

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1907.

OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY

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As Doctor Blyth stood in the hall, a young girl stepped from an adjoining room inquiring anxiously: "How do you find my father, Doctor Blyth?"

"His condition is serious," he admitted, "but with good care."

"When will he be able to go out again?"

"Not for weeks," emphatically. Her look of anxiety deepened.

"What is your father's business, Miss Hall?"

"He is manager of the local telephone system, and attends personally to repairing and keeping up the line."

"That means a great deal of hard work," sympathetically.

He fancied there was malignant satisfaction in Edith's brief answer, "Out with the linenman."

"The linenman—or had she meant to say that man three blocks to give him this package, which he dropped."

"MR. E. Z.—Here, hold my bag, umbrella and coat; give me the package and I'll catch him."

"He's a little chap," thought the doctor, "perhaps that's why Fidella watches him so closely."

"You are a brave girl," enthusiastically. "You have someone for the outside work?"

"The brave little girl," he murmured, with a tenderness wholly unaccountable.

"You would not approve of my being a doctor, not to say antiquated, in your ideas?"

MR. E. Z. MARK AGAIN ASSISTS.

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1. STRANGER (panting)—Oh, oh! I—oh—I can't go a step farther, I'm ready to drop. I've chased that man three blocks to give him this package, which he dropped.

2. MR. E. Z.—Hi, there, hi! You've dropped a package, sir. PEDESTRIAN—I dropped no package, my dear sir. That doesn't belong to ME. Mr. Mark, I believe? Ha-ha, some one has been playing a joke on you, sir.

3. MR. E. Z.—Confound that fellow! I'll make him sweat for this. I'm just going to see what is in this package. By Jove! A common brick. By ginger! I'll teach that fellow to play tricks on ME.

4. MR. E. Z.—Why, where has that reggie gone? Where is my bag, my coat, my umbrella? Ye gods! I see it all. PINCHED by a scurvy trick, and there were seven hundred dollars' worth of gold bonds in that bag, too. Oh, ye generation of vipers! Done again!

EVERYDAY CLUB HEARS MR. MCCARTHY

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The general programme last evening was exceptionally good. Messrs. McClusky and Lynch gave a very funny sketch; Mr. McGorman, mandolin solo; Messrs. Seges, McNeill and Wettrah, vocal solo; William McCavour, a string of funny stories; Master Leonard Callahan, a song; C. W. Cunningham, piano; Joseph Mulhally played the piano, and there were some other numbers. More than thirty new members signed the roll, which is now a long one.

Dear sir—I have been deeply interested in the Everyday Club, and feel that the work is endeavoring to do to help men—and to help boys—and to be of service to the community, deserving general support. I enclose my check for \$25.

GLEVER SCHEME OF RAILWAY COMPANIES

Agreed Not to Have Any Competition re Purchase of Lands—True Bills Against McGill

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—In the Supreme Court today in the Canadian Pacific v. the G. T. R. appeal allowed with the reference to the master in ordinary. This suit arose from an agreement between the C. P. R. and the G. T. R. in 1892 whereby the former undertook not to bid for nineteen acres of land on the east side of Pacific Avenue for sale by the Ontario Government.

The speaker in a very pleasing manner made his hearers acquainted with many of the curious and wonderful forms which are found in nature. Attention was drawn to the perfect manner in which animals of all kinds are adapted and specialized for their mode of life and the almost human intelligence of some species.

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Foreign Ports. SALEM, Mass. Jan. 22—Ard, schrs Wm Duren, from Portland for New York; Charlie A Sproul, from do for do.

RAILR. CANADIAN PACIFIC

The Western Express Leaves Montreal daily 9.40 a. m. First and second class Coaches and Palace Sleepers through to Vancouver.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY, JAN. 15th, 1907, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows: TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP COMPANY INTERNATIONAL DIVISION

WINTER REDUCED RATES Effective to May 1, 1907. St. John to Port land \$3.00. St. John to Boston \$2.50.

HORSE RAN AWAY AND LEFT HIM

Samuel Tobin, the engineer of the steamer Magpie Miller, was quite badly injured yesterday afternoon in a runaway on the Kennebecasis river.

W. C. Godsoe Dead

William C. Godsoe, Jr., son of William C. Godsoe of 239 Princess street, died last night shortly before midnight at the residence of his father after a protracted illness.

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TOWN DAMAGED BY FIRE. CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 22.—Fire, which had its origin in nearby woods, fanned by a high wind, swept into the town of Hamlet tonight, burning over a large portion of it. The big plant of the Carolina Distilleries Co. is located on the town site and the Sea-board freight depot were destroyed. The loss is \$75,000, only partially covered by insurance.

Mr. Leavitt's Lecture. The first lecture in the Natural History Society's popular lecture course was delivered last evening by A. Gordon Leavitt, the subject being, "Some things I have noticed."

Stockton Building on Fire Last Night. Fire broke out last evening in the law offices of Stockton & Price, about half-past eight o'clock. The fire started somewhere in the partition between the two offices. It worked its way through the floor and extended along between the floors of the inner and outer banks and the ceilings of D. C. Clinch and R. W. W. Frink's insurance offices.

Shipping Notes. A cable from Axim states the bark Star of the East, Capt. LeBlanc, New York for Axim, has been totally wrecked, and that the cargo is replacing ashore. The crew were saved.