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HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS FOR DR. WILLIAM BAYARD

Veteran St. John Physician Celebrates Seventy Years of Professional Activity Thursday—St. John Medical Society Presented Address—Edinburgh University, Through Dr. Thomas Walker, Paid Pleasing Tribute to Her Oldest Graduate—Other Remembrances Were Received.

DR. WILLIAM BAYARD

The seventieth anniversary of Dr. Wm. Bayard's entry into the practice of his profession, fell Thursday and the plans made to fittingty observe the memorable occasion were very successfully carried out. Not only from members of the medical profession in the city proper, but from outside points, including the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, the veteran physician's Alma Mater, came congratulatory messages, conveying the best wishes of men high up in the medical world. They bore striking testimony to the esteem and respect in which, after his long life and ardous labors in his profession, the grand old man of medicine is universally held.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon members of the St. John Medical Society assembled at Dr. Bayard's residence, Germain street. The sentiments of the society were expressed in a beautifully engrossed address, read by the president, Dr. T. H. Lunney. The ceremony took place in the drawing room. Besides Dr. Bayard and members of his family, the following were present: Dr. T. H. Lunney, Dr. G. A. Hetherington, Dr. J. H. Scammell, Dr. W. L. Ellis, Dr. W. B. McVey, Dr. Thos. Walker, Dr. T. D. Walker, Dr. James Christie, Dr. T. E. Bishop, Dr. Murray Maclaren, Dr. O. J. McCully, Dr. W. W. White, Dr. Mary McLeod, Dr. P. R. Inches and Dr. Stewart Skinner. The address which Dr. Lunney read from the locol society was as follows:

St. John, N. B., Aug., 1, 1907.

To William Bayard, Esq., M. D.:

Dear, Sir.—The members of the St. John Medical Society desire to extend to you their hearty congratulations on this the seventieth anniversary of your graduation as a doctor of medicine. Such an occasion is, we believe, unique in the history of the profession. When, as in your case, we find added to long years of faithful service, a strong personality commanding and retaining the respect and love of the community at large, we, your professional brothers, may indeed offer our sincere congratulations.

Your seventy years of professional life have seen many and great advances in the science of medicine. Your natural ability, coupled with your untiring industry, have enabled you to keep abreast of these improvements and so have won our admiration.

It is a source of pride to us that your brethren, not only in this province but in the wider field of this dominion, have honored you by elevating you at different times to the highest offices in their gift.

Your devotion to every duty claimed from a medical man, as evidenced by your labors on behalf of the General Public Hospital, by your interest in matters pertaining to the public health and other kindred matters, merit our warmest thanks.

It is most gratifying to us that your Alma Mater has honored you by conferring upon you the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

It is our earnest prayer that the autumn of your life may yet hold in store for you many blessings and that you may be cheered by the consciousness of a life well spent and of work well done.

T. H. LUNNEY, President.
J. S. BENTLEY, Secretary.

A letter was read from Dr. I. W. Doherty, of Rexton (N. B.) After congratulating Dr. Bayard on his anniversary Dr. Doherty stated that next to Dr. Bayard, he claimed to be the oldest registered physician in New Brunswick, and added that the first of August of the current year, would mark his sixty-seventh anniversary. He stated that for many years he has followed with pleasure Dr. Bayard's arduous career in his several endeavors to advance the standing of the medical profession in the province and to establish institutions and laws for the better care and treatment of those requiring it. While regretting that he was unable to be present at yesterday's function he expressed his heartfelt appreciation and extended his earnest congratulation to Dr. Bayard.

A letter from Dr. M. Chisholm, of Halifax, president of the New Brunswick Medical Society, was next read, accompanied by some verses appropriate to the occasion. The letter was as follows:

Halifax, July 30, 1907.

Dr. T. H. Lunney, President St. John Medical Society:

Dear Sir,—You will kindly convey the cordial congratulations of the Maritime Medical Association to Dr. Bayard of your city, on the anniversary of his seventieth year in the profession. The evidence of a useful life well and nobly lived sits refulgent on his brow. May we be inspired by his example so that at "our evening time" too, "it shall be light." I have much pleasure in sending you this small token of the profession's esteem in the three provinces.

Very respectfully yours,
M. CHISHOLM,
President Maritime Medical Association.

The following verses accompanied Dr. Chisholm's letter:

In long years of mercy bending
You have lightened many a load,
Occupied your time in mending
Vases, shattered on the road.

In the twilight, in the dawning,
In the darkness of the night,
When the winter winds are storming,
When the summer days were bright.

When the sun was hot and blighting,
When the dew was on the grass,
When the elements were fighting,
When the snowdrifts blocked the pass.

When the rest of men and mortals
Were in slumber, soft and sweet,
When the order: "Man the portals,"
Came like thunder from the street.

Then to cheat the sleeper's charon
Of his freight across the stream,
You have buckled on your armour,
Fighting shy of pleasant dreams.

All your life a round of labor,
Making paths for others bright,
You have been to all a neighbor,
Now your even-time is light.

When the Master from His glory,
Calls to rest from weary toil,
May your life, so aged, so hoary,
Be repaired on heavenly soil.

M. CHISHOLM.

Halifax, July 31.

The president also read telegrams from the New Brunswick Medical Society and the Canadian Medical Association, both expressing sentiments of a felicitous and congratulatory nature.

Edinburgh University Sends Good Wishes.

Dr. Thomas Walker followed with an address, which he read on behalf of the graduates and medical faculty of Edinburgh University, Scotland. A few days ago Dr. Walker received the address from the university coupled with a request that at the anniversary celebration he would act as their representative and present the address to their esteemed graduate. The address was as follows:

DR. T. H. LUNNEY
Read Address at Presentation to Dr. Bayard.

University New Buildings,
Edinburgh, 9 July, 1907.

To William Bayard, Esq., M. D., Edin.,

Venerable and Dear Sir:

It is with keen interest and warm sympathy that the faculty of medicine of the University of Edinburgh have learned that on the 1st of August you celebrate the 70th anniversary of your graduation day and that the medical profession in New Brunswick intend to make this the occasion of demonstrating to you the respect and affection in which you are held.

The faculty of medicine of your old university desire to join with your many friends in this celebration and they have instructed me to transmit to you their most cordial greetings and to offer you their most sincere congratulations.

So far as we know you are the senior graduate on our roll and it was with pleasure and pride that we listened to the account given given to us by Dr. Walker, of the long, useful and honorable career that you have had in New Brunswick. We heard of the esteem in which you are held, of the good you have done and of your skill in your profession and we are glad to think you are still at work.

Venerable sir, a life such as yours reflects honor on our university. The names of our old professors: Graham, Alison, Home, Monro, Fertias, Hope, Hamilton, Jamieson, Christison, Charles Bell, Syme, Thomson and Traill will no doubt call up to your mind many memories and associations of your student days. There is no one in the faculty now whose experience goes so far back. The occupany of the chairs has been changed in most cases four or five times, but although the faculty as at present constituted is thus far removed from the faculty as you knew it, I would fain hope that we are actuated by the same spirit as that which distinguished our predecessors and that the honor and reputation of our university is as dear to us as it was to them.

We trust that on the 1st of August the celebration held in your honor will be a source of gratification and pleasure to you and we earnestly hope that in this the autumn of your life you have yet much happiness and useful work before you.

I am, sir,
Yours most respectfully,
D. J. CUNNINGHAM,
Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Edinburgh.

Dr. Bayard, in making his reply, was deeply affected. He felt much touched, he said, by their expressions of regard and esteem and would ask them to accept his deep thanks for the many kind and appreciative words which he had listened to. Dr. Bayard referred briefly in closing to the days before he became a graduate of Edinburgh and recalled the voyage made to New York, where he studied for some months. The trip, he said, lasted twenty days, in marked contrast to the methods of travel at the present time. Dr. Bayard concluded by renewing his thanks for the many expressions of good will he had received.

Adjournment was then made for refreshments, and individual members of the society extended their congratulations. Before leaving a group photograph was taken, with Dr. Bayard surrounded by the members of his profession.

Dr. Bayard is also in receipt of a personal letter of esteem from Dr. McPhedran, of Ottawa, president of the Dominion Medical Association, a post which Dr. Bayard himself formerly occupied.

OBITUARY.

Samuel Murphy.

The death of Samuel Murphy occurred on Wednesday at his residence, 107 Simonds street. Mr. Murphy had been in failing health for some time and was in his sixty-eighth year. He is survived by a widow and two sons.

Edward Skinner.

Edward Skinner, a wealthy Bostonian, who has been in the habit of spending his summers in this province, died Wednesday on his farm at Lands End, aged 36 years. Mr. Skinner had been a sufferer from tuberculosis. He was a son of Dr. Edward Skinner, of Boston, who is a cousin of Hon. C. N. and A. O. Skinner, of this city. A short time before the end Dr. Stewart Skinner, who was in attendance, wired for Dr. Skinner and he arrived in time to be present at his son's deathbed. A sister was also with him. Besides his parents, Mr. Skinner is survived by two sisters. The body has been taken to Boston for burial.

John Cain.

The death of John Cain occurred early Thursday at his residence, 30 Richmond street. He was a son of the late William Cain, who was a well known contractor. The deceased had been ill since Christmas.

Miss Carrie F. Payson.

Miss Carrie F. Payson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Payson, of Westport (N. S.), died on Wednesday morning at Colorado Springs, where she had been for four or five years for the benefit of her health. She was well known in St. John, where she had many friends. She was a member of the Christian church, and an earnest temperance worker. She leaves an aunt, Mrs. E. Payson, residing in St. John; also two cousins, Mrs. Arthur R. Melrose and Miss Stella Payson, both of this city. Miss Payson has visited St. John and also traveled extensively. The funeral will take place at Westport.

Mrs. Wm. McLeod, Formerly of Sackville.

Moncton, N. B., July 30—(Special)—G. H. Trueman, I. C. R. station agent here, has received word of the death of his sister, Mrs William McLeod, which occurred at Missoula, Montana, on the 27th. inst. The deceased was well known in the eastern end of Westmorland county. She lived in Sackville many years, leaving there with her husband for Montana two or three years ago.

James B. McKiel.

James B. McKiel, for many years a respected resident of Long Reach, died in his home there July 19, aged 84 years. Deceased had been in failing health for some time. He was a native of Greenwich, Kings county.

William Howe.

William Howe, of Fredericton, died very suddenly in his home last Tuesday. Mr. Howe had been in his usual health after dinner when he retired to his room to rest awhile. A little later he was found dead in bed. The coroner was summoned and gave his opinion that death had resulted from heart failure. Deceased was 83 years old.

Hat Strike Averted.

New York, July 30—The threatened strike in the hat trade was averted today when representatives of the National Fur Felt Hat Manufacturers Association of the United Hatters of North America met here and finally adjusted their differences.

General Booth has prepared minute directions for administration of the Salvation Army after his death. They are in a sealed envelope. It is believed his successor will be Bramwell Booth, with Commander Howard and Commander Booth Tucker as alternates in case of Bramwell Booth's death, and that the army will continue under the guidance of one man.

The fifty-second annual session of the Grand Lodge Independent Order of Oddfellows will open in St. Stephen Aug. 14, and conclude its sessions the following day. The proposed new constitution will be discussed. There will be fifteen delegates attending the meeting from this city, representing Golden Rule, Siloam, Pioneer and Peerless Lodges.

WEDDINGS

Stevenson-Brown.

The home of James H. Brown, at Corn Hill, Kings county, was the scene of a very pretty event on Wednesday, July 24th, when his daughter, Alice B., was united in marriage to Charles Stevenson, of Westfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. H. Cochrane in the presence of a large number of the relatives and friends of the popular young couple. The bride, who was prettily gowned in blue, was given away by her father. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson will reside in Manville, Alberta, and on their wedding tour will visit Boston and Toronto. The popularity of the young couple was shown by the large number of handsome and costly presents received. The groom's present to the bride was a valuable pair of opera glasses. The bride's father donated $100 in gold and her mother also gave a large cash present. There were about 100 gifts in all.

Murray-Whitney.

A recent issue of the Edmonton Bulletin tells of the marriage in the King Edward Hotel, Edmonton, of Miss M. Whitney, of St. Stephen (N. B.), to Barrister Murray, of Vegreville.

Ingraham-Newcombe.

Miss Clara E. Newcombe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Newcombe, of Torryburn, was married in Rothesay Wednesday to Arthur S. V. Ingraham, of this city. The ceremony took place in St. Paul's church, and was performed by Rev. A. W. Daniel.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Mrs. Thomas McHugh, of Boston, as matron of honor, while Ernest Howes, of St. John, was the groomsman. The bride was charmingly gowned in white silk with an overdress of point d'esprit lace with baby Irish lace and a bolero of Irish point lace, and a veil with orange blossoms. She carried a handsome shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley, and a prayerbook given her by the members of the young ladies' branch of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's. Mrs. McHugh was attired in a costume of buttercup yellow mull over silk with trimmings of black, and a hat to match. Music was rendered by the church choir with Miss Davidson as organist.

After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception is being held. Mr. and Mrs. Ingraham will leave for a honeymoon trip this evening. On return they will reside at 116 Elliott Row, city.

Among the many gifts received by the bride was a handsome piece of china, a present from the officers and teachers of the Brookville Sunday school, in which she has been a teacher for some time.

Owens-Robichaud

Miss Mary Robichaud, of Newcastle, was married Wednesday to Harry Mitchell Owen, of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Edward Hand at the rectory, Duke street. Frank Owen, cousin of the groom, was best man, and Miss Mary Powell acted as bridesmaid. Mr and Mrs. Owen will reside at 67 Broad street.

McKillop-Matheson.

A pretty wedding took place at St. George on Wednesday, July 31, when the Rev. Mr. Buchanan united in marriage Miss Minnie Letica, daughter of D. Matheson, to Fred. McKillop, of Fort Dufferin, west side. Miss Annie McKillop, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid and Thos. H. White supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. McKillop received a large number of useful and costly presents. The groom, who is employed by the White Candy Company, was suitably remembered by that concern. Mr. and Mrs. McKillop will reside at 289 Charlotte street, St. John.

New Appointments at Acadia.

J. Christian Ringwald, who has accepted an appointment to the position of director of music at Acadia Seminary, began his musical education with his father, J. M. Ringwald. Thereafter it was continued in the Teacher's Seminary, Nagold, Germany, from which school he was graduated. After several years of teaching and concert work he entered Leipsic Conservatory, where he studied with Jadassohn, Piutti, Papperitz, Homeyer and Bruing, at the same time attending lectures at the university. During his course he was appointed assistant organist at St. Peter's church, and, later, assistant organist at St. Thomas' church, made famous through J. S. Bach, the great composer and organist.

After his graduation from the conservatory Mr. Ringwald appeared with great success in many concerts in Leipsic and other German cities, meantime continuing his teaching. Coming to America he was appointed to give a recital at the annual convention of the New York State Music Teachers' Association in Saratoga, June, 1900, at which he was enthusiastically received. He has been teaching piano since with great success and has appeared in many concerts and recitals with marked favor.

Mr. Ringwald is not only a musician of standing but fitted by temperament and training to become a most successful teacher. Of fine personal habits and tastes, he will elevate and inspire all who come into contact with him.

Associated with Mr. Ringwald in the work of teaching will be Miss Emily Portia Starr, who returns to Acadia after a most successful experience as director of music in the Pennsylvania State Normal School at Bloomsburg. The staff in pianoforte is completed by the appointment of Miss Anna Roth, a sister of Miss Louise Roth, who has won such an enviable reputation as a teacher of the violin.

In the list of new appointment attention is called to Miss Izannah Lucas, teacher of physical training, a graduate of the Sargent School of Physical Education, Cambridge (Mass.), and Miss Margaret Keever, who has for two years been teacher of stenography at the Mt. Allison Academy and commercial college. Miss Keever will have charge of the department of shorthand and typewriting in the seminary and the academy. It is expected that an announcement with respect to the vice-principal will be made within a week or ten days.

The central districts of the Island of Jamaica are suffering from a severe drought, and the outlook for the banana crop is not bright. The drought has caused greater loss to the island than even the great earthquake and fire which destroyed Kingston in January last. There is a bad famine in certain districts in the parish of St. Elizabeth and half a dozen deaths from actual starvation have been reported. There was a sharp earthquake shock Sunday morning.

Thirty-five Deaths from a Razor

A physician in Chicago states that thirty-five deaths have resulted from paring corns with a razor. Avoid poisoning by applying Putnam's Corn Extractor. Purely vegetable. Painless and sure is Putnam's.

LOCAL NEWS.

Charles Carr, a Carleton contractor, has been awarded the contract for making alterations in the Charlotte street Baptist church, Carleton.

The Oddfellows of St. Stephen are making preparations for the meeting of the grand lodge of the maritime provinces, which convenes in St. Stephen the second week in August.

The St. John River Log Driving Company are reported to have 2,000 more joints completed than was the case at this time last year. The water in the river is unusually high for this season.

It is expected that the $3,000 required for the new scholarship to be founded by the A. O. H. will all be subscribed in time for the convention in this city a year from next month. The college in which the scholarship will be founded will be decided then.

Parnell B. McCafferty, who has been an energetic and capable member of the Globe reporting staff, has resigned and will leave next week for Saskatoon to engage in newspaper work there. He has been active in the Young Men's Society of St. Joseph, was a member of the society ball team and generally popular.

Miss Dora Jones, daughter of Mrs. Emma A. Jones, of 125 Duke street, has won the governor general's medal for the highest average in grade X. in the high school. Out of eleven competitors she made the highest total with a per centage of 665, the next highest being Miss Hazel Holder with 643 points.

A case against John Wells was taken up in Magistrate Masson's court Wednesday at the suit of O. D. Hanson. Mr. Hanson's claim is for $46, on account of goods sold and delivered. W. D. Turner represented the plaintiff, and W. B. Wallace the defendant. The case was postponed after a short hearing.

Walter Farnsworth, alias Percy White alias Samuel Adams, who was arrested here for the Sunbury county authorities by Detective Killen on Good Friday last and subsequently escaped from the Burton jail, passed through St. John Tuesday on the way to Dorchester, where he will spend the next two years in the penitentiary.

By order of the directors of the Horticultural Association receptacles have been placed in various parts of Rockwood Park for scraps of paper and other refuse. It is to be hoped visitors to the park, who are now very numerous, will use those receptacles rather than strew the paths and the grass with paper, banana peeling and orange skins.

Robert Fahey, a lineman in the employ of the Kennebec Light and Heat Copany, was killed instantly on Saturday morning in Hallowell (Me.) Fahey had climbed a tree to fix a wire and taking hold of it he received a shock which resulted fatally. Deceased belonged to Harcourt (N. B.) He was 25 years old and is survived by several sisters. He was to have been married in the fall. Burial will take place in Harcourt.

The work on the new manual training school on Waterloo street has been finished, and the building will be opened soon after the fall term begins in the public schools. The domestic science class will be accommodated on the first floor, while upstairs are the manual training rooms, two in number. The heating will be by stoves, and electric lights will be installed. It is expected that T. B. Kidner will be here in a day or two to make arrangements for the opening.

A pulp strike is in progress in Carleton. A gang of men who discharge pulp cargoes from Mispec for Mr. McKie went out Monday and have not returned to work. They say they have been working too cheaply and want $5 a barge. They were getting fifty cents a car. Mr. McKie refused, and as a result a barge of pulp that arrived is lying at the wharf. The men were on hand Wednesday morning to see if any one would take their places, but as no one showed up the dead lock still exists.

A recent issue of the Calgary Daily News, of Calgary (Alta.), contains a long account of the special services in connection with the first anniversary of Grace Presbyterian church of that city. The preacher on the occasion was Rev. S. Bacon Hilcocks of Banff (Alta.), who presided at both services. The congregations were large and the collections for the day entirely wiped out a debt of $2,000 on the building. Rev. Mr. Hilcocks is a native of New Brunswick, who went west some years ago.

Among a crowd of home seekers on their way west who stopped over at the I. C. R. depot Wednesday afternoon, was a party of nine which attracted some attention. All members of one family, what seemed most remarkable was that two pair of twins made up four of the party. Two bright-looking girls aged about ten years, dressed exactly alike, sat on one side of the young looking mother, and two cheerful-looking girls, aged about eight, sat on the other side. It was learned that the family's name was McAfee, and that their former home was in New Dominion (N. S.) The farm had been sold out, and they were on their way to the west.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Walter Rowan, of Ottawa, is one of the summer visitors in Digby, renewing old acquaintances and enjoying the many little outing parties for which Digby is famous as a holiday resort.

Tom Redfern Culley, formerly of St. John, but now of Montreal, has returned home to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Culley, Culleyhurst, Mount Prospect.

Mrs. M. Corkery, of Chicago, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dalton, of the North End.

Messrs. Harold and J. D. Brock, of Brock & Patterson, spent a few days in Winnipeg recently on their way to the coast.

Mr. R. J. Blackhall, of Dalhousie (N. B.), who has been visiting the large western cities, is on his way home.

Miss Mary and Master Jack Hipwell, of Woodstock, are spending a few weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hipwell, Exmouth street.

Dr. W. H. Steeves, of Fredericton, is in the city.

Miss Elsie Wall passed through the city yesterday from New York on her way home to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Doyle and child, of Roxbury (Mass.), are visiting Mrs. James McCarthy, Sydney street. Mrs. Doyle was formerly Miss Etta Kerstin, of this city.

Mrs. Murdoch, of St. John, is a visitor in Summerside, the guest of Mrs. Robert T. Holman.

The latest novelty in parasols is a square one fringed at the edge with silk or with little silver balls.

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NEWS OF THE OLD COUNTRY

England.

Iron ore can be landed at Cardiff and turned into steel plate within forty-eight hours.

The following advertisement appears in a west of England paper: "Wanted, woman, able to cook one lady."

For a municipal golf links, Brighton is purchasing twenty-three acres adjoining Hollingbury Park, at £4,500.

Struck by lightning during a storm in Parliament Fields, Hampstead, a big tree fell, seriously injuring a man and two boys.

The heaviest man in Wales, a publican, has died at Ystradmynach. He was four feet across the shoulders and weighed twenty-six stone.

"Seven Rouen Indian runner ducks and one splendid drake for twenty shillings; everlasting layers," are advertised for sale in an East Ham paper.

Oldham is to have a garden city of 600 houses on fifty acres at Hathershaw, within a penny tram ride from the centre of the town.

A machine which will enable gas companies to simultaneously light or extinguish all the street lamps supplied by them is being tried in Newcastle.

A man who was charged at Crewe recently with begging, admitted frankly that he had never worked, though he remembered going on an errand once.

It was stated at the Brompton county court just before the beginning of a suit against a laundry proprietor, that the man had been dead for at least eleven years.

A company of glassworkers has discovered that ordinary plate glass will make a more durable "tombstone" than the hardest marble or granite known to stonemasons.

Inspector Ferrett, of Ilford, has organized a special police cycling corps to patrol the streets during the night and run down burglars who escape from the men on foot.

Lord Rosebery inaugurated and presented to the village of Ceddington, Bucks, a complete water system, which has cost £2,000, as a memorial to the late Lady Rosebery.

A policeman stated, in a motor car prosecution at Colchester, that when he served the defendant with the summons he remarked that he had enough of them to paper a room.

The foundation stone of Buckfast, Devonshire, Abbey church was laid recently by the Roman Catholic Bishop of Plymouth. The monks will carry out the building entirely by their own labor.

Fifty-two guineas was paid for a champion pig at Lincoln Show. From his snout to the end of his tail he measured seven feet five inches, or seven feet, not counting the tail, and his girth was six feet eight inches.

A statue of Sir Henry Irving is to be placed in Charing Cross road, London, near the National Portrait Gallery. It will be nine feet in height, and with pedestal and ornamental base, twenty-one feet.

A burglar broke into the house of a lady in London. Seeing him about to strike a light by her bedside she jumped out of bed and after a struggle felled him to the ground with a blow on the head from a soldering iron.

The most powerful dredger in the world is to be constructed for the Mersey harbor board. It will be 470 feet long and work on the centrifugal and pumping principles, lifting three times as much sand as the present Mersey dredges.

In bridal array at Banbury, recently, a white lady rode on a white horse, illustrating the old nursery rhyme, in connection with a friendly society procession. She had rings on her fingers and bells on her toes, and had music wherever she went.

Herbert Gladstone states in parliamentary papers that on May 31 last there were 10,251 horsed cabs and 284 motor cars in London. Those figures show a reduction of 141 horsed cabs and an increase of 231 motor cabs since May 31 of last year.

It has been found that there are many left-eyed shots in the British army, particularly in regiments stationed in Ireland. As these men are much slower in firing, orders have been given to prevent men shooting from the left shoulder.

The trustees of Long and Fountain's Charity Educational Trust at Barton-on-Humber, Lincolnshire, have received an application from the heirs of Sir Isaac Pitman for £11, balance of salary due to Mr. Pitman when he resigned his post in the endowed school at Barton in 1826.

A Stroud merchant named Townsend was at Bristol assizes awarded £8,000 against Swindon corporation for injuries received in a tramcar accident. He wore a suit of clothes made before the accident to show how he had lost weight during illness.

A whirlwind has visited Lipley, Shropshire. It lifted two poultry pens thirty feet in the air, then carried them, whirling around each other, for 500 feet, and dashed them down again. A heavy hay wagon was twisted right round, and a pond was half emptied of its water, which was sprayed about.

John Lawson, who has been master of the Whitby Union Workhouse for twenty years, announced the other day that he has assumed the title of Sir John Lawson, which he says, was conferred on his ancestor, Sir John Lawson, of Burgh Hall, Yorkshire, by King Charles II., in 1665.

A male thrush has paired with a blackbird in the village of Harwood, near Bolton, and their nest contains four eggs, which are of the blackbird type, with the ground color a little paler blue. The authorities of Chadwick's Museum are taking precautions to have the nest protected. The male bird watches over the eggs in the day and the female in the night.

The house of commons will set up its own reporting staff, if the recommendation of the select committee appointed to consider the matter is carried out. The committee thinks that members should receive a full daily report by 10 a. m. on the day after a debate, instead of six days later, as occasionally occurs under the present contract system.

The accent of the London district is spreading in circles of society where one would never expect to find it, said the headmaster of Eton, the Rev. E. Lyttelton, in an address at a Windsor school. Every one he continued, should try to counteract it. If the London accent spread north and the Yorkshire accent spread south, what would happen when they met?

Vice-Chancellor Dale, of Liverpool University, speaking at Blackpool on the education of today, said that he feared that in work of the schools of today there was a tendency to sacrifice solidity for breadth, and that, although this generation was learning more, the knowledge was sometimes less right and less precise.

During a Wesleyan stone-laying ceremony at Milborne St. Andrew, Dorset, a swarm of bees attacked the assembled people so fiercely that they fled in all directions. Several persons were badly stung. The congregation sought refuge in the adjoining chapel, and when the bees had dispersed the Methodists returned and concluded the ceremony.

During the hearing of an application for an administration order at the Greenwich county court, Judge Willis said: "I read in the paper this morning a letter addressed from 'An affectionate old dad' to his daughter. He wrote: 'I hate people getting into debt.' Sound advice that. That he was a careful man was proved by the fact that he built up a very great business."

The antiquated Sunday Trading Act of Charles II. was pleaded in the Leeds county court as a defence to the action of one Louis Cohen, who claimed £4 16s. for groceries from Louis Goldberg. It was urged that £1 worth of the groceries had been supplied on Sundays, and therefore the amount could not be enforced. His honor, holding the act did not apply to necessary goods, gave judgment for the plaintiff.

A discovery of a Stradivarius violin has just been announced. The owner, a clothier of Smithfield, while traveling with his father about twenty-six years ago, came across the violin at an inn at Burnham Market, Norfolk, the birthplace of Nelson. Recently the owner submitted the instrument to experts, who declared it is undoubtedly the work of Francesco Stradivari, and of great value.

A thousand troops were paraded at Aldershot to witness the firing of a mine and demolition of field works by royal engineers. Many of the soldiers were struck by stones and debris, two were taken to the hospital, and eight treated for flesh wounds by the camp medical corps. At Okehampton camp a shell exploded, seriously injuring three men. The 12 o'clock gun was fired at Pembroke dock as usual the other day, but with an unusual effect. Someone had placed a brick in the cannon, and this flew into a cottage a quarter of a mile distant, splintering the door, but doing little other damage.

Three hundred delegates were "talking chicken" at the National Poultry Conference at Reading. Referring to the enormous growth of poultry keeping in recent years, Sir Walter Palmer said it had been amply proved that poultry paid when properly treated and not merely regarded as the farmer's wife's pin money. Edward Brown, secretary of the conference, expressed the opinion that poultry farming, even on a small scale, could be made a great success by any one exercising reasonable care.

A tramp who picked up a cheque for £5, payable to bearer, near Dorchester, promptly paid a visit to the bank and cashed it. Then feeling some qualms of conscience, he confided to the cashier that he was certainly never intended to be the "bearer." Ascertaining the address of the person by whom the cheque was drawn, he walked to his residence, a neighboring farm house, restored the money, and received as a reward for his honesty a sovereign, supplemented by a liberal supply of refreshment.

After fighting all through the Crimean war, being present at the battles of Alma, Inkerman and the siege of Sebastopol, Thomas Winscom, a lance-corporal of the 95th foot, saw active service through the Indian mutiny. He was discharged as "unfit for further service," and was granted a pension of 9d. per day. He was found dead in his room, at the age of seventy-seven years, a few days ago, in a state of wretchedness. No one claimed his body, so the Hackney parish authorities had it buried in a pauper's grave at Plaistow.

Scotland.

A runaway cow dashed into the Athenaeum at Glasgow, to the surprise of the literary club men. It was lassoed in a style befitting a cowboy in a novel, but nothing would make it budge towards the street, and it had to be shot before it could be got out.

James Blessing, a Glasgow laborer, who died in April, left an estate which has been valued for probate at £1,045 2s. 1d. His deposits with the St. Luke's Roman Catholic Mission Savings Bank amounted to £608 14s. 11d., and in the Glasgow Savings Bank to £171 18s., while he held 200 preference shares in the Imperial Tobacco Company, Ltd., valued at £262 10s.

Ireland.

The other evening a well known Presbyterian minister, speaking in London, used a delightfully mixed metaphor. He referred to the spasmodic efforts that begin with a flourish of trumpets like Jonah's gourd.

The diminution of apprenticeships was one of the things that was at the bottom of the unemployed trouble, said Lord Avebury the other day, at a meeting held at the Mansion House to promote the interests of the National Institution of Apprenticeship.

Valuable white clay deposits have been discovered on Browndod hill, Antrim. A Cornish syndicate has secured 900 acres, and a large number of employes will soon be at work. Up to the present the Cornwall pits have supplied most of the potteries of the world with the clay.

CAUGHT BURGLARS AFRER STIFF FIGHT

Campbellton Men Pluckily Attack and Capture Men Caught in Store.

Campbellton, N. B., Aug. 1—The hardware establishment of A. E. Alexander & Co. was broken into at 1 a. m. today by a couple of burglars. Charles Alexander was awakened by the burglar alarm and he and his brother-in-law, Fred Campbell, ran to the store. The burglars tried to make their escape but they were pounced upon and after a struggle, lasting about twenty minutes, were reduced to submission and taken to the lock-up. One of them drew a razor during the scuffle but was unable to use it, as he was knocked down by Mr. Campbell. So far as can be learned both men are strangers in the town.

Messrs. Alexander and Campbell are being congratulated in their plucky capture.

Condensed Despatches.

The by-election for a member of parliament for the northwest division of Staffordshire (Eng.), has resulted in the return of Albert Stanley, Liberal, with a majority of 7,134 over the Unionist candidate. The seat was made vacant by the death of Sir Alfred Billson.

The United States government has applied to the Canadian government for permission to place a training ship on Lake Ontario. It will likely be granted.

Richard Mansfield, the actor, has gone to the Adirondacks to recuperate from an attack of rheumatism. He intends to rest a year.

It is announced in London that Great Britain and Russia have reached an agreement amicably adjusting all outstanding differences on the Indian frontier and in Persia. Both powers have consented to the delimitation of their spheres of interest in these regions.

According to a report Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw intends to return to the stage this fall, despite the objections of her husband and his lawyers.

The Sovereign Bank has issued notices that the branch in Stratford (Ont.) is to be closed and the business transferred to the Traders' Bank.

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