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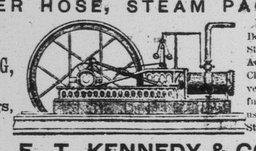

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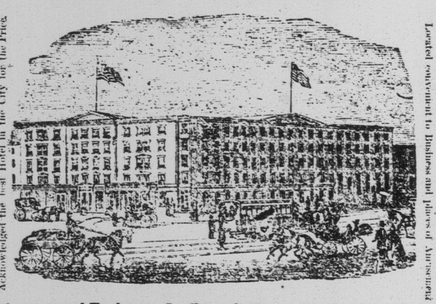

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FROM PHILADELPHIA TO CAPE MAY.

(*From our Philadelphia Correspondent.*)

STOCKTON HOTEL, July 24.

It is only three hours ride on the West Jersey Railroad, from Philadelphia to

CAPE MAY,

but the difference of temperature is that between the temperate and torrid zones. Few summer resorts possess so many natural advantages for health and pleasure as this extreme Southern point of New Jersey; it is fanned on three sides by the deliciously cooling breezes of the Atlantic; the coast is one of the safest and most delightful for bathing purposes, while inland, there are fine forests and green pastoral meadows intersected by inlets and coves abounding in fish and oysters. There are many resorts on the Jersey coast, but Cape May was frequented before most of them were heard of, and notwithstanding the confessed attractions of younger rivals, she still holds her own, and is gladdened each season by hosts of new admirers. As a village, Cape May has a permanent population of about 1200, which is increased during the summer, and, this summer, especially, to the limit of the accommodating capacity of her numerous hotels and boarding houses. There are, I think, not fewer than 7000 persons at the Cape to-day. The Stockton Hotel alone, with its capacity for 1200 guests, is over-crowded and has been compelled, after converting the East parlor into a dormitory, to turn many away.

The chief attraction here is

SURF BATHING,

and it is enjoyed by all ages, sexes and conditions. The fashionable hours for the bath are between 11 a. m., and 1 p. m., when the breakers and beach present a very animated appearance. Two or three thousand persons may be seen in the surf about 12 M., while large numbers come down to the beach as spectators. The belle who was at the hop last night, so resplendent in toilet, emerges from the bathing house in a rough straw hat, flannel petticoat and short pantaloons, her white ankles gleaming in the sun, her little toes bearing the marks of tight shoes; she plunges in the wave, and her garments have become clingingly wet.

Shade of the lovely can it be
That this is all remains of thee?

Slender men and women are more enviable in appearance in bathing toilet than the corpulent. Some ladies wear corsets in the water, and others wear stockings, with, I think, cork in them, perhaps to preserve their lives in case of accident; [Cork in the stockings to preserve a bather's life is a new idea—*Ed.*] but no art can tone the unmanageable grotesqueness of a fat man or woman in bathing costume.

I confess I have a softer side for woman's rights since I have seen some of these etherial ladies swimming and diving as fearlessly as fish. Yesterday I saw a couple, I suppose man and wife, a little farther out than seemed to be safe. She would get upon his shoulders and dive from them through the heaviest breakers, then she would attempt summersaults over his arms; for a moment her head and half her body would be in the deep, and her feet toward the zenith; sometimes, before she had completed the revolution, a big wave would strike and wash her fifteen feet away, when I expected to see her half drowned and in need of masculine assistance, but she would simply spout like a little whale, snatch the brine from her eyes, and be ready for another trial.

DINNER, MUSIC, FLIRTING, ETC.,

After the bath comes dinner, after dinner music on the grand piazza, then a drive on the sands of the much-sounding sea, returning for tea, after tea a hop in the spacious dining hall, flirtation *ad interim et ad infinitum.* This is the way the minions of wealth (or credit?) and fashion annihilate time and thwart the fiery summer, and all the while the stifling heat is sending to their graves pent up gasping thousands in the cities, who know not sea breezes, or mountain air, or green fields—nothing but hot, radiating bricks, and nauseous smells. The evening papers from Philadelphia report the thermometer 100 in the shade, here it is so cold that the ladies sit on the piazza in wraps.

WRONG IN SOCIAL ECONOMY.

There is something wrong in our social economy, the mutinous out-croppings of labor strikes, trades union and other blind efforts at rectification, are not the disease, they are only symptoms. It is not equitable, that the poor should die by the thousand in the city, while thousands luxuriate wastefully in pleasant places. The survival of the fittest theory will not solve or satisfy the fact. The *habitues* of our fashionable summer resorts are not in any sense the fit—the bone, sinew, brain, or virtue of the country. There is a well kept brunette here with a dog; the two seem very much wrapped up in each other. She has two maids, one for herself and one for the dog. I am neither rich nor cruel, but I would give five dollars to see this dog coursing along the beach with a tin pan tied to his tail. If he had lived in Paris during the revolution he would have been guillotined.

C. A. S.

Tabusintac Notes.

[The following letter was unavoidably held over last week.]

TABUSINTAC, July 20th, 1876.

Mr. Editor:

DEAR SIR:—Since I last wrote to you the country hereabouts has undergone a great change in appearance. It was then but a waste of melting snow, now it is clothed in a rich robe of green, and the growing crops assure the farmer that his labours are about to be crowned with success. While times are hard, money scarce and labour not as valuable as many might wish, it is pleasing to watch the maturing of a splendid crop, which will serve to ward off the severities of the coming winter. The crops here are very good, especially hay, oats and potatoes, which are our staple productions.

About a year ago, a gentleman of this community, Mr William Johnston, was called upon to sustain the loss of a cow, through the pilfering propensities of Bruin. This summer he has sustained a similar loss, the animal being so badly injured, that she either died, or had to be killed.

We are not, probably, such smart people as those of Negnac, or we would have killed all the bears "in less than three minutes." If the bear bounty is not now given, as I believe it is not, you might, Mr. Editor, advocate it for the benefit of the country.

The new bridge across the Tabusintac river, before mentioned in your columns, is progressing very favourably, and will be, when finished, a splendid piece of workmanship. It is to have a draw, so as to allow craft of considerable size, to pass through. The strong and durable character of the work, as well as the sound material out of which the bridge is built, would lead to the conclusion, that when completed, it will be second to none of the kind in the Province.

Last week we were favoured with a visit from the Hon. Peter Mitchell, in company with L. J. Tweedie, Esq., M. P. P. These gentlemen addressed the people in the open air, on the evening of the 18th. When Mr. Mitchell drove up to the place of meeting, all eyes were turned on him. After a few minutes, which he spent in greeting his friends, he invited all to take a seat on the grass, while he himself would be the centre of attraction. He defined the fishery question very minutely, condemned the Government for their action in the matter, offered a proposition to the fishermen, called on Mr. Tweedie to speak, and sat down. After a brief but very neat speech from that gentleman, in which he dealt with affairs pertaining to the Local Legislature, an address was presented to Mr. Mitchell, to which he replied very happily, saying that nothing pleased him more than to have the esteem and good-will of those hard-handed men who had been his supporters in the past. When the air had been pretty well filled with cheers for the hon. gentleman, and cheers for our representative in the Local House, all parties dispersed, feeling satisfied with what they had heard.

Yours, &c.,
AN OBSERVER.

Telegraphic News.

MONTREAL, July 22.—Bishop Bourget is improving, and his physicians, it is said, have hopes of his ultimate recovery.

Peter Pallica, a farmer near Franklin Center, P. Q., who is father-in-law of Dr. Fulton, of Bleury street, was at two o'clock yesterday afternoon, engaged unhitching his horses from a mowing machine when lightning struck the mowing machine, instantly killing Mr. Pallica and both of the horses, and stunning a boy who was present, and who remained unconscious for nearly two hours.

A young Quebecer, son of a highly esteemed Doctor, has made a successful operation to the tune of some $20,000, by the sale of a portion of his right in a new patent fog whistle, which will shortly frighten the navigating world. The new invention is so constructed that it can be put in immediate use on board sailing vessels.

Mr. Miller, jeweller, of this city has absconded. It now turns out he left town, taking a number of valuables with him, and leaving debts to the amount, it is said, of $50,000, and assets that are worth next to nothing. Having heard of his departure, E. H. Twohey, Inspector of United States Customs, Bonaventure Station, telegraphed in all directions to have this man arrested, and last evening he received a reply from Mr. Dow, United States Marshall, at Platsburg, N. Y., saying he had detained Miller on the charge of smuggling diamonds and jewelry, on which it seems there is a heavy impostable duty. It is not probable however, that anything but a compromise can be carried on with Millar Extradition Treaty as yet being under a cloud.—*Globe.*

BELGRADE, July 21.—The Turks are assuming the offensive everywhere. They attacked General Olympic, of Drina, on Thursday, with ten battalions. They fought six hours and were repulsed with great loss and pursued.

Another Turkish onslaught at Granada, and also repulsed after ten hours. The fight was a most important victory for the Servians.

The Bulgarian insurrection is reviving.

It is again alleged that the Sultan's condition is serious, and abdication imminent.

LONDON, July 21.—The British Government is enquiring if Canadian Indians are taking part in the Sioux war.

OTTAWA 21st.—A deplorable accident happened yesterday afternoon in Glonaslin Township, Carleton Co., Ontario. During the prevalence of a thunder storm three men, who took refuge from its severity under a clump of trees, were struck, and killed on the spot. A horse was also struck and killed, and a boy seriously injured.—*News*

It is probable that the Court of Queen's Bench of this Province will take decisive action against the publishers of the Toronto *Globe*, with reference to the strictures of that journal on the judgment delivered by Judge Wilson in the suit of Hon. Senator Simpson against the West Durham *News* for libel.—*News.*

A Cable telegram, dated Wimbledon, July 20th, says the Canadian Team have lost the Kolapore Cup by twenty-four points. At the first range they were seven points behind the British, at the second range they were level with them, and at the third range Canada was seventeen points behind. The Kolapore Cup was won by the Canadians in 1872 and again in 1875. Shooting for the Elcho Challenge Shield took place to-day, the English representatives succeeding in winning the coveted trophy, which is given by Lord Elcho for annual competition between England, Scotland and Ireland. There are eight riflemen in each of the three teams.—*News.*

OTTAWA, July 25.—The Government have appointed a Commission to enquire into the affairs of the Northern Railway. Charges are made that when Cumberland was manager of this line, he devoted its funds to Sir John A. McDonald's testimonial, and the Conservative election corruption fund, and he has failed to make the money good.

Col. Richardson, Chief Clerk in the department of Justice, has received an appointment as Stipendary Magistrate of Battle River, North West Territories, in the room of Col. McCleod, who takes command of the Mounted Police vice Col. French, retired.

Reports have recently been received in Ottawa of the death by drowning of three men attached to the Canada Pacific Railway Survey between Tete. Jaune, Cache and Raft River. A large quantity of supplies have also been lost.

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