

EVENTS.

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MISDIRECTED ABUSE

The Intercolonial is giving the public a great train service this winter. A train on time is coming to be rather too much of a novelty—Moncton Times.

This is meant as an insinuation that the officials of the I. C. R. are to blame for the irregular running of trains during the past month or two, but in reality it is a direct insinuation that the common laborers in the employ of the I. C. R. have been derelict in their duties. When there is a fall of snow it is the laboring man who clears the track and the resumption of the scheduled train service depends upon the despatch and efficiency with which he works. The officials must wait upon him. Considering everything we are inclined to believe that the Intercolonial has done remarkably well this winter. There has been an unusual fall of snow especially in Nova Scotia.

PROVINCIAL CABINET CHANGES

Premier Tweedie is to be credited with another good deed. The elevation of the Hon. Frank Sweeney to the portfolio of Surveyor-General was, we believe, the outcome of careful consideration and it will doubtless meet with the approval of a majority of the people. The office of Surveyor-General is a rank higher than that of Solicitor General. Mr. Sweeney as a member of the government without office and later as Solicitor General in the government was the only man entitled to the higher office. Indeed we do not see how Mr. Tweedie could have passed him over and appointed someone outside of the cabinet. Mr. Jones of Carleton was generally regarded as the member most entitled to the office of Solicitor General and he received the appointment on the elevation of Mr. Sweeney. The premier could scarcely have done otherwise. We would not be surprised to see Mr. Robert on of St. John or Mr. Barnes of Kent selected as a member of the government without office.

DID THE FLAT-CAR HAVE A LIGHT?

Serious Ante-Mortem Statement Credited to Amos Lirrette.

I. C. R. Divisional Superintendent Evan Price, held an investigation into the cause of the death of the late Amos Lirrette on Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Charles Bulmer, Nelson MacDougall, Camille, Sonier, James, Dickey and others gave evidence, and it is said that they all testified that there was no light on the train that struck the unfortunate man.

Mr. Nelson MacDougall, who picked Lirrette up on the track and assisted to carry him to his home, said that Lirrette told him that he was watching the headlight of the locomotive and allowing himself time to step off the track, when he was suddenly hit by the flat car which was being pushed ahead of the locomotive and without a light. The deceased said he was injured in the side and chest as well as the foot and leg being crushed.—Transcript

AFTER MIDLAND ROAD

D. & R. Makes Application For Right to Purchase

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—Rufus Henry Pope, ex M. P., for Compton (Que.); G. W. Fowler, M. P., Sussex (N. B.); R. A. Pringle, M. P. M. P. Davies, contractor, Ottawa; Wm. Farwell, Sherbrook, and C. P. Hill, C. E. Frank, Alberta, have been granted incorporation under the title of "The Hill Crest Coal and Coke Company, with a capital stock of \$500,000 and head office, Montreal.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway Company is applying to parliament for the right to purchase the Midland Railway Company. The new acquisition will be designated as the Midland section. Authority is also asked for the issue of bonds on this division for an amount not to exceed \$5,000 per mile.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company is applying to parliament for an act ratifying the terms of the securities and mortgages to be issued in aid of the construction of the Western Division and of the Lake Superior branch.

THREE CABINET MEMBERS RESIGNED

Premier Parent of Quebec Received their Resignation on Saturday

Quebec, Feb. 6.—Premier Parent received the resignations of Messrs. Gouin, Weir, and Turgeon on Saturday five minutes before the time fixed for the cabinet meeting. Parent after the cabinet had been in session a few minutes drove to the lieutenant governor's residence, and after a meeting said the resignations had been accepted. He stated that owing to the difficulty which had arisen the meeting of the legislature, which had been fixed for Thursday, will be postponed until March 22.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Gouin and Weir reached here Saturday night, and were given an enthusiastic reception by supporters. Addressing a meeting they stated they were unable to make public the reasons for resigning until given permission to do so. Friends say that any one chosen to fill their places will find re-election almost an impossibility. There is not much speculation here as to whether or not the resigning ministers are strong enough to defeat the government.

BORN

KAIN.—At Campbellton, Jan. 8th to Mr. and Mrs. John Kain, a daughter.

PARKER.—At Campbellton, Jan. 10th to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Parker a son.

DUNCAN.—At Long Island Lodge, Flatlands, Jan. 22nd to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Duncan, a son.

MARSHDOWN.—At Campbellton, Jan. 25th to Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Marshdown a son.

SMITH.—At Campbellton Feb. 1st to Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, a son.

DUNCAN.—At Campbellton Feb. 5th to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Duncan, a son.

WILSON.—At Campbellton Feb. 6th to Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson a son.

MILIK.—At Campbellton Feb. 8th to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Miller a son.

BORDEN.—At Campbellton on the 8th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Borden a son.

FEILDERS.—At Montreal Jan. 31st to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Feilders a son.



MONKEY AND PARROT.

What Did the Man Do With the Switch From the Tree?

"If you will slip into the pantry and get me some cake I will give you this fine gold watch to wear," said the parrot to the monkey, holding up a beautiful watch for the monkey to admire. So the monkey ran into the house and into the pantry and got cake covered with sugar and gave it to the parrot.



GAVE THE CAKE TO THE PARROT.

not, for he felt that it would be a very grand thing indeed to have a watch to wear.

He placed the chain about his neck and walked up and down the garden, feeling very proud of his new possession. He liked to hear it tick, he liked to see the little hand go bobbing around, and he liked to wind the stem of the watch when it ran down.

While he was thus enjoying himself who should come along but his master. "Oh, ho!" sang out the man. "So you are the young rascal who stole my fine watch that my wife gave me for a Christmas present!"

He grabbed poor monkey by the back of the neck and took the watch from him. Then the man broke a little switch from a tree, and what do you suppose he did with it? All the bad little boys and girls know, and I shall not tell the tale—Exchange.

A BEAR HUNT.

Do You Think the Man With the Knife Got the Big Caribou?

When papa puts his pipe away and takes me on his knee I know he's got a story that he wants to tell to me. I put my arms around his neck and hug him tight and he tells me his story.

He wants it first. That's always understood. It's always 'bout a little boy just 'zactly big ez me who's got a pony, got a dog, a gun an' things, you see; who kills some Indians on the plains an' goes an' traps an' hunts, who shoots big bears an' buffaloes an' never misses once. He goes out in the woods alone an' travels through the day an' builds a fire up every night to keep the wolves away, then in the mornin' takes his gun an' finds a grizzly's den an' chases bears for miles an' miles, a-shootin' now an' then. At last he gets one up a tree an' walks around an' 'round an' shoots his powder all away, an' then the bear comes down. So next the fellow takes his knife without a bit of fear—an' then I get so sleepy that's 'bout all I ever hear. Then in the mornin' when I wake an' find myself in bed I get to wonderin' if the bear is 'live or if he's dead. I look around fer daddy, but can't see him anywhere. An' so I holler mighty loud, "Pop, did he get the bear?"—Exchange.

Walled Up Alive.

A very interesting bird is one which follows the trade of a plasterer—the hornbill.

It makes its home in far-off Africa, and this home is in the trunk of a hollow tree. You see, monkeys run wild in this country, and there is nothing they like better than hornbill eggs for breakfast, so in order to save the lives of her young the mother hornbill constructs a wall of mud in the trunk of the tree so that the eggs will be safe.

She and her mate select a suitable tree and work together, plastering up with mud any opening there may be in the trunk. Having made it small enough to only just admit the passage of her body, the mother hornbill goes in, and her mate continues plastering until there is only a little round hole left, enough for him to put in the tip of his beak. Through this he passes in food to the mother while she is hatching her eggs and rearing her babies; nor do the latter get out into the light and air until they have donned their first suit of feathers. Then the door of the nursery is broken down, and the family begins to enjoy free life again.

two important main roads, two railways, and two large rivers.

A very unique feature is exclusively claimed by Trimley, a small village in Suffolk. In the one churchyard of the parish two churches are to be seen. Service is conducted three times a week in each of these churches at the same hour.

The deepest well in England is found at Hamilton, in Hampshire. It stretches 850 feet below the surface of the earth. About half-way down this well-shaft is a subway, three miles in length.

On the top of the parish church tower, in Dicker, Somersetshire, is a yew tree, now 6 feet high, and still growing in a hardy fashion. It is generally believed that the tree owes its origin to a seed dropped by a bird.

Perhaps the most splendidly decorated church in the Kingdom is that of Whitley Court, Worcestershire. It is entirely constructed of white marble, the pews are chastely carved, and the pulpit is of genuine Carrara marble, richly panelled with costly stones.

On the village green at Meriden, in Warwickshire, there is a large stone cross, which is supposed to mark the central point of England.

English Village Oddities.

Undoubtedly the most extraordinary township in England is that of Skiddaw, in Cumberland. It contains but one house, the occupier of which is unable to exercise the Briton's privilege of voting because there is no overseer to prepare a voters' list and no church or other place of worship or assembly on which to publish one.

The most remote village in England is that of Farley-cum-Pitton. This truly rural spot is thirty miles and a half from the nearest railway station. As a contrast to this may be mentioned the hamlet of Ystrad, about ten miles from Cardiff. This tiny settlement possesses



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for North Head Breakwater and Wharf," will be received at this office until Saturday, March 4, 1905, inclusively, for the construction of a breakwater and wharf at North Head, Grand Manan, Charlotte County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., and C. E. W. McDowell, Esq., Resident Engineer, Halifax, N. S., on application to the Postmaster at North Head, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenders. An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited. If the party tendering declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of the tender. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

FRED. GELINAS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, February 4, 1905. New-sealers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department, will not be paid for it.



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that it is throwing money away to let your electric lamps burn down until they get red or burn out?

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