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### EARTHQUAKE ECHOES.

(Yarmouth Light.)  
There is seldom an upheaval of nature, an outbreak of the elements or a rising of the population in any quarter of the earth but what there is someone from Yarmouth, N. S., present among the witnesses. The great earthquake at Kingston, Jamaica, was no exception, as the following excerpts, from a letter from Capt. Walter Davis, master steamer Premier, to his father, Capt. Benj. Davis of this town.

Speaking of his experiences Capt. Davis says: I had gone to Kingston in the Premier and left her laying at anchor in the worst part of one of the buildings (the Army and Navy Stores) that fell completely, and had a wonderful escape, almost without a scratch.

I crawled out of the ruins and ran to the Premier and gave orders and then went home as quickly as possible to find Laura (Mrs. Davis) at home and all right, but the house so shaken as to be unsafe.

I returned to the Premier and to the work of getting the injured on board. Later we took one load, about 150, of the steamer Port Kingston, where the doctors were busy. Eleven of the people we put on board died before 4 a. m. on Tuesday. Blood smeared the old Premier in all directions, and I saw some gruesome sights.

After we picked up all the people we could we started fighting the fire and managed to save the Direct Line wharf. Later we went out and picked up the Direct Line cable to try and get communication. The cable was broken in water so deep that we could do nothing with it, not having the regular appliances.

Mrs. Dudenan arrived on Friday. We are living in a tent made of an awning, but she does not seem to mind it much.

Dozens of our friends and acquaintances have been killed and others badly hurt.

They say the Relief will not be ready for a month. The Princess Victoria Louise is now a hopeless case and we are taking our gear off. The Prinz Waldemar is ashore near here and will be a total loss.

Our new house is demolished. If ever rebuilt it will be of wood, not of stone, and will be put together better this time. I think my loss will be from \$1,000 to \$1,500.

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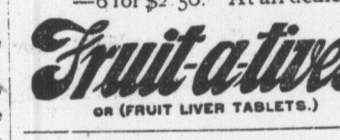
**IMMIGRANT CRIMINALS.**  
A London despatch says:—A number of offenders have endeavored to escape conviction by promising to emigrate to the Dominion, which seems to have a fascination for the criminal. Two Irish Guards' corporals, who stole regimental monies had tickets for Canada. When arrested yesterday a burglar excused himself by saying he burglarized with the best intentions, wanting the wherewithal to go to Canada for a new start in life.

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THINKS FRIENDSHIP OF UNITED STATES DESIRABLE.

Manchester, Eng., Feb. 2.—James Bryce, the ambassador to the United States, and Mrs. Bryce, were given a farewell dinner at the Reform Club here yesterday evening. There were a large company present, under the presidency of Harry Nuttall, M. P.

Mr. Bryce, replying to a toast to his health, referred to Great Britain's relations with all the powers, and added:

"There is one friendship which is of special value to all of us. I refer to the United States. I am happy to think our relations with that country have never been better. Never, indeed, do I think have they been so good as they are at present. The incident fresh in your minds need be referred to only for the sake of saying that the moral of it was, 'This is how different things are now, happily those times when an incident like that would have been the signal of crises of defiance in the press of both countries.'"

"Fortunately, in both countries, no one took this matter as anything but an occasion wherein we could show ourselves in one another."

"Even more significant was the recent visit of Secretary Root to Canada. I hope you will all read the speech of Mr. Root. I never remember any deliverance of a responsible man uttered in a higher or broader spirit, and nothing more calculated by its recognition of the splendid progress of Canada and the United States, to promote friendship and good will between Canada and the United States. This speech is an admirable one for the future. There is nothing that ought to be dearer to us than the maintenance of the most friendly relations with the great Republic across the Atlantic."

The guests of the evening present interrupted Mr. Bryce with cheers.

"There is no higher task to which anyone can be called," the new ambassador continued, "than trying in a small degree to contribute to the drawing closer of these ties, not only of interest, but what is higher and greater, of sympathy, ties that rest on community of language, and in the possession of the same literature and the same political institutions and traditions."

Mr. Bryce, was again stopped by cheers.

"I have had the honor of being selected to represent this government in the United States," the speaker continued, "but not only this government

but the English people desire a closer friendship with the United States."

The assembled company here interrupted Mr. Bryce with cheers for the third time.

Mr. Bryce continued his speech, emphasizing the necessity of introducing radical reforms in the House of Lords. He referred to Ireland, saying he felt that "solidity, peaceful and tranquil."

Mr. Bryce reminded his hearers that they must bear in mind the past centuries of "misgovernment and mismanagement, the results of which could not be abolished in a few years, and he exhorted those present to remember how much better things had become since Mr. Gladstone's message of peace was of the belief that the Irish problem could be solved, and he trusted most of those present would live to see the solution.

### WARNING TO CANADIAN GIRLS.

Buffalo newspapers have disclosed the existence of a systematized plan for luring Canadian girls to America by attractive advertisements and offers of employment at good wages. The girls secured are helping in the hands of plotters, and are made to live lives of immorality. The danger of such traffic is abundant warrant for giving the fullest possible publicity to this warning. Occasionally an advertisement for a young lady of attractive appearance to act as lady's maid or companion is in reality a bait in this despicable plot, though it be innocently circulated by newspapers that do not suspect its nature. As a rule the Canadian newspapers are cautious, and exclude everything that awakens the slightest suspicion. But they may be deceived, and can only warn all girls and parents to be on their guard against pitfalls. The American newspapers circulating in Canada may also unintentionally further the work of the plotters. A greater source of danger is in the women of good address and impeccable appearance who travel through the villages, towns, and small cities of Canada employing girls of good appearance for alleged positions that are represented as honorable and well remunerated. These women meet with considerable success in their nefarious work. The girls employed are met at Niagara Falls or Buffalo according to appointment, and the people who try out the work distribute them to various American cities. A few days ago a Michigan Central Railway detective at Niagara Falls (N. Y.) was made suspicious by observing a middle-aged woman who frequently met and introduced herself to young girls arriving from Canada. Each girl seemed to be expecting some one to meet her at the platform. A little investigation showed that his suspicions were well-founded, although he could not obtain any evidence that would warrant prosecution. The woman was traced to a train time and all persons seemed to have an appointment with a young girl. The detective felt warranted in ordering the woman to decamp, which she did without argument or protest, and thus one of her intended victims was returned to her parents.

Sufficient has been disclosed to warrant the strongest and most earnest warnings against offers to young girls of employment in American cities. All such should be regarded with suspicion, and none should be accepted without consultation with well informed friends capable of making needed investigations. There is also a need of co-operation on the part of the police that this traffic can be most effectively intercepted. Intelligent co-operation should land a few of the operators in prison, and thus effectually discourage all the other plotters. It is now easy for them to cross the line when they find themselves of the law tightening upon them on either side. Personal vigilance on the part of those who may be selected as victims and active co-operation by the police authorities on both sides of the boundary should stamp out this infernal traffic.

### L. H. WHEATON'S APPOINTMENT.

L. H. Wheaton has accepted the appointment of engineer of maintenance of way and structures of the Halifax and South-Western railway, with headquarters at Bridgewater, after a service of thirteen years in the interests of a line along the south shore of this province. Mr. Wheaton is well known in the maritime provinces and particularly in Nova Scotia, as he was employed in the construction of the Joggins railway, the Oxford and New Glasgow line and Cape Breton railway, and in 1894 took charge as chief engineer of the then Coast Railway company at Yarmouth, assuming the additional duties of general superintendent on the opening of the road in 1897. In 1901 he went with MacKenzie, Mann and company in charge of location and has been with the construction department ever since, and having located the entire line is thoroughly familiar with its physical characteristics, being therefore well fitted for the responsibilities of his office.



### January Slaughter Sale

**BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.**  
In the seventy-fifth annual report of the Bank of Nova Scotia printed in preceding facts. This bank has an absolutely independent audit at the head office. Naturally those at the head of the bank are pleased with results, for the net profits, after providing for losses, are \$653,516.59. The net profits per cent of the capital, being highest in the history of the bank; \$100,000 was written off the bank premises bank fund and \$210,000 transferred to reserve. The reserve was also increased \$840,000 by premium on the 5,000 shares of new stock issued during the year, thus making a total addition to reserve fund during 1906 of \$1,050,000. The reserve fund now stands at \$5,250,000, being 175 per cent of the bank's capital. During the year also the paid-up capital of the bank was increased by \$300,000, making total resources between capital and reserve fund of \$5,250,000.

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