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LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

Several of our good townspeople are gapping in the awful grip of the dread typhus bacillus. All through the protracted dry spell some of our gifted sages were warbling "Just watch out if we don't get some pleasant typhoid callers from this period. I should snicker." No precautions were observed, and alas! they spoke both wisely and too well. Dame typhus arrived and all who had lovingly washed the town pump handle are sorry that they spoke. As in most of small towns, the Board of Health, although appointed by the government, and paid by the government, and supposed at all times to be an active, functioning body, is sort of a joke. Provincial analysts are provided and supported, also, for the protection of the people, but usually any analysis is done subsequent to the damage, whereas good logical white men work the other way to the deuce. It is all very well to be sorry over such results of lackadaisical effort after it is too late. But the more laudable methods are those in which the fellow wiggles his feet and plays the ounce of prevention game.

Typhoid fever is no disease to make light of; no malady for people to shake their heads and say "Oh yes, John or Mary has all the symptoms and earmarks of the disorder but perhaps they haven't got it, or may have we can break it up." Break it up! Such blithering fools should have their heads broken up with a sledge hammer, and the wheels correctly assembled by the town jeweler. No time at the outbreak of such an epidemic for any ~~excuse~~ or the leaving open of any contaminated well as a menace and trap for an unwary and innocent public.

I do not wish to make a trade on this subject, but I wonder if all the public doesn't feel the same—that they deserve every consideration and protection, especially where it is provided and paid for. 'Tis quite hard to get warmed up on the subject unless you just place yourself in the skin of the other poor guy who is laid aside from his task for three, four, or any number of weeks, tossing about on a hot restless bed of languishing and pain, perhaps sacrificing a useful life on the altar of someone's indiscretion or laziness. We sincerely hope that all the stricken neighbors will make a safe recovery, but we also trust that our local Board of Health will see to

it that every well in town can safely be labeled "pure." And yet many people bring their hands and rave over the dread evils and results of intemperance. Certainly King Alcohol doesn't get his subjects ready for the "just to dust" chant in a few days. A wise community will have the typhoid gentlemen the question on an "importation placicite" first. John Barleycorn is nearly cuckoo now.

Wilmot Harold and Wilmet Weende spent Sunday in Hawkebay at Dr. Owen's. Friends of Mrs. Harold, aged mother of the former gentleman, will regret to learn that she is no better.

Mrs. B. E. Cliff, who is spending a vacation at her father's home in Bloomfield, spent Sunday in Centreville.

Miss Addie Irvine returned last week from a visit with friends at Mars Hill and Blaine.

The attention which Sherwood's Ltd. gave their electric light plant at the speed shown in mending the break was most praiseworthy; and we are all most grateful to have the lights once more. They proved an especial boon to those who have sick naps in the house.

Miss Edith Champion of Newmarket is visiting her friend, Miss Hilbert Delong.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Owen Nicholson and Mrs. Percy Cunningham have recently returned home after a very pleasant auto trip and visit to Newmarket, where they were the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Champion. While there they they picnicked at many beautiful spots, including Mount Church on Miramichi Bay, enjoying its briny water and the view extending to the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Miss Edith Champion came back with them and will visit her many friends for two or three weeks.

Miss Alice Niles is spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. John Niles at Andover.

Mrs. D. Rogers of Bristol spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. L. A. White.

On August 7 Rev. H. R. Bell will preach as follows: Centreville, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Carleton Place, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject—The Tears of Jesus. Evening subject—The Cities of Refuge. Miss Wilson of Lakeville will sing at the evening service. All are invited.

NOT REALLY "DUMB" ANIMAL

What is Called Instinct in Horses Closely Akin to Intelligence in the Human Race.

As proof of the rare intelligence of a horse, I wish to relate an incident which occurred during the late winter, and which, I am sure, made a lasting impression upon the minds of every passerby who witnessed it.

The day was an extremely cold one, and the streets of the city were covered with thick layers of ice. One street in particular presented a very dangerous appearance. The children were continually drawing their sleds, back and forth upon its icy surface, and it was as smooth and polished as a mirror.

It was late in the afternoon when a horse, drawing a coal cart, which was piled high with coal, started to make his way down the slippery surface of the street. He was making such slow progress that the colored driver climbed down from his seat and tried to aid him. In order to do this the driver had to grasp the reins and walk almost in front of him, collecting and encouraging him to go a little further. They had almost reached the foot of the slippery incline when the driver's foot slipped and he fell to the ground, rolling almost in front of the horse. The horse raised a front foot, ready to make another start down the street. The pedestrians, myself included, watched with abated breath, too much frightened to shout to the horse, and all fearing the worst.

The horse's foot was lowered until it touched the limb of the driver. As the hoof touched the legs which were bound around the driver's limb the horse gazed at the man in a curious manner, as though he knew that something had gone wrong. He immediately raised his foot from the limb of the fallen man and carefully stepped over to avoid any injury.

By this time several of the pedestrians had regained their breath, and some one called to the driver to roll out of the way at the horse, which he did very quickly. When he managed to rise from the ground he made his way to the horse and was patting and petting him when I started on my way homeward.

Now, if this horse had been as dumb as some persons think him, would he have been intelligent enough to save from injury the hard-working colored driver? He sensed the danger, as soon as his hard hoof touched the wet turpentine, and he had horse sense enough to know that he should tread upon the hard surface of the icy street. Could you really call such an animal dumb?—Bertha L. Tribull in Our Dumb Animals.

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