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EDITORS MAIL

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The Editor The Union Advocate
Dear Sir:

By reason of the refusal of the local branch of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. to give my office a half decent service I have been forced to have the phone removed from the office. Being anxious to give my patrons an efficient service I very much regret to have been forced to make this move but I feel that the service given me in the past by the Telephone Company has not been of any value. I am making this a public objection to the service given our town by The New Brunswick Telephone Co. and a demand for an up to date system. The Telephone Co. have in use here, a system such as has been discarded by nearly every town in the Province and the service rendered is in keeping with the system.

The only reason that we have been subjected to this kind of service is the fact that the subscribers have not made an organized demand for a real service and until some is made in this direction we may expect just the same old service.

This is a case for the Retail Merchant's Association to take up and a meeting should be called for that purpose. The Local Manager of the Telephone Co., Mr. Lewis, has openly admitted that the system used here is an old fashioned obsolete one and in no way fitted for the amount of traffic handled through his office.

The condition of affairs brought about by the lack of telephone service has reached a climax and in fairness to the subscribers an indignation meeting should be held and a demand made for a decent service.

Trusting my patrons will appreciate the stand taken by me in this matter and that some action will be taken at once to give our town a fair return for the money paid to the N. B. Telephone Co.

I am,
Yours very truly
A. H. COLE
Agent Dominion Express Co.

Lowell, Mass. Sept. 12 1919

To the Editor of The Union Advocate,
Newcastle, N. B.

Dear Sir:

Having returned from a very on joyous vacation spent at my old home and cogitating upon the things that occurred during my stay there, I visualize, as it were, the features and occurrences in connection with the celebration in Newcastle when your heroes and heroines were given a "welcome home" that they will never forget.

I've seen a good many parades in various sections of the country and while the Newcastle parade was not as formidable as some, it made up in quality what it lacked in quantity. The floats were as good as I have ever seen and the parade was splendidly managed.

The celebration was a credit to the city, the county and the province. I tried to get a picture of that pretentious and splendidly proportioned victory arch before I came away but failed to connect. I sincerely hope that the young men whom you so signally honored will show their appreciation by conducting themselves in such manner as to warrant the continued love and esteem of their fellow citizens. Hurrah for Newcastle!

WARREN M. POWER

Painful Rheumatism

May be Driven Out of the System by Enriching the Blood

In the days of our fathers and grandfathers rheumatism was thought to be an unavoidable penalty of middle life and old age. Almost every elderly person had rheumatism, as well as many young people. Medical science did not understand the trouble—did not know that it was rooted in blood. It was thought that rheumatism was the mere effect of exposure to cold and damp, and it was treated with liniments and hot applications, which sometimes gave temporary relief, but did not cure the trouble. In those days there were thousands of rheumatic cripples. Now, medical science understands that rheumatism is a disease of the blood, and that with good, rich, red blood any man or woman of any age can defy rheumatism which can be cured by killing the poison in the blood which causes it. There are many elderly people who have never felt a twinge of rheumatism, and many who have conquered it by simply keeping their blood rich and pure. The blood making, blood enriching qualities of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is becoming every year more widely known, and it is the more general use of these pills that has robbed rheumatism of its terrors. At the first sign of poor blood, which is shown by loss of appetite, palpitations, dull skin and dim eyes, protect yourself against the further ravages of disease by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They have cured thousands of people—if you give them a fair trial they will not disappoint you.

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New Minister Of Public Works

Ottawa, Sept. 3.—Hon. A. L. Sifton, who since entering the Government in 1917, has been Minister of Customs

was sworn in yesterday as Minister of Public Works. He succeeded Hon. F. B. Carroll, recently appointed to the chairmanship of the Board of Railway Commerce. No successor has been appointed to Mr. Sifton in the Dept. of Customs. It is understood for the present Hon. J. D. Reid will be acting Minister. Nothing definite has yet been decided as to whether Sir Douglas Hazen is to re-enter the Government. It is believed, however, that he has the offer of a portfolio, and it is not unlikely that another shuffle will shortly be made to arrange for his inclusion into the Ministry.

Teething Troubles

Baby's teething is a time of worry for most mothers. Baby's little gums become swollen and tender; his bowels get out of order and constipation, colic or even diarrhoea sets in. To make the teething period easy Baby's Own Tablets should be given the little one. They sweeten the stomach; regulate the bowels and keep baby good natured. Concerning them Mrs. Marcel D. LeBlanc, Memramcook, West, N. B. writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past six years and have found them indispensable. To my mind nothing can equal them in allaying the fever accompanying teething. I would not be without them and can strongly recommend them to other mothers." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville Ont.

Criterion of Civilization.

It is impossible to contemplate without interest the struggle made by different nations, as they emerge from barbarism, to supply themselves with some visible symbol of thought—that agency by which the mind of the individual may be put in communication with the minds of a whole community. The want of such a symbol is itself the greatest impediment to the progress of civilization. For what is it but to imprison the thought within the bosom of its author, or of the small circle who come in contact with him, instead of sending it abroad to give light to thousands and to generations yet unborn? Not only is such a symbol an essential element of civilization, but it may be assumed as the very criterion of civilization, for the intellectual advancement of a people will keep pace pretty nearly with its facilities for intellectual communication.—William Prescott in "The Conquest of Peru."

Undersea Photos.

Prof. W. H. Longley, of Gourey college, Baltimore, has completed a set of thirty-two under-water photographs of the brilliantly colored tropical fish which inhabit the waters of Hawaii. Taken with a specially designed camera, Prof. Longley hopes to develop the plates to reproduce the natural colors. He believes they are the first photographs of the kind taken. The plates have been packed in airtight cases for shipment to Baltimore, where they will be developed.

Magnanimous.

"That boy Josh of mine has a mighty forgiving nature," remarked Farmer Cornstossel.
"How does he show it?"
"Comes back home a sure-enough hero and treats me jes' as kind as I considerate as if I had never once put on airs an' ordered him to the woodshed for discipline."

Transformation.

"Has life in the military camp done your husband any good?"
"He's a different man, my dear. He sweeps the floor, washes the dishes and beats the potatoes without a word."—Browning's Magazine.

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