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WHEREAS the executor of the estate of Harriet Bennett deceased, has filed in this Court a final account of his administration of the said deceased's estate and has prayed that the same may be passed and allowed in due form of Law.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs and all of the creditors and other persons interested in her said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John at the Probate Court Room in the Fishery Building in the City of Saint John, on Monday the First day of October at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon then and there attend the passing and allowing of the said account as prayed for and as by Law directed.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Probate Court, this twenty-third day of August, A. D. 1906.

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THE NEED FOR SKILLED MEN.

(Toronto News.)
We do not know if the government should authorize its immigration agents to send skilled mechanics to Canada. It seems to be certain, however, that there is now a scarcity of skilled workmen in many Canadian industries, and that the manufacturers find it necessary to adopt exceptional measures in order to increase the supply. The rapid settlement of the west with a consequent increasing demand for the products of Canadian factories, means a proportionate demand for skilled workmen in the industries of older Canada. Organized effort seems to be necessary in order to meet this exceptional condition. Skilled labor is slow to emigrate, and owing to the passing of the apprenticeship system and the regulations of the unions the home increase in the number of skilled workmen is rigidly regulated. Hence it becomes necessary for manufacturers to seek for workmen elsewhere. Industrial expansion is to be kept pace with the general growth and development of the country.

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A CANADIAN ATTACHE.

President Roosevelt is credited with the suggestion that a representative of Canada should be stationed at Washington to facilitate business between the two countries. This idea is not by any means a new one, but if as is stated, the proposal now comes from Roosevelt, it will be treated with more serious consideration. The advantages of such an arrangement are obvious, and when one considers the many questions of mutual interest which arise from time to time, the wonder is that the plan was not adopted years ago. The presence of a Canadian representative at the Court of Theodore I. need not infringe on the rights or duties of the British Ambassador. He and his government may still be left to conduct all business of national importance. But there are numerous matters which arise from time to time, and for the settling of which it is absurd to set in motion the cumbersome machinery of the British Foreign and Colonial offices. If Roosevelt wants Earl Grey to go bear hunting, he must under the present system, extend the invitation through the British Ambassador. By that official it is forwarded to the foreign office. That institution passes it along to the Colonial Office, and thence it reaches Canada. The answer goes back over the same route, and by the time it reaches Washington the President may be relegated to the shelf of insurance referees, and the bears be dead of old age.

In commerce too, and in fact in every department of international life, there are scores of minor points requiring immediate settlement which do not call for the red tape routine of the ordinary questions of diplomacy. Canada can mind her own business, and where that business does not affect the interests of the empire there is no reason why the mother country should have to step in. When neighborhood children are playing house they do not send for their mothers to decide which one shall be the hostess and which the visitor, or what subjects shall be taken up in conversation.

An Ottawa despatch says that the federal government is not at present prepared to establish such an office at Washington as is mentioned, one of the reasons being that the person who could occupy the post would have to be possessed of the unusual qualifications, and in such a man is no slight. If the government decided to create the office, it might not be hard to find the man.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND TIMBER TROUBLES.

Newfoundland is again excited over the disposal of timber limits. A year or two ago the "Harnsworth deal" caused a lot of talk, and within the last few weeks another sale has created something like panic among small millowners. It appears that a long stretch of wooded land on the south coast has been practically given away to a few friends of the government. Who promptly sold it to outside operators at a profit of some eighty thousand dollars on an investment of six hundred. The right to cut within the three mile shore limit was, as usual, reserved by the government for the benefit of fishermen, but it happens that there is no timber in this three mile strip suited to the needs of the people. Again about fifty small mills have been in operation along the coast, all of which depend for their supply of logs on the property recently sold. The owners of these had repeatedly applied for leases of limits but never received them. The situation now is that these millmen will either close up, at a heavy loss, or else submit to whatever terms the new owners of the timber may see fit to impose.

OIL NOT A SUCCESS.

Oil has long been advocated as a remedy for the dust nuisance, but the experience of Newport, the fashionable watering place, will not tend to make this method more popular. Oil was sprinkled on one of the principal avenues there a short time ago, and it certainly kept down the dust. But with the heat of the sun several peculiar and distinct stenches arose from the roadway, oil-soaked dirt was soon flying in all directions, covering the clothing of persons who happened to be out. In addition, the dirt stuck to the feet and ruined carpets and floors in the houses.

President Roosevelt has sent a contribution to Rear Admiral Thomas to assist in conducting suits against all persons who show disrespect to the naval uniform. A number of men from the fleet were recently elected from a dance hall at Newport because they did not appear in evening dress.

WILLIAM ALBO-RAN-DOLPH HEARD.

Willie runs a supplement which always beats the news. Willie runs for President, with nothing much to lose—Willie's always running, whether by request or not. Whenever there's a vacancy, it's Willie-on-the-spot.

FRISKY WILLIE, RISKY WILLIE, FEVERISH FOR SPEED.

Prints a rapid journal, so that he who runs may read. Willie runs for Governor quite regular of late. Willie runs the Government (or tries at any rate). Willie looks on politics with serious intent. As a sort of annex to his Comic Supplement.

WILLIE FOUND FOR GOVERNOR QUITE REGULAR OF LATE.

Willie ran for Mayor once, but when he realized that he was not at all surprised. In this land which (Willie says) is almost everybody has defeated Willie Hearst.

WHEN HE SAW THAT PUDDLES WERE THE TOPICS OF THE HOUR.

Willie found the Muck-Rake of a hundred-donkey power. Started up a greaser, shrilly shrieking all the time: "Don't you touch my mud. I've got a scoop in this hole here!"

FRANTIC WILLIE, ANTI WILLIE, ALWAYS ON THE JUMP.

Willie found the Muck-Rake slow, and so he bought a pump. Bristle to be Willie quite the mildest of emulsions—Dove multiplied by fits and Lawton in convulsions. Any great calamity that comes the world to cure. Read his "Journal"—and you'll find that it is worst.

BUMPTIOUS WILLIE, GUMPTIOUS WILLIE, RUNNING FOR A PRIZE.

Keeps his circulation brisk by constant exercise. —Wallace Irwin, in Collier's Weekly.

OBSERVING THE SABBATH.

He was a solemn man, with an equality of mind and undroven wife. The fact that they were receiving an excellent price for their "second pair" from a lodger did not blind them to their fallings.

EMIGRATION CHIEF CAUSE OF LUNACY

Number of insane in Ireland is increasing rapidly, according to Official Report.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—A special report of the Inspector of lunatics in Ireland has been issued in the form of a blue book. It shows that a proportion of the insane to the total population in 1901 was 56.2 per thousand, compared with 15.5 in 1851. The number of patients in public asylums rose from 8,867 in 1850 to 13,222 in 1895, and 18,094 in 1901. There were a proportional increase in the inmates of private asylums. The figures do not include the insane outside of asylums, which is believed to be considerable.

The inspectors attribute the increase in the ratio of insanity to population partly to the reduction of the latter by emigration of the mentally fit and partly to the return to Ireland of emigrants suffering from mental breakdown. Available statistics do not permit of a definite conclusion as to whether there has been an actual increase in insanity, but the inspectors believe that, but for the emigration of the strong and healthy, the ratio would have been very small. They declare, however, that the Irish are "peculiarly prone to mental break-down," directing attention to America, where they say the proportion of insane among the Irish is greatly in excess of other nationalities, and pointing out that in Connecticut it is more than double.

In conclusion, the report says that the question of the influence of immigration on the development of insanity has not hitherto received the attention it deserves, adding: "There is every reason to fear that a large number of our people crossing the Atlantic in search of fortune in a climate and environment so different from that in which they are accustomed, leave behind them the good humor and peace of our peasantry, and in the strain and stress of American life, especially in our convulsions, quickly break down physically and mentally. Of the large number who become insane, many like hunted animals, seek to return to their friends and former homes in Ireland, while those unable to return find refuge in the lunatic asylums of America."

MYERS GETS SEVENTY-FIVE DAYS.

DORCHESTER, N. B., Sept. 25.—The clergy trial, which adjourned some days, was tried, that of King vs. Percy Gregory presiding. The case on the docket, which was held over until today, was tried, that of King vs. Percy Myers, indicted for assault with intent to grievously harm. The prisoner pleaded guilty to having committed an assault, which was accepted, and he was sentenced to seventy-five days in jail.

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MARRIAGES.

GOLDING-LOGAN.—In this city, on Sept. 24th, Harold Hilarie Golding to Jessie Ingham Logan, daughter of Thomas Logan of 44 Winter street, Rev. Dr. Macrae officiating.

ROSE-BAKER.—At the residence of the bride's father, Winslow street, St. John West, Sept. 25th, by Rev. B. W. Ferguson, Thomas McLeod Rose of Musquash and Mary Elizabeth Baker.

EMERY-McAFEE.—At the residence of F. J. Wright, 13 Hospital street, by Rev. A. A. Graham, Bertha M. Emery, youngest daughter of O. J. Emery to George McAfee, both of this city.

DEATHS.

DRURY.—At Treherne, Manitoba, on Sept. 6th, of typhoid fever, John E. Drury, aged 23 years, son of Charles Drury, formerly of Sussex, N. B.

BARRITT.—On Wednesday, 25th inst., Benjamin Barritt, aged 72 years, leaving one daughter and a large number of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

Funeral on Friday, 28th inst., at 2.30 p. m., from his son-in-law's residence, No. 73 Moore street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

HARD LUCK.

Felix—Don't think poor Toby is getting along well in the other world—just look at him when he was alive, the way the fleas always troubled him—and now we have had him stuffed and the moths are feeding on him.

AND KEEN.

Jonkley—It's funny that so many farmers are satisfied by bunco men. Coakley—Oh, I don't know. Farming isn't calculated to make a man shrewd.

Jonkley—But to be a successful farmer one has to be sharp as a raiser.

NEEDS PROTECTION.

Bacon—I see British shipping passing through the Suez Canal fell off 476,583 tons in 1905.

Egbert—Seems very careless. Why don't they put a railing around the canal.

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Five Hundred Miles of Track Will Represent the Season's Work, Says Railway Magnate.

MONTREAL, Sept. 25.—D. D. Mann, of McKenzie and Mann, owners of the Canadian Northern Railway System, was in Montreal yesterday, leaving last night for Toronto, in his private car. In an interview at the Windsor hotel, Mr. Mann said that the construction work of the system had been going on very steadily during the past few months.

"About five hundred miles of track," he said, "will represent our work for this season. Of this there are about two hundred miles on the prairie west of Winnipeg, and about ninety miles in the direction of Hudson's Bay. In Ontario there are about 100 miles, the same amount in the Maritime Provinces, and about fifty miles in Quebec."

"Is it your intention to run a line right through to Hudson's Bay?" "I wouldn't say that. The branch I speak of is merely a short line to the Saskatchewan river in the direction of the Bay, which is still over five hundred miles distant. When the construction work for this season is finally closed we will have completed about four thousand miles of track for the ten years of the company's existence."

"In reference to the shortage of labor in the west, Mr. Mann stated that, in his opinion, the difficulty given to this fact had been one cause of the labor trouble in that part of the country."

"The newspaper accounts," he said, "of the lack of hands and the great demand for them had a very unsettling effect on the men, and made them very restless, so that after a few days' work at one place they would throw down their tools and go off somewhere else in the hope of bigger wages. In this way they themselves were the losers as much as the employers of labor, because they would not stay long enough in one place to get any money together."

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HUSBAND OF SEVENTY-TWO TWO A REAL ROMEO

Venerable Bridegroom Visits His Bride of Sixteen Years by a Window.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—When May weds December the result of the little blind god's bid generally proves disastrous, and the case of F. Gardner, who at the patriarchal age of seventy-two took unto himself a blushing bride of sixteen, proves no exception to the rule. The venerable bridegroom, in whose ancient heart the dying fire of love and passion has so suddenly sprung to life, was married three weeks ago to the youthful Mary Michael. In the blindness of his infatuation he had forgotten an important factor in the situation, an adult son by a former marriage.

When the happy couple arrived at their home at Chicago Heights after the ceremony they found Herbert, the son, awaiting them, and the first cruel blow was struck at love's sweet dream. He seized the old man by his flowing whiskers and dragged him around the house, swearing that his aged parent had taken leave of his senses, which, he interpolated, had never amounted to anything anyway. When the unhappy man at last escaped from his infuriated offspring he fled with his bride to his room, but his troubles had only begun.

Morning arrived and the couple found that they had been locked into their room. In vain they implored their father through the keyhole to release them. They were told they could crawl out through the window. Fortunately, the window was not far from the ground and the elderly bridegroom succeeded in falling on a flower bed without breaking any bones. He then got a ladder and Romeo-like made his Juliet descend to his loving arms. Juliet, however, at this crisis displayed remarkable powers of generalship. She remarked that if their father would not let them out of the room they had only to stuff the keyhole and he could not get in as long as there was someone to hold the fort. But if both left the room the stronghold could be carried through the windows and they would be homeless. Accordingly, Romeo departed in search of provisions, while Juliet sat repel stormers.

The gallant garrison maintained the siege after this fashion for two weeks, cautiously watching the movements of the enemy and taking in foraging expeditions. From time to time they would appeal for terms, but to all their overtures the enemy replied with taunts and jeers, standing in front of the window at a safe distance from the wall of water, the only piece of ordnance the fort possessed, and firing broadsides of vituperation on the un-

MAKING PAPER

ON THE ST. CROIX

Machine Started Running at Woodland Saturday Night.

CALAIS, Sept. 25.—The first paper ever manufactured on the St. Croix was turned out Saturday night at the plant of the St. Croix Paper Co. at Woodland, one of the machines being started up on that date. Everything worked perfectly and the machine was run continuously throughout the night without a break. A number of border folks went up to Woodland on Sunday, and there were others from various points along the line of the Washington County railway, and the demand for samples of the first paper was decidedly brisk while the visitors remained in town, the pieces secured being proudly displayed to friends on their return home.

At St. Andrew's Rollaway Monday night, Oct. 8th, the Neptune Rowing Club will hold a fancy dress carnival. Forty dollars in prizes will be given as follows: \$5.00 for best ladies' fancy costume; \$5.00 for best ladies' original costume; \$5.00 for best men's fancy costume; \$5.00 for best men's original costume; \$10.00 for best ladies or men's or both, combination. As an extra prize of \$5.00 each. Combination of the judges. This prize may be given as one prize of \$10.00, or two prizes of \$5.00 each. Combination must be of such a nature that they will not injure the floor, and they must be too cumbersome. Intending competitors would do well to consult the tin manager as to whether the combination will be allowed on the floor. Such information will be treated as confidential. All skaters must be costumed and masked or "made-up." Tickets are being sold by members of the club, and as a limited number only have been issued, it would be advisable to secure tickets early.