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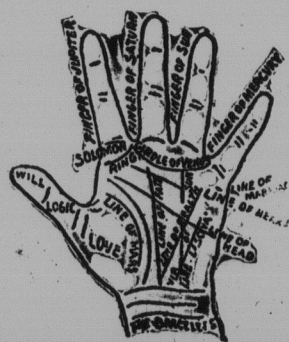
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At the last regular meeting of the Master Painters' Association considerable discussion arose over the errors of sub-contracting and the present custom of the architects allowing carpenters and builders to tender for and secure work which rightly belongs to the painters' craft, was considered. In order to prevent the abuses existing on account of this prevailing system, the following resolution was passed: "Resolved, that the members of the Master Painters' Association decline to tender for any work except that coming directly through the architect or house owner."

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THE DUTY OF ALL.

A west side correspondent of the Star yesterday directed attention to the neglected squares and other places on that side of the harbor. He might have gone farther and extended his criticism to the east side as well. The work of cleaning up the streets does not progress with fiery speed. There is one direction, however, in which the merchants of the city can make an important contribution to the cleanliness of the streets. The quantity of waste paper that is lying about the streets or kept in motion by the wind suggests a lack of care and public spirit which is not commendable. Rubbish accumulates rapidly enough without additions from the stores and residences of the people. The City Beautiful implies pride and care on the part of every citizen. Let us have more of both. Then perhaps the city council will deem it the part of wisdom to display more energy in improving the streets and squares.

BEATS THE DUTCH.

A correspondent of the Glasgow Weekly Herald calls the attention of the editor of that paper to the curious coincidence "that the hymn, Now Thank We All Our God, which may be sung in most of the British Christian churches on Sunday first, is written by a German composer named Kruger." This is certainly spoiling the Egyptians with a vengeance. During the war which has been just brought to a close, Mr. Paul Kruger and certain of his minor satellites appeared to have a monopoly of the singing of psalms, hymns and spiritual songs, as well as the privilege of quoting at any time such passages of scripture as might appear to them pertinent and appropriate. Now the tables have been turned. The British have realized that there was a time for music and a time to refrain from singing. They will now sing. It is possible, although no correspondent on the other side has given any such intimation as yet, that Mr. Paul Kruger may obtain an injunction to prevent the aforetime enemy from singing any hymns written by his namesake. The outcome will be awaited with interest.

THE TORONTO STRIKE.

Upwards of nine hundred motormen and conductors on the Toronto street railway have decided to strike. The differences between them and the company, which refuses to recognise their union, do not appear at this distance to be so formidable that an agreement might not have been reached; but, despite the strenuous efforts of a strong committee of the board of trade, the negotiations, which have been in progress for some time, have utterly failed. The traffic of the city will be greatly impeded, and it will be fortunate indeed if greater trouble does not result. This is the first strike of serious proportions in Canada this year, and its effects will be confined largely to the city of Toronto. While the street railway company and the men who are out will alike suffer loss, the city itself will sustain a loss of revenue, as a certain proportion of the street railway earnings goes into the city treasury.

A London cable says: "At the annual New Zealand banquet, which was held in London, R. J. Seddon, the prime minister of New Zealand, who is one of the most interesting personalities among the colonial premiers, gave a glowing description of the conditions of the colony. He said it had pushed social reform to the verge of what many outsiders considered to be radical socialism. Time had demonstrated the soundness of this economic experiment, continued the premier, with the result that today New Zealand had little crime, no poverty, everybody had employment, and the New Zealanders were a happy, free and enlightened people."

As there appears to be no parade arranged for the afternoon of Coronation Day it has been suggested that it would be a good idea to prevail upon the owners of the Lake Superior to postpone the work of floating her until that time. A public looking for amusement might very well obtain it with their backs against the bulwarks at the government pier or reclining at full length upon the grassy esplanade.

The decision of the Polymorphians to have a parade on the evening of Coronation Day will add something to the pleasure of the people. Provision should be made for a series of band concerts in the afternoon, so that all the citizens may be able to enjoy the music. Doubtless the committee will make due provision with this end in view.

This comforting assurance is given by the Bangor Commercial: "The sea serpent is bound this way to fill engagements off the Maine coast for a month at the time of the opening of the big hotels. He is said to be unusually agile this year and is in excellent spirits."

Premier Seddon of New Zealand believes there is not a single British colony but is prepared to give preference to the manufacturers of the mother country, and a rebate on British goods goods carried in British ships.

Johann Most, the anarchist who printed an incendiary article at the time Pres. McKinley was shot, has been sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. He got off very easy.

The charges made by the Telegraph against the Deaf and Dumb Institution in Fredericton are of the gravest possible character, and call for the most searching enquiry.

Advices from Havana are to the effect that the Cubans entertain very gloomy views of the future of the island unless reciprocity with the United States is secured.

DEATH OF J. H. SCAMMELL

One of St. John's Best Known and Highly Respected Business Men.

The citizens of St. John will learn this morning with regret of the death of Joseph H. Scammell, who, after many years of connection with the firm of Scammell Bros., established here a few years ago the firm of J. H. Scammell & Co. Mr. Scammell had been ill for some weeks, but his case was not regarded as severe till a few days since.

The deceased gentleman was held in the highest esteem by all who have had business connections with him. Mrs. Scammell and five sons survive, viz., Edward J., Frank E., Dr. J. H., J. Kimball and Sanford.

[From Biographical Review of Province of N. B., 1900.] Joseph Henry Scammell was born in St. John April 10th, 1837, son of Joseph and Fannie Matilda (Walker) Scammell. His father was born in Wylie, England, Aug. 9th, 1808, and his mother was a native of Nova Scotia.

Coming to this city when he was a young man Joseph Scammell, in company with his brother William, opened the St. John Hotel, which stood at the head of King street, and he was later proprietor of the Waverly Hotel, then one of the popular hostleries of the province. Joseph and William Scammell belonged to the Masonic order, and Joseph was a member of Trinity church. He married on his birthday, Aug. 9th, 1853, Fannie Matilda Walker. They became the parents of nine children, namely: John Walter, born Sept. 23, 1833, who died May 16, 1897; Annie Tilton, who was born May 19, 1835, and is now the widow of George Byron Cushing of St. John; Joseph Henry, the subject of the sketch; Harriet Matilda, born Aug. 10, 1839, who died May 9, 1847; William Perot, born July 27, 1841, who died Aug. 5, 1842; Emma Julia, who was born June 13, 1843, and resides in St. John; Charles Edward, born March 19, 1845, who resides in St. John; Helen Matilda, born March 25, 1847, now the wife of Joseph Allison of St. John; and Frederick Ernest, born June 30, 1849, now a resident of New York.

Joseph Henry Scammell pursued the regular course of study at the St. John Grammar School, and completed his education in Kingston, N. B. Entered the lumber business as a clerk for E. D. Jewett, he remained with him some eight or nine years, at the end of which time he engaged with the shipping business, first alone and later in company with Sargent S. Littlehale, now of Stockton, Cal. After the withdrawal of Mr. Littlehale John Walter Scammell was admitted to partnership, and still later Frederick E. Scammell entered the concern, thus forming the well known firm of Scammell Bros., who for many years were prominent ship owners, commission merchants and steamship agents, being the local representatives of the Anchor line. The present firm of J. H. Scammell & Co. succeeded the old concern in 1895, and are still transacting a general brokerage and commission business.

In 1887 Mr. Scammell married Miss Maria Louisa Stevens, daughter of Sanford Stevens of Pittston, Me. One child born to Mr. and Mrs. Scammell died in infancy, and five children are now living, namely, Edward Jewell, in Dawson City, N. W. T.; Frank S. Scammell, M. D., of St. John, a graduate of McGill College, Montreal; John Kimball, a civil engineer of St. John; and Sanford W. Scammell of Boston, Mass.

ORANGEMEN WILL PARADE CORONATION DAY.

A large and influential meeting of St. John County L. O. A. was held last night. It was decided to attend service at St. James' church on the morning of the 26th. Special music will be arranged, and the rector, Rev. A. D. Dowd, will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion. Mr. Dewdney is the deputy grand chaplain of British America. Two bands will accompany the Orangemen to their hall on Gormain street to the church, and the route will be: Gormain street to King, down King to Prince William, along that street to St. James, along it to Sydney, down it to Broad and to the church. After the service the Orangemen will come along Broad street to Carmarthen, up it to Mecklenburg, thence to Sydney, up it to the north side of King square, and then to Charlotte and down King to Gormain. The Orangemen will turn out in full regalia, with the Black Preceptor and the Prentice Boys in the front. The district, county and all lodges will meet at the Orange hall at eight o'clock in the morning, when P. D. M. C. D. Ward will be presented with a collar.

BRAVE CANADIANS.

The conspicuous courage of the Canadian troops in South Africa has moved a St. John poet to the following lyrical outbursts, which reached the Star office too late for publication in yesterday's issue. It will be observed that patriotic fervor breathes in every line. Some local composer will doubtless set the stirring strains to appropriate music. Kimberley should be pronounced with the accent strong on the last syllable, to bring out the true beauty and rhythm of the ballad.

It was our brave Canadians That left their native shore, And sailed away to Africa To fight the trait'rous Boer.

They left their native country, It was for a glorious cause, They 'stomached all the nations And the pre-Boer for to pause.

They sailed away to Africa, It was far across the sea, And there they won a victory, On the Plains of Kimberley.

Unmindful of all danger, The cruel Boer he lay, Proved monarch of the city, And the Plains of Kimberley.

Hid by the shades of evening The British made their way, Right by the brilliant cannon On the Plains of Kimberley.

And right beside the Boers He brought his horse in line, His men prepared to battle Ere the stars did cease to shine.

The Boers they saw the danger, And quickly tried to play— Their guns upon the British, On the Plains of Kimberley.

It was then our noble hero Brought all his guns to bear, And sent his iron missiles Like hail storms through the air.

The Boers they fell by hundreds, Their tents in ruins lay, They all fell in their trenches On the Plains of Kimberley.

I'm fought from one in the morning I'm sure it was after three, When the Boers they did surrender On the Plains of Kimberley.

All hail to the brave Canadians! Who led the fight that day, And there they gained a victory On the Plains of Kimberley.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

SACKVILLE, N. B., July 20.—At the N. B. and P. E. I. conference to-day the election for delegates to the general conference resulted as follows: Rev. William Harrison, Dr. Sprague, Dr. Stewart, D. Paisley, Dr. Read, Rev. George Steel, Dr. Evans, Rev. John Goldsmith, Rev. A. D. McCully, Laymen—J. R. Inch, LL. D., David Allison, LL. D., E. R. Machum, J. L. Black, J. D. Chipman, Henry Smith, J. Hunter White, Prof. Hinton, H. Pickering, alternates, Wm. Mathe, 1st; A. M. Shaw, 2nd.

Miss Scott of the Deaconess Home, Toronto, was introduced, after which she delivered a most interesting address concerning her work, and at its close the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

That this conference, having listened with great pleasure to the instructive and inspiring address of Miss Scott, superintendent of the Deaconess Home and Methodist Training School, Toronto, hereby records its deep interest in the work she so nobly represents; their appreciation of the diligence and efficiency with which she discharges the important duties of her office, and assures her of practical sympathy and support in bringing the claims of the deaconess movement before all the congregations within its bounds.

Several requests for permission to sell property were referred to the board of trusts. Messrs. H. H. Marr, W. R. Pepper, J. J. Pinkerton and J. A. Sellar were continued on trial, and E. C. Hennigar was granted permission to take the B. D. course in lieu of the one prescribed by the discipline.

The missionary meeting last evening was addressed by Revs. Richard Ople and Wm. Penna and Mrs. Dr. Sprague.

At this morning's session, Rev. W. W. Lodge delivered a very able address on Consistency of Conduct on the Part of the Preacher. The nominating committee's report was accepted, and considerable other business transacted at today's session.

From Newfoundland to Vancouver Red Rose tea is sold. It's good tea.

MEETINGS, ETC.

A special meeting of the Ship Builders' Union will be held Monday evening.

The Scots companies paraded in full uniform last evening and held a march out, but were prevented from going far by the rain. There will be another parade Monday evening.

A concert will be held in Alexandra Temple of Honor hall last evening under the auspices of the shingle sawyers and buncchers delighted a very large audience. The chair was taken by John Lemmon, Peter Gleason, Miss Bryson, Geo. Ramsay, James Adams, Wm. Ogden and Miss Cora Hector. Messrs. O'Brien and Green, James Patterson took part.

Monday evening next in the High School Assembly hall, Mrs. S. L. Oberholzer, of Philadelphia will lecture on Thrift. The lecture will be under the auspices of the Associated Charities and the W. C. T. U. Mayor White will preside.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

The University of St. Joseph closed yesterday. H. O. McInerney won the English prize in the oratorical contest and A. Laviole, of Quebec, the French one.

ARTIUM BACCALAUREUS. William M. Duke, St. John, N. B.; Arthur J. Gaudet, St. Joseph, N. B.; Jean Gaudet, St. Joseph, N. B.; Rodolphe M. Gaudet, Memramcook West, N. B.

Adedat G. Laviole, St. Octave, P. Q.; Francis M. Lockary, St. Stephen, N. B.; Henry O. McInerney, St. John, N. B.; Benoit P. Pelletier, Tignish, P. Q.

COMMERCIAL DIPLOMAS. Hippolyte Nil Dube, Riviere du Loup, P. Q.

Alphonse Gaudet, Aboulegane, N. B.; Théo Landry, Grand Metis, P. Q.; Alderick J. Leger, Moncton, N. B.; Hector Melanson, Bathurst, N. B.; Alexandre Plante, Quebec, P. Q.; William T. Sweeney, Melrose, N. B.

The English valedictory was delivered by W. J. Duke of St. John, N. B. The London Field defends King Edward from the accusation of an unwearied devotion to racing and holds that he should associate himself with the amusements of his people.

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SOME INTERESTING EXCUSES.

For the Absence of Pupils From the Schools.

(Christian Endeavor World.) The following are some 'excuses' for absence from school, collected by a school teacher:

'Kind Maddum:—Excusee jaims for not been there on yistiday. We have a pett goat and it et up his (jaimses) pants an his pa could not git him no others ontill las nite. So please excoosee. 'p.s. we will keep the goat tied up hereafter so please excoosee him this time.'

'Respected Miss: Please to excuse Willy for absents. He fell down stairs just before school time and we fear his internal insides was hurt at first, but we find they aint. The doctor says that no part of his anatomy was hurt, but the brewing of the eppydymis of the outside hide and also his hipp hurt some. But he narrowly escaped fatal detth. So kindly excusee.

'Dear Miss W.: The non-appearance of Evelina Louise at school yesterday was an unavoidable necessity occasioned by indisposition superinduced, I fear me, by my own lack of forethought in permitting her to partake of innutritious and indigestible comestibles beyond her capacity to assimilate, thence the resultant indisposition and indigestion necessitating the absence of Evelina from school. Kindly pardon an overfond mother's lack of judgment and excuse my daughter's absence for which I am in a measure if not altogether responsible, for I should have made my will power superior to hers and thus saved her from the mastication of injurious concomitants. I beg to assure you that it will not occur again.'

A boy who had been absent for two days came to school on the third day, bringing the following brief but comprehensive note 'excuse':

'Teacher: Sam has been playing hooky. Please lick.'

JOHN COSTIGAN IS PRESIDENT.

QUEBEC, Jan. 20.—The adjourned meeting of the Quebec and New Brunswick railway was held here today, when it was reported that all the capital had been subscribed and \$25,000 paid. Directors were elected as follows: Hon. John Costigan, Hon. A. Turgerton, T. Cochrane, manager of the People's Bank at Edmundston, N. B., J. N. Gregory and H. S. Carroll. Mr. Costigan is president of the company.

COLLEGE FEDERATION.

HALIFAX, June 20.—The diocesan synod of Nova Scotia convened here today. Bishop Courtney's pastoral deals trenchantly among other things with the question of maritime college confederation, which he endorses in the most emphatic way.



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