POOR DOCUMENT

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH. ST. JOHN, N. B., FEBRUARY 27, 1901.

WHEREIN FORTUNE IS AS NOTHING. WAS A HEAVY STORM.

Herman Temple was the only child of a ["I can work," answered Herman, sternbanker, who enjoyed the possession of a ly. princely fortune. There came a time when cial frivolities palled upon him, and he on his pillew. grew weary of the smiles of beautiful gay women. So, as simple Mr. Herman, artist, the young man. he ensoonced himself in a wild, picturesque "It was not."

and they swept in inky blackness over the setting sun. The sudden storm brought with it a darkness so dense that it was difficult to distinguish the narrow, tortuous

that the distinguish the narrow, tortuous path that led to the little hotel.

When he was half-way down there was a sudden calm, and then a burst of lightning that illuminated the place with a flood of blue flame. In the unearthly splendor, he saw a girlish figure all in white, with thick, golden hair falling to her waist, and her hands full of wild flowers, speeding down the path. As the lightning vanished, and the path. As the lightning vanished, and the heiress had been found, and her possessions restored to her.

"Miss Temple is generors," the lawyer said to him; "she wishes you to retain half of what you so long considered your own."

"I will never accept a penny of it," was the decided answer.

"You will change your mind when you see her," replied Herman. "She must hate me."

"I have no wish to see her," replied Herman. "She must hate me."

"She does not, indeed She left this note for you this morning." the path. As the lightning vanished, and

ing the great trees till the bowed branches shut them from the path, and struck against

"Trere is a little grotto among the bowlders a few yards from here," said Herman "if we cannot get home, we at least nee

A moment later they were beneath the welcome she ter.

"I am indebted to Mr. Herman, I believe," observed the young girl. "And I have the pleasure of serving

Golden Belle," returned Herman. along the valley road on a shaggy little pony, with the wonderful hair that had gained her the peetic appellation of "Gold-

over her black riding habit. street. Here she had lived with her Aunt and Uncle Lee since she was a child. "There was a mystery about the birth of

Rosabelle Lee," the gossips declared. Herman found her companionship sweet, and as weeks went by, learned the rapturous

lesson of a woman's heart-love. He came one evening and found her standing among the roses on the portico.

"I am going home," he said. "Home?" she repeated, in a whisper, tearing the blood-red petals of a fragrant

"Do you care?" he asked, in a low, fond

The vivid blushes that followed her sudden pallor answered him.

"My darling," he cried, in delight; "I love you! I want you for my wife! You love me, do you not, my Golden Belle?" "Yes," she answered, with innocent

"My dear one," he began quite gravely. "I can have no secrets from one who is to be my trusted wife, and I shall tell you one now. I am no wandering artist, I am a wealthy man of leisure, and can give you every luxury you can desire. I am not plain Mr. Herman, I am Herman Temple, only son of James Temple, banker."

"Why did you deceive me?" she demanded, drawing from his embrace and rising before him, pale and proud.

"Why? Surely, my darling, you are not angry?" he said, looking at her in wonder. "It was my whim to travel incognito, and when I met you I was only too well grati fied to be loved for myself alone."

"I choose not to believe you," she said at length, passionately. "The son of James Temple does not want an unknown country girl to share with him his expected

"How did you know my father's Christian name, if I may ask?" returned Herman,

replied, "and my uncle will never permit me to be your wife. Good-by, Mr. Tem-

And so they parted. Herman reached home none too soon. His father, who had been taken seriously ill, was failing rapidly.

gasped forth in his last hour, "with a burden on my conscience. Herman, my life has been a living cheat, and yet it was for you I sinned, that you might have a hapthe property I have held for 25 years belongs rightfully to another.

Too pained and amazed to speak, the Consumption. young man bowed his head in silence.

"The world supposed that it was a legacy from an eccentric relative, who had disinherited her nephew because he had married against her wishes. It was true that in her first anger she made a will solely in my favor, but when she felt death was upon her she relented and sent for her lawyer, and made a new wil', giving everything unconditionally to Edward Temple. I suspected, and securely hidden behind the curtains of an alcove in an adjoining room I watched and listened.

"When the will was written and signed, it was placed in a casket in the 100m where she was lying. I skulked into the room and took the paper from the casket. Edward is dead, his wife is dead, but somewhere, if she lives, there is a rightful heir-

"Then it is not too late to make an atonement," said Herman, whose shocked face was an unspeakable reproach to the face was an unspeakable reproach to the But you, my boy?"

The banker groaned and turned uneasily

"Was this devise destroyed?" inquired

women. So, as simple Mr. Herman, artist, he ensourced himself in a wild, picturesque valley among the mountains, far away from the merriment of the city.

Late one afternoon of a sultry day, he was sitting in a bower of wild grape, far up the steep hillside, when a low rumble of distant thunder startled him. Great masses

that he was alone in the world to make restitution for a sin that was not his.

As soon as practicable, he placed the matter in the hands of a trusty legal adviser, and sailed for Brazil.

It was three years before he returned.

Then he had the satisfaction of knowing that the heiress had been found, and her reseasing restored to her.

the path. As the lightning vanished, and the crashing thunder seemed to rock the mountains, the girl uttered a little cry and fell almost at his feet.

"Are you hurt?" he asked, bending over her.

"Not at all," she replied.

Then the rain began to come down, pelting the great trees till the bowed branches

"Golden Belle!" he exclaimed. She smiled and gave him her hand cour

teously.

"Rosabelle Temple," she responded. "I lived with uncle so long that everybody considered me a Lee, and as—"

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Our Indian population is not skilled in any line of manufacture save their own crude industries.

| Mai: | John. | Afte | W. S. |

Sore Lungs Weak Lungs

pier youth than mine had been. My son, All caused by a Cold and Cough. Weak lungs sooner or later mean

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Seven Inches of Snow Fell in

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 23—The southern states, from Texas to the Atlantic coast, were given their first taste of winter last night and today, snow falling in many places from Charleston, S. C., to Central and Northern Texas and almost to the Guiff.

Guif.

The storm which was over the west Guif coast last night, moved rapidly to the east during the night and was central today over Northern Florida. The line of freezing temperature, as reported by the local weather bureau today, extended to the southern portion of Georgia and to the coast of Alabama and Louisiana. In soem portions of the south the snow storm was brought on the wings of high north-

weather. Southern Mississippi reported the first snow in some places in two years. The precipitation reported at Dallas was three inches and in Northwestern Texas from three to six inches. The snow is of great benefit to the growing wheat, but it is feared will cause severe loss to live stock.

rang the bell and was admitted into the reception room. Presently he heard a light footstep and the soft sweep of a silken train.

He arose to meet her, but as he looked into her large, proud eyes he grew white and cold.

We stock.

In Atlanta snow began falling last night and by 10 o'clock today the ground was covered to a depth of five inches. All trains were from 20 minutes to three hours late, causing a consequent delay to mails. The street car companies called the colors and cold.

We stock.

Butter, creamery, Lard, tubs, pure, Lard, tubs, p

Cold Weather is predicted for tonight.

She paused, blushing deeply.

"And as you had been defrauded of your rights as Temple, you did not care to retain the name," observed Herman, finishing her broken speech.

"Oh, no—no!" she remonstrated. 'But about this unfortunate affair—half of the property must be returned to you."

"Impossible, Miss Temple," he answered, firmly.

He yearned to take that beautiful girl in his arms, and tell hor tbat the Golden Belle of that summer romance was as madly leved now as then; that money was nothing if he could have her to hold and cherish forever as his wife.

Cold Weather is predicted for tonight.

Herring, Canso, fat, hf-bbl 3 00 to 3 00 to 0 00

Shad, hf- 6 75 to 7 00

Shad, hf- 6 75 to 7 00

Shad, hf- Frovincial, Oats, Ontario, "Provincial, Oats, Oats, Ontario, "Provincial, Oats, Oats, Oats, Oats, Oats, Oats, O

now as then; that money was nothing if he could have her to hold and cherish forever as his wife.

"You wil not refuse?" she asked at length, anxiously and kindly.

He glanced up quickly. Her sweet face wore the rame look he saw upon it that evening long ago when he found her among the roses. He left his seat and went over to where she stood.

"It Golden Belle will consent to a proposal I made to her three years ago, I will devote my life to the sweet task of pleasing her in everything."

The most severe period of the storm was between 1 a.m. and 2 p. m. the barometer fell rapidly but after the latter hour the ascent was also rapid.

While there was considerable drifting, the quality of the snow was so light that the street railway line was opened and traffic carried on with but little difficulty

Storm and Trains.

Black, 12's, snort Black, Solace, Bright, Canadian 12's, RICE.

Arracan, ewt, Patna, Secta,
SUGAR.

Grarulated, bbi Granulated Dutch White ex C, bbl.

her in everything."

He was white with emotion and she was no less agitated.

''I wronged you then, Herman," she said, gently. "When I learned who you were, I thought that you had deceived me purposely, because you knew something about the will, and wished to retain possession of the money by making me your wife. I know differently now. Can you forgive me?"

'By this sweet kiss, I do," he replied, holding her closely to his bosom. "My own—my wife!"

Storm and Trains.

Moncton, Feb. 24—(Special)—A fierce snow storm has raged all day and extends all over the I. C. R., being more severe between Moncton and Campbellton and on the northern division. The special trains have been hung up this afternoon and plow specials were dispatched east, west and north tonight. McDougall's special, which left Campbellton last night is stuck in the snow about Adamsville.

The churches here today were slimly attended than for some time, while the evening service in some were cancelled.

The funeral of the late J. A. Killam, which was to take place this afternoon, was postnoned on account of the condition of the late of the lat which was to take place this afternoon, was postponed on account of the severe

> Sussex, Feb. 24—(Special)—Sussex was visited today by the worst snow storm of the season, about 12 inches of snow fell, accompanied by a high wind. The roads

DEBEC AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. Meeting Relative to Purchase of Seeds-

Report of Farmers' Association.

Debec, Carleton county, Feb. 21-Debec Agricultural Society held a special meeting has Thursday. The object of the meeting was to purchase seeds, etc., for the coming season and receive the report of the delegate to Farmers' Association.

The meeting was called to order by John F. Flemming. B. D. Hoyt, in his

Provincial Chemical Company, St. After the business was transacted, Mr.

W. S. Tompkins, who was present, was called on. Mr. Tompkins give an interesting address on seed selection, the preparation of the seed bed and the results of a better system of cultivation. A vote of thanks was tendered the speaker, after which the most are reliabled the speaker. which the meeting adjourned.

PASTOR REMEMBERED.

Over \$300 Presented to Dr. Steel of Amherst.

Amherst, Feb. 23-The residence of Rev. D. A. Steel, D. D., was taken charge of last evening by leading citizens and re-Rev. D. A. Steel, D. D., was taken charge of last evening by leading citizens and representatives of all denominations who had organized an informal meeting to pay their respects and compliments to Dr. and Mrs. Steel. After spending a social hour Mr. James M. Layton, on behalf of those present, presented Dr. Steel with a purse containing \$310. Mr. Layton referred feelingly to the long years of service that Dr. Steel had rendered the town, not only as pastor but as citizen, and friend to all. Br. Steel replied, thanking his friends for thus unexpectedly (to him) showing their esteem in this tangible way. Short addresses were also delivered by the chairman, ex-Mayor Reed, Pastor Bates, of the Baptist church, Rev. D. McGregor, of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Mr. Nicholson, of the Methodist church, Recorder J. M. Townshend, D. W. Douglass, S. Jenks, L.L. B., and others, all ex-Mayor in the highest terms the respect of the present of the pre COFFEE. Condensed, 1 lb cans, per doz. No. 2 Condensed 1 lb. cans, per doz. Java, per lb. green MATCHES. Mould per lb. TEAS. Ceylon, fine feaf Congou "Congou, finest Souchong, pressing in the highest terms the respect and esteem in which Dr. Steel is held, not NAILS.

PROVISIONS
Am clear pork, per bbl 18 25 to 18 75
Pork, mess 17 00 to 17 50
PE I prime mess, 13 50 to 13 75
Plate beef, 14 25 to 14 75
Extra plate beef, 14 50 to 15 00
Cheese, factory, new, 1b 00 111 to 00 121
Butter, dairy, 1b 00 21 to 00 22
Rutter, creamery, 23 to 25

0 15½ to 0 16½ 0 85 to 0 85 0 82 to 0 85 0 65 to 0 70 0 00 to 0 00 0 86 to 0 95 0 55 to 0 65 Seal oil, steam refined,
do. pale,
Cod oil, RAISINS.

LIME.

Egg Stove (nut) Chestnut

LUMBER.

No. 1 No. 2 No. 3 Laths, spruce Laths, pine Palings, spruce

LUMBER.

New York New York laths

DEALS. C. D.

Bristol Channel

Dublin Warrenport Belfast

Cork Quay

Clyde West Coast Ireland

Liverpoool intake meas.

Aroostook P B Nos 1 &

Spruce deals Bay Fundy
Mills 10 00 to 10 50

11 00 to 12 00 40 00 to 45 00

Casks,

Porto Rico, new FLOUR AND MEAL. Cornneal,
Middlings, bags free
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Nutmegs, Cassia per lb. ground Cloves whole Cloves ground

3 25 to 3 25 2 50 to 2 50 0 30 to 0 34 0 24 to 0 28 0 37 to 0 40

0 11 to 0 11 9 22 to 0 24 0 19 to 0 21 0 14 to 0 18 0 20 to 0 26 0 28 to 0 30 0 25 to 0 35 0 30 to 0 45 BY JOHN Cut, 50 dz, & 60 dz, per If Mrs Nation smashes the tea-sets in the Capitol restaurants she will knock all the spirit out of Congress.

Cut, 50 dz. & 60 d dz.

St. John Markets.

hours late, causing a companies caffed mails. The street car companies caffed out their men at 2 o'clock this morning and put their cars into service for the purpose of keeping their tracks open. This served in a measure to avert a complete suspension of service.

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3 30 to 3 50 0 04½ to 0 05 0 05½ to 0 06

0 00 to 0 00 2 00 to 0 00 2 00 to 0 09½ 0 09½ to 0 10 0 08½ to 0 09 0 12 to 0 12 0 00 to 0 12 Currants, bbl. 0 13 to 0 14 4 50 to 4 50 Evaporated Apples
Evaporated Apricots,
Evaporated Peaches,
Prupa 0 09 to 0 10 0 05 to 0 10 3 50 to 4 00 C 10 to 0 12

3 60 to 3 80 Liverpool, sack ex store 0 54 to 0 56
Butter salt, cask factory
filled 0 85 to 1 00

0 55 to 0 75 0 15 to 0 22 0 20 to 0 22 0 22 to 0 23 0 18 to 0 22

Too Much of a Dose. Patient—I feel so much better to-day, doctor; I really feel as if I could tand all most anything.

2 35 to 2 60
2 85 to 3 10
3 35 to 4 35

Patient—I feel so much better to-day, doctor; I really feel as if I could tand all most anything.

Doctor—Ah, glad to hear it. Permit me to present my bill. (Patient has relapse and dies on the spot.)

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same, cloth lined with silk, at in the latest and most desirable styles. Just Half Price. Just Half Price.

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STORMY MEETING. English Navy er b. 0 6½ to 0 06½
American Navy per lb, 0 06 to 0 06½
English hand-picked. 0 06 to 0 06
Creditors of the Maritime Premium Company Are Argry.

PAINTS.
White lead, Brandram's No.
1 B. B. per 100 lbs. 6 87 to 7 10 6 50 to 7 75 7 50 to 8 00 In November, 1895, there was incorporated under companies act of New Brunswick "The Maritime Premium Company, Ltd," with a capital of \$3,000, which was ated under companies act of New Brunswick "The Maritime Premium Company, Ltd," with a capital of \$3,000, which was subsequently increased to \$15,000, of which it is claimed \$14,000 was subscribed and paid up. The company was supposed to be doing a good business in supplying house furnishings, etc., on the instalment plan and had its head office at 36 Dock street, with a branch in Sydney, C. B.

It would appear as if the company had done a fair business at one period as it declared dividends at the rate of 15 per cent. per annum. The president of the company was F. A. Jones, and the Secreary-Treasurer Charles T. Bailey.

On the 16th inst., the secretary notified the creditors that the company was in difficulties and asked them to meet at his office on the 25th February. He also presented a statement of the assets and liabilities of the company of which the following is a summary:

Liabilities.

Liabi IRON, ETC.

Anchors, per lb.

Chain cables, per lb.

Rigging chains, per lb.

Vellow metals, per lb.

Refined, 100 lb or ordinary

size

1 75 to 2 00 TAR AND PITCH.

Domestic coal tar Coal tar pitch Wilmington pitch ex ship, delv'd COALS. Old Mines Sydney per chald 0 00 to 8 50 Springhill round Springhill Nut Reserve Mine Caledonia Acadia 8 50 to 8 50 8 50 to 8 50 7 50 to 7 50 7 50 to 7 50 0 00 to 7 00 6 25 to 7 00 0 00 to 0 00 0 00 to 0 00 0 00 to 0 00 6 50 to 6 50 7 00 to 7 00 7 00 to 7 00 7 00 to 7 00 Liabilities. Bills payable on merchandise account...........\$6,479 16
Bills payable on accommodation. 7,000 00

Book debts in open account.... 3,828 67

No. 4
Aroostook shipping 15 00 to 16 00
Csmmon 12 00 to 13 00
Spruce boards 08 50 to 09 00
Spruce scautling (unst'd) 08 50 to 09 00
Spruce dimensions 10 00 to 12 00
Pine Clapboards, extra 32 00 to 40 00
No. 1 30 00 to 32 00 This shows an excess of liabilities over assets of \$3,267.87. The paid up capital of \$14,000 is not included in the above and is reported to have been lost in the business.

Promptly at 3 o'clock yesterday afterment of the proof in the secretary's office.

who express their determination to puthe investigation into the company fairs to the end, and see its finish.

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