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(Signed), G. L. HUMPHREY, J. Lee Flewelling, Auctioneer.

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ROOMS AND BOARDING

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, about 5 minutes' walk from post office. Apply Box 428, Star Office.

Bright furnished room, private, central Box 422, Star Office.

Parties requiring accommodation with private family, first class locality, modern convenience, Box 420, Star Office.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, with or without board. Good locality. 23 Dufferin St., Phone 215.

ROOM AND BOARD—Suitable for two gentlemen. Apply 143 Union St.

ST. JAMES HALL, No. 7 St. James St. Permanent and Transient Boarding. Rooms to rent. Modern improvements. MRS. R. D. LEVINS, 19-21.

TWO NICE ROOMS with or without board. 9 Elliott Row. 16-5-lmo.

FURNISHED ROOMS—25 Carlton Street. 14-5-lmo.

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOMS (without board). Bright and homelike. Modern. 171 Charlotte St. 14-5-lmo.

WANTED—3 furnished rooms, in either St. John or Carleton, for light housekeeping. Reply to J. S. C., care of Star Office.

Nice rooms for gentlemen, good table, was. Phone 1807-12, 15 Paddock Street. 8-5-lmo.

BOARDERS WANTED—Gentlemen can be accommodated at 10 and 12 Charles Street. 24

REAL ESTATE

J. W. MORRISON, Architect and Real Estate Agents, 50 Princess Street, 212-146.

WANTED

WANTED—Live agents, male or female, quick seller, now. Apply after 7 p. m. at No. 1 Elliott Row. 2-4.

WANTED—Second hand row boat; must be cheap. Apply P. O. Box 255. 5-6

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us at home—waste space in cellar, garden or farm can be made to yield \$15 to \$25 per week—Send stamp for illustrated booklet and full particulars. Montreal Supply Co., Montreal.

WANTED—Self-Feeder Stove, State price, how long in use. Address Box 409, Star Office.

WANTED—To Purchase, Gentlemen's cast off Clothing, Footwear, Furs, Jewellery, Diamonds, Musical Instruments, Tools, Fire Arms, etc. Call or send Postal R. GILBERT, 21 Mill Street, 25-6-lmo.

WANTED—Position as traveller by experienced man with good knowledge of Maritime Provinces. Groceries preferred. Apply Box 172, Star Office.

BUSINESS CARDS

NOW LANDING, all sizes Scotch Anthracite Coal. Also good Soft Coals landed. Telephone 201. All kinds of coal on hand. J. McVITT, 211 St. John St. Tel. 42.

W. V. HATFIELD, Mason, Plasterer, Builder, Stucco work in all its branches. 100 Prince Wm. Street. Telephone 201. All kinds of work promptly attended to.

S. A. WILLIAMS, CARPENTER and CONTRACTOR, office 180 Prince Wm. Street. Telephone 201. All kinds of work promptly attended to.

FIREWOOD—Mill Wood cut in stove lengths. For big load in City \$1.25. In North End, 1.00. Pay the driver. This wood is just from mill MURRAY and GREGORY, LTD., Phone 251.

J. D. McAVITY, dealer in hard and soft coal. Delivery promptly in the city. 39 Brunswick Street.

WM. L. WILLIAMS, successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 119 and 113 Prince Wm. St. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dook Street, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubbery Goods attached. 15-6

HOUSE PAINTING—Now is the time to arrange for your spring house cleaning. I am prepared to give estimates on all kinds of housework. Paper Hanging, Tinting, Painting and Gilding, Whitewashing, etc. All kinds of Sign Work a specialty. Prices low. Good Work guaranteed. F. W. EDDLESTON, 53 Sydney Street; House 10 Haymarket Square, Telephone 1611.

F. C. WESLEY CO., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 59 Water Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 282.

E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St.

ARTICLES FOR SALE

PERFORATED SEATS DIFFERENT shades and sizes, bring pattern. Vernish, Stains, Shellac, Oils, Turpentine, Enamels, Paints, Glass and Putty, Shell Hardware, Duval, 17 Waterloo Street.

BAGGAGE TRANSFER

S. J. WITHERS, GENERAL CARTAGE Agent, 99 Germain Street, Phone 1665. West Side Express. Furniture packed, moved, stored. 27-5-lmo.

LOST AND FOUND

PUPPY LOST—A Black Terrier, 7 months old, answering to name "Larry." Finder will be rewarded by returning to MOORE'S DRUG STORE, 105 Brunswick St., Cor. Richmond. 9-6-3

LOST—Light overcoat and duster between Short's street and the Park. Finder please leave at Short's stables. 4-4-tf

LOST—Lady's Watch Pouch, with gold bar and monogram M. L. E., in the vicinity of Elliott Row and Union St. Finder please leave at Star Office. 10-6-1

DOMESTICS WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of two. Apply 57 Union St. 10-4-tf

WANTED—A kitchen girl at the Dufferin Hotel. 10-4-3

WANTED—Female help. Apply at 45 Elliott Row. 10-6-8

WANTED—A capable girl for general housework to go to the country by June 15th. Liberal wages. Apply to MRS. ALFRED MORRISSEY, 53 Hazen St. 10-4-6

WANTED—Two waiters. Apply at ORIENTAL RESTAURANT. 10-6-3

WANTED—Female help at WENTWORTH HALL, 45 Elliott Row.

WANTED—At No. 1 Chipman Hill, a housemaid.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply mornings or evenings to Mrs. J. F. Pender, 22 Brittain Street. 9-4-tf

WANTED—A cleaning room girl. Apply to the EDWARD HOTEL. 8-4-tf

WANTED—General girl. Apply evenings. Mrs. C. A. Robertson, 44 1-2 King Square. 2-4-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply to J. T. WILCOX, Wilcox Bros., Market Square. 2-4-tf

SITUATIONS VACANT — MALE

WANTED—A boy to run errands and learn pressing. Apply at McPartland's, the Tailor, Clifton House block. 10-4-4

WANTED—Night porter. Apply Grand Union Hotel. 8-4-3

WANTED—Young man with years' experience at plumbing. Apply J. Joseph Mitchell, Stove Dealer, 394 Union Street. 8-4-tf

WANTED—Seven men for pick and shovel work in the country. Good wages. Work guaranteed. Fee \$2.00. Grant's Employment Agency, 73 St. James St., West St. John. 6-6-6

WANTED—Boy to learn bar-becuing business. Apply No. 1 King Square. 6-4-6

WANTED—Experienced canvasser (man or woman) for St. John. To a worker, one half of gross sales will be paid as commission. Address Box 409, Star Office. 1-6-tf

GOOD SITUATIONS can be obtained at Grant's Employment Agency, 73 St. James Street, St. John West. 8-4-tf

SITUATIONS VACANT — FEMALE

WANTED—Girls, at the D. F. BROWN PAPER CO. 9-4-6

WANTED—Woman of executive ability for the position of stenographer, P. O. Box 297. 8-4-3

WANTED—Cost-makers, steady employment at first class work. A. GILMOUR, 68 King St. 12-5-tf

TO LET

TO LET—Large (furnished) room without board. Central. Box 412, Star Office. 26-5-lmo.

TO LET—A six room flat modern in new building. Apply to Vm. Humphreys, 115 St. James Street. 13-5-lmo.

TO RENT—Room about 15x20, suitable for storage. Apply J. N. HARVEY, Union St. 1-4

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Francis Kerr Company, Limited, has purchased all the right, title and interest in the coal and wood business lately carried on by the St. John Fuel Company, and will continue the said business under the firm name of FRANCIS KERR CO., LIMITED.

FRANCIS KERR CO., LTD., Per Francis Kerr, M.

Scenic Route.

Steamer Margie Miller leaves Millville for Summerville, Kennebec Island and Baywater, daily except Saturday and Sunday, at 9 a. m., and 6 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 7 a. m. and 4 p. m. Saturday at 6 a. m. and 10 a. m. Sunday at 8 a. m. and 10 a. m. 2-30 and 6-15 p. m. Returning at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

JOHN MCGILDRICK, Agent.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL FOR MONCTON

MONCTON, June 10.—W. R. Trotter, organizer of the Trade and Labor Council, of Winnipeg, addressed a meeting of the union men here last evening and it was decided to organize a Trades and Labor Council in Moncton. A committee representing the various unions was appointed and officers elected as follows: J. B. Trotter, president; C. Blakeney, vice-president; W. Gowing, secretary. The Trades and Labor Congress for the Dominion meets this year in September. Organizer Trotter will spend the summer in the Maritime Provinces organizing councils.

PIANO TRUST FORMED

NEW YORK, June 9.—A consolidation of the piano manufacturing firms of Wm. Knabe and Company, of Baltimore, and Chickering and Sons, of New York, and the Foster-Arnheim Company, of Rochester, N. Y., was executed in this city today. The articles of incorporation confer upon the consolidated concern the name of the American Piano Company. It will be incorporated in New Jersey tomorrow and will have a capital stock of \$5,000,000 preferred and \$5,000,000 common. Ernest J. Knabe, Jr., is president.

Miss Frances Travers of St. John, who sings in the Choral Society concert, is in town, the guest of Mrs. E. Neale.—Chatham World.

THE UNREST OF ASIA.

(The Spectator, London.)

The Western peoples will soon be compelled to realize the fact that the Eastern world. For centuries past they have thought of Asia as a continent whose inhabitants are living in apathetic quietude. Now, however, one rarely sees a telegram from any country in Asia which does not record disturbance, sometimes of the most dangerous kind. The rise of Japan, which within the last century was supposed to be voluntarily isolated from mankind, has shattered the old conception of Asia, and restarted that idea of the "yellow peril" which was thought to be extinguished with the extinction of the Tartar ascendancy in Russia.

REVOLUTION PENDING.

There is supposed to be a revolution pending in "far Cathay," which Pushkin once described as lying "in domestic peace." Reuter records every day some new symptom of the unrest which is prevailing in India, affecting not her soldiers, as in the Mutiny, but her whole population in their unending struggle for the possession of a vast popular insurance. In Afghanistan the warlike clans are evidently plotting the possibility of a new descent into the Southern peninsula, and may yet compel the British officials to let them loose, or to take their lead in a war to which the discontented in India are on good evidence, to be perpetually inciting him.

One motive, at least, for the completion of the railway to the East is believed to be a vague apprehension that the population of the East are threatening with hope that they may rid themselves of the weight of the heavy Russian hand. In Persia the people have caught the Western idea of superseding despotism by an elected Legislature, and may even split up their ancient Empire into a series of principalities, while in Turkey the martial class, which for so many centuries has threatened Eastern Europe and plundered Western Asia, is protesting that it wants to be civilized and free of a tyranny at once military and sacerdotal.

SURRENDERING IDEA.

No one even expects tranquillity in the corner of Asia, and statesmen are surrendering the idea that Europe can either partition Asiatic dominions, or warn the people that they are expected to be obedient. They are even holding conferences to devise combined plans for preventing the weapons of the West from being imported into States which may intend to use them against the white man. The makers of telegrams say only this week that the "mild and submissive" Hindus are not so contented as they were, and that the pagans of the East are in the fullness of time they will offer up the entire Western world as a sacrifice at their shrine. Hitherto such an offering has been pronounced by all Hindus unworthy, and the analysis of the ground that they are taboo, as unfit for sacrifice by descent or caste, but now contempt and dislike would seem in a sense to have sacrificed even such abhorrent offerings.

UNABLE TO PENETRATE.

There may be much exaggeration in all this, for it must not be forgotten that the white people, who when separated by descent or caste, and whose organization often fall to understand each other—witness the relation be-

tween the Celtic Irish and the Scotch—seem unable to penetrate the cloud which separates them from the brown and yellow peoples. The newspapers again, always write of any movement in Asia under the partially suffocating influence of sudden panic or surprise. But still the evidence of unrest—troublesome unrest from Tokyo to Constantinople—cannot be readily denied. There is unrest, and the really interesting speculation concerns, not the fact which is patent, but its denouement, or at all events still obscure, causes.

FEVER OF AGITATION.

What has thrown so many and such quiescent peoples into an inexplicable fever of agitation? Why, for instance, are the Chinese, who are independent, and the Persians, who are the vainest of mankind, and the Ottomans, who are a dominant race, and must lose their dominance in any great change, all persuading themselves that they need and will have radical reforms? It is as inexplicable as the fact that the movement against polygamy which is said to be affecting the entire female world of Islam. Is it really the desire for the general development by reform of Japan has lifted the depression of centuries from all Asiatic, and excited them to an imitation which must, of course, finally break up the ancient quietude.

STARTLED AND BEWILDERED.

We cannot answer the question, but we can testify that one of the ablest of Anglo-Indian officials was startled and bewildered by finding that in remote villages north of Kashmir, and in the huge valley of the Brahmaputra, every Japanese victory was welcomed by an illumination, and that it was possible that an emotion akin to the one which produced the Crusades, and though not so directly connected with any religious impulse, still fatal to the peace of the world, was sweeping through Asia from Nagasaki to the Bosphorus, stirring up races which for ages have slept the sleep of content, but are now determined to advance upon some path, mental or physical, which they think open?

ALL THE WORLD SHAKEN.

The thing occurred when the barbarians rose on Rome, and again when science in its second revival told men that the sun, in spite of the evidence of their eyes, did not rise and set. Doubt came then into the world, and all the world was shaken. What the result will be we know as little as our readers; but of this we feel assured, that the relation of the nations to one another is permanently altered, or it may be more exact to write, the widespread effort to alter the relation will call upon the white man for new exertions, and above all, for new and more careful meditation. That we of Europe are the superiors we are firmly believe; but we cannot so readily shut our eyes to the fact that the Chinese are boycotting Japanese for insolence, and doubt for a moment whether we thoroughly understand the brown races, and whether everything was settled when we invented wireless telegraphy.

IS YOUR FACE A FAILURE?

James Douglas has been running loose again in "M. A. P." In his inimitable fashion he has analyzed the question, "Is your face a failure?" A caricature by Max is a delicate jest, but a portrait of an average man by an eminent painter is an indecent jest. The eminent painter makes you look better than you are. You can say that your portrait flatters you, but you cannot say that a caricature flatters you, for a portrait is a representation of your face as it is, and a caricature is a representation of your face as it is not. There is no doubt that caricature is cruel, for it emphasizes a man's weakness, and suppresses a man's strength. It is strange that there is no such thing as benevolent caricature. Perhaps some day a great artist will invent a new kind of caricature which will exaggerate virtues instead of defects. I am sure a comically enlarged virtue would be as amusing as a comically enlarged vice.

MOUNTAIN OF A MOLE.

Is your face a failure? I insist upon a plain answer to this plain question. You must make your mind up once and for all without any further delay. I know that the matter has caused you many years of anxious thought. It is perhaps well that your mirror cannot write the story of your silent communings with its crystal soul. What a procession of baffled yearnings and passionate regrets has marched across its surface without leaving a footprint! Perhaps it has watched you weeping because you were not born as beautiful as a romantic hero or a romantic heroine. Perhaps it has grievedly regarded you while you made a mountain out of a mole and elephant's tracks out of a mole. Perhaps it has seen you parting your hair yielding to the touch of time and gradually growing bald. Yes, my friend, a great part of your life is spent upon the contemplation of your face. Is your face a failure? Do not prevaricate or equivocate. Do not evade the issue.

UGLINESS OF BEAUTY.

Let me help you to answer this important question in the first place, let me tell you that, if you are the unhappy possessor of a perfect face, I have nothing but pity for you. A per-

fectly beautiful face is an inhuman thing. Its proprietor is seldom popular, and he seldom loves. He is perfectly beautiful face is insipidly regular. What we call regular features are really the most extreme form of ugliness. The nearer the human face approaches towards the more hideous it is. Man has an innate desire to standardize everything, and if he had his way, he would manufacture human beings like bricks. Let us be thankful that Providence is not a manufacturer and that life is not a factory. We are all born different. In order to decide whether your face is a failure, it is not necessary to look in the kind of mirror which is made by hands. You must look in another mirror. It is a mirror which is not made by hands. It is the most marvelous mirror in the universe, Monsieur Lemoine says he can make diamonds, but neither Monsieur Lemoine nor any other inventor can make this wonderful mirror. I suppose you are eager to know where it is to be found. Well, it is not in any strong room or in any inaccessible place. It is the commonest thing in the world, for everybody possesses two of these mirrors. If you desire to know whether your face is a failure you must look into the eyes of those around you.

ORGANIZED LABOR

WASHINGTON, June 9.—President Roosevelt today made public the following telegram of congratulation sent him yesterday by W. E. McEwen, secretary-treasurer of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor. The telegram is dated at Winona:

"The Minnesota State Federation of Labor in convention assembled, and representing 50,000 workers, desire respectfully to express their appreciation of your efforts on behalf of the workers of the nation as evidenced by your transmission to Congress of several messages urging the enactment of certain laws of vital interest to organized labor."

VIGOROUSLY ATTACKS THE GRAND DUKES

Member of Duma Objects to Their Interference

Enumerates Several Whose Influence is nefarious—Declares Treaty of Portsmouth a Crime.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 9.—A fearless attack on Grand Duke Nicholas in the affairs of State was made in the Duma this afternoon, by M. Guchkoff, the Octoberist leader, in connection with the discussion of the war office budget. M. Guchkoff charged that members of the reigning family, with nefarious influence, were permitted to reign at the head of certain departments of the army. He enumerated Grand Duke Hergo Michailovitch, inspector general of artillery, Grand Duke Peter Nicholaievitch, inspector of engineers and Grand Duke Constantine Michailovitch, who is head of the department of military schools. The Grand Duke, the speaker declared, had usurped the authority properly belonging to the Minister of War and in this manner had blocked the introduction of necessary reforms. He attacked with special vehemence, Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch, president of the council of national defense, which body, he described, as the principal obstacle standing in the way of reorganization of the army. In conclusion M. Guchkoff, with the approval of the Duma, demanded the retirement from the army of these Grand Dukes, who, by the circumstance of their birth were not amenable to ordinary discipline. Referring to the treaty of Portsmouth, the Octoberist leader declared this to be one of the worst crimes of the Russian government.

ALISA CRAIG WIN OCEAN MOTOR BOAT RACE

HAMILTON, Bermuda, June 9.—The Alisa Craig, owned by James Craig, of New York, which won last year's ocean race from Gravesend Bay to Hamilton, was first to cross the finish line in this year's contest, having made the voyage in sixty-six hours, thirty minutes and forty seconds.

Whether she has won the race cannot be stated as Irene II, owned by S. W. Granbery, of New York, has not yet crossed the finish line. She is now on her way to London, where she will arrive on Sunday. The Alisa Craig took something more than an hour and a half time to cross the course than she did a year ago, this being due to a heavy head sea. The boats went away from Gravesend Bay at 4.35 Saturday afternoon, and the Craig dropped the Irene off Sandy Hook.

She came to the finish line in fine style and with a great burst. The captain refused a prize, and forgetting the quarantine regulations, ran straight for Hamilton. He was ordered back to quarantine and was finally released at 5 o'clock.

SAILING VESSELS RACE A THOUSAND MILES

QUEENSTOWN, June 9.—News of a remarkable race between three vessels, covering a distance of over 1,000 miles, the winner being the British ship, the Clackmannshire, was received in this city today. The Clackmannshire, a three-masted schooner, was built at Portlancaster, and sailed from Portlancaster on January 11, in company with the French bark Mariveau. The Clackmannshire was the faster of the two, and was the first to reach the mouth of the Columbia river on January 18. They all arrived on June 2, taking 131 days for the voyage.

THREE HUNDRED AUTOISTS POISONED AT BANQUET

PARIS, June 9.—Three hundred persons, including the Marquis De Dion, president of the automobile club, were poisoned by plotinamines tonight at a banquet of the automobile club. The plotinamine poisoning is attributed to a dish of duck that was served at the banquet. One person is dead and many others are in a serious condition.

BRIEF DESPATCHES

ITHACA, N. Y., June 9.—Coach Courtney again shook up the Cornell variety crew today, shifting half of the men, and leaving only one of last year's oarsmen in the boat. The one veteran retained is stroke Cox.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 9.—Class day exercises were held at the Vassar College this afternoon in the presence of the largest gathering ever assembled in the college grounds. The commencement will begin tomorrow.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 9.—The supreme lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, United States and Canada, and the Superior Lodge of the Degree of Honor, were officially convened here today. Delegates representing every state in the Union and every province in Canada were present.

SAN PEDRO, Calif., June 9.—The American steamer Lucy Noff, Captain Harding, out 122 days from Bath, Maine, for San Francisco, with 600 tons of carbide, put in here today with a broken crankshaft. The vessel came 27 miles under sail after the breakdown occurred.

AUCTIONS.

Fruit and Produce.

Fresh arrivals every week from Boston. Spinach, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Rhubarb, Cabbage, Strawberries, Etc. In Stock—Oranges, Lemons, Bananas and Onions. POTTS & CO., North Market St.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Piano Economy

In buying a piano, it is a mistake to pay too much and absolutely disastrous to pay too little. There are a few higher priced pianos than the Wormworth—there are many that are lower priced—but there are none that give you such a full measure of musical satisfaction, or for a longer time for the money paid.

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