

Shannahan and Tucker

RESURRECT AN OLD TIMER — "PRO BONO PUBLICO."

"In olden times," said Delaney, "we used to have a great writer in our midst, you know, Tim, his name was Pro Bono Publico. That man ruled the whole country. In election times small settlements would be divided in their opinions as to what party or member would be the best for the country, but as soon as Pro Bono Publico would thunder out his opinion in the Press, all hands would fall in line, for Pro Bono Publico was considered a very intelligent, wise and shrewd man."

"Who was he," inquired Mrs. Tucker, "did he run away from a man of war or a French banker?"

"No one knew him personally," said Tucker, "there was no more of his family in town as far as I know. To tell you how much Pro Bono Publico's opinion was sought after, I need only say," said Tucker, "that his letters were read to every man in the neighbourhood. In the tailor's shop, the cobbler's little room and the forge of the blacksmith, copies of the Ledger of the Advocate could be found with Pro Bono's long letter with numerous 'rocks' that would trip the reader forty times in an hour. He came out and saved the country from Confederation as many times as I have fingers and toes. He always knew, Pro Bono did, when these wolves in sheep's clothing were coming to invade the country and then he thundered out his deep notes of warning; high and lofty were his appeals, and he always addressed us as fellow countrymen. Pro Bono's letters were read to us by a man with a deep, hollow voice; no one else could put the proper twang on them, as the grand old grand old Tucker, with a twist of the tongue to the finish, something like this — yours truly—Pro—Bono—Pub—lico, then a long pause in which reader and listener bowed their heads and made up their minds to submit to the doctrine of Pro Bono."

"Pro Bono didn't always deal in heavy matters did he," says Mrs. Tucker, "sure if he got along in that style all the time he had a right to have the man locked up."

"Well, no," says Tucker, "he wasn't always heavy, yet no matter what subject he dealt with there was that solemn strain to be felt in it. I remember his writing about changing the date of the Regatta in '74. All our crowd were for having it on a certain date and we were just about having our way when Pro Bono appeared on the scene with his heavy charge, and Pro Bono gained the day."

"Well," says Delaney, "I never took much stock in Pro Bono. He always appeared to me to be a broken-down schoolmaster with a glossy fantasia coat, but I know one good thing his letters did, they frightened to sleep the mother would say to the laughing child, 'Hush, go to sleep now, Tommy, or I'll get your dad to read Pro Bono for you,' and Tommy would immediately close his peepers and slumber, and the mother would offer up thanks that such a soother had struck the town as Pro Bono Publico."

"Well," says Mrs. Tucker, "I wonder if he's dead; what a grand chance there is for him to-day. He could clear the atmosphere up around the Municipal Council and make things move along smoothly. One word from Pro Bono would finish the sewerage digging controversy. Then there are the 'Daughters of the Empire.' Oh, how Pro Bono would help along their efforts, in a voice of thunder he would say:—'Fair and Beautiful Ladies list to my commands. Drop muddy streets, 'tis a useless waste of energy for many a man who is in his grave to-day who wouldn't be in it only for wrestling with the muddy streets of this town. Waste not thy time, Pro Bono would say for there is much to be done this winter. Split not up the Flannel Shirt Club, for it will be badly needed. Start a night school for the working girls, for we will need them this winter and ye'll be out of a job.' Daughters of the Empire think of the shock you gave citizens in general, and ask yourself how they can stand another such thunderbolt. Oh, yes, says Mrs. Tucker, there are lots of jobs for Pro Bono if he were around to-day."

Bono are scarce for they live short lives, the strain is too heavy and the pay is small, but they have had one great satisfaction, they have lived they lived, and their life isn't busy is worth a dozen existences during which you have to thank people for being so kind as to let you breathe.

TIM SHANAHAN.

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Harbor Grace Notes.

Mr. N. Munn, sr., has been laid up for the past week with a heavy cold; he was much better yesterday.

Yesterday (Sunday) was very disagreeable, consequently the services in the different churches were not so well attended as on other occasions.

Friday last flags were flying from different places in honour of the marriage of Mr. William Noel and Miss Lilly, of Trinity, and again on Saturday when the happy couple arrived here. Hearty congratulations.

Mr. Andrew Martin, jr., won the ton of coal given by the Ransom-Johnson Co. to the holder of a lucky ticket at his show. A ton of coal for ten cents; truly a big drop in coal.

The schr. Dorothy Duff, Capt. Burke, on the way from Sydney with coal to R. D. McRae & Sons, put into Trepansey on Saturday evening out of the storm.

What was near proving a fatal burning accident occurred at the residence of Mr. James Cron, on Saturday morning. Robert, the 4-year-old son of Mr. Cron, came down stairs that morning shortly after the servant had kindled the fire, and while the latter was attending to some other work, the little chap went too near the fire and his nightdress caught. His cries brought his 8-year-old sister, Lily, to his rescue, and by her presence of mind in tearing the clothes from him and shouting to her parents at the same time, she saved the little fellow's life, as it was he was burned considerably about the legs and lower part of the body. We are glad to hear to-day that he is doing well. Lily's presence of mind is a lesson to many who would run for help, thus losing valuable time.

Many people here who have clocks, watches, etc., to be repaired find it difficult to get it done as we have no person here at present to do that sort of work. Here is a chance for a good live watchmaker and jeweller.

Mr. Thomas Pumphrey, telegraph operator at Humbermouth Bay of Islands, who was being attending to the funeral of his father, left for home on Thursday last by the express.

Mr. J. J. McKay, of St. John's, was in town for a couple of days last week on business, for he was here on Thursday last by the express.

Leaking Schooner Returns to Port.

North Sydney, Nov. 22.—The Newfoundland schooner "Pleides," which loaded coal last week for a Newfoundland port, but sprung a leak after starting on her voyage, was obliged to return to port and go on the slip for repairs, was obliged to put back again yesterday, the leak having become worse after the schooner had passed outside the harbor. The vessel was twice on the slip for repairs, the trouble being a damaged rudder case; but when she set out for her destination yesterday for the third time, the leak became worse than ever, and the crew feared that the schooner would go to the bottom. She reached a dock safely, however, and the cargo is now being taken out in order that the damaged rudder case may be repaired.

A Suspicious Circumstance.

Not long ago the Telegram noted the fact that a man was seen prowling around St. Patrick's Hall late at night, and within the last few nights has been again seen there. Saturday morning the caretaker of the Hall found the door leading into the Nickel open, and the same occurred yesterday morning. Though it could not be determined if any prowler had entered the place, it looks as if some person has designs upon it and it will be carefully watched in future.

PUT UP \$100.—Yesterday afternoon a young man, the principal in a court case, was arrested by the police. He put up the sum of \$100 to appear in court when called upon.

Bell Island Notes.

The new Nova Scotia Steel Co. plant is now in working order, steamers being discharged quickly and much labor saved.

The Beach Hill Road has received attention by the Government and have been put in better condition than it has been. Why not repair the Main Road from Jackman's to the Post Office?

An item crept in your paper headed "Value of First Aid." The man when drawn up could not be unconscious as he walked up the wharf to a boarding house nearly quarter of a mile, and did not have the appearance as if he was dead or dying. We would like to know the lessons of the First Aid and see if Mr. Martin could answer the first 12 questions of the examination paper. Honour to whom it is due.

The S. S. Mary arrived on Saturday afternoon with a large cargo of general merchandise for different consignees who are laying in supplies for the winter.

Last week the Nova Scotia Steel Co. had no less than four steamers to discharge and load, and on Saturday there were no less than seven discharging and loading by both Companies.

Yours truly,
CORRESPONDENT,
Bell Island, November 26th, 1910.

HE FOUND THEM NO FAITH CURE.

BUT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CLEANED OUT W. F. BLACK'S SCIATICA.

He was in agony when a friend gave him a box. Now he recommends them to everybody.

Newcastle, N.B., Nov. 28.—(Special).—In these cold fall days when the chill winds crystallize the uric acid in the blood and cause the pangs of rheumatism and Sciatica to bring sleepless nights to many a home, a man's best friend is he who can tell his neighbour of a sure cure for his tortures. Such a friend is Wm. F. Black of this place. He suffered from Sciatica and lame back. He was so bad that he could not lace his boots or turn in bed. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him and he wants all his neighbors to know of the cure.

"Yes," Mr. Black says, in an interview, "I was so bad with Sciatica and lame back that I couldn't lace my shoes or turn in bed, when a friend gave me about a third of a box of 'Dodd's Kidney Pills. I started taking them without much faith in their curative powers, and found them all they were recommended."

"Now I am recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills to all sufferers from Kidney Disease."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are no faith cure. They're simple but sure cure for diseased kidneys.

Tuning a Bell.

"(From the 'Scientific American.') 'What a beautiful tone that bell has!' is often heard. There are few however, who know how a bell receives its joyful or solemn tones.

All bells after they are cast and finished must go through a process of tuning the same as any other musical instrument before they respond with a clear, free tone. Every bell sounds five notes, which must blend together in order to produce perfect harmony.

The tuning of a bell is done by means of shaving thin bits from various parts of the metal. It is as easy for an expert bell tuner to put a bell in tune as it is for a piano tuner to adjust his instrument to perfect chords.

At first thought it would seem that a bell would be ruined should the tuner shave off too much at the last tuning, or the fifth sound, but such is not the case. He would, however, be obliged to begin over again, starting with the first tone and shaving the bell until it gave forth its harmonious sound at the fifth tone.

Christmas Suggestions, 1910.



8827—Very Attractive and Pretty Dress and Hat for the Dolly

Doll's French Dress with Tam O'Shanter Hat.

When Miss Dolly requires a new dress there is nothing nicer, than a French dress as here illustrated, to be of lawn, batiste, or nainsook with cording or lace for trimming. The hat may be of the same material as the gown. The Pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 18, 20, 22, 24 inches in height. It will require one yard of 36 inch material for the Dress and 1/2 yard of 27 inch material for the Hat for the 20 inch size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10c. in silver or stamps.

8828—Animal Set, Consisting of Pattern for Lion and Pattern for Chanticleer. A new Acquisition to the Nursery "Zoo."

This design is pleasing to most children and will prove a very desirable toy. Flannel, flannelette, or outing flannel, may be used, with long-haired furry material for the mane. The Pattern is cut in one size. It requires 3/4 yard of 44 inch material with 3/4 yard for mane.

A Set of Animals as here illustrated will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10c. in silver or stamps.

8805—A Smart Frock for Mother's Girl.

Girl's Yoke Dress with or Without Bertha.

In this design will be found an exceptionally dainty dress that may be developed in various attractive ways. The Bertha makes a very pretty trimming. For a party dress lawn, or batiste could be used with "Val" or "broderie edging and insertion for ruffling. If made without Bertha, a very practical school dress could be developed in serge, cashmere or wash fabrics. The Pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 6, 8, 10, 12 years. It requires 4 yards of 44 inch material for the 6 year size.

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The Evening Telegram Pattern Department.

Wedding at Whitbourne

A very pretty wedding took place here Sunday evening in the Methodist Church of this place. The contracting parties were Mr. Robert Suley, eldest son of Mr. John Suley, of this place, and Miss Laura Edith Drover, of Blaketown. The bride was dressed in a suit of blue and looked charming as she walked down the aisle bearing on the arm of the bridegroom. The writer joins with many others in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Suley many happy years of wedded life.

ONE INTERESTED.
Whitbourne, Nov. 25th, 1910.

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Household Notes.

One ounce of butter equals two level tablespoons.

Allow four eggs to each quart of milk in making cup custards.

Milk is better than eggs for moistening fish before rolling in crumbs.

Flannel and linen for blouses should be shrunk before the material is cut.

Mattresses should be thoroughly brushed off with a whisk once a week.

A level teaspoonful of salt will give flavor to a quart of soup, sauce or vegetables.

Flatirons will heat better on a gas stove if they are kept covered with a dishpan.

Rice will absorb three times its measure of water and a larger quantity of milk or stock.

To apply any lotion to the scalp without making the hair wet, use a medicine dropper.

One cup of sugar will sweeten a quart of any mixture to be served chilled or frozen.

Though more expensive, the very best way to fry fish is in olive oil; the next best way is in bacon fat.

A whisk broom enclosed in a bag of cheesecloth is unequalled for cleaning the corners of uncarpeted steps.

Fingers roughened by sewing should be well washed in warm water and then gently rubbed with pumice.

If onions are covered over while frying they will retain more of their moisture, and will be of better flavor.

Hatpins should never be left in a wet hat, but should be taken out and rubbed perfectly dry to prevent rusting.

Milky tumblers should be washed in cold water; putting them straight into hot water will cloud the glass permanently.

A tablespoonful of flour put into a kettle of ordinary boiled starch will cause cuffs, collars, etc., to be much stiffer.

For a salad of the ordinary mix cream cheese with chopped olives and a boiled dressing. Serve on hearts of lettuce.

If a lamp wick moves up and down with difficulty a simple remedy is to pull out a few threads on either side of the wick.

A gas stove can be kept nice and clean by wiping it each time it is used, and washing it with turpentine once a week.

When washing tins use soda and hot water. After drying them polish with a little dry flour or powdered whiting and a clean cloth.

Every kitchen should be provided with a small brush to be used for scrubbing potatoes, carrots, parsnips and other ground vegetables.

Before putting bread into pans, see that the pans are well larded. This will prevent breaking the crusts when the loaves are taken out.

Two level tablespoonsful of butter and two level tablespoonsful of flour to a cupful of liquid is the proper measure for thickening a sauce.

If when cooking bacon one is careful not to let the fat burn it may be kept for frying, and for fish will answer as well as the bacon itself.

Masonic Function.

The District Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M. R. E., met in the Temple last night and presented Bro. W. J. Edgar with a handsome case of cutlery in honour of his recent wedding. The present is the gift of the Grand Lodge. Bro. J. A. Cliff, District Grand Master, R. W., presided, and warmly congratulated the recipient who replied to the felicitations of the brethren in suitable terms. He was deeply moved by the kindness exemplified in such a generous present.

C.E.T.S. Concert.

At the C. E. T. S. rooms in the Synod Hall a large audience assembled last night to hear the fourth annual grand concert which was given under the patronage of the Lord Bishop. An excellent programme was rendered and the audience enjoyed it thoroughly. Amongst those who kindly contributed their talent were Messrs. Seymour, Martin, Allen, Foster, Mews, Sgt. Martin and Private Vavasour, Mrs. W. C. Job, Mrs. G. W. B. Ayre, Misses LeMessurier, Vincent, Herder, Burnham and Johnson. During the interval Rev. James Bell, the Chairman, thanked on behalf of the Society all the ladies and gentlemen who had so kindly assisted. He also expressed the gratitude of the Society to the Lord Bishop and hoped that he would have a pleasant trip to Bermuda. He also took occasion to make a few remarks on the club rooms and to refer to the good that had been accomplished by their means. The proceeds would be devoted to further improvements, viz., to supplying heating apparatus for the winter months. There would also be a stall for making candy.

Minard's Liniment Co., Ltd. Gentlemen.—In July 1905, I was thrown from a road machine, injuring my hip and back badly and was obliged to use a crutch for 14 months. In Sept. 1906 Mr. Wm. Outridge, of Lachute, ured me to try MINARD'S LINIMENT, which I did with the most satisfactory results and to-day I am as well as ever in my life.

Yours sincerely,
his
MATTHEW X BAINES,
mark

Terra Nova Athletes

DINED AT WOOD'S.

A dinner was given to the wrestlers by the Terra Nova A. A. at Wood's Restaurant last night. Seventy-five young men attended and an enjoyable time was spent. The bill of fare was O. K. Songs were interspersed amongst the toasts. "Bill Lang Syne" closed the programme. Following is the toast list rendered: "The King"—Prop. the Chairman. "God Save the King."

"The Land We Live In"—Prop. R. B. McGarry; resp. Leo C. Murphy.

"The Donor"—Prop. Geo. Downs; resp. P. F. Collins.

"The Press"—Prop. John M. Davine; resp. representatives.

"The Ladies"—Prop. Edwards; resp. A. Smith.

In the course of the toast list the Collins gold medal was presented to Mr. Andrew O'Keefe, the winner of the club trophy. Mr. W. J. O'Neil did the duties of Chairman in an admirable manner.

SHEEP KILLED.—A fine sheep, the property of Mr. P. Casey, was killed by dogs Saturday night last in his field at the head of Hamilton Street.

Worst Case of Eczema

Cure only came when doctors gave up and DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT was used.

Mrs. Wm. Miller, St. Catharines, Ont., writes:—"My daughter Mary, when six months old, contracted eczema and for three years the disease baffled all treatment. Her case was one of the worst that had ever come under my notice, and she apparently suffered what no pen could ever describe. I had three different doctors attend her all to no purpose. Finally I decided to try Dr. Chase's Ointment and to my surprise she immediately began to improve and was completely cured of that long standing disease. That was four years ago when we lived at Cornwall, Ont., and as not a symptom has shown itself since, the cure must be permanent."

The record of cures which Dr. Chase's Ointment has to its credit have placed it alone as the standard cure for eczema and all forms of itching skin disease. Do not be satisfied with imitations or substitutes, 60 cents a box at all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.