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## TWO CANADIAN TOMBSTONES.

(London Daily Express.) Here is something quaint in the way of epitaphs. They come from St. Clair, Canada. The first is on the grave of a brick-maker: "Keep death and judgment always in your eye, Or else the devil off with you will fly, And in his kiln with burning brimstone ever fry. If you neglect the narrow road to seek, Christ will respect you like a half-burned brick."

And the second shows that there are hen-pecked husbands even in happy Canada: "Sacred to the memory of Anthony Drake, Who died for peace and quietness sake; His wife was constantly scolding and scoffing, So he sought repose in a twelve-dollar coffin."

Adieu—How does Marie look in her new gown? Estelle—in the mirror all the time—Exchange.

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## GROW APPLES IN N. B.

Head of Canada Fruit Division, Says St. John Valley Eminently Suited—Marking Barrels.

W. A. MacKinnon, head of the fruit division of the department of agriculture, is of the opinion that New Brunswick must become an important apple producing district. Mr. MacKinnon admits that from his own investigation he would not be prepared to make any definite statements but he judges from the reports received and information secured at his office from those who are in a position to know, he says that the St. John Valley in particular is suitable for apple culture, but in the past two great mistakes have been made. The growers planted the wrong varieties of apples and they set the trees too closely. These were fatal mistakes, for the crop of early apples is suited only for local trade and not for shipping, and the want of sufficient space between the trees tends to hinder the proper development of the fruit. These errors can be overcome through time and there is no reason why the valley should not number apples among its chief products provided the farmers go about it in earnest.

Speaking of the duties of inspectors and of apple inspection generally, Mr. MacKinnon says that an inspector is a sort of preventive officer whose duty it is to see that apples are as represented and that the markings on the barrels are correct. It is nonsense to say that the barrels must not be opened, for each inspector is provided with tools for this work. Every barrel need not be opened but the work is left wholly to the discretion of the inspector. If he finds that the shipments from any packer deserve a reputation for honest quality he will naturally not always be so careful in inspecting the fruit. But shipments from an unknown or doubtful packer should be examined and if any of the apples are not up to the standard, the whole shipment must be gone through, if necessary. This work will take some time and while it is being done other shipments must be neglected. This cannot be helped, but the inspector will do what he can, even though he does not inspect all shipments. It is of importance, however, that the fruit should not be delayed in transit. With reference to the selling of falsely packed fruit Mr. MacKinnon wishes all persons who have been imposed upon to lay in their claims before the nearest magistrate. This is the course taken in Upper Canada and often severe penalties are imposed. The inspector cannot attend to all fruit, but the people have the power to see that the law is carried out, and should do so.

Mr. MacKinnon goes today to Fredericton to meet Commissioner Peters on matters connected with fruit raising.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Try our big load of hardwood. Dry kindling \$1.15 per load. Watters', Walker's Wharf. Phone 612.

The Halifax Mail states that apple shipments from all parts of Nova Scotia this year is now 1,434,183 barrels, the same time 1902, 861,887 barrels, and 241,889 in 1901.

The dance, which was to be held on Wednesday, 11th November, in Oddfellows' hall, West End, has been postponed until Wednesday, 18th November. Busses will be in attendance.

The concert and pie social which was to be held at Red Head Thursday evening, in aid of the Methodist church, is postponed until Tuesday evening, Nov. 10th. Buckboard will leave head of King street at half past seven, sharp.

In the county court this morning, judgment was signed in the case of J. Willard Smith v. Ezra Stiles and Newton K. Stiles, which was an action on a promissory note for \$120. Bustin & Porter, plaintiffs' attorneys.

Determined effort and constant striving for the BEST is the secret of the success of the Northern Piano, Call and see them at John White's, 35 Charlotte street. G. A. Prince, representative.

This morning the twelve and eighteen inch mills at the Portland Rolling Mills resumed work, after being shut down for some time. Work on the foundation of the new bolt and screw shop is being rapidly pushed forward.

T. J. Murphy and wife, of Watson street, West End, were on Saturday receiving the congratulations of their friends, it being the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. They were married in the cathedral by Rev. Father Ouellette on Nov. 7, 1878. Mrs. Murphy was Miss Butler, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

The town council of Woodstock met on Friday evening last for the first time in the newly fitted up chamber of the town hall. The new council chamber is roomy and modernly appointed. The offices allotted to the civic officials have also been enlarged. Woodstock can now boast of a commodious town building.

Rev. A. Ross, who has been pastor of Union church, McAdam Junction, for upwards of two years, has severed his connection with that church. A farewell gathering was held in Union church last week, when J. W. Hoyt, in a few well chosen words, presented Mr. Ross with a valuable silk hat and case, also a purse of money.

The work of breaking up the Lake Superior is about over for this season and the laborers will probably knock off this week. Both parts of the steamer are now high and dry and there remain about fifteen hundred tons of scrap to be removed. During the past two or three months the metal has been sent to Montreal.

Edward Hogan returned to St. John yesterday after spending a day or two in Summerside. While here Mr. Hogan purchased from J. W. Callbeck, Augustine Cove, one of the finest draft mares in this province. The mare is a Knight of Ardgoon, seven years old, and weighs 1,700 pounds in only fair condition. The animal goes forward to St. John by the Northumberland this morning.—Charlottetown Guardian.

Golden Eagle makes white bread. Golden Eagle makes light buns. Golden Eagle makes spongy cakes. Golden Eagle makes flaky pastry. Golden Eagle flour is warranted. Golden Eagle contains 25 per cent. Manitoba wheat. Golden Eagle contains 75 per cent. Ontario wheat.

## THE KING'S BIRTHDAY.

The Guns of H. M. S. Pollux Assist the Local Artillery in Honoring the Royal Day.

The King's birthday is being officially celebrated today by the local militia, aided by H. M. S. Pollux. However, with the exception of the presence of a British man-of-war in the harbor, there are very little outward signs, saving the fappings of many flags, that the day is one of importance in the British world. This is largely in consequence of the fact that a later day has been appointed by proclamation for the observance of the royal birthday. The British cruiser Pollux, which left Halifax for this port Saturday afternoon, was signalled off the island about eleven o'clock this morning and came up the harbor shortly afterwards. Col. G. R. White, D. O. C., and Major Sturges immediately paid a visit to the man-of-war, which was returned later in the afternoon by the captain and staff. Promptly on the stroke of noon the big guns of the Pollux boomed a royal salute.

Shortly after eleven o'clock this morning the men of No. 3 Co. 3rd Regt. C. A. in command of Capt. W. A. Harrison and Lieut. Geo. Hilyard, assembled on the Barracks Square and made haste to get a number of the guns in position. By twelve o'clock everything was in readiness and a salute of 21 guns was fired.

This evening in the Union Club the captain and officers of the H. M. S. Pollux will be entertained at dinner by Lt.-Col. White, D. O. C., and the officers of the local militia.

## AGED MONCTON MAN DEAD.

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 9.—Enoch Rushton, an aged and respected citizen of the West End of the city, passed away quite suddenly this morning. Mr. Rushton had been in poor health for some time, and this morning took a bad turn, expiring suddenly of heart failure. Deceased was 82 years of age, and had resided in Moncton for 25 or 30 years. He was a native of Nova Scotia. Three of his sons at Geoffrey and Chesley Rushton and Driver Enoch Rushton are well known. J. C. R. men; another son is Douglas Rushton, the city police officer. Another son, J. W., lives in Stettin, and a daughter, Mrs. Forsythe, resides in Boston. Mrs. Rushton also survives. Mr. Rushton was one of the pioneer settlers in the western end of Moncton and was a consistent member of the Moncton First Baptist church.

WILL DOUBLE THEIR POWER. Immense New Engine For the Street Railway Company.

Yesterday forenoon three carloads of machinery comprising part of one of the big new engines ordered by the Street Railway Company from the Lauris Engine Co. of Montreal, arrived in the city. A section of another of the engines from the same works at Amherst is also due today. These engines are quite large and the hauling of them from the freight yard to the power house will be no small job. The one from the Lauris Engine Co. is an improved horizontal cross compound automatic condensing Corliss engine, with cylinders twenty-three and forty-four inches respectively, piston for ninety revolutions. It is registered nine-hundred horse power and will be directly connected with a 650 K. W. generator for street railway purposes. The fly wheel of this engine is probably the largest in St. John. It has a sixteen inch fall, discharging eighteen feet and weighs thirty-five tons. When running at full speed a point on the face of this wheel would travel at the rate of almost a mile a minute.

The other two engines are of the Robb-Armstrong type, one being 900 h. p. and the other 450 h. p. They will be used for lighting purposes. These three engines will furnish alone more power than is at present developed, and the capacity of the plant will be fully doubled when all the new machinery is in.

POLICE COURT. William Harding wants Sergt. Campbell to go chase himself, but Campbell won't. This makes Harding mad and he says, "fat head," "quack," and other things just as nasty, adding that if he had as much brains as Campbell he would go and throw himself over the wharf. He is still above water.

All this is because the sergeant got witnesses to prove that Harding had been fighting last Tuesday on Brussels street. Harding denied it all along, but today said that he was tired of being remanded and wanted the case settled. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two months. This was the signal for his remarks to Campbell, and he talked nearly all the way downstairs.

Harry Martin arrested for drunkenness forfeited eight dollars.

## THE YEAR'S DEATH RECORD.

The annual statistics of the local board of health for the year ended Oct. 30 of the previous year. There were 375 males and 402 females; 394 single; 382 married; 623 Canadians; 153 foreigners. The greatest number of deaths was in August, when seventy-eight passed away; the smaller number in April, when forty-five deaths occurred. Under one year of age 167 died, this being the largest number of deaths was between the ages of ten and fifteen, the number being twelve. Most died of diseases of the circulatory organs, the number being 105.

## THIS EVENING.

Missionary Evening at St. Stephen's church. N. C. O's of 3rd R. C. A. hold a smoker in Ritchie's Building. Social in Fairville Baptist church. Y. P. A. of St. David's church hold an At Home in the vestry. Dinner at the Union Club.

## EVENING PHYSICAL CULTURE CLASS.

An evening class in Physical Culture will be opened by Miss Rogers in the Church of England Institute hall, Tuesday, Nov. 10, at seven o'clock.

The chain gang went to work this morning as usual in spite of the bad weather and rather chilly weather. They have recently been supplied with hard hats and will work all the harder to keep their bodies warm.

## \$5,000 FOR AN EAR.

A Doctor's Offer For Good Night Ear Finds Many Willing to Submit to Knife.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Nearly 150 men and women, boys and girls, living here, have manifested a willingness to part with their right ear in return for \$5,000. Telegrams by the score from nearby states show that there are numerous persons who feel in the same need of money. The offers grow out of an advertisement by a physician offering \$5,000 for the right ear of a healthy person. The size of the ear was specified with precision and the doctor stated that sex would not matter. It appears he has a patient who has grown rich in the western mines, but had the misfortune to lose one of his ears. The doctor believes he has found one that will meet the requirements in one of the city hospitals, but is postponing the operation a week in order to get the best possible fit from among his applicants.

## PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Allan Sharpe left Saturday afternoon for Boston on a pleasure trip; and to meet Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sharp and their daughter, Miss Mabel Sharp, who are coming out in the Commonwealth and who contemplate spending the winter in this city. Mrs. Sharp of Birmingham, was formerly Miss Kate Stackhouse of St. John West.

The Rev. M. Shaw has closed his pastoral engagement with the Hampton Village Baptist church, and gone to Westmorland County for a few weeks before returning to his old home in Kings county, N. B.

A Woodstock letter says: "The organ recital given in St. Luke's church the other evening by Arnold Fox, organist of the Stone church, St. John, was greatly enjoyed by a large congregation, which entirely filled the church. The selections were such as to afford a treat to lovers of music, particularly when seconded by the artistic manipulation of Mr. Fox."

The wedding of Miss Frances Allen to Theodore Roberts will take place in December. Immediately after the ceremony they will go to Barbados, where Mr. Roberts has accepted a position.—Fredericton Gleaner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Philips arrived home Saturday from a visit to Washington, New York and other United States cities and will make the Victoria Hotel their home for the winter.

Arthur Langley, of Charlotte street, West End, who has been confined to the house several weeks by a serious illness, is now convalescent.

Miss Dorothy Cunningham went last week to Boston, where next week she will act as bridesmaid at the wedding of her cousin, Miss Marie Cunningham and at the wedding of Miss Ethel Palmer to Frank Gardner, of the crew of the Calvin Austin.

## THE COUNTY FAIR.

Notwithstanding the fact that the County Fair has been presented several times before, a very large audience at the Grand Opera House last night was kept in continual laughter for nearly three hours. The County Fair should be re-named the New County Fair, for it is greater and stronger than ever with new and elaborate scenery and a stronger cast. The story is one which contains all the material tints of New England farm life. A view of sunny hills, green trees and a homely one-story farm house and a well-stocked barn, with cows and horses, are realistic features remarkably vivid, while the race track scene has many novelties.—The Standard Union, Tuesday evening, Dec. 24, 1901.

This show will appear at the St. John Opera House on Monday and Tuesday nights and Tuesday matinee, Nov. 16 and 17.

## INSPECTION OF FOODS.

To the Editor of the Star:—Sir,—We have a Board of Health. I believe there is some provision for the inspection of foods and providing any of the officials do their duty, how is it that displayed in the window of an auction room are some canned goods which should be at once destroyed and not allowed to be sold?

There are cases where old canned goods are not fit to eat, but when the cans do not give an indication of the vile nature of the contents, but in the present instance the cans are bulged at the tops and clearly show the contents to be spoiled.

The majority of people know how to test canned goods, but there are certain numbers who do not, and for the protection of the latter, some steps should be taken that food offered for sale is fit to eat.

## EQUITY.

S. A. MUSIC. Major Howell, who is well known as an eminent musician will conduct a special service at Charlotte street tonight. He will be assisted by the evangelist quartette and also all the city officers. On Tuesday evening there will be a musical festival at the Mill street barracks led by the major and the quartette. The quartette will then say farewell and proceed to Cape Breton for the winter campaign.

## Y. M. A. REORGANIZED.

On Friday evening, Nov. 6th, there was a meeting of young men in St. James' church school house, when it was decided to reorganise a Y. M. A. for the winter season.

The following officers were elected:—President, Rev. A. D. Dewdney; secretary, C. T. Stewart; treasurer, E. G. Nagle.

## LOYALTY.

This morning's meeting of the New Brunswick Board of Fire Underwriters was largely attended and, while some business was being discussed the first gun of the royal salute was heard, whereupon the members arose, saying with a will "God save the King." The meeting then at once adjourned.

## PHONOGRAPHS.

Just received 150 of the latest and newest selections in records also Home Phonograph records 40c. each, or \$4.50 a dozen.

JOHN FRODSHAM, Royal Hotel.

## Save! "A penny saved is as good as a pound earned."

Save 10 per cent. on Footwear purchases this month—a saving of 10 to 50 cents on every pair of shoes.

Buy the winter's supply of Footwear here during November while we are giving 10 per cent. discount on everything except Rubbers.

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Most dealers would ask more money for our \$2.50 Shoe, but we are determined to sell the best for the money. The Ladies' Shoes are made of kid and calf, some in mannish shape with extension sole—right up to the hour in style. The Men's Shoes are made of box calf, colt-skin, kid, etc. All new winter styles; all sizes. Give our \$2.50 Shoes a trial—that's the best test.

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Heavy Calf, 11 to 13, \$1.35, \$1.60. Nailed Sols, 1 to 5, \$1.50, \$1.60. Chrome Slip, heavy soles, running back to heel, 11 to 13, \$1.75; 1 to 5, \$2.00. Fine Box Calf, 11 to 13, \$1.60, \$1.75; durable and dressy, 1 to 5, \$1.75, \$2.00. Fine Box Calf, Goodyear welted, 1 to 5, \$2.75, \$3.00.

FOR SALE BY

FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 19 KING STREET.

## CABINET MINISTER SUICIDES.

Finance Minister in Italian Gov't, Kills Himself After Holding Office Four Days.

NAPLES, Italy, Nov. 9.—Minister of Finance Rosano committed suicide by shooting during the night. He was found dead this morning in his room; a revolver at his side.

Signor Rosano was given the position of minister of finance in the new Italian cabinet, the formation of which was announced only last Wednesday. ROME, Nov. 9.—Since the formation of the new cabinet the Socialists had attacked Signor Rosano, charging him with corruption during his political career and challenging him to prove the charges and adding that otherwise they would bring the matter up at the opening of the chamber of deputies.

It was at first announced from Naples that the minister had been stricken with apoplexy and died while taking a train for Rome. Later, however, it became known that he had committed suicide.

## PERILS OF THE SEA.

The crew of the United States schooner, Hamburg, wrecked at Georgetown Island, in the Bay of Pundry, in last Thursday night's gale, reached Moncton last evening and were cared for by the U. S. consul. The men escaped with barely the clothes they stood in and suffered much from exposure. The United States consul will send them to their homes in Massachusetts, Me., today.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. There will be sold at Public Auction at Chubb's Corner, in the City of Saint John, in the County of Saint John, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon on SATURDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, INSTANT, the leasehold lands and premises belonging to the Estate of Catherine McCarthy, deceased. Number thirty-one Erie street, having a frontage of thirty-five feet thereon and extending back one hundred and fifty feet.

Dated this third day of November, A. D. 1903.

J. KING KELLEY, Administrator, etc., CATHERINE MCCARTHY, Auctioneer.

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Just Received, from Paris, new designs in

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