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Telephone Message Prevents Tragedy

MOTHER IN HAMILTON CALLS UP DAUGHTER IN TORONTO AND TELLS HER SHE AND THREE CHILDREN ARE DYING—YOUNG WOMAN CATCHES TRAIN AND SAVES FAMILY.

TORONTO, March 9.—A young lady living in the west end of Toronto effected a wonderful rescue of four relatives in Hamilton this morning. About five o'clock the girl, who was staying with a married sister in Parkdale, was roused by the telephone ringing. She was told that Hamilton wanted to speak to her in a hurry. When connection was made she recognized her mother's voice, but very weak speaking from Hamilton and learned that her mother, two sisters and cousin were all dying. All were unconscious except the mother, and she found it impossible to finish the conversation, or give any explanation. The young lady found that a train would leave Toronto for Hamilton about six o'clock and she succeeded in catching it. An hour later she was in Hamilton, and found the members of her family all unconscious from gas poisoning. Fresh air and a doctor soon brought them round again, but they could give no explanation of why they had not succumbed help nearer at hand. Doubtless fumes leaking from the furnace all day had so dulled the senses of the occupants of the house that they seemed unable to think of opening the windows, and but for the mother's conviction that the daughter in Toronto could help her, and that she could be reached by telephone, the whole four must have perished.

The Garden Of The Empire

The following from the Victoria Colonist was published the other day in Times.

"In his budget speech Hon. Capt. Taitou coined a phrase which is destined to stick. Alluding to the future ahead of British Columbia as a 'Garden of the Empire' the minister remarked that he anticipated that ultimately the province would be known as 'The Orchard of the Empire.' We observe that this happy chosen application has attracted the attention of a number of papers on the mainland which have reproduced the speech, and all pay due attention to it in writing headlines. And the best of it is that there are excellent reasons for supposing that the day is not far distant when the phrase will apply in strict truthfulness.

British Columbia moves too fast in claiming the honor. A prominent fruit grower points out that Nova Scotia has for many years won the gold medal in London for highest excellence in apples and adds that when Ontario or British Columbia produce apples of the medium and convenient size with finer texture and sweeter aroma, then and then only may either lay claim to be the orchard of the Empire.

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KILLING NIAGARA.

The work of disfiguring Niagara goes on, the latest attempt being the granting of a charter for the construction of another railway bridge over the river. There are now three bridges spanning the gorge, and no addition to their number should be made if there is any means of preventing it.

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Only his sister Jessie seemed really to regret it when Seabury Lewis Seabury, graduating from the North Manchester High School, agreed to become an elevator boy at twenty dollars a month and his board.

Jessie had wished her brother to be a professional man. The Seaburys actually sought the professions. Had not the grandfather, whose curious duplicate name he bore, been a Justice of the State Supreme Court? To be sure, there were not many medical men in the family. Jessie's private preference would have made Seabury a great surgeon.

The girl was only sixteen, and two years younger than her brother, but ever since she was a little tot she had cherished the prospect of a brilliant career for her brother. He was a thrifty, industrious, and successful young man, and she was proud of him. He was a thrifty, industrious, and successful young man, and she was proud of him.

"Oh, well, if I was the clerk of the hotel I'd be expected to wear a big diamond stud, and that would be worse," Seabury answered. But this light way of treating the matter made Jessie angry still. "I was wrong," she added, with a little sigh, "Seabury's twenty dollars will be useful."

This latter was a statement of fact, not of opinion, and Jessie could not reply to it. Neither her grandfather nor her father had been men to make or save money, and the little family—her grandmother and mother and brother and herself—had to live very simply in order to keep out of debt.

If Jessie could have looked at the situation through her brother's eyes she would have seen two reasons why he never seriously thought of a profession. The reason was that he wanted his wonderful to have all the small comforts and luxuries he could possibly give them. Although he would not have feared to fight his way through college as a professional student, that effort would mean years of deprivation for them.

The second and weightier reason was that—taking the term as Jessie understood it—he did not want to be a professional man. He would have liked to be a mechanical engineer or a mining engineer, to spend his life in searching out the possibilities of electricity. But to do any of these things also called for technical training, which, he thought he had no right to take time to gain.

As a "boy" in a shop, he could have earned only three dollars a week. In deed, three dollars seemed to be the standard rate of wages for boys in North Manchester, and he felt himself very fortunate to get five dollars and board at the hotel.

To his sister's mind, Seabury's work was degradation; his uniform was a criminal offense. She never beheld the neat blue coat and lettered cap, because Seabury had no occasion to wear them outside of the hotel. But such was her dread of seeing these "signs of slavery"—as she hysterically called them to herself—that she went a roundabout road to and from school to avoid the place. She never talked about Seabury's employment. That was dreadful day when she had to confess it to a stranger.

Her grandmother and mother had gone downtown that afternoon, and she was studying in the dining room when the bell called her to the door. The lean, erect, self-mannered man who stood there wasted no time on preliminaries.

"Your name is Seabury, isn't it?" he demanded. "Look like your mother. She isn't. My name's Wallace.

The Brown Tail Moth In Massachusetts

(The Maritime Farmer.)

Since coming to Massachusetts the writer has been much interested in studying the Brown Tail Moth as occasion has offered, and in talking with those who have had experience with it. And the more the matter is investigated the more objectionable the pest appears to be. A recent trip to Marlboro, which is about thirty miles from Boston, served to impress the difficulties of the situation more firmly than before on the writer's mind, as he had an opportunity to look over a farm which is in a badly infested district, and to talk to the owner in regard to methods of fighting it and results. Like most people he had neighbors, and like many people his neighbors didn't take as much interest in leaving their orchards and grounds free from pests as was desirable. As we walked up through a young orchard of apples and peaches mixed, he explained that he had already been attacked by the pest, and that he had not looked after, except under pressure from the authorities, and this had kept him continually seeded down.

Of course the law covers the matter but so it does the keeping of dogs and the selling of whiskey, yet these matters don't always run as smoothly and as satisfactorily as could be wished, and the brown tailed business seemed to be on the same footing exactly.

He had not yet cleared his woodland of them and I was interested to note the way in which the moths had attacked the different species of trees. The birch we examined had oak, birch, maple and a good sprinkling of wild or seedling apple trees scattered over it, besides a lot of different shrubs. It was not unlike that section of Digby County, Nova Scotia, about North Range and Donvilleville, which I had visited last spring with Prof. Smith, Mr. Vroom and Mr. Guilford Reed just after the convention at Annapolis, only instead of a nest or two on a few of the apple trees there were dozens. The owner explained that his method of attack was to wait until there had been a light fall of snow and then go through the woods with pole pruners and long ladders and cut out the nests, allowing them to fall on the ground and subsequently catching them up and burning.

I asked him if he considered it a bad orchard pest and he said "no," except for the itch it would not be very hard to handle but one was most sure to get this either from the caterpillars at spraying time or from the moths when they are flying about laying their eggs.

As we drove back to the station I watched the roadside trees and found the same situation there. Oaks and apples were everywhere covered. One fine oak of a hundred years, very tall and straight, which stood along the right of way looked as though about half its leaves had hung onto it but I was assured that these were brown-tail nests and that the authorities were seriously thinking of cutting it down as it was almost impossible to keep it free and it simply made a breeding place for the whole neighborhood.

Of course Nova Scotia is not blessed with many oaks but I couldn't help thinking of the many fine ones through Canada, about Kentville and in other parts and wondering whether they would ever meet the same fate.

It is certainly to be hoped that the 10 cent bounty and other measures many eradicate it from Nova Scotia before it gets any better foothold.

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