LABOR IN THE LOWER PROVINCES.

Wages Good in Nearly Every Branch of Industry—The Building Trades.

Reports from all parts of the Maritime Provinces, says The Moncton Times, indicate that there is abundant employment for all classes at a fair rate of remuneration. There is more work in the building line in one season in the Maritime Provinces as the present time than in two average seasons in the last decade, and instead of being compelled "to lay off" during the winter, carpenters and others as a rule find pretty steady employment throughout the year. While the rate of wages across the border has been declining, on this side the line there has been an increase all round. This increase extends to all departments of labor.

Ten years ago when the waterworks were being constructed in Moncton, any number of men could be employed and were employed at 80 cents per day. When sewer construction first commenced in the town a year or two later, 90 cents and one dollar per day were the highest wages paid to laboring men, and when the sugar refinery was under construction in 1880, the contractors, it is said, got his pick of St. John and Halifax bricklayers for $1.75 per day. At the present time, Mr. LeBlanc, who employs 70 laboring men in the work of sewer construction, etc., in town, pays from $1.25 to $1.35 to shovelers, an advance of more than 50 per cent over the rate paid ten years ago. Bricklayers are paid $2.50 per day, as a rule, on the various works about town, and stone cutters command all the way from $2.25 to $3.00 per day.

Carpenters' wages have also considerably increased in the period under review, and though the failure of shipbuilding threw a large number of men with more or less knowledge of the work into the building trade, good men command ready and steady employment. It is pleasing to note also in various sections of the provinces that weekly cash payments are becoming the rule, whereas in the old shipbuilding days—the good old days some people prate about—store truck was the rule and the workingman rarely had a dollar of cash to call his own. The majority of the necessities of life, flour, tea, sugar, etc., are cheaper than they were ten years ago. The workingman lives better, is able to purchase more of the comforts of life and in every respect there is improvement.

Her Face Was Her Fortune.

She was as pretty as a picture and so animated and lively that it did one good to look at her. She was all this but she is not now. Poor soul, the roses linger no more in her cheeks, the former luster of her eyes is gone. She is a woe-begone looking piece of humanity now. She has one of those troubles so common to women and needs Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It recuperates the wasted strength, puts the whole system right, removes the cause of the luster and makes the woman what she once was, bright, well and happy. "Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine for women, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee, from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

THAT "HIRED HELP."

The "Old Man" Thinks He Knows Something About the Question.

EDITOR WORLD: Your skit referring to "The Servant Girl Question" and "G. J.'s" assertion on the 47,500 Canadian girls who are in Massachusetts is right as to paternity. Just allow me, as a summer bird of passage for now over fifteen years, to say "G. J." is wrong. There are in the New England and Eastern States many over his estimate, but not in Massachusetts. He must add Connecticut, New Hampshire, Vermont and Maine, besides quite a few in New York. In referring to the "hint" and "solution," allow me, and I have just enough gall (call it what you may) to say, that I know just as much about it as does "G. J." that no stronger barrier to restrain the French Canadian girl-tide of immigration to the United States could be put forth than that of the Catholic clergy. They have been unable to stop the tide—perfectly futile in their efforts to get the girls or boys back. On the other hand, this very class—the best bone and sinew of Lower Canada (Quebec)—when they do visit the land of their birth is in only too often the case that they take back with them the old folks.

Failing to check or induce in order to held their people in the fold—(quite right, too)—they have established churches, convents, seminaries and schools all over that eastern part of the United States. In Massachusetts the school question has been grappled with on account of the high-handed attempt (at Protestants' expense) to exclude the English tongue. With free America this trick won't go. It may be shoved upon us Canucks in the west of Ontario, and the infringement may advance on the borders of the east, but our cousins across the line will not have it. They say—America for Americans. If your own country did not afford you a home, did not give you that chance in life to grow above the common drudgery of daily toil, and America does, why conform to our laws, language, customs and become Americans?"

I don't know how you or "G. J." may look upon this, but allow me to assure you it is just as I see it. THE OLD MAN.

On the Road, Aug. 12.

Much injury is done by the use of irritating, griping compounds taken as purgatives. In Ayer's Pills the patient has a mild but effective cathartic, that can be confidently recommended alike for the most delicate patients as well as the most robust.

A lady writes: "I was enabled to remove the corns, root and branch, by the use of Holloway's Corn Cure." Others who have tried it have the same experience.

Death of the Oldest Horse in Canada.

Whilst running about the yard last week, says The Galt Reformer, Charles Cutler, the venerable steed owned by T. A. Cutler of the Imperial, injured his hip bone. As there was no hope of his recovery from the injury, on Friday it was decided to put an end to his sufferings, and he was accordingly shot. Charles Cutler was, so far as known, the oldest horse in Canada. He was foaled on May 10, 1846, and was therefore in his 44th year. He was of Messenger stock and was as fine a piece of horse-flesh as ever wore harness. He was raised by Mr. Best of the County of Oxford, and when Mr. Cutler purchased him 29 years ago he was considered an old horse. It will be remembered that he was driven in the trades' procession on July 1 last, and had he not met with an accident the old grey might have lived for a number of years longer. His vitality was phenomenal, and if there are any other horses in the country that have attained to anything like his age let them step to the front.

Scrofula

Is one of the most fatal scourges which afflict mankind. It is often inherited, but may be the result of improper vaccination, mercurial poisoning, uncleanliness, and various other causes. Chronic Sores, Ulcers, Abscesses, Cancerous Humors, and, in some cases, Emaciation, and Consumption, result from a scrofulous condition of the blood. This disease can be cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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I was troubled with Scrofulous Sores for five years; but, after using a few bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the sores healed, and I have now good health.—Elizabeth Warnock, 54 Appleton street, Lowell, Mass.

Some months ago I was troubled with Scrofulous Sores on my leg. The limb was badly swollen and inflamed, and the sores discharged large quantities of offensive matter. Every remedy failed, until I used Ayer's Sarsaparilla. By taking three bottles of this medicine the sores have been entirely healed, and my health is fully restored. I am grateful for the good this medicine has done me.—Mrs. Ann O'Brian, 158 Sullivan st., New York.

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TRACING LOST LUMBER.

Secretary Windom Suspects That It Is Being Smuggled into the U.S. from Canada.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Secretary of the Treasury Windom has ordered that the bonded lumber yard of Burroughs & Co., at Hunter's Point, be closed pending an investigation to be conducted concerning the whereabouts of 2,000,000 feet of Canadian lumber. This order went into effect Saturday, Deputy Collector Guthrie being placed in charge. It was based upon the report of special Treasury agents who have been quietly looking into the manner in which Canadian lumber has been brought here and what has become of it. The result of their investigation was reported privately to Secretary Windom.

It was learned yesterday that the special agents had been unable to find any trace of 2,000,000 feet of the Canadian lumber consigned to Burroughs' bonded lumber yard. They could not, so it is alleged, find it in store, and consequently the Secretary of the Treasury deemed it best to close up this yard until the lumber could be traced. The duty on lumber of the quality involved is $2 per thousand feet, so that in this instance the duty would have amounted to $4000.

A little over a year ago a case was discovered where a barge load of lumber from Canada ordered to the bonded lumber yard never went into bond at all. The barge was taken to the yard but was not unloaded, and the boat was secretly towed down to the basin at South Brooklyn, where the lumber was being put on board a vessel bound for an outside port when discovered. Since then the methods of this imported lumber business have been scanned closely. The investigation in the present case will be conducted in secret.

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Waltz, Visions of a Beautiful Woman.Fahrbach
Euphonium Solo. Theme and Varia. Heart Bowed Down..Bennett
Mr. H. King.
Overture.....Turner's Motto.....Ed. Kiesler
Polonaise.....Concert.....Jos. Beissig
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A Second Costello Forgery.

The police have discovered a second case of forgery against P. Costello, arrested on Saturday by Policeman Barber. About a week ago Costello passed a $36 check, supposed to be drawn by A. B. Piper, on Anson Raymond, hotelkeeper, 315 Willton-avenue. Raymond deposited it with the Dominion Bank, which after turning it over to the Molsons Bank, on which the check was drawn returned it to Raymond dishonored. Seeing the account of Costello's arrest in yesterday's World Raymond called at the jail and recognized Costello as the man who had defrauded him.

Colic and Kidney Difficulty.—Mr. J. W. Wilder, J.P., Lafargeville, N.Y., writes: "I am subject to severe attacks of Colic and Kidney Difficulty, and find Permelee's Pills afford me great relief, while all other remedies have failed. They are the best medicine I have ever used." In fact so great is the power of the medicine to cleanse and purify, that diseases of almost every name and nature are driven from the body.

A New Game on Hotel Proprietors.

I met a couple of "fakirs" who take in county fairs the other day on a train, says a friend to The Dundee Sun, and one of them put me on the latest hotel racket. It was like this: Tom, a rather slouchy-looking fellow, goes into a hotel, pays for dinner and enters the dining-room. He is shortly after followed by John, who is well-dressed and wears a nobby hat, which he is careful the clerk shall see. Tom comes out, picks up the new tile and leaves the hotel. Then follows John with the most disreputable hat ever seen. With blood in his eye he demands satisfaction from the hotel proprietor. He generally gets $5, divides with his partner and they are ready to work another hotel.

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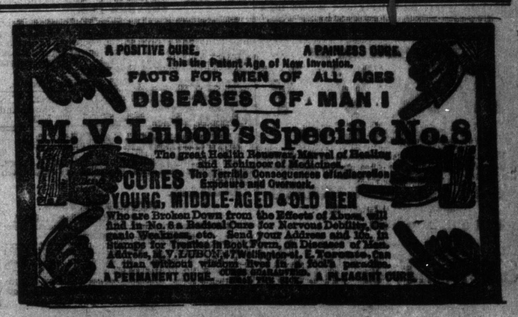
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