

A Contradiction.

To the Editor of The Catholic Register. Dear Sir—In your issue of October 10th, you published the signature "Dilymus" as follows:

After Waterloo, and when peace was proclaimed, Captain Baldwin came to Canada with other officers, who were mustered on half pay, out of active service, and obtained free grant lands in the counties of Peel, Simcoe, Oxford, and other districts. Captain Baldwin resided with his family on the 6th line, Toronto township, when he was called to form a regiment for the suppression of the rebellion in 1837 with the rank and title of Colonel. He raised a battalion 800 strong and, according to directions of the Government, gave orders to a merchant named McKelvey for a complete military outfit for the whole regiment. Great disappointment, shame and loss resulted to the brave Colonel from this incident. After the money was paid over to McKelvey, the military outfit proved to be worthless and shoddy, and not fit to wear. The Colonel, incensed at the outrage, made the game played on him, especially as the contractor was a fellow countryman, ordered an outfit for the whole regiment at his own expense.

To meet this very serious expenditure Colonel Baldwin was compelled to commute his captain's half pay, and mortgage his farm, two hundred acres. But the Colonel was the soul of honour, in his eyes loss of property, eye death, were preferable to an act of dishonesty or a public disgrace. The mortgage, however, was light and never enforced while he lived. This article reflects on the good name of a gentleman who passed over to the great majority some forty years ago. Fortunately for the descendants of the late Edward McKelvey, there are a few venerable gentlemen, still living who can testify to his character as being that of a straightforward, honorable, Christian gentleman, who was esteemed quite as highly in the community as the late Colonel Baldwin. As regards the writer of the article, "Dilymus" (if I have not been misinformed as to his identity) I am sure that when he finds that he has been so grossly misled, he will make amends for any wrong which he has unwittingly been the cause of. Now for facts. In the year 1837—the year of the rebellion in Canada—the late Edward McKelvey was connected in business with the late Sir Francis Hincks as merchants and contractors in the town of York, now the City of Toronto. Colonel Baldwin gave Edward McKelvey an order for (800) eight hundred suits of clothes for the regiment he was about to raise for the Government. A sample suit was submitted to Col. Baldwin and approved of. The eight hundred suits were made to the sample. The sample suit was produced in Court in an action which is now on record in Osgoode Hall under the name of McKelvey v. Baldwin, December 18th, 1889. The plaintiff, Edward McKelvey, recovered damages from the defendant, Col. Baldwin, for breach of the contract. The damages were assessed by the jury at \$218,310, entrance, and the costs of the case at \$21,577, in favor of the plaintiff, Edward McKelvey. The solicitors in the case were the late Henry John Boulton for the plaintiff and Baldwin & Son for the defendant. There is still living in Ontario a venerable gentleman—a high dignitary in the Church of England—who distinctly remembers all the particulars of the case, owing to the fact that the late Edward McKelvey was a tenant of his father's at the time.

Now, Mr. Editor, does it not appear strange to you that the same Government who instructed Colonel Baldwin to raise his Regiment of 800 men, and gave him a grant to clothe them, had Mr. McKelvey been the class of man your correspondent, "Dilymus" sets him down to be, should in the early 1840s bestow on Mr. McKelvey the then important and honorable appointment as Resident Agent for Western Canada, which he held until his death the 31st of October 1847? In conclusion I must say that I was shocked to see in a Catholic Journal an item to see this item in a Catholic journal, when the facts are so well known.

Guelph, October 29th 1895. [We have pleasure in inserting the above letter, and take occasion to say that "A Subscriber" states the facts with evident accuracy.—Ed. C. R.]

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James H. Rogers.

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CRIPPLED BY RHEUMATISM.

A KING'S CO., N.S., MAN SUFFERS FOR LONG YEARS.

Had Reached a Stage When He Was Unable to Turn in Bed Without Aid—Hundreds of Dollars Spent in the Search for Relief—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Again Prove Their Wonderful Healing Virtues.

From the Kentville, N.S., Chronicle. Mr. David O. Corkum, of Scott's Bay Road, is the owner of one of the best farms in King's Co., N.S., and is one of the best known farmers in that section of the county. He is naturally a hard working man and when strong is always to be found busy on his place. Last winter he spent the whole season in the lumber woods, was strong and healthy and worked as he usually does. But he has not always been so. In fact it is the wonder of the neighborhood that he is able to work at all. Before moving to Scott's Bay Road, Mr. Corkum lived at Chester, Lunenburg, N. S., and while there was a great sufferer from rheumatism, which attacked him in such a manner that he was unable to do manual labor of any kind. About this time he moved to his present home, but he could not get a moment's respite from the effects of his disease. Feeling that he must get well at once, he called in a doctor, who brought from Chester to his relief, but he was unable to do anything for him. He tried many kinds of medicine hoping to receive benefit but to no avail. Being determined not to die without a struggle he had doctors summoned from Halifax, but still continued to get worse. About three years ago he took to his bed and his case developed into bones and muscle rheumatism of the worst type. It spread through all his bones, up into his neck and into his arm, causing paralytic action of that limb, rendering it utterly useless since he could not lift it above his waist. All the strength left in his muscles, and he was unable to turn in bed without aid. He was able to stand upon his feet, but could not walk. Still the doctor waited upon him and still he took their medicines, but with no beneficial result. During this time Mr. Corkum paid several hundred dollars in hard cash for doctor's bills and medicine, all of which did him not one particle of good. After living in bed for fifteen months his case was pronounced hopeless and he was given up by all. About this time he heard Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and as a last resource he resolved to give them a trial. The first four boxes produced no noticeable effect, but at the fifth he began to notice a change. Feeling encouraged he kept on and from that time he rapidly improved and after using the Pink Pills for a period of some twelve weeks he was restored to perfect health. Such was the wonderful story told a representative of the Western Chronicle by Mr. Corkum, who is now 50 years of age and perfectly healthy and feels younger and better than he has for years and attributes his recovery solely to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he is willing to prove the truth of his statements to anyone who may call upon him. These pills are a positive cure for all troubles arising from a vitiated condition of the blood or a shattered nervous system. Sold by all dealers or by mail from the Dr. Williams' Medical Company, Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N. Y., at 50 cents a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50. There are numerous imitations and substitutes against which the public is cautioned.

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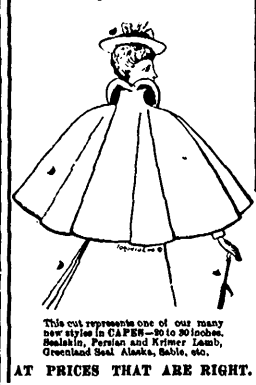
C. Y. L. J. A.

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Among the guests of the evening, were Rev. Father Wynn the director Rev. Father Ryan rector of St. Michaels, and a warm friend of the Association, Rev. Father Hayden and Rev. Father Grogan of St. Patrick's. About eleven o'clock the party dispersed well pleased with the evenings enjoyment.

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