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# HILYARD'S EXAMINATION.

## The Briberv Cases Taken Up In Their Order.

## Evidence of Messrs. Woodward and Hazen.

## Messrs. Neill, Temple, Revising Barrister VanWart and Others Brought Into the Business.

## Mr. Hazen Offers a Bribe of $80 But Professes not to Know Where the Money is to come from.

## Complete Chain of Evidence Connecting Mr. Temple Personally with the Bribery.

The examinations into the bribery cases were again taken up yesterday afternoon, at the county court house, before Justice Geo. A. Perley. The number of spectators was large, but [illegible] unusual demonstrations that characterized the proceedings of the first day of the examination were not witnessed. Mr. John L. Carleton, of St. John, was the prosecuting attorney and Mr. E. L. Wetmore the counsel for the defense. The first case taken up was that against Mr. F. S. Hilyard, who is charged with giving a bribe.

**JOHN WOODWARD,**

the first witness sworn, said: I know the defendant Frederic S Hilyard. He resides in Fredericton. I am qualified to vote in the electoral district of York. I remember meeting Mr. Hilyard on the morning of the 31st January inst. in Phœnix Square. Mr. Hilyard asked me if I had made up mind as to how I was going to vote in this election. Mr. Hilyard came and spoke to me first. I am positive on that point. I answered him that I had not. He said all right. I'll send the M. P. down to see you. On the following morning I was coming down Queen street, and when I got opposite Mr. McMurray's book store, Mr. Hilyard came out to where I was. He asked me if I saw Mr. Temple last night. I said I hadn't. He said I will send him down to see you. I said all right, send him down to my store, I'll be there. Along my way from dinner that day Mr. Temple called me over to his house (Mr. Wetmore objected to witness giving evidence relating to any conversation that took place with Mr. Temple in Mr. Hilyard's absence.) Witness continued: I went over to Mr. Temple's house. We were there a little while and Mr. John Barker came in. That broke up the conversation. I said to Mr. Temple if you want to see me on any business, you can see me at my store. A few minutes after that Mr. Temple called at my store. Mr. Wm. Wilson was in my store when Mr. Temple came in, but went out immediately. We talked election matters. I think the conversation we had first was about my daughter being turned out of the post office. He said that he remembered something about that, but he had nothing to do with it. He said when I go up there this time I shall be stronger than I was before. The man that helps me I will do something for him, if it is in my power. I told him that I did not expect to do any work in this election unless I was paid for it. Mr. Temple replied, of course not, we don't expect that; but don't make it too steep. I shan't make any arrangements with you for I don't intend to be tripped by any man in this election. I will go and see the boys and I will send either Mr. Hazen or Mr. VanWart down to see you. He said he would do so right away. He went away and Mr. Hazen came in shortly after—about 15 or 20 minutes after. When Mr. Hazen came in Mr. Alonzo Staples was in my store. Mr. Hazen said are you busy; I want a little talk with you. At this Mr. Staples went out. This was on the 1st February inst. Mr. Hazen said, John, Mr. Temple told me to come down and see you. I said I just had a talk with Mr Temple and he said that he would send you down to see me. I told Mr. Hazen I wanted $100 for my vote, for my brother's and for another man. The bargain was struck for $80. I said now this is all right, solid. Yes he said I am authorized to do it. He said let this stand over; I want to see Mr VanWart, who is financing for our party. That evening when I went home to my supper, Hr Hazen came out to my house to see me. He said, John, this thing is all right. He asked me how many votes I could command in Queen's ward; I said I could not tell just now. Mr. Hazen then went away saying it would be all right in the morning. He came to my store again on the following morning. He says, John, I've come to offer you $50. I said I won't take it. He said I'm only authorized to give you $50. I said it was too little This money, he said, was for me and my brother's vote and another man, whose name he mentioned. Any money you spend for buying votes will be paid to you. Mr Hazen said, now, keep this a secret; don't let this get out for it will ruin me. I said it will ruin me also. He said that it was the understanding that I should attend the committee meetings and I said I would. He then went away. The following Saturday Mr. Temple came into my store. My son Harry was there at the time. He commenced talking election matters and my boy went out. I told Mr. Temple I saw Mr. Hazen and he fixed that thing all right. He said that was all right. He saw Mr. Hazen, and told him to come down and see me. He said I've just come from Harvey where they talk about beating me so badly. I can get a majority there if I want it. I saw Mr. Hazen on the Monday following. I sent for him to come to my store. This was the only time I sent for him. I told him that I hadn't got that money yet. He said do you want it before the elections. I said yes, most decidedly. He said I will see Mr. VanWart, who is financing for our party. He said he was going away at noon and that he would bring the money down right away or send some one down with it. That evening I met Mr. Hilyard on the street and he said, John, I will be in your store after supper. After supper I was in my store, and Mr. Hilyard came in. He said I was wanted in Mr. Davis' store. I went to Davis' store, and asked it I was wanted and the clerk replied, no. When I returned to my store Mr. Hilyard said, pointing to an envelope on the table, some man left that for you. I picked it up and opened it and found enclosed five five dollar bills. We had no conversation about the money. He said, ask me no questions. We then talked about the taxes of some of the city ratepayers.

Cross examined by Mr. Wetmore—No one was present at the conversation I had with Mr. Temple at the store. No one was present at any subsequent conversation that I had with Mr. Temple. No one was present at the conversation I had with Mr. Hilyard.

**J. DOUGLAS HAZEN,**

the next witness, sworn said: I reside in Fredericton. I have the pleasure of Mr. Woodward's acquaintance. I was present in the court to-day and heard Woodward's testimony. I remember having a conversation with Mr. Temple about Mr. Woodward. It took place on Queen street in front of my office. Mr. Temple gave me no directions about Mr. Woodward He mentioned having seen Mr. Woodward. He did not tell me that he would either send me or Mr. VanWart to see him. I did not tell Woodward that Mr. Temple sent me to see him. I was in my office early in this month. Either Mr. Black or Mr. Bliss came in and told me Mr. Temple was at my door and wished to see me. I went down; Mr. Temple was sitting in his sleigh with his fur coat on. I went out to the sleigh. He says John Woodward is going to vote for me. I expressed surprise at that. He said yes, he told me so only a little while ago. He says I'm going out of town now and I would like for you to go down and see him and get him to come up to the committee room. I had no conversation with Mr. Temple about Mr. Woodward previous to that. I went down to see Mr. Woodward about half an hour afterwards. Mr. Alonzo Staples was in there. After Mr. Staples went out, I said John I hear you are going to vote for Mr. Temple. He says I have about made up my mind to that. He said that he did not like the way our party treated his daughter in turning her out of the post office department. He said I can overlook that now. I said I suppose you are willing to go to work for us and attend the committee meetings. He said he expected of course to get something for his support. He mentioned the sum of $100 for his own vote, that of his brother, and that of his brother-in-law, L. Howard. He also mentioned the names of some old soldiers, Mr. Chas. Lacey and others, whom, if he gave his whole time, he would be in a position to get. Being collector of taxes he had his drawer full of due bills, and these people naturally had a kindly feeling towards him. He also said that he had about $2,500 of his own loaned about town on small notes. If he received $100, he would have to use a large portion of it with others. He told me that the other side was very cross for having lost him. The Attorney General, Wm. Wilson, John Moore, Frank Gregory and Mr. Gregory himself came to see him at different times trying to induce him to stay with him. He said that he thought that he should have $100 to go to work with, considering the time he would give it. I told him that I knew nothing about the financial arrangements this time, but that Mr. VanWart had been financing for the party in the past. I said to him wouldn't $75 be enough for you anyway. He said $80 might do. I told him I would see about the matter. I had no authority to make any arrangements with him. I told him I would see him further about it that evening. During the conversation in there I said, of course what passes between us is private. He said, of course it is. I then went out. There might have been some further conversation that I had with Woodward, but I do not remember it. I would consider John Woodward a valuable man for any party. After leaving Woodward's store I went up to see Mr. VanWart. I had no conversation with Mr. Temple about Mr. Woodward. I saw Mr. Temple after I saw Woodward and told him that he was right, John Woodward was going to vote for us. Mr. Temple gave me no intimation that Woodward would require to be fixed. When I spoke to Mr. Temple about Woodward being all right it was at my house on a Sunday afternoon. I met Mr. Woodward on Queen street the day after and think I told him the matter would be all right. I may have told him Temple had gone out of town. I saw Woodward that evening when I was on my way home, at his house. I said to him that I thought the matter with him could be arranged all right in the morning. I told him to let this go no further. I asked him how many votes he could control. I saw John Woodward at his place of business the next morning. I asked him if he would take $50 and go to work for the party. He said it was too little. In the meantime I saw Mr. Jas. A VanWart. Mr. Hilyard and Mr. Jas. S. Neill before I offered Woodward $50. I saw Mr. VanWart in his office and Mr. Hilyard and Mr. Neill at the curling rink. I communicated with these men because they were prominent men of the party. I told Woodward that the $50 were for him to go to work with, and that if he wanted any more probably the matter could be arranged. Mr. Woodward attended our committee meetings. I saw him there on a Saturday evening. We talked election matters. I saw Mr. Woodward in his office again. He said he he wanted $25. I saw Mr. Hilyard and told him Woodward wanted $25. I do not know what answer he made but think he said he would make it all right. I did not know where the money was coming from when I made the promise. I am not in the habit of going round making promises for the conservative party, and not knowing how they were going to be kept I could not say where the money was coming from when I promised Woodward that he should get it. I got no money from Hilyard. I was in the city when the examination of the charge against Mr. Temple was going on. I do not know that I took good care to keep out of sight. I walked down a portion of Queen street when the meeting in the City Hall was going on. I told Woodward that the $50 was for him to go to work for the party. I told him that any money he paid out besides that we would make it all right with him. I mean by "we" our party. Still I did not know where the money was coming from.

At the conclusion of Mr. Hazen's evidence the court adjourned until 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon next.

Mr. Wetmore received a despatch to the effect that his services were required in the Northwest territories.

He Feared No Foe.—Nero fiddled when Rome was burning. Many now-a-days seem equally indifferent to danger by the manner in which they neglect ill-health. It taken in time, there is scarcely a chronic disease which Burdock Blood Bitters will not eradicate by its purifying, regulating powers.

# THE GENERAL RESULT.

## The Tory Estimate vs. the Liberal Estimate.

## Reasons why Little or No Faith can be Placed in the Tory Figures,

## And Reasons why the Liberal Estimate can be Accepted.

It is now considered beyond doubt in well-informed circles in Ottawa and Toronto that the liberals come out of the contest with a small majority. In St. John and in Fredericton, among persons who are qualified to make a fairly accurate calculation, the result is conceded in favor of the liberals. Tory partizans here and elsewhere claim a large majority, but are unable to say satisfactorily how it is made up. They give as their authority a telegram purported to have been received by Mr. Temple from Sir John Macdonald to the effect that the tory majority is thirty and will be forty when ten more constituencies are heard from. It may be that Sir John authorized the telegram to be written; it would be perfectly consistent with Sir John's tactics in the past if he did so authorize it. The final result will doubtless depend on the constituencies in which elections are yet to be run, and if Sir John and the tory party generally can force the northwest territories into the belief that the tories at present control a large majority in the present parliament, the probability is that the greater number of elections in that sections will result favorably to the Government. No faith can consequently be attached to the tory estimate. Further, an illustration or two from the many at hand will show how inaccurately Sir John has made up his figures, even if he has really made them. He counts the two seats in Halifax for the tories. Every well informed man knows that, beyond the shadow of a doubt, Jones, liberal, has been elected in Halifax, and that in the case of the other member there, there is a strong doubt about his election. He has counted Chipman, of Charlotte. Well, everyone knows that Chipman has been defeated, and that Gilmor, liberal, has been elected. These are but two illustrations of the character of Sir John's calculations, and serve to show what little faith can be placed in the tory estimate. The afternoon Mr. Temple received his despatch, one of our liberal leaders also received a despatch from Toronto, and it was to the effect that the liberals had a majority of one. The public have good reason to believe the latter despatch to be correct. First, because the estimate made of the standing of the parties in the different provinces, and which is generally accepted, comes within a vote or two of the liberal estimate; and secondly, because, of the members claimed by the liberals, not one can, with any show of authority or reason, be counted with the tories.

The public may rest satisfied with this at least, that the tory party, if they have a majority, have not one large enough to carry on the administration of affairs of the country. They will not resign just now, of course. One never heard of tories resigning. But, in all probability they will be defeated on the first or second vote in parliament.

**Elections to be Protested.**

In the following 21 places the liberals will protest the elections:—York, Sunbury, Westmorland, Albert, Ottawa city, Kingston, Two Mountains, Yamaska, Quebec west, Three Rivers, Winnipeg, London, West Huron, East Bruce, Peel, West Middlesex, Lincoln, South Norfolk, West Northumberland, West Peterboro, and South Norfolk, in three fourths of which seats enough cases of bribery can be proved to disallow sufficient votes to hand seats over to the liberals. McGreevy and Langevin and Caron are sure to be unseated with certain defeat in new elections.

**Not Defeated.**

It has been reported in the tory journals that Colter, of Faldimand, was defeated. That is not so. He has been declared elected by five of a majority.

**Card of Thanks.**

*To the Liberal Electors of the County of York.*

Gentlemen,—I desire to express to each and every liberal elector, my deep sense o gratitude for the generous support given to me in the election just closed.

The patriotic spirit which moved so many independent elector to activity in order, if possible, to bring about a reform in the government of our country can not be too highly appreciated.

Although unsuccessful in securing a majority of the ballots cast, the free and uncorrupted vote of so large a number of the independent electors in my favor as the party standard bearer will ever be remembered with pride and satisfaction.

I humbly trust that, though the result be disappointing for the present, you will not feel in any degree discouraged, but rather nerved to the greater zeal and energy for the next contest. With honesty of purpose and zealous activity success is sure sooner or later to crown our efforts.

To the young men of the county I feel myself especially indebted for their unhesitating support and to Messrs. M. McDade and Geo. Hughes, who accompanied me through the county and assisted at my meetings, I desire publicly to acknowledge my indebtedness.

I am, gentleman,

Your obedient servant,

Geo. F. Gregory.

**Mr. Gill's Readings.**

Mr. J. G. Gill's readings will be given in the City Hall on Monday evening, March 7th. Mr. G. is already assurred of a large audience. Seven hundred tickets have been sold.

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# THE BRIBERY CASE.

## A Few More Words From a "Church Member."

To the Editor of The Gleaner.

Sir,—My letter in your Saturday's paper has called from some persons very queer criticisms, and from others, severe remarks; but the majority of christian men and women in this community, I have good reason to believe, fully endorsed the views I expressed of the flagrant cases of bribery, and the unlimited use of rum, under the noses of two Sunday school teachers, working in Mr. Temple's interests—one of them an alderman recently elected in this city by the temperance party. I am satisfied with the endorsation; I rejoice at the city vote, which, while a majority for the liberal candidate is likewise a victory for the honest and sincere christian men and women who have for years been laboring to suppress vice and to drive its consequent misery from our homes and firesides. Let us all throw up our hats and clap our hands.

I commenced this letter, Mr. Editor, not with the view to further dwell on the contemptible attitude of the two Sunday school teachers, or to two or three other insincere persons who set themselves up as temperance advocates, but for another purpose altogether. Saturday's letter, with all its errors in composition, has been attributed to a very sincere friend of mine, a prominent minister of the gospel in this city, but of another church than my own. With your permission, sir, I beg to state that the letter was not written by any minister of the gospel. I state that truth so that in any discussion that may be brought on in connection with this rum evil, his name or that of any other clergyman will not needlessly be dragged in. It was written by an honest conservative.

Church Member.

Fredericton, Feb. 25th, 1887.

**BROOM BRIGADE.**

**The Children's Entertainment in the City Hall.**

The W. C. T. U. had a rough and stormy night for their children's entertainment in the City Hall on Thursday night; nevertheless there was a good attendance and the entertainment proved a success in every particular. The broom drill which has won such high favor among all classes in the city was never better performed, and numerous plaudits greeted the young performers as they went through the various military evolutions with great regularity and uniformity, under the directions of Sergeant Shea of the I S C. After the performance of the broom brigade the following interesting programme was carried out; Recitation, Mrs. J. F. Randolph; chorus and grand march; opening address, Harry Chestnut and Bessie McNally; duett, violin and cornet, Blanche Tibbits and Harry Lipsett; song, Josie Thompson; children's chorus, "Peek-a-Boo"; recitation, Ethel Lovimer; "Wind Mill", chorus; duett, M. McNally and H. McKee; reading, Alice Wilson; "Temperance Circle," chorus; boys' quartette; song, H. McKee. The entertainment concluded with another performance by the broom brigade and "God Save the Queen."

The entertainment will be repeated this evening.

**THE HIBBARD MINES**

**At Lake George Purchased by the Brunswick Antimony Mining Co.**

The Hibbard mines at Lake George, Prince William, pursuant to the directions of the order of the supreme court in equity was sold at public auction at noon yesterday in front of the county court house and bid in by the Brunswick Antimony Mining Co. Messrs. J. W. Townsend, general manager, Boston; Walter L. Frost, J. J. Nash, Thos. Sanders, Haverhill, Mass.; and John A. Loring, North Andrews, directors of the company, arrived in town by the western train on Thursday and were in attendance at the sale. Messrs. Hugh McLean and J. B. Warner, of St. John, solicitors, were also present at the sale. The Hibbard mines and premises are adjoining the mines operated by the Brunswick company. They have operated for several years and have been held under mortgage by the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company. The sale was conducted by Mr. Geo. F. Gregory, referee in equity for the county of York.

The members of the company intended driving up to the mines, but owing to the heavy storm, were unable to do so. Mr. Townsend went up to the mines to-day. The other members of the company left for Boston this morning. It is the intention of the company to work these mines as soon as spring opens.

**Sent up for Trial.**

The preliminary examination of Alf. Virtue, before police magistrate Marsh on a charge of assaulting and robbing John Knox, of Houlton, on Carleton street, on Monday night last, was concluded on Thursday, and resulted in the prisoner being committed for trial. John Knox gave evidence similar to Mr. T. W. Hall and swore positively that the prisoner was one of the three men who attacked and robbed him. Wm. Wilson, M P P, was counsel for the prisoner. Shortly after the examination was concluded another young man who was believed to have been a party to the affair, was brought before Mr. Knox, but was let go again as he (Knox) could not swear positively to his identity. No further arrests have been made.

**Personal.**

Provincial Secretary McLellan is in town.

Mr. A. E. Killam, M. P. P., was in town yesterday.

Messrs. J. W. Townsend, Walter L. Frost, Boston; Thomas Saunders, J. J. Nash, Haverhill, Mass.; John A. Loring, North Andrews, and J. B. Snowball, St. John, members of the Brunswick Antimony Mining Co., were registered at the Barker yesterday.

**Local Elections.**

Elections to fill seats in assembly vacated by Mr. Ellis (St. John) and Mr. Adams (Northumberland) will be held immediately.

In St. John, nominations will take place on 8th of March, polling on the 15th of March; Northumberland nomination on 9th and election on 16th.

**Cantata.**

Cantata "Under the Palms" has been postponed until Monday evening next, on account of the storm yesterday.

No other spring medicine has won for itself such universal confidence as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the most powerful combination of vegetable alteratives ever offered to the public, and is acknowledged by the medical profession to be the best blood purifier.

# MURDER AND SUICIDE.

## Sad Tragedy at Great Works, Near Bangor.

## Fred L. George Shoots His Wife and then Kills Himself.

Bangor, Feb. 23.—Great Works was the scene of a sad tragedy last evening, resulting in the almost instant death of Fred L George, aged about thirty, and his wife, aged twenty. The shooting occurred at the residence of Mr. Alexander McIntosh, where Mrs. George has been employed for some weeks past in doing general house work. Entering the house by the kitchen door the reporter was startled by seeing George lying almost on the threshhold in the spot where he fell when he placed the pistol against his own breast and sent the messenger of death on his fatal mission. Passing through into the front of the house a small room off of the sitting room was entered, where, upon the bed, lay the body of the wife cold in death. From the necessarily hurried interviews it was learned that George and his wife were sitting together in the kitchen apparently engaged in a

**Friendly Conversation**

when the other members of the family prepared to retire. This was not far from nine o'clock. Mr. McIntosh was reading in the front room when he was startled by a sharp report and a woman's scream, and almost at the same time Mrs. George rushed in through the passage way referred to and threw herself in the bed. The alarmed household quickly reassembled in the kitchen and found George stretched upon the floor dead with a revolver close at hand. Mrs McIntosh then went to the bedroom to look after Mrs. George but she was beyond all earthly aid, being then

**Unable to Speak**

and died in a few seconds. Coroner Lancaster, of Old Town, was at once notified and immediately repaired to the scene, but of course an inquest was unnecessary. An examination of the remains showed that Mrs. George had been shot from behind, the bullet having struck her just below the left shoulder blade inflicting a wound that soon produced death. George was shot through the heart. The fatal work was done with a

**Thirty-Two Caliber**

revolver; but two chambers of which were empty. The aim was sure in both cases showing the determination of the murderer to do his cruel work thoroughly. He was an inoffensive looking man of rather small stature, but as was afterwards discovered, he visited Great Works last night with a carefully prepared plan to execute this double tragedy. The couple have not lived happily for some time and in December last George advertised his wife. Since then it appears he has made overtures for a reconciliation and since his wife has worked at Mr. McIntosh's she has visited her regularly on Saturday's, but she told her friends there that it was no use for her to try and live with him again as he contributed nothing to her support. Yesterday George sent his wife

**Two Letters,**

one written by himself and the other by his mother, urging Mrs. George to return home. The cause of the trouble between the two is stated in the following letter found in George's pocket and evidently written before he left his home in Orono to visit his wife for the last time:

"Written by Fred L. George. I write to inform the public that the cause of this trouble is, or was, Edward Plaizes. He has caused my wife to turn against me and this here now before the public is on account of him. So now I will say on here who ever haves the care of our remains please send them to Orono and put us both in one grave, is the request of the writer."

**Arrival at Great Works.**

With this document in his pocket indicating his desperate purpose, which it is said he even communicated to his folks in Orono before leaving home, George walked to Great Works a distance of two miles and a half and called for his wife. She was out at the time and he started in search of her. They met on the street, or somewhere away from the house, and while together encountered the young man referred to in the dead man's letter. A stormy scene ensued and George drew his revolver, so it is said, and threatened to shoot his enemy. Why he did not do it is a mystery as the wording of his letter would indicate that he probably contemplated this act, it being noticeable that he said Plaizes "is or was" the cause of the trouble, giving the impression that the man would be no more when the letter was found. For some reason unknown the shot was not fired and George and his wife then went to the house of Mr. McIntosh where the shooting occurred as detailed above. The remains will be taken in charge by the Selectmen of Orono to-day, and buried in that town.

**Married in the West,**

George married his wife in Michigan and it is understood that her parents are in comfortable circumstances. George bunched shingles for a living. Plaizes, the man referred to, is a young fellow who does not do much of anything.

**Local Legislature.**

The House of Assembly opens on Thursday next at 3 o'clock.

See the card of Dr. McAllister, dentist, in another column.

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## Died.

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Mothers Take Notice.—West's Cough Syrup contains no opiates, opium or any minerals, and can be given to the youngest and most delicate child with perfect safety. It is an infallible cure for Croup and whooping cough. A bottle should always be kept convenient as it is also a certain cure for coughs, colds, consumption in its early stages, bronchitis, asthma and all throat and lung troubles. 25c., 50c and $1.00 per bottle. All druggists.

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Feb. 17

# THE STORM.

## More Snow and Heavy Drifts—Trains Delayed on all the Roads.

A heavy snow storm set in on Thursday afternoon and continued until quite late in the evening. About six inches of snow fell During the night the high wind scattered the light snow in all directions, and heavy drifts were piled up. The wind increased in fury, and yesterday was one of the roughest days of the winter. The wind blew a perfect gale all day.

The violent storm delayed the trains on all the roads. Only one train was despatched from Fredericton yesterday on the N B. railway and two engines were employed to haul it to the junction. Some heavy drifts were encountered along the road, but the train was got through all right. No trains or mails reached here yesterday. The morning train from St. John did not reach the junction until after noon. With heavy work on the branch, Rusagornish was reached about three o'clock and there the engine became disabled. The western train was several hours late in reaching the junction. At midnight last night both trains were at Rusagornish. Two engines were attached to the delayed trains and Fredericton was reached at one o'clock this morning. There were very few passengers on board. Several persons from Houlton, who left that place on Thursday last did not reach here until the arrival of the delayed trains this morning. The storm of Thursday was a very severe one north of Mcadam.

Only one train was despatched from Fredericton this morning, to which two engines were attached.

The trains on the Northern and Western and the Gibson branch are also delayed in consequence of the storm.

High drifts along the highway roads over the country will render them almost impassable for some time. There is snow in abundance everywhere.

"A little fire is quickly trodden out
Which, being suffered, rivers cannot quench."

Procrastination may rob you of time, but by increased diligence you can make up the loss; but if it rob you of life the loss is irremediable. If your health is delicate, your appetite fickle, your sleep broken, your mind depressed, your whole being out of sorts, depend on it you are seriously diseased. In all such cases Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" will speedily effect a genuine, radical cure—make a new man of you and save you from the tortures of lingering disease.

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