

### The Enquiry Conducted By T. Hollis Walker, K.C.

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Wabana did you keep a payroll or wages account?

A.—The way the payroll account was handled was at the Bank of Montreal, St. John's. We had nothing to do with that account. We would make out the vouchers and have the cash transferred through the Bank of Montreal to the Bank of Nova Scotia, Bell Island, and the statement would go direct to Head Office at Sydney, and our payroll vouchers would cover the balance; and when all the cheques were in the account would be square.

MR. WINTER—How would "John Jones" for wages, be paid?

A.—By cheque.

Q.—Not in cash.

A.—No.

Q.—Where would that cheque be drawn on?

A.—The Bank of Nova Scotia, Bell Island.

Q.—A cheque for \$100.00 is drawn in favour of "Jones" that is, on the Bank in Bell Island? That would be the payroll account and be charged up against that account in your books that \$100.00?

A.—No, only on our payroll.

Q.—Was that in your ledger?

A.—No, in the payroll.

Q.—Was that a payroll book?

A.—Yes, kept by the timekeepers or paymaster.

Q.—There would be an entry for \$100.00 in that; but no other entry in your books?

A.—Only the balance due at the end of the month.

(To be continued.)

### In the Realms of Sport

**TO-NIGHT'S GAME.**  
The Guards and St. Bon's will try conclusions to-night and fans are expected that the game will start at 7.30 instead of 7.30. Mr. J. M. Tobin will referee. The line-ups will likely be:

GUARDS		ST. BON'S	
GOAL	R. Voisey	GOAL	R. Voisey
DEFENCE	J. Paterson	DEFENCE	J. Paterson
FORWARDS	H. Coultas	FORWARDS	H. Coultas
	W. Clouston		W. Clouston
	E. Mann		E. Mann
	H. Mann		H. Mann
	J. Herder		J. Herder
	R. Herder		R. Herder

**INTER CLUB BILLIARDS.**  
C.E.L. leading by 187 points. Saturday night's games in the inter club billiard tournament resulted in the M.G.A. team gaining 74 points over their opponents, thus reducing the C. E. L. lead to 187 points. The games were evenly divided, but in the case of the C. E. L. victory the margin was small, whilst Maddock for the Guards defeated his opponent by 103 points. The games are being largely decided, and great interest is being manifested over the final outcome. The results are as follows:—

**1st Game**  
M. Maddock (M. G. C. A.)—300  
R. L. LeMessurier (C. E. L.)—197—14, 13—46.

**2nd Game**  
M. Maddock (M. G. C. A.)—300—10, 13, 11, 16, 11, 11—97.  
W. Thibode (M. G. C. A.)—271—13, 13—38.

**Guard's vs. St. Bon's, Prince of Wales' Rink, to-night at 8.30. Doors open at 7 o'clock.**

**From Cape Race**  
Special to Evening Telegram.  
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Wind North, blowing strong; heavy snow storm preceded by fog and rain; nothing sighted. Bar. 28.30 Ther. 28.



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### SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

#### MEN, WOMEN AND TEARS.

One of the hardest things for a man to understand about the other sex is the psychology of a woman's tears. And one of the hardest things for a woman to understand is a man's masculine reaction to tears.

All men hate to see a woman cry. Their hate affects them in different ways. Sometimes it comes out as fear. Such a man will do anything to avoid a scene, especially if he is tired. But the woman who trades on that fear will get her comeuppance. Love and fear do not go together. When you invite fear in at the door you drive love out at the window. And if you keep on doing that, some day love will go away and stay away.

**But Not One Cent For Tribute.**  
Other men are filled with a sense of resentment at a woman's tears, a feeling that they are being treated unfairly, that a coward's weapon is being used against them. They will not do half so much for the woman who weeps as they would if she managed to control her weeping. "A million for defense but not one cent for tribute," is their subconscious attitude.

Still other men, who are simply baffled by tears, and this bafflement makes them feel resentful and unnatural. They want to do something but they don't know what to do or how to go about doing it. The tenderness that would naturally well up within them comes bang up against their feeling of constraint and can't break through that barrier and find expression.

Many women, especially those whose man lures is of new vintage, do not at all understand these states of mind. They simply realize that the man seems hard and unympathetic and they argue: "He has made me cry and he doesn't care. He can't love me any more."

Which naturally makes the situation even more complicated.

**If The Both Could Realize.**  
If men could only realize that crying with women is only an expression of a nervous complex, just like raging around and swearing and blaming someone for something in with them; if they could only understand that it is an emotional outlet, that it is something that is as hard for the woman to control as it is for them to control their desire to say: "What that damn thing doing there?" when they stumble over a footstool; perhaps they would be more tolerant and more able to supply the tenderness that will heal and soothe.

If a woman could only understand that state of fear and resentment and bafflement, could only realize that behind the strained and unnatural, or even exasperated and resentful frost which their tears produce, is as much love as ever, they might make more effort to control their tears and be less heart-broken over the man's reaction when they fall.

**A Good Cry.**  
I had an interesting little example of the different way men and women feel about tears the other day. I received a letter from a dear friend with whom I had had a wonderful visit. She said "I felt so badly after you had gone that I sat down and had a good cry and that I felt better."

The author read the letter, "A good cry," said he, "and then she felt better! Can you beat it!"

But it didn't seem a bit queer to me. And there you are!

**Stock Market News**

**TO-DAY'S OPENING**

Am. Smelters	60
Am. Can.	121 1/2
Anasconda	38 1/2
Airbrake	42
Bethlehem	61 1/2
Butte	19 1/2
Cosden	37 1/2
Crucible	69 1/2
Cluett	74 1/2
Gen. Motors	16
Pacific Oil	46 1/2
Pan-Am. Ry.	23 1/2
Standard	85 1/2
Son. Pacific	85 1/2
Studebaker	104
U. S. Steel	107
Union Pacific	130 1/2

**MONTREAL**

Asbestos	28
Abitibi	87 1/2
Brampton	47 1/2
Brashear	41 1/2
Cuban-Can.	47
Cement	87
Howard-Smith	71 1/2
Mon. Power	158 1/2
Shawingan	134 1/2
S. R. Com.	110 1/2
S. R. Ry.	115 1/2

**COTTON**

May	34.55
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**AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE.**  
Prospects Are That Average Operations The First-Half Year Will Not Be High.  
(Boston News Bureau, Jan. 24th).  
N.Y.—American Locomotive went into 1924 with between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000 business on its books, or close to three months' normal capacity business.  
Deliveries have been continually exceeding new business each month since the summer of 1923. On June 30 last orders totaled \$54,888,031. While there is some business in the market and a few orders have been closed since Jan. 1st, prospects are average operations over the first half will not be high.  
Operations are being concentrated in the larger plants. Schenectady's works, America's largest plant, has orders assuring fair production until well into April. Dunkirk plant is booked into March. On the other hand, Cooke works at Paterson, N.J., a smaller plant, is practically closed down, while operations at Montreal Locomotive Works are low.  
As America's earnings in 1923 were around \$21 a share on common and working capital Jan. 1st was about \$40,000,000 with nearly half that sum in cash or securities, even a fairly prolonged period of slack business should not imperil dividend.

**MARKET GOSSIP.**  
Great Northern 1923 estimated net after charges and taxes \$13,900,000 or \$7.21; against \$10,845,872, or \$4.35, in 1922.  
Bethlehem Steel preliminary 1923 net for stock \$14,374,153, or \$6.75 a share on the common now outstanding; against \$4,905,730, or \$1.24, in 1922. Declared regular quarterly dividends of 1-1-4 per cent on the

### Stock Market News

common and 1-3-4 per cent and 2 per cent on 7 per cent and 8 per cent preferred.

Pennsylvania Railroad loadings for the week to January 19 were 149,210 against 140,566 the preceding week and 143,130 a year ago.

Special meeting Brooklyn City Railroad February 6 to vote on proposed increase in capital stock to 1,600,000 from 1,200,000 shares \$10 par.

Far East Steamship Lines to advance rates 10 to 25 per cent for second half of 1924.

Net debt of Canada increased \$31,614,067 in the past fiscal year to \$3,453,776,688.—Halifax Chronicle Jan. 24th.

**PAN-AMERICAN PETROLEUM.**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Fight in Congress to cancel lease of Naval Reserve No. 1 in California to Pan-American Petroleum Company as well as the Sinclair lease of Tuzigoot Dome in Wyoming is of great importance. If the leases are cancelled it will be more serious to Pan-American Company than to Sinclair because of the greater extent of California naval reserve. Furthermore, Pan-American Petroleum is basing its future extensively on its naval reserve.  
Reserve No. 1 in California, leased to Pan-American Petroleum Company December 11, 1922, covers 30,640 acres.  
Since the decline in production of light oil in its Mexican fields it has been the policy of the Pan-American Company to acquire properties in United States, most important step being leasing of naval reserve. Loss of lease obviously would be serious. Operations of the company in Mexico continue practically at a standstill. Rebels are in control of all their producing properties and no oil is going into terminal at Tampico.—Ex. Chronicle, Jan. 24th.

**McMurdo's Store News.**  
**WARD OFF THE COUGH.**  
Early Winter Coughs must have prompt and right attention or they pave the way to more serious trouble. Don't let any lung or bronchial trouble get a grip on you with several cold months ahead to aggravate these afflictions. It is safer to get a bottle of GAULT'S SYRUP OF TAR & COD LIVER OIL and have it at hand for instant use. It soothes the inflamed lungs and bronchial tubes cures the cough and gives strength against future attacks. Price, 50c.  
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| <b>No. 2. Just a Girl That Men Forget.</b><br>Mr. J. Pete. Zabriskie.  | <b>No. 6. Don't Cry Swanee.</b><br>Mr. Zabriskie.  |
| <b>No. 3. Song Monologue Murder in the First Degree.</b><br>Mr. C. B. Foster.  | <b>No. 7. Grand Finale.</b><br>Bandanna Days.<br>Messrs. Foster, Hawkes and Zabriskie.   |
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### Presentation to Mr. Joseph M. Greene

BELL ISLAND STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION HONORS HON. PRESIDENT.

At a farewell reunion and smoker at Bell Island last week, Mr. Joseph M. Greene was the guest of honour of the Star of the Sea Association of which organization he holds the rank of Honorary President. Mr. Andrew J. Murphy, Vice-President occupied the chair and proved himself a veritable host and was responsible for one of the greatest social gatherings ever held on the Iron Isle. The attendance was both large and representative and the various speakers paid well merited tribute to Mr. Greene both as a member of their organization and as a citizen of Bell Island to the past fifteen years. Particular stress was laid on the work done for the youth of the Island by Mr. Greene during his ten years association with brigade life, and the active interest he took in the C.C.C. of which Brigade he held the rank of Major Commanding the Bell Island Company. Mr. J. A. Hughes, President of the Bell Island Dominion Fire Brigade in speaking to the toast of Sister Societies paid special tribute to the citizenship of Mr. Greene who was leaving Bell Island for the present time, and expressed the hope that many months would not elapse before he would be back to take the same active interest in the life of Bell Island. Following the appended toast was a valuable gold watch suitable engraved and illuminated address was presented Mr. Greene as a token of appreciation of his services on Bell Island. In reply, Mr. Greene made a fluent address thanking the members for their magnificent farewell, generous gift and address and assured them that it was always his pleasure to work for the Star of the Sea or for anything connected with the progress or development of Bell Island. The following Toast List was gone through:—

**The King.**  
Prop. Chairman, Mr. A. J. Murphy; God Save the King.

**Our Island Home.**  
Prop. Daniel Steele; Resp. Mr. Wm. J. Power.

**Our Island Sports.**  
Prop. John Connors; Resp. Jas. L. Connors.

**Our Sister Societies.**  
Prop. A. J. Murphy; Resp. Mr. J. A. Hughes, Fire Brigade; Capt. John Murphy, C.C.C.; Mr. J. M. Greene, K. of C.

**Horse Backs on Bell Island.**  
Prop. James Flynn; Resp. Mr. John Connors.

**This Evening's Guest—Our Hon. President Bro. Greene.**  
Prop. Mr. D. J. Jackson, support-

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