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FREDERICTON AND VICINITY.

Record of Current Events About Town.

A Young Man's Hand Blown to Pieces.

A Woman Drops Dead at Oromocto While Carding.

Lost a Valuable Horse.

Mr. Albert Everett, of Lower French Village, lost a horse the other day for which he has been offered over $250. The animal was attacked with some ailment or other and died shortly afterwards.

For Disturbing the Army.

Harry Collins, who was charged with disturbing the salvation army meeting Saturday night last, appeared before the police magistrate yesterday morning and acknowledged. He was fined $8 and costs or thirty days jail. He paid the fine.

Charged for Assaults.

The young lad Herbert Lindorth, against whom a complaint was lodged for assaulting Willie Babbitt, appeared in the police court yesterday morning and pleaded guilty. He was fined $2 and costs, and warned against any such conduct in the future.

Resigned His Position.

Mr. H. D. McLean, superintendent of the Southern division of the N. B. Railway, will move his connections with the road on Monday. Mr. McLean has enjoyed the esteem of all patrons of the road, and his retirement will be learned with universal regret.

The Snow Too Heavy for It.

A two story building used as a shed and warehouse, in the rear of Mr. Williams' residence on Queen street, crashed through the other night from the weight of snow on the roof. Carpenters are at work replacing it by a more substantial structure.

The Prince William Railway.

Work on the Prince William Railway has been suspended for the winter. The laborers who were employed on the road all summer and fall, are still in their quarters a few miles above town, and will probably remain until work is resumed in the spring.

A Good Move.

On account of the skating accident which befell Miss Waite at Marysville the other night, the managers of the rink have very properly shut down on the use of long fleed skates, and prohibited fast skating. Here after not more than two persons will be allowed to skate together on the rink.

Taxes Pretty Well Paid Up.

City Treasurer Sugee took in a good deal of money in payment of taxes on Thursday being the last day for those who did not wish their names to appear on the delinquent list. The city treasurer reports the taxes pretty well paid up this year, and the delinquent list will be smaller than for a few years past.

His Hand Blown to Pieces.

A despatch from our Canterbury Station correspondent last night stated that Francis Crombie, of Campbell Settlement, had his left hand blown to pieces three yesterday by the bursting of his gun. Dr. Turner, of St. Stephen, was called. The injured man was in a critical condition last night, and his recovery was considered doubtful.

The Short Line Through Maine.

The trains are to cease running for the season on the Canadian Pacific railway in about a week or two days. About the first of April they are expected to commence running regularly, and the people in Houlton Junction will have the pleasure of seeing the great through trains loaded with heavy freight pass after that time.—Commercial.

No New Year's Dinner.

As noted in last issue, the Women's Christian Temperance Union were making preparations for a New Year's dinner for the poor children of the city, but on enquiry of the physicians respecting the prevalence of scarlet fever, it has been decided that it would be imprudent to bring a number of children together at this time, many probably from infected homes. The ladies have accordingly abandoned their preparations for a dinner this year.

Tendered an Oyster Supper.

A. E. Bailey, B. A., of Kingsclear, was given an oyster supper by his friends at the Dominion Hotel, on Wednesday evening. Mr. Bailey had charge of the intermediate department of the public school at that place last term, and his departure, to assume charge of the grammar school at Upper Woodstock, was the occasion of his friends and the patrons of the school gathering to show their appreciation of the work done by Mr. Neales during his short stay there.

The Fredericton Rink.

The skating season will open in Fredericton rink on Tuesday, New Year's night. [illegible] nothing [illegible] has been done to put the season. As tickets will be for six nights and a night, can be the current assignment this year is [illegible] ular skating.

[illegible] ing in four, [illegible] and started down [illegible] It was into a brake with such force that the shafts were broken and the drop [illegible] damaged also. The animal was caught some distance below, galloping down as a lively speed.

Recovering from his Injuries.

Our Keswick correspondent writes: Young Mr. Alex. Murray, who just fell from a truck in full motion about ten days ago, was not seriously injured as was reported. His limbs were not injured in the least, nor did any part of the train pass over him. A corner of the wear car struck him upon the small of his back and severely bruised him and caused serious internal injuries, let no bones were broken. A contract to appear appearances he will recover, and in his little worse [illegible]

Killed by the Train.

Romaine Carey, an old man of about 60 years, was killed by the Halifax express Thursday afternoon, at Cook's Bend while walking on the track from Moncton. He, in company with two other teams, was on his way home from Moncton to Carey Cape, near Shediac. His companions had crossed the track but his horse stopped on the track and the engine struck the sled, throwing the deceased about fifteen feet, against a stick of lumber, breaking his neck. The horse escaped without injury.

BITS OF NEWS.

Gathered and Condensed for the Readers of the "Gleaner."

Mr. Wm Rainsbury has established the rink on the county court house.

The skating on the river has been good to-day, and large crowds have been enjoying it.

The semi-annual session of the Sunbury county council will be held at Sussex on Wednesday next.

A meeting of the Fredericton Curling Club will be held at the rink Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock.

The North Shore fishermen are to have a conference with members of the government in this city on Thursday next.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Wednesday afternoon will commence at three o'clock instead of four as usually.

Tuesday being a public holiday, the regular monthly session of the city council will be held on Wednesday week next.

In the St. John probate court Thursday, letters of administration of the estate of the late Sim A. G. S. Campbell were granted to John S. Sutherland, of Fredericton. Personal property, $1,450. John Willet, proctor.

Wm. Hickman, of Dorchester, managing owner of the barque W. E. Chapman, left town on Thursday received word that the vessel had been run into and sunk by a German steamer in the English Channel.

A POPULAR TEACHER.

Pupils and Assistant Teachers Give Evidence of Their Appreciation of Mr. Brenan's Services in Public Examinations.

A Gibson correspondent writes as follows of the recent public examination in the John I Mullin school:

I would like to give a short account of the closing examination at the Gibson schools that the public may see the progress made during the short stay of our valuable teacher, Mr. Brenan, and the great success which has crowned the efforts of the assistant teachers. The day of the examination being very stormy, it was feared that no outsiders could or would get there. It was surprising as well as gratifying to see the attendance larger than usual.

The school examination did great credit to both teachers and the few pupils present; the students striving to show their audience the respect and love they had for the teachers, who had spent so much time, attention, and patience in endeavoring to lead them in the paths of learning, by concord and inst-uction, preparing them to take their places in life's battle. The recitations were well rendered. The singing was in good time, tone, and best of all in enunciation. This is owing to the thorough training of voice culture, which, in these schools, is a particularly studied in and properly taught by exercises in simultaneous reading, every word being spoken with one voice and in it often by the class.

At the close of the examinations the schools assembled in Mr. Brenan's room, where his friends presented him with a parting gift—a gentleman's dressing case of great plush lined with blue, and a gold pencil. The address was well delivered by Xavier Walter Wetmore, presentation by Xavier Harold Cridwell.

The assistant teachers then presented him with a napkin ring of silver of a beautiful design.

To a good closed by singing the approprate farewell, "God be with you."

The people of Gibson regret Mr. Brenan's departure very much. He was gaining a good influence over his pupils and doing good outside, being self assistant member of the B. S. S. and a worker in the cause of temperance.

We wish him success in his new field of labor.

NOTES OF SPORT.

Gleaned From Our Exchanges and Correspondents.

[illegible] 2,000 persons witnessed a fairly contested lacrosse game in Philadelphia on Christmas day.

John Sparks, English lightweight champion, was knocked out in the ninth round by Jack Dobbs Wednesday night at Paterson, N. J. Sparks's failing at the gallery broke at the end of the fight, precipitating a number of the spectators to the floor below, injuring some all.

The horse sal of the Dalhousian stallions, Sparrow, has died from disease caused by an attack of colic. He was owned by Mr. Bonner, who paid $20,000 for him.

The place fight between Jack Dempsey, middle heavy weight of the Pacific coast, and Jackson, colored champion from Australia, at the gymnasium of the California athletic club last night, was won by Jackson.

BY NEXT NOVEMBER

It is Expected the Fredericton Railway will be in operation from Fredericton to Fredericton.

Mr. C. F. Hanington, the chief engineer and manager of the Fredericton railways, returned to St. John yesterday from Newcastle, Grand Lake, where he has a party in the field locating the railway between Chipman and Fredericton. Mr. Evans is in charge of the work, under Mr. Chandler as locator and a staff of eight men. Mr. Hanington says there was a very heavy fall of snow in Queens county on the 14th and 15th instant which almost blocked the roads. The pain of Wednesday made travelling more than it would otherwise have been. The railway for which this survey is made will be pushed forward as quickly as possible, and the road will probably be in operation before next November. The line from Norton to Fredericton will be 45 miles in length and will pass through a rough country, which, however presents no serious engineering difficulties.

Attractive Rooms and an Exemplary Club.

The F. C. B. M. C. club have a late rooms over Fowler's Jewelry store which are very much improved recently. The walls have been newly papered, and the floors and ceilings painted with excellent taste, so that the rooms are now, in appearance, one of the most attractive club rooms in the province. Handsome curtains are hung from the windows, and tasteful pictures in paintings and engravings adorn the walls. The rooms are especially furnished. Mr. Harry Clarke presented the club with a beautiful piano on Christmas, which is from much credit upon his taste and workmanship. The F. C. B. M. C. club is one of the most exemplary young men's clubs to be found anywhere. There rules prohibit anything that could in anyway be construed as objectionable.

Officers Installed.

Thursday, the festival of St. John, was generally observed by the Masonic Fraternity this side of the province. Several of the lodges installed officers. The following officers of Hiram Lodge, No. 6, of this city were installed by Deputy District Grand Master A. F. Street:

Daniel Jordan, W. M.; James D. Fowler, I. P. M.; Stewart L. Morrison, S. W.; Robert O. Beverley, J. W.; George Todd, (P. M.) O.; A. Street, (P. M.) T.; Chas. Beattie S.; James T. Bentham, J. S.; Francis O. D. Richards, organist; Harry Beckwith (P. M.) D. of C.; Reuben Tennant, I. G.; John Lawson, tyler.

A Contradiction.

To the Editor of THE GLEANER:—

SIR—Some in your valuable paper is wanted to correct a false statement that came out in a late issue of the Capital. I have been represented as having taken an active part in a concert given by Miss Hunt in behalf of the Boyle Bridge school. I was not present, nor do I wish it's own that I had anything to do with the affair. The Miss Carey, as spoken of also, were not seen. In publishing this new items you much oblige,

SIR, CAB.

SISTER SAL FROM OUT BACK

Pays Another Visit to the Celestial City.

And Tells, in Her Own Way, of What She Saw

At the Establishments of Gleaner Advertisers.

Yes-se, Hayseed, seem he kum hum from Fredericton, has been a twistin', and a twistin' ma sheet wearing no bustier, like the other gals. Yes-se, I'm only fifty-se so and spry, and no sez, no how no one is noticed on the roads if they don't wear bustles—ses ma how, the skirt tuse be gone he'll wave one himself or bust.

So he twisted and twisted, for all the world like a chickin' hen, more fuss than result, till I vowed that I'd go to the city and git a bustier it it took every bed of hem on the plans.

Well, behold ye, I made up my mind her, and when he made in that, and I crubbed the hatchet and Hayseed the axe, and he hey! hey! and hem hem sez he, like the shed steddin' the case. I loaded the old mare with 2 bed of pigs, 1 bed of turkey and 20 bed of chickens, for bidin' the Hanguki mare which swallowed Uable Indian'y at Tuesday and twisn ma nek so that his crown was at the other end. I may say sis here that my heart was sad as some of the aforesaid I had nurtured and brooded over for seven years. I tuk my sunbrill that I'm so proud on, for yes-se I came here

When Fredericton was Nowhere,

and wh ther that's long ago or n-t-s ye may hakkatter for yourself. I zapped that sunbrill up to Hayseed's overhalls, for the wide-hoop I wepts spilt when it gits wet, and pulled ma hoss, and washing town pigs, and hens, and turkeys and chickens, and ma fairy in one leg of the hallis, while I put the sunbrill into the other. As I lost it up on end at the back of the pung, it looks like a *Tiffer Sunshin'* on his h-d, but it broke the wind, and as the gals whipped through the town of the aforesaid hallis it sounded like many music, only sometimes the hum would git out of kilter and then it shrieked.

Well, I sustyde, and set still and the old mare scuffed away to town, without let or hindrance, only one chap sez, sez he, "Yer hoss kin git the stick of tim to give the grand finishing touch to the entertainment. During the evening a number of prizes were drawn, the fortunate ones being:—John Patterson, a silver pickle stand; Miss Wood, a silver pickle stand; Wm Kelley, a silver napkin ring. A varied programme was rendered: Singing by the choir; recitation by Eldon Hayward; recitation by Etta Mae; singing by the choir; recitation by Effie May Hayward; recitation by Keith Sewell; reading by Miss Emma Dorsey; song by Miss Kelley; recitation by Chester Hayward; song by Miss Kelley; organ solo by Miss Kelley; recitation by Duff Mitchell; Mr Drummond recited The Scotch Brigade; God Save the Queen.

Change of Time Table.

The winter arrangements of the New Brunswick Railway goes into effect on Monday. The flying Yankee made her last trip for the season this morning. Under the new arrangement trains will leave Fredericton as follows, Eastern Standard Time: Express for St. John at 7 a. m., express for Fredericton Junction and points west at 7.45; for Fredericton Junction and St. John at 12.50 p. m.; for Fredericton Junction and St. John at 5 40 p. m. Trains will arrive at Fredericton as follows: From Fredericton Junction and St. John at 11.30 a. m.; from Fredericton Junction and points west at 3 10 p. m.; from Fredericton Junction and St. Stephen at 6 5 p. m.; express from St. John at 9.30 p. m. On the Gibson Branch a special train will leave Gibson for Woodstock at 9.30 a. m., arriving at 4 40 p. m.

Dropped Dead While Carding.

Mrs. Haney, of Oromocto, died very suddenly at her residence on Thursday morning. Shortly after ten o'clock a neighbor called in Mrs. Haney to assist her for some time. She was engaged carding wool in the kitchen, and seemed in the best of health when the neighbor left. A few minutes afterwards she fell to the floor in a fit, to which she has been subject for some time, and expired in about half an hour. Deceased was about fifty years of age. She was the daughter of the late Wm. Lynch, who for many years jailer of Sunbury County.

Generous.

The Ladies Parlor of the Baptist Church in this city has recently been covered with a very beautiful Brussels carpet. It is understood that the late Mrs. George W. Fenwick, who had some money at interest, requested in her last death bed, that the interest or the money, when it had accumulated sufficiently, should be expended in a carpet for the ladies parlor. The interest being accumulated to something over $80, was applied as requested—a very generous donation from the deceased lady.

At the Point of Death.

Mr. Benjamin Yates, father of Recorder Yeats, of this city, and Henry D. Yeats of the firm of Cable, Sons & Yeats, of Liverpool lying at the point of death at the latter residence, Mr. Yeats is in his eighty-seventh year, and has been in declining health for some time past. He is well and favorably known in all parts of the country, and his many friends in this vicinity will learn of his death which is hourly expected, with sincere regret.

Good Windfall Had Him.

Funeral of the Late Andrew Pinto.

The funeral of the late Andrew Pinto received at two o'clock this afternoon from his mother's residence on King Street, and was one of the largest seen in this city for a long time. All classes of citizens were represented in the procession. Rev. Dr. Roberts, assisted by the Rev. S. Alexander, officiated at the services at the house and at the grave. The remains were interred in the old burial grounds.

Personal.

W. A. Kerr, B. A., left St. John last night for St. Paul, Minn., to take up his future residence.

Prof. O. A. Dowsey, of the Union Baptist Seminary, at St. Martins, is at present at his father's home in Keswick spending his Christmas holidays and will preach in Marysville to-morrow afternoon and Penniac in the evening, as supply for a time.

The Citizens Meeting.

The Short Line railway commit e met Thursday afternoon and arranged a series of meetings for the public meeting which is to be held on Friday evening, January 6th.

Dance Postponed.

The dance which the Star Social Club have held at Springhill last night has been postponed until next Friday evening.

Wife Wanted.

A young gentleman desires acquaintance of accomplished young lady. Hands preferred. Address A. G. "GLEANER" Office.

New Shoes for Walking on the Water.

Boston, Dec. 24.—Prof. Gildersleeve, who walked on the water from Albany to New York, has invented a pair of new shoes for walking on the water, with which he says he can cover five miles an hour. Write with his old shoe he is able to cover only one mile an hour. He will leave for England in May next and will attempt to cross the English Channel in his new shoes. He will walk through the Niagara Rapids when he returns, and will also introduce a new water trip-mill, he says can burn anything of kind in

NEWS OF THE WORLD CONDENSED

From Our Own Telegraphic Reports and Our Exchanges.

Personal, Political and Religious News of the Day.

Cable, American, Canadian and General Topics.

Cable.

Gladstone has decided not to go to Rome.

Several shocks of earthquake were felt Thursday in the eastern and southeastern parts of Spain.

Prince Kropotkin, of Russia is dead. He leaves his fortune to his brother, the pretender to the Russian throne.

A shell burst in a magazine at Monza, Sicily, yesterday morning, killing sixteen soldiers, and injuring many others.

The lord mayor of London will give a farewell banquet in honor of the United States minister and Mrs. Phelps on January 30th.

Sherby and Finocaro, Nationalist members of parliament, have been summoned to answer a charge of inciting tenants to adopt the policy of intimidation.

At a meeting at Paris, Thursday, of the 600 bondholders of the Panama Canal Company, a resolution was unanimously adopted expressing confidence in De Lesseps, volunteering to forego interest on coupons and redemption bonds until the canal is opened for traffic.

A London despatch says: The British ship Sinn, from St. John, N. B., for Fleetwood, which went ashore near Wace-land, has bilged and parted on off side, and her masts have been driven through her bottom. The salvors are placing the cargo on rafts taking it to Duncannon, an agreement having been made by which the salvors are to receive 25 per cent. of the cargo saved.

Americans.

Pietro Dinarro, the Italian brigand, who robbed and murdered Marquis Giulio Bon Dusci at the latter's villa near Tarella, Italy, in 1886, was arrested Thursday by I ispector Byrne's men at Stamford, Conn. He will be taken back to Italy.

Canadian.

C. W. Colter has again been nominated by the liberals of Halifaxand.

The Independent Order of Foresters will apply next session of parliament for incorporation.

The Canadian Pacific estimate that the gross earnings for 1894 will aggregate $14,000,000 and the net earnings $4 000,000.

The village of Dolorane, Manitoba, was almost entirely wiped out by fire Thursday night. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

Col. Sheehy, the new member of the Mercier cabinet, has been elected to the Quebec legislature assembly in Megantic by a large majority.

Rev. Joshua Fraser, a bright and scholarly Presbyterian minister, was burned to death in a fire in the Perry House, Stanbyt Lake, Ont., yesterday morning.

While a young man named W. J. Bury was engaged in his sawmill at Rock Chapel, Ont., his foot slipped and he fell right across a large circular saw and his body was cut in two.

Thomas Scorsor Brown, who took an active part in the rebellion of 1837, died at Montreal Wednesday. He was a native of St. Andrews, New Brunswick, and has been blind for some time.

The Northern Pacific and Manitoba company, notwithstanding the recent decision of the Supreme Court, will press for a Dominion charter at the forthcoming session of the Dominion Parliament.

W. H. Webb, who killed his wife with a shotgun last August, was hanged at Boston, Mass., yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, in the presence of fifty witnesses. He faced death calmly and died instantly.

A case relative is promised at Montreal in the action to prohibit Father Tempe from the Convent of the Good Shepherd, where she was compromitted. It is said, by the conspiracy of her uncle to remove her from her mother, who was a Protestant.

A sensational breach of promise case is on the tapis, which will greatly interest some St. John people. The preliminary step was taken yesterday, when a writ was issued from the supreme court of Nova Scotia at the instance of Miss M. Prince, of St. John, against Rich. H. Tremaine, of Amherst, druggist.

The postmaster general's report for the last fiscal year shows an increase in the postal revenue of $39,000. The amount of postal travel in Canada is estimated at nearly 20,000,000 of mile, an increase of 1,000 during the year. Eighty million letters and 16 000,000 postal cards passed through the Canadian mails during the year.

ITEMS OF ALL SORTS.

The existence of life is sometimes disclosed by the sensation of hunger.

The Duke of Veragua, a lineal descendant of Columbus, makes money as a breeder of bulbs for the Madrid arenas.

During this high water in the Savannah river William Arrow, a negro, fell into the river at Augusta and was trapped in a tree, and he climbed up the tree. The high water had brought down a large number of logs and the current had collected them in a bunch and held them against the tree. The negro was discovered by a party who had gone down the river in a boat.

Sweet Words of Love.

Sweet words of love are music to the ear, and when they are spoken by a young lady to her sweetheart they are music to the heart. Sweet words of love are music to the ear, and when they are spoken by a young man to his sweetheart they are music to the heart. Sweet words of love are music to the ear, and when they are spoken by a young man to his sweetheart they are music to the heart. Sweet words of love are music to the ear, and when they are spoken by a young man to his sweetheart they are music to the heart. Sweet words of love are music to the ear, and when they are spoken by a young man to his sweetheart they are music to the heart. Sweet words of love are music to the ear, and when they are spoken by a young man to his sweetheart they are music to the heart.

Indian Tables.

The Indians of North America had a large stock of stories resembling the fables of Aesop. They are stories of animals, birds and fishes, and they are so far as I can tell, quite free from any malice that of the Georgia negro stories popularized by Uncle Remus. Mr. Gordon reports the following from New Brunswick:

The chief hunt of all the other animals was always Mukwess, the bear, and the cleverest was the mother, Shoks, and the baby martin, Pekquan, but there had not the same rank with the tortoise, who, to my surprise, was considered the great hero and chief among the beasts, although his adventures were not nearly so many as the many unpleasant and ludicrous positions.

There was an occasion when of his going out hunting, drawn on a sled or toboggan by two moose. Of course he met with many misadventures. The boogies swept him off his sled without its being perceived by his friends, who had left behind tears and finally his team became so tired of their load that they gave up hope for him in the sky and left him there.

The moose came home, but the tears of which they were in mourning while his companions returned empty handed. In another occasion he fell asleep on the lands of enemies, and escaped from them only by a series of clever stratagems.—Youth's Companion.

Business is Business.

Railroad President—Did you get the injured passengers that accident satisfied so they won't sue for damages?

Under Secretary—Yes, sir. The worst injured were drunkards, who are used to that sort of thing; and all worth of cigars fixed them all right. The only other one was a man who was deaf and dumb.

Strange Coincidence.

"Do you know what I did with that?"

"As the accident changed his pug nose to a very handsome Roman I charged him $100 for the operation. No, you see, we are $97 ahead."—Philadelphia Record.

Life is Hazardous.

First Dramatic Subject—Is a man not relieved accident insurance if he is killed but not killed?

Second Subject—If we look glad the police will say: "It because the man's favorite dog was killed; if we look sorry they will say it is because it was the dog and not the man that was killed. Either way we are lost. You go!"

Starved Himself to Death in 41 Days.

Nevada, Nov. 29.—Dr. S. Collins, aged 72, one of the pioneers of this (Yuba county, died in his house, three miles west of Walker, a small town nine miles east of this city, Thursday, after one of the longest fasts on record, he having taken neither solids nor liquids, except water, for a period of forty-one days, from Nov. 1 to the time of his death.

The attending physician used every effort to get the patient to partake of food, but all to no avail. The deceased was a sufferer from kidney troubles for many years, and had reduced himself to death as a relief from great suffering.

She Met Him the Second Time.

Dr Wolf Hoppe has the reputation of being the most credulous man that walks the earth. He has not that to be bamboozled by spiritualism or charity, but he has a reputation to be the most credulous man that ever lived. For all this it gives him a strong coloured pain to know absolutely that he has been beaten. During his present engagement here he was taking a stroll one afternoon and a woman met him on the street and asked if he could inform her which depot she should take for Hoboken. Dr. Wolf Hoppe thought it was Jersey City. Hoppe was on the Northwestern road and he knew that the depot was on Kinzie street. All this he told the woman, and while he was about it he got interested in her, and he informed the woman that she was very pretty and very intelligent, and he presented her with a bouquet. The woman thanked him and she was rather comely in looks and not badly dressed. Mr. Hoppe at once concluded that it was a case of deserving charity, and he was not so instant in producing a silver dollar, which he pressed into her hand, saying: "Madam, I am a stranger in this city, but I know Hoppe and don't cheat me." Dr. Hoppe continued his walk. He was trying to count all the bad things in the city that were over eight stories high, and had reached the corner of Dearborn and Madison streets, when he heard a familiar voice say: "Excuse me, I have a stranger here, and I wish you would direct me to the right depot for Hoboken." Dr. Hoppe looked at the lady. "Why! What did you do with that?"

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An Infallible Sign.

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