

Miscellaneous

Man Without a Name

SET ASHORE ON BAY OF FUNDY COAST. The blue book published by the government...

Few, if any, members of the present Legislature know what it means. They only know that it has been there for many years...

One day, forty years ago the people living about the narrow straits and land on the Nova Scotia side of the Bay of Fundy...

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There was not a letter or paper of any kind nor marks on his clothing or the slightest clue to his name, nationality or history. The people called him "Jerome," because they thought some of the eastern made words with his voice resembled that, but except for this he has remained for forty years a man without a name.

Various stories of a mining on the vessel, of a stolen being put out of the way, of a man whose estates are in the hands of another, are among the versions of the mystery which have been concocted from time to time, but some of them were over mere mere guesses.

The old ocean days have long ago passed; the railways which now cross the continent through the land of Evangeline does not go near the shore, and Jerome and his wife's story is forgotten except to the few in the immediate neighborhood of this quiet town, where the people still speak the French of the Norman and Breton peninsula of 200 years ago.

Light on the "Jerome" Case. JACOB SAVARY says THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL OF A DEER HOUSE IN LIVERLY ITALIAN. "In the article in the St. John Gazette and in Halifax papers about the unfortunate man whose name leads this article, there is one remarkable and important omission. Allow me to supply it by saying that he was put on the name of St. Mary's. The name of his own name he would say "Jerome."

It is not difficult to find that ship and solving the mystery if the provincial authorities had followed up that clue. But, apparently, they took no interest in the matter, far rather than to provide for him. I had formerly my legal practice and residence from St. John to Digby in 1892, and lived in the latter place about two years before I ever heard of poor Jerome.

I went to see him, and found him an inmate of a respectable Christian home—just as the French always provide for the few paupers they have. The woman of the house told me the facts and the name of himself and his ship, but when he noticed we were talking about him and mentioning his name, with a slight frown of reproach he started from the mat on the floor, where he was, and crawled out of doors on his hands, dragging his stumps behind him.

Most people will be surprised to hear that the American flag is older than that of any other of the great powers. The Stars and Stripes were adopted in 1777, while the red and yellow flag of Spain only dates from 1785, the French tricolor from 1794, the English red flag with the Union Jack in the corner from 1801, the Italian flag from 1818, that of Austria-Hungary from the compromise of 1867, that of the German empire from 1871, and the present Russian tricolor from another date.

If you have been sick you will find Hood's Sarsaparilla the best medicine you can take to give you appetite and strength.

Agricultural

Storage of Celery

STIRLING POINTS FROM PROFESSOR MERRISON IN HIS BOOK ON THE STORAGE OF VEGETABLES. If on well drained soil, celery plants may be left in the rows till the end of November by having some litter at hand to apply in case of heavy frosts.

For winter storage the method in vogue in some celery growing districts is to raise on well drained soil beds of four to six double rows of plants with a wall of drift between. Bank up on the outside till the tips of the leaves just show above the surface of the bed.

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Putner's Emulsion

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DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY. "Land of Evangeline" Route. On and after MONDAY, OCT. 25th, 1898, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

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Joker's Corner. Here is a story told of Patrick O'Mara, a private in the 9th Regiment. Not long ago he went to the colonel, who was a severe disciplinarian, for a two weeks' leave of absence.

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