not be certainly known which of the defendant's numerous wives was the legal one." Is two cases where convictions were procured the defendants were fined in trivial sums, and in another the defendant's fine was paid by his fellow-Mormons. Dr. Wishard adds that ten of the twelve apostles of the Mormon church are living in polygamy.

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It is evident from this testimony of It is evident from this testimony of an intelligent, trustworthy Christian clergyman who has studied the situation that the Mormon power is as aggressive, crafty and defiant as ever. Whether its suppression in Utah shall be ultimately accomplished by moral and educational forces under State control or by the interposition of federal authority extended through a constitutional amendment, is as yet problematical. But in Arizona and New Mexica where, according to Dr. Wishard's statement, polygamy is extensively practiced, the eradication of the evil needs only a vigorous popular agitation for the enforcement of the common law. Both of those territories are candidates for statehood, butthey should be made to understand that they will never be admitted into the union until they have completely suppressed the practice within their borders.

FORESAW HIS OWN DEATH.

Premorition That Quickly Came True Reported From a Canadian QUEBEC, March 9.—The little cou-

QUEBEC, March 9.—The little country village of St. Eustache, in this province reports a case of second sight, premonition or presentiment, which is scarcely equalled by any of those related by M. Camille Flammarion in "The Unknown,"

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One of the villagers, a healthy, mid-dle-aged man named Legare, after rising one morning recently apparently in the best of health and spirits said abruptly to his wife:

"I am going to die tonight, but you must not trouble yourself about it. I am going to arrange everything in such a manner as to give you as little worry as possible."

Mrs. Legare believed that her husband was joking, and attempted to laugh off his remarks. Nevertheless Legare proceeded to shave himself with care, changed all his clothing and put on clean apparel, placed all his papers and business affairs in proper order and made his will.

Then he calmly asked his wife to go for the parish priest, in order that he might make his confession and receive the last sacraments of the church before dying. Seeing that he was apparently in the best of health his wife positively refused to go for the priest until Legare had insisted again and again that he was perfectly sane and knew only too well what he was about. The priest went to the house with Mrs. Legare and consented to receive her husband's confession, but positively refused to administer the sacrament of extreme unction, reminding Legare that it could be given only to a dying person. In vain Legare insisted that he was about to die, although perfectly well at that time, and that he would be a corpse that very night. The priest was obdurate and left him. Legare continued to busy himself with the affairs of his estate until early in the evening, when he suddenly expired. The doctors say that death was due to heart failure and could not possibly, in the natural order of things, have been forseen. The remarkable circumstances attending the death are, naturally enough, the wonder of the whole district.

SO DIFFERENT.

He—You women all have the same ult. You can't pass a shop that has practs in the window without look-

MORNING'S NEWS. EXCHANGE

Court Yukon, C. O. F., will hold an entertainment in their hall, Simonds excet, on Wodnesday evening.

Two engines collided in the L. C. R. and last evening. One of them, a nunting engine, was quite badly dam-

Col. Steele and Major Merrit of To conto, who were in Ottawa yesterday are each desirious of raising anothe thousand men for South Africa.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather last night, the meeting of the Oratorio Society was postponed until next Monday night, 18th inst.

Mr. Justice Landry arrived in the city on the Halifax express yester day for the session of the supremount, which begins today.

Samuel Almon, sexton for many years of the St. Stephen rural ceme-tery, died on Sunday. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Mrs. Wm. Doug-las of St. Stephen.

W. A. Black of Pickford & Black, Halifax, passed through the city yes-terday on his way home from Eng-land. Mr. Black came out to Boston on the Commonwealth.

The dominion fishery cruiser Cur-lew, lying in Magee's slip, is having a general overhauling. Among other re-pairs the steamer is receiving a new smoke stack.

Redmond McShane has been reported for doing a fresh fish business at the corner of Clarence and Erin streets without a license, not being a Arthur Dawson ,the King street tail

or, has been awarded the contract for making the spring uniforms for the officers and men of the government steamers Curlew and Lansdowne. land on Strait Shore will meet in J. Roy Campbell's office to consider opposition to the passage of the "fore-shores" bill in the local house.

The council of the Toronto board of rade has unanimously adopted a re-solution favoring a material increase in the dominion premier's salary and payment of allowance from the public treasury to the opposition leader.

Dr. W. C. Crocket was yesterday elected mayor of Fredericton by a majority of 282. In Carleton ward Farrel and MoNally were elected aldermen, Mr. Maxwell being defeated. A majority of fifty was recorded against the proposed sewerage of the town.

The body of Miss Sadie Snowball Dixon went through on the C. P. R. yesterday to Sackville for burial. She died at Liberty, N. Y. Deceased was the youngest daughter of Doctor and Mrs. Lucius Dixon. Archie Tibbits of Fredericton is a brother-in-law of the deceased.

Farewell services, at which sixty staff and field officers will be present, will be held in the Charlotte street barracks on March 18 and 19 for Major Pickering, provincial officer. The new provincial officers, Brigadier and Mrs. Sharp, will be welcomed on March 20

March 20. Reference was made in yesterday's Star to a serious shooting affray at Shubenacadie, participated in by members of the Lantz family and two others named Emack and Ettinger. Emack died yesterday of his wounds. The encounter was the result of a family feud. No arrests have yet been made.

The first of the series of meetings for boys in the Y. M. C. A., conducted by H. R. Walker, was held last night. There was a good attendance at the meeting. Muslo was furnished by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra. All boys who can come are invited to be present at the meeting tonight, when J. W. Flew-welling will sing. The hour is 7.30 o'-clock.

Miss Bessle Victoria Green, dughter of Louis Green of this city, died at the convent of the Sacred Heart, Merramcook, yesterday, after six day, illness. Her parents were with her at the end, also a brother, who is attendthe end, also a brother, who is attend-ing St. Joseph's university. Miss Green was a very clever young girl, and the deepest sympathy is felt for the be-reaved family.

The Charlottetown board of trade have appointed a committee to draft a resolution to present to the domin-ion government, asking for a bonus of one cent a pound on beet sugar manufactured in P. E. Islam, the bonus to run for three years, to enable the industry to get a fair start. Copies of the memorial have been sent to each member of the cabinet.

While in Ottawa Premier Farquharson of P. E. Island submitted the question of the validity of the prohibition law passed at the last session of the island legislature to the minister of justice, who gave it as his opinion that, notwithstanding the Manitoba act had been found invalid, that the island act was good law and quite within the power of the legislature to enact.

The Monday Night Skating Club met last night for the last time this season. After the ninth band, the prizes for the waltzing competition were awarded as follows: 1st prize, Harold Sturdee, Miss Dalsy Fairweather; 2nd prize, H. L. Puddington, Miss Mable Thomson. The prizes, which were handsome gold and silver brooches for the ladies and medale for the gentlemen; were presented by Mrs. J. H. Thomson.

The regular meeting of the Poultry association was held last evening. Geo. H. Martin, presiding. The following officers were elected:

Geo. H. Martin, president;
John Jackson, 1st vice-president;
H. H. Mott, 2nd vice-president;
W. L. Walsh, 3rd vice-president;
W. C. T. Cosman, recording secretary;

tary; Wm. McCullough, corresponding sec-

retary:
Frank P. Hamm, Wm. Reid, audit
committee,
George Foster, of Sunbury county,

COLUMN.

CASH for working plans of a summer cottage, to cost about \$500. Charlie Star office

25 CLOTH bound books, mostly novels, for new suit of clothes, or what have you? address Books, Star office. WILL exchange small Printing Press for cash or anything useful of same value. Printer, Star office.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

DEPARTURES Train leaves on Shore Line at St. John East Ferry. 15.6 a.m. 15.6

ARRIVALS.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

Pertaining to legitimate business is ALWAYS SUGGESSFUL.

You will receive greater return for money spent than by using any other kind of advertising. One trial in THE STAR will convince you.

Mrs. T. S. Moore of Amherst slipped on the sidewalk on Monday and severe-ly fractured her hip joint.

THE WEST INDIA LINE Str. Ocamo, which reached Halifax Sunday, will probably get here Thurs-day. She will sail again Monday. Str. Oruro, from this port, sailed from Halifax for the West Indies yes-terday.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES,

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The Board of School Trustees met last night Eighteen applications were received for appointment to the cierkship vacated by the death of D. P. Chisholm. It was resolved to appoint a clerk at a salary of \$500, which is \$200 less than Mr. Chisholm received.

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death of the late Mr. Chisholm

THREE GIRLS' FORTUNES. It is not so many years ago—it was in 1871—that Miss Ida Saxton, the daughter of a country editor (a rich country editor, too), gave her hand and heart to the school teacher, law-yer and volunteer soldier, William Mc-Kinley. With even the greatest stretch of imagination it is hardly possible that she saw through the loopholes of her quiet retreat in that small Ohio town a vista that stretched to the White House. Nor was it many more years are that

town a vista that stretched to the White House.

Nor was it many more years ago that a poor princess of one of the poorest of European kingdoms was making her own clothes, while her father was supporting the family by teaching drawing. And after the unexpected happened and she went to the English court as the bride of the heir-apparent she was chided by her good but rigid, mother-in-law for her disposition to wait upon herself and save her clothes. And to-day she is Queen on the greatest throne in the world.

Still fewer have been the years since the beautiful girl, Miss Leiter, of Chicago, became one of the belles of the world and later the bride of Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, one of the ablest young men in the political life of Great Britain. She is the daughter of accountry boy, one who clerked in a little store for a few dollars a week until he was over twenty years of age. Of this beautiful woman all accounts agree in stating that she carries herself as one to the manor born.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

She was newly arrived from the old country and she went to the store for syrup,

"Give me a pound of treacie," she said to the grocer.

"Treacle?" repeated the grocer. "You mean, molasses."
"Possibly."

"We don't sell it by the pound, but by the measure."

"Oh, then, give me a yard."—Washington Star.