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LOCAL MATTERS. NOTICE.

The public are hereby cautioned against paying subscriptions or amounts for advertisements to any person on behalf of the STAR, unless said person hold written authority from me to collect and receive the same.

J. E. COLLINGS, Ed. "Star." The ships. The ships are coming slowly in, but so much the better for the mill owners. Those in will not be kept waiting and shippers will escape demurrage.

A New Policeman

The people of Chatham will be glad to learn that policeman Wilcox's resignation has been accepted and Mr. Anthony Forrest was appointed in his stead. Mr. Forrest went on duty to day.

The Excursion

The "Andover" made her first trip down the river to day. A large number of excursionists took passage down on her. The "Andover" is now in excellent condition, and passengers in her have every comfort.

Desecrating the Sabbath.

On Sunday afternoon the steam tug "St. George," owned by Mr. M. P. Goulet, made fast to the bark "Sinker," and proceeded down the river with her to sea. There was no "necessity" about the case.

Sheriff's Jury at Newcastle

Muirhead vs. Snowball. This is a case of replevin, and arises out of logs cut by one Colpeau on Bonous, and seized by Mr. Snowball. The case occupied the jury Monday and Tuesday. Mr. L. J. Tweedie for plaintiff, Mr. Davidson for defendant. Case on also today.

Washing Space.

The News publishes another foolish letter sent to it by a very foolish writer, concerning hemlock bark, and the Surveyor General. If the News really knew how little such letters as these troubled the Surveyor General, or what little attention any person of common sense pays to them, it would most assuredly not waste its space giving them publicity.

First Trout.

As usual the first sea trout of the season were caught and brought to Chatham this spring again by Mr. T. F. Keary, and Mr. J. Ruddock. They left here Saturday morning, went to Bartibogue and in the evening brought in several beautiful fish. Later on they will take their amphibious vehicle, described before in the Star, for a weeks fishing.

Suit for Libel.

It is said that Mr. Colpitts, photographer of Chatham, has entered an action for libel against the editor of a weekly paper at Chatham, for certain disrespectful publications. Libels might be proven against the editor of the sheet referred to, almost every week, but the game is not worth the powder, and this fact has saved him many a time.—St. John News.

LOBSTERS ON P. E. I.

We have been making enquiries of a gentleman interested in the lobster fishery on P. E. I. and learn that there are no less than 200 factories putting up lobsters this summer. There are here spawn lobsters are the greatest prey. Mr. Whiteiter in his august wisdom will no doubt live to see the lobster fishery wiped out in the Maritime Provinces. That will be a relief to him, because he will then not be worried with lobster regulations. Mr. Whiteiter is a great injury to the fisheries of these Provinces.

LABOR TROUBLES IN NEWCASTLE.

A boss discharges a revolver three times among the men.

On Sunday the news reached here that a labor riot had taken place the evening before, on the premises of Messrs Stewart in Newcastle, and that one of the bosses there had fired a revolver among the men. We sent a Star reporter Monday morning to ascertain the facts which are as follows:

On arriving at the Stewart premises, on Monday, our reporter found all the carriers employed by the firm, sitting around the wharf. Two Norwegian barques, the "Allette" and "Cala," lay there, but there was nothing doing about them. He enquired of the men why they sat about the wharf, and they said they had struck. On asking their reason they said they struck because they had not received agreed treatment. One of the men then told the story for the rest to our reporter.

"From the first we expected to have our pay cut down this summer because from the first the manœuvreing going on, it was plain to see that something like it was intended. We talked among each other about it, and concluded that if we were paid anything decent or served like other men, we would not strike. 'You know,' said he to our reporter, 'it does not suit a man with 7 or 8 mouths to feed, to lose two or three days, or one day, by a strike, and it is only when we are regarded as mere slaves who ought to have nothing to say about the wages we should get, that we think of resisting. Depending as we are upon the ship work to support our families, we cannot be too independent; and our employers see this, and take advantage of it. However, we have all strong arms, and though we did lose work for a time, we were determined on standing up for our rights. On Saturday morning, therefore, we went to the office and said we wanted an increase on the dollar and forty cents a day we were getting, and if we did not get more we would stop working. We were told that was our pay and we would get no more.'

Rep.—"Is the \$1.40 below the wages given to ship laborers by other firms?" "Yes, if other firms paid only this, we would not have complained. We demanded the same as they pay at the Ritchie concern, and that is from \$1.60 to \$1.80 a day. Down at Chatham they pay \$1.80 a day. Why should we get less. Are we not as well worth \$1.80 as other men? We again made the demand, it was again refused, and we said then we had struck. This was early on Saturday. Later in the day we had all standing on the deal wharf, and made another demand for a raise. This was done in a quiet but firm manner. There was no disturbance, no noise, and no one made any threats. Fraser then, who is the boss here, came down swinging a revolver in his hand, and swore he would shoot the first man who would go down to the ships. One of the men said he did not care for him or his revolver, whereupon the fellow, Fraser, fired his pistol three times some ten feet among the feet of the men. The men felt some pity, and no little contempt for Fraser, who has only to do as he is told, or they would have pitched himself and his little pistol over the wharf. Such a person is not fit to have charge of a revolver, much less of a lot of men. I suppose he will be arrested in a day or two for the offense which is pretty serious. A spiteful fellow like him is not fit to have a pistol, and he ought to be fined, and his shooting iron impounded; and both will happen, if the authorities only do their duty. I hope policeman Cassidy will not forget this. The shots did not harm anybody."

Rep.—"Why I thought the Stewart firm never had any trouble with their men?" "We have no fault to find with the Stewart firm; and if the Stewarts themselves were here, this kind of thing would not be going on. We always believed and believe yet, the Stewart firm is one of the very best in the Province, but it is the agency of the firm we complain about. Why doesn't the Star show up the management of the firm here, that the Messrs. Stewart's may have their eyes opened?"

Rep.—"The Star will do what is just and right between both sides. I am here now to get a report of what you say and publish it. Speaking for the Star now, I may say to you, that I think the time has come when both sides of the story should be heard, and the rights of the workingman be recognized. Where the workingman is oppressed, believe me the Star will not be silent. We do not counsel strikes, but demands, and firm, lawful and uncompromising resistance to oppression. The scale has too long been uneven,—the workmen accounted as nothing. It is time now it were balanced."

"I know the Star has not hesitated to speak in the interests of the workingmen,—and none of them is ungrateful of it."

Rep.—"Well what do you propose to do now?" "To hold out till our demand is granted. Joyce says he will send men from Nelson and Chatham to oppose the strike. Why did he not send to Chatham or Nelson for men last spring? He advertised for millions all through Prince Edward Island, and if he could get strangers, he would not give a cent to a Miramichi man. He thought when he got the Island men here, they would work for anything he felt inclined to give them. Ought Miramichi be proud of Mr. Joyce, and oughtn't the Island men be thankful to him? I think the Chatham men and

LABOR TROUBLES IN NEWCASTLE.

Nelson men will think better than to come here, as Jacks of the pinak.

Our reporter at this juncture had to respond to the "last whistle," and come away.

It is reported that the ship men of the same firm working at Nelson will also strike. It is a pity at this season of the year, with times good, and men making only what seems reasonable demands, to have strikes occurring. A strike is so much time lost. The strikers suffer by a loss of pay for the time, and the employer likewise suffers. It is to be regretted that a firm so widely respected as Messrs Stewart's should through the mismanagement of subordinates, fall into evil repute.

More "Exodus."

Mr. Chas. Smith, a large lumber operator for Guy, Bevan & Co., has also left this country, on account of the "terrel N. P." Mr. Smith left suddenly, taking with him \$5,000 and leaving all his men's wages unpaid. Smith had a contract with Guy, Bevan & Co. to get out logs by the thousand, and he drew upwards of \$5,000 to pay driving wages. On Sunday last he left Fredericton, his wife being very ill at the time, and drove to Woodstock, where he, it is said, sold his horse and wagon to Mr. Glidden, and took the train for the West. Mrs. Smith died on Tuesday. Their son was at work on the drive, and on hearing of his mother's death, he went to Newcastle to get money to come home, but on finding his father had drawn it all, he was obliged to borrow enough from his fellow workmen to come home with. Mrs. Smith was buried yesterday. Nobody suspected anything was wrong until after Mrs. Smith's death, when enquiries were made as to her husband's whereabouts, and the foregoing facts came to light. Mr. Smith is probably now in Leadville, and the grim chronicle of Exodus once more sharpens his pencil and tallies one against the N. P.

STAR BRIEFS

The army worm is moving towards our provinces. Several salmon have been already caught up river.

It is said Mr. Doucet, the new Sheriff of Gloucester, can get no "securities." A large number of hands are at work on the Barlustr Church, which is progressing nicely.

Capt. Thomas Quigley left for St. John Monday night, to take charge of the bark "Annie Troop."

Mr. John Menzies of the North West has been awarded the contract for rebuilding the Bay du Vin bridge.

Mr. John Davidson of Newcastle, took the first prize for throwing the ball at the Fredericton University sports—says the Advocate.

Mr. Chas. Smith, referred to elsewhere, in absconding, forgot to square some accounts he owed some of our Miramichi people.

Pilot George Sutton of the pilot boat "Spy," spoke on Tuesday at St. Paul the British Bark "Adept," Capt. Morrison, bound for Quebec which wished to be reported.

W. S. Loggie & Co., have sold all their preserved lobsters, on the way to English markets, for £1 currency per case. The usual sales are from 18s to 19s cy. Messrs Loggie made a lucky stroke.

Mr. Robert Murdoch, late clerk in the employ of Mr. Wm. Murray, leaves here on Thursday for Hamilton, Ont., where he intends going through a course of commercial studies. Mr. Murdoch is one of our first class young men and we wish him every success.

Advices received from Gaspé state that salmon nets were set on the 16th instant, a few fish only being caught since. The fish are very large, averaging from 22 to 30 lb. Codfishing has just commenced. Herrings are plentiful, and large quantities are being taken. Lobster fishing is very good on the coast of Baie des Chaleurs, but the lobsters are of small size compared to last year.

An I.C.R. brakeman Dickie was seriously assaulted at Coal Branch one day last week. Dickie runs on Con. Locky's train between Moncton and Coal Branch. At Newcastle, coming down on the day in question a dozen or more young men got aboard for Coal Branch. On the way, one of them commenced to insult a couple of ladies, passengers on board, when Mr. Dickie, as an officer on the train, interferred and compelled the party to desist. At Coal Branch the ruffians approached Dickie, who was standing freight, and after a word or two commenced a violent assault, biting one of his fingers nearly off, and also biting himself to good advantage, however, barring the combative propensities of his assailant. He is now off duty on account of his injuries: so says the Times.

A vessel bound to Miramichi abandoned at sea. Captain Logan of the bark "Moris" arrived at Quebec on Sunday, reports May 10th, 6 p. m., in longitude 38-20, latitude 49. 15, during a gale took off the crew of the barque "Marathon" of Belstar, Ireland, bound to Miramichi and put them six days afterwards on board the "S. S. Tunstall," bound to Sydney, C. B. and Montreal. The "Marathon" when abandoned was water-lagged, the mud ballast having choked the pumps. The sea was making a clean breach over her and Captain and crew were in an exhausted condition when rescued.

A TOUR THROUGH IRELAND.

THE EARL OF ENNISKILLEN AND HIS TENANTS.

A WICKED AGENT—ONE SMITH.

SPREAD OF THE LAND LEAGUE—AND SAMPLE GRIEVANCES.

Honor to whom Honor is Due.

(From Cor. Montreal "Witness.")

It seems a great pity that the attachment between the Earl of Enniskillen and his tenants should suffer interruption or be in danger of passing away. The Earl, now an old man, was much beloved by his people, until, in a day evil like for him and his tenants, he got a new agent from the County Mayo. Since this agent came on the property, re-valuation, rent raising, vexatious office rules have been the order of things on the estate. The result of this new state of things has been the Land League has spread among the tenants like wildfire. To hear of the Land League spreading among the Enniskillen Orangemen, among the Earl's tenants, of dissatisfaction creeping in between these tenants historically loyal and attached to a family who had been their chiefs and landlords for centuries was surprising to me. To convince me that such was the case I was requested to listen to one of the Earl's tenants reciting the story of his grievances at the hands of the Earl's agent. It was a sample case, I was told, and would explain WHY THE PEOPLE JOINED THE LAND LEAGUE.

It was pleasant enough to have an opportunity of going into the country and to have an opportunity of seeing the farms and the style of living of the Donegal farmers, as compared with the Donegal highlands. The Salvation Army has occupied Enniskillen for a time. It is said they have done some good among the lower classes. What with the Land League and religious agitation, I should say that Enniskillen is as much excited as is good for it. Crossing the market place I heard one of the lady officers of the Salvation Army address a crowd who listened very attentively and seemed much impressed. Her address was a passionate appeal to the fears of her audience. The country out of Enniskillen is very pretty, the hedges here leaved out and the trees are beginning lazily to unfold their leaves. The roads are not near so good as the roads in Donegal, which are a legacy from the dreary famine time, being made then. The hedges are not by any means so trim and well kept as the hedges by the wayside in Down or Antrim. The roads up to the farm houses are lanes, such as I remember when I was a child. The nuisances of dunghills near the doors of the farmhouses are utterly abolished for sanitary reasons, also whitewashing is an obligation imposed by the Government. For these improvements I have heard the authorities both praised and thanked.

In these times of discontent it is well to see the Government thanked for anything. The country is hilly and the hills have a uniform round topped appearance, marked off into fields that run up to the hill tops and over them down the other side. There are of course mountains in the distance, wrapped in a thick veil of blue haze. The house to which I was bound was, like most of the farm houses, long, narrow, whitewashed, a room at each end and the kitchen in the middle. I will now let the farmer tell his grievance in HIS OWN WORDS.

He is about sixty years of age, a professor of religion of the Methodist persuasion, an Orangeman, and a hereditary tenant of Lord Enniskillen, and now an enthusiastic adherent of the Land League.

"In 1844 I bought this farm—two years before I was married. There is 17 acres. I paid £184 as tenant right—that is, for the good will of it. The rent was £19 7s 4d. I should have gone to America then; it would have been better for me. I have often rued that I did not go, but, you see, I was attached to the place. My forebears kindled the first fire that ever was kindled on the land I live on. I held my farm on a lease for three lives; two were gone when I bought it. I have been a hard-working man, and a sober man. There is not a man in the country has been a greater slave to work than I have been. I drained this place (etches down a map of the little holding to show the drains). I sowed with drains; 11 acres out of 17 acres are drained, the drains twenty one feet apart and three feet deep. Drove stumps for the drains two miles. £100 would not at all pay me for the draining I have done. I built a parlor end to my house, and a kitchen; also, a dairy, barn, byre, stable and pig house. Every year I have bought and drawn in from Enniskillen from sixty to one hundred loads of manure for my farm; this calculation is inside of the amount; I have told here year after year, and raised a family in credit and decency. When the last life in my lease died, my rent was immediately raised to £27 10s. I paid this for a few years, and then the seasons were bad and I fell behind. It was not a fair rent and was the reason I was unable to pay it. I complained of the rent. I wanted it fixed by arbitration; that was refused. I asked for arbitration to decide what compensation I had a right to, and I would leave; that was refused too. I was served with a writ of ejection. The rent was lowered a pound at two different times, but the law expresses connected with the writ came to more than the reduction given. I had the privilege, along with others, of cutting turf on a bog attached to the place at the time I held

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