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Had Hard Time.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Please give me space in your paper to relate an occurrence that very near ended the life of the Rev. Mr. Martin, Methodist Minister of Campbellton. It was in this way: The above named gentleman was about to visit Comfort Cove, and it has always been the custom to go with the mailman. Mr. Martin obtained the necessary information about the time that Mailman Boone would arrive at Campbellton. He was, of course, under the impression that Mr. Boone would call on him, as he had to pass the door on his way. After waiting a little while he found that Boone had gone on; consequently there was nothing to do but to follow behind with the hope of overtaking him; but as the rev. gentleman had only been a month or two out from England, and was unaccustomed to travelling, he in his pursuit took the road leading to another settlement. After travelling some time he was met by a man who told him he was on the wrong road. Being directed again on the trail, he again set out

to overtake the mailman. After travelling for some miles, and failing to overtake Boone, and night coming on, also in a strange land, you can imagine how he must have felt. If it had not been for a merciful Providence in sending a boat with some men from Birchy Island that way the daily papers would have had to chronicle a sad tragedy, and friends over on the other side would be shedding bitter tears; a young and precious life would have been thrown away, all because Boone had not the common sense and courtesy to have called and accompanied the stranger.

Rev. Mr. Martin must have a very poor opinion of mailmen if he measured them by Boone's standard. Come, Robert, take another chew, you will do better next time. If you had only been half so willing to tell Mr. Martin you were ready as you were to jump into Turner's boots to get the mail, you would have saved Mr. Martin the awful experience he had that night.

Hoping I have not taken too much time and space, and thanking you in anticipation, I am,

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Our Montreal Letter.

The New City Council Inaugurated.—The Abolition of Committees Graft, a Thing of the Past.—The Present Month a Very Severe One for Storms and Frost.—The Lenten Services.—The Ice Palace a Failure.—A Warning About Typhoid.—Citizens Attack Tenant Law.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
The New City Council.
The inauguration of the new City Council which took place on Monday afternoon, Feb. 14th, was attended by a large number of spectators, including many invited guests. Speeches were delivered by ex-Mayor Payette and His Worship Mayor Guerin.

Abolition of Committees.
The different committees at the City Hall will in all probability be abolished. This is certainly a move in the right direction. The foundation of the patronage system and graft started with the committees. The Police committee led all others in the matter of graft, and the Roads committee in the matter of patronage.

Graft Will Soon Be Forgotten.
Graft in the Civic Administration of Montreal will now be a thing of the past. The grafters accused by Judge Cannon are to be prosecuted and this will have a wholesome effect on the new City Council.

The Police Department Rotten.
His Worship Mayor Guerin has received a petition from a large number of influential citizens asking that an enquiry be made into the workings of the Police Department. Certainly under Proulx's jurisdiction as Chairman of the Police Committee, there were many wrongs according to the evidence given at the Royal Commission. It is stated that insubordination reigns supreme in the Department, that persons were dismissed without sufficient cause, others promoted because of the "pull" system, that of late robberies are more frequent than ever, and that certain officers are lax in their duties. It is even hinted that Chief Campeau, the man who was deeply moved to tears at ex-Ad. Proulx's first rally in St. Jean Baptiste Ward, will be relieved of his position.

Private Sessions.
The Board of Control will hold private meetings and the newspaper men will not be allowed to attend them. This is claimed to be another good move to do away with wrangling and dissensions in the Council Chamber. There will be no canvassing for votes as in the past, and things will be decided on their merits.

Reports on Civic Clerks.
The heads of several of the departments at the City Hall have completed the reports which they have been asked by the Board of Control. As the heads of departments, now unbridled by Aldermanic influence, have given a true and conscientious appreciation of each and every employee under their jurisdiction, there will be a large number of dismissals. In one department, at least, there will be something doing amongst the employees when the contents of the report dealing with them is made known to the Commissioners.

In certain sections of the municipal service there is a feeling of satisfaction at the action of the commissioners in asking for a thorough report as to the standing and worth of each employee. In other quarters the feeling is on the opposite tack, and in one case the head of a Department had considerable trouble in securing the information asked for by the controllers. Amongst the questions to which an answer was requested are those dealing with the age, duration of service, date of entry into the municipal service, salary on entry, date of subsequent increases and present salary of each employee. Of course this information is of such a nature that it can be secured most expeditiously from the employee himself. In the case of the chief clerk of one department a number of the employees are said to have refused point blank to give the required information.

While the reports prepared report unfavourably in a great many cases, stating that certain employees are not carrying by any means the income they are drawing from the city treasury, in some cases well deserved praise is given to old employees who have not had any aldermanic friends and have therefore been passed by whenever salary increases were considered in the past.

(To be continued.)
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Which Was The Heir?

CHAPTER VI.
(Continued.)

HE? Oh, no! His lordship will not mind; indeed, he will be quite different. You'll understand presently that his lordship has no desire to control your actions, to dictate to you in any way. If you wish to please him, to start well with him, you have only to avoid boring him. That you are going to dine with the man with whom he has quarrelled will not affect him in the least. Go, by all means. If I might utter a word of warning—

'Certainly, certainly,' murmured the young man.

'I would say beware of that bottle of which Sir Edward spoke: let him drink the greater portion of it.'

'I don't drink,' said Sidney Bassington, rather sullenly.

'Of course not, of course not; very few gentlemen do,' assented Mr. Oldham in a tone which, bland as it

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was sent the blood to the young man's face; for he understood that though Mr. Oldham was only the family lawyer, he was, in everything save birth and prospective wealth, his superior.

Sir Edward and his sister drove on in silence for some minutes, then:

'Rum-looking beggar!' he remarked. 'So that's the heir, is it? 'Pon my soul, at first I thought it was one of Oldham's clerks. Not bad looking, but as awkward and shy as a shopman. Good heavens! Fancy that bounder being the next Earl of Starborough. Wonder where he comes from, what he's been doing with himself?'

'Why did you ask him to dinner, Eddie?' said Eva.

Sir Edward laughed.

'I don't know. Asked him on the spur of the moment. Thought it would be some kind of amusement; and there's precious little of it here; in fact, the place is as dull as dish-water. Besides, come to think of it, it was

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the proper thing to do. He is the heir, I suppose. Did you notice the way in which old Oldham said that the fellow had come to stay? And if he's going to be Lord Starborough, we'll have to know him, you know, Eva. And after all, a chap can't help his looks, or the fact that his people have taken no notice of him go to the dogs until they were obliged to take him up, I suppose, if he plays his cards well, he'll come in for all the old man's money as good as the title and the estates. Good Lord! I wish I stood in his shoes.'

'Would you change with him, Eddie, with the young man to whom we have just been speaking?' she asked, with a smile.

'Oh, well, I don't know that I would. It must be beastly bad to look like a bounder and to know it; and if ever a man knew it, he does. Well, here he is, and we must make the best of him, I suppose; he'll be our nearest neighbour, and I can't afford to quarrel with the man who owns the Starborough preserves; I've suffered too much already as it is. But he is a bounder.'

Mr. Oldham and his charge reached the home-farm. They were received as if they were princes by the farmer's wives, and regaled with a tea in which hot cakes and cream predominated. Everybody, as usual, touched a hat or curtsied to the young heir, and all regarded him with the same covert but intense interest.

'He and Mr. Oldham dined in the great dining-room, and were waited upon by the butler and his footmen. The meal seemed interminable to the young man. When it was over they went to the drawing-room, and Mr. Oldham talked and Sidney Bassington listened. But not all the time; for his brain was in a whirl, his thoughts were all confused. One incident of the eventful day stood out clearly, with dazzling distinctness: his meeting with Sir Edward Rashleigh and his sister.

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The young man assented meekly. When they reached the castle, Mr. Oldham took him to the library.

'By the way,' he said, as if casually, 'you'll—er—want some money. His lordship and I have discussed the question of your allowance. I think a thousand pounds a year would be sufficient, and I trust you agree with me?'

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'A thousand pounds will do very well,' he said, as calmly as he could.

Mr. Oldham suppressed a smile and nodded, as he drew a new cheque book from his pocket.

'I have opened an account for you at the local bank,' he said, 'and have paid in your first quarter's allowance. There is the cheque-book; you can draw upon it after you have looked in at the bank and given them your signature.'

Sidney Bassington took the cheque-book and put it in his breast-pocket with a trembling hand.

The earl's valet knocked at the door and entered.

'His lordship's compliments, sir, and he regrets that he is not well enough to dine with you to-night.'

'Very good,' said Mr. Oldham to the man.

A bell rang out from somewhere near.

'The dressing-bell,' remarked Mr. Oldham.

The young man crimsoned.

'I haven't brought any dress clothes,' he stammered.

'No matter,' said Mr. Oldham.

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Sidney Bassington looked up with a half-frightened air.

'I'm—I'm staying here, and I haven't got permission—'

'Oh, I'll write to Messrs. Clark & Clark, and explain,' said Mr. Oldham, blandly.

The heir went up to his room and washed his hands. Goodly, his lordship's valet, was waiting for him, and poured out the water in the basin, with downcast eyes and respectful mien.

'Is there anything else, sir?' he asked in a low voice.

'N—no—nothing,' replied Sidney Bassington, nervously.

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send for such appliances; indeed, they were, even with their simple tools, under the perpetual dread of discovery. It was fortunate for them that the stream did not run in the direction of Blue Pig Camp; for, of course, its muddy condition would have told their secret.

After a few days they ceased to take any notice of Cottie, who worked under the tacit protection of Geoffrey, and put in an appearance at the digging when it pleased her.

One day, while the men were sleeping after their mid-day meal, she sauntered up the valley and secretly marked out her claim and stuck up in an inconspicuous position the statutory notice she had written out on a leaf torn from one of Geoffrey's books. She drove in her pegs so artfully that they were almost concealed by the grass and the bushes, so that if any of the men had by chance strolled that way, they would not have noticed them. But none of the men were given to strolling; while they were on their feet they worked, and when they were off their feet they ate or slept.

She did not tell Geoffrey what she had done.

(To be continued.)

Perished in Flames.

Toronto, Feb. 13.—Three children perished in a fire that destroyed the house of Freeman Carpenter at Shawanga Township. The blaze broke out in the middle of the night, and the father carried out three of the five children sleeping upstairs, but one of them died shortly after being taken out. The rest of the family had a narrow escape.

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