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AUTOMATIC SCALES RECENT INVENTION

This automatic weighing scale is a comparatively recent invention was the statement made at the Rotary Club's luncheon yesterday by Rotarian Chas. H. Collins, who spoke on the subject, "Automatic and Computing Scales." In spite of the fact that weighing has been one method of measuring almost since the beginning of time it was not until 1888 that the first patent was issued for an automatic weighing scale. This machine was of the spring scale variety, and it was not until 1901 that the Toledo Company introduced a scale that weighed by gravity.

Since that date the progress has been very rapid, as he demonstrated by a brief history of the company, which in thirteen years has grown enormously in Canada.

Their Beliefs.
General Sir Sam Hughes has as much confidence in the merit of the Ross rifle as the men who used it haven't.

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PROPAGANDA IS DISTRIBUTED BY A NOVEL METHOD

"Socialist Shrapnel" Scattered by Readers of Their New York Newspaper.

(Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger.) New York, Oct. 26.—Propaganda has been called "grown up publicity." The New York Call, the socialist daily, is spreading propaganda by a unique method. It is called "socialist shrapnel." An entire inside double page is divided into nine squares, each containing the identical "message"—on one side it is a short pamphlet, and upon the opposite side a Ryan Walker cartoon, instructions to readers are printed at the top of the page: "Tear the page into three parts from top to bottom. Now you have three strips. Divide these into three parts by tearing across the lines indicated. Now you have nine pieces of shrapnel. Scatter the message."

In order to see how many socialist readers participate in the distribution the newspaper asks: "Send us a postal card on which you write these words: 'On the job.' Then sign your name and address." It is the endless chain idea limited to the nine persons to whom the regular reader hands the dodgers. A clever brain thought it out for there is the saving in printing, and by making it a part of the newspaper a circulator is found for the dodgers. Each day the "message" is changed. In the matter of energy and ingenuity the old political parties could well afford to study some of the publicity methods of the zealous socialists.

WEDDINGS.

A pretty wedding took place this morning at five-thirty when Miss Mary McIntyre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre, of 29 Simonds street, was united in marriage to Harry Crotty, of Fredericton, N. B. The bride was attired in a grey travelling suit and a Persian lamb cape. Her hat was a black picture one, and she carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses. She was attended by Miss Katherine Higgins, who wore tulle velvet with hat to match, ermine fur and carried pink roses. J. O'Brien, of Fairville, supported the groom. Relatives and intimate friends were present at the ceremony. After a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Crotty left for an automobile tour of Boston and New York, returning by way of Montreal. They will reside in Fredericton. Mr. Crotty is a well-known business man of Fredericton. A number of beautiful gifts were received, including several cheques and presents in gold, silver and cut glass. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Crotty, of McAdam.

Smyth-MacLeod.

William Bell Smyth and Sarah Christine MacLeod, both of Yank. B. C., were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse, Nelson, B. C., on October 18th. Rev. Mr. McClintock officiating.

Mr. Smyth was formerly an N. B. boy. His parents reside at Cumberland Bay, N. B.

Cochrane-Dickson.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of H. V. Dickson, M. L. A., Hammond River, Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when Rev. J. A. MacKegan united in marriage Miss H. Eleanor Dickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dickson, to Herbert M. Cochrane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cochrane, Bloomfield, Kings Co. After the ceremony, reception was held. The bride and groom left by automobile on a trip to Upper Canadian cities. On their return they will reside at Bloomfield.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Ellen Sweeney.
News has been received in St. John of the death in Boston, on Monday of Mrs. Ellen Sweeney, widow of John Sweeney, formerly of St. John. Mrs. Sweeney's death was due to an accident. A short time ago she fell down stairs and received injuries from which she did not recover. Her husband, who was in the shoe trade here, died a long time ago. Mrs. Sweeney's maiden name was Driscoll, and she was a sister of the late Capt. Michael Driscoll, a well known citizen. Many citizens will remember when she kept a popular boarding house at the corner of Union street and Wellington Row. Many old friends will regret to hear of her death.

Mrs. Sweeney's remains will be brought to St. John on Thursday for interment.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers are included amongst those recently recorded:

W. E. Collins to W. J. Osborne, property at Glen Falls.

Coldbrook R. & D. Co. to Josephine A. Thorne, property at Glen Falls.

Coldbrook R. & D. Co. to Ida M. Watson, property at Glen Falls.

Amanda (Christopher and husband) to J. Peer and others, property in Lancaster.

F. Hart to Edith I. Hughson, property in Lancaster.

Isabelle T. McKean to Mabel A. Shea, property in Princess street.

F. L. Peterson to Margaret Walker, property in Queen street, west.

Kings County.

William Arthur to J. L. Heans, property in Westfield.

William Arthur to E. O. Heans, property in Westfield.

F. E. Hayes to Leslie Hayes, property in Studholm.

Alexander Hayes to Leslie Hayes, property in Studholm.

C. H. McKinn to S. H. O'Dell, property in Sussex.

Alfred Murphy to Marion Ingleton, property in Rothesay.

Myrtle Wood to S. H. O'Dell, property in Hammond.



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FUNERALS.

The body of Miss Agnes Wood, who died Monday at the advanced age of eighty-eight years, was taken to Hammond River on the noon train yesterday and service was held in the afternoon in the Hammond River Presbyterian church and interment made in the church cemetery.

The funeral of Sarah Fleming was held yesterday afternoon from 49 Garden street to Fernhill. Service was conducted by Rev. F. S. Dowling.

The funeral of Mrs. David McInerney was held yesterday afternoon from the late residence, Westmorland road, to Fernhill. Service was conducted by Rev. Samuel Howard.

The funeral of Gerald Gibbons took place yesterday morning from his parents' residence, Metcalf street, to St. Peter's church where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. D. Coll. C.S.R. Interment took place in the new Catholic cemetery. Six class mates officiated as pall-bearers, and the boys of grades 7 and 8 of St. Peter's school attended the funeral in a body. A large number of spiritual and floral offerings were received.

PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the estate of Walter Lynch, \$700 personally, Margaret J. Lynch has been appointed administratrix. U. J. Sweeney was proctor. The will of Anne O'Brien was pro-

bated at \$1,300 personally and \$500 realty. Joseph O'Brien was appointed executor. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., was proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine Montgomery, personally \$2,100 Jim Montgomery was appointed administrator. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., was proctor.

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