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DOVER, N. H., November 12.—Joseph E. Kelley broke down and wept last night for the first time since his trial began. This was at the close of the day's session, which had been taken up by the court in hearing Kelley's family and acquaintances, and the three insanity experts, employed by the defence to testify in his behalf to establish proof of his insanity.

Michael Kelley, Joe's father, told of his son's uncomprehending passion to stand and of his exceedingly strange doings when a boy at home. Edward E. Lund stated that Kelley told him a year ago that he began running a hotel at Harpswell, Me., but found that the devil was against him and so gave it up.

At ten o'clock this morning Joseph E. Kelley was found guilty of murder in the second degree, and was sentenced by Chief Justice Carpenter to thirty years at hard labor in the State prison at Concord.

When the Court came in at 9 o'clock this morning, the State introduced further expert testimony in rebuttal put in by the defence as to the insanity of the prisoner, but without exception the witnesses expressed the opinion that Kelley was a person of limited responsibility. Some went further than that and considered him to be insane to the extent of being unable to resist impulses.

London, Nov. 12.—It is expected that when the conference is held between the Employers' Federation and Amalgamated

Society of Engineers, it will be found that the combatants are disposed to end the dispute. The terms under which the conference will be held will amount to the defeat of the engineers. They are to withdraw the strike notices prior to the discussion, while the lookout notices given by the employers will not be withdrawn. It is probable that work will be resumed on November 22.

Against Bolivia. VALPARAISO, Chili, Nov. 12.—Information from official sources is to the effect that the plan for a Dreibund, of Chili, Peru, Argentina, is in existence, which, if adopted by the three governments, will wipe Bolivia off the South American map.

Nov. 11th.—A very successful basket social and concert was held in the hall at Cady's, on the 10th inst. The sum of \$45 was realized which goes towards buying a Sunday School Library for the C. of E. Sunday School in the Hall. The concert after the social was the best ever given in this vicinity. The following was the programme: Instrumental Music. Dialogue, "A Happy New Year." Music, "The Old Home Ain't What It Used To Be."

Dialogue, "Playing Grown Up People." Song, "Never Take the Horseshoe from the Horse." Dialogue, "A Much Abused Young Man." Song, "Lost on the Lady Elgin." Dialogue, "The Value of Principle." Violin and Organ Waltz, "Darkies' Dream." Recitations, by a number of small boys.

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Smith's Falls, Sept. 11th, 1897. I hereby make declaration that the statements in above as to the condition of my sister, and the benefit she received from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are absolutely correct.

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Literature.

A MAN AT HIS WORK.

It was long after sundown when I camped on the roadside in the Rogue river valley, and the sky was full of the afterglow, and the Siakyou range was gleaming. Other tramps had used the nearer wood, but I scraped up enough to light a fire and boil some water for tea. I had a little mutton and some bread to eat, and I gulped it down miserably. What was I doing in such a place? And what was my place in the universe? I yearned terribly for some one to speak to. Even a common tramp of the usual order would have helped me in my mood that night.

But as the afterglow faded and the stars arose from the east and the crests of the Siakyou became mere sharp mountain forms against the sky the silence was oppressive. It was warm and very still, and the subdued hum of the unseen insect world accentuated the depth of silence on the human earth. My nerves were on edge. The howl of a chained dog on a distant farm made me start from a waking dream. I threw more wood on my fire, and unrolling my blankets, I lay down.

Perhaps I had been asleep no more than a few minutes when I awoke suddenly, finding that I had rolled over with my back to the blazing logs. But I was conscious even then that I was not alone, and with the instinct of suspicion a light in me, I slid my hand to the butt of my pistol and rolled over so though still asleep. I saw a man sitting on the opposite side of my fire with his hands locked round his knees. He was staring into the embers with a far off look in his gleaming eyes. No more utterly melancholy face has ever fronted mine. I watched for more than a minute before he became conscious that I was awake.

"I hope I haven't disturbed you, partner," he said apologetically, "but it was chilly, and I hadn't any matches, and I'm getting old, getting old."

He murmured the last words to himself. "That's all right, sonny," I answered. "You're welcome to so much."

"I was going to borrow a lighted stick and make a fire for myself. I've scraped up some wood just yonder."

"Bring it here, then," said I. "One big fire is better than two small ones."

And the old chap rose. He was long and haggard, with the bowed shoulders of ancient and continued toil. He walked as though greatly fatigued. He came back in a minute with his arms full of sticks, and putting some of them on the embers, he sat down again. I was wide awake now and got up.

"Don't," he began, "but I stopped him."

"My tongue's rusty. I want to talk. You struck a bad streak of luck some time ago, old man, eh?"

"I did, partner. I'm an accused man."

Ah, then, he was man. But that's not an odd thing in the United States' standing army of tramps—not odd at all. Is it strange that toil and want and misery should drive some of those crazy who have not the strength to meet the bitter, newer order of civilization, who are crushed by competition and the good law that yields Beethoven his tribute of legards and weaklings.

I heated up the tea again. He drank the warm infusion of this commercial herb, which knew not China or Ceylon, with great eagerness, and thanked me most humbly. I felt encouraged, for I was not so low down, and, suppressing my anxiety as to the morrow, I kindly bestowed upon him the remains of a sheep bone and a crust. There are many orders among outcasts.

"You are a good sort," he told me. I denied it savagely.

"I'm nothing of the kind, old man. Don't give me any such slurs or you can shift your camp. Good! Why, I'd like to cut the throats of some men."

He shrank down as though I had struck him.

"Don't," he said. "I felt that way myself once, but I repent."

"Did you do it?"

"Do what, partner?"

"Cut any man's throat?"

He shook his head and smiled wanly. "I think I did worse, partner. May I tell you? I like to tell it sometimes."

fore I went down south to San Diego and put my money into this fruit ranch! Of course I had. Oh, but not so hard as I worked there when I worked for a place to bring my wife and child to front the east because I wanted them bad, and she hadn't been used to rough it, for she hadn't been used to rough it, for she was daughter to a locomotive engineer in Minnesota, and her mother had a farm, the only one for miles without a mortgage on it. I've read of folks saying how lucky farmers were in the United States because they mostly don't pay rent. No but they pay interest, as I know.

"But, as I was telling, I worked for five years on my ranch, and then things was in shape. I seed the trees grow that I'd planted and my heart was in it all, and every orange and every pear or grape was part of it. They was all my children. And perhaps, partner you never owned no land. But even so you've travelled and the big desire has come over you to settle down and put you're feet deep in a bit of God's broad, good earth, saying, 'This is my little share, given me to make it fruitful' for a man has, so to speak—and I've thought it out often—two wives, a woman and a bit of earth. But when a man takes a whole country or half a state it ain't according to my morality. It seems sicked, for there's fine men with none, and their strength is naught. They have no children out of the earth."

He dropped his pipe and stood up, and now he seemed to forget me, speaking to the air and the broad lands of that beautiful valley and the everlasting hills.

"But when five years was past and done I had the house in shape and the trees were full of fruit and the young orchard promising, and then I sent for Carrie and the child. So I had my good wife and the baby as no baby now, but a growing girl as a fine young tree. For them I worked harder, and I was always level, if not more. Sometimes it was a real bit more, but of course the interest of the mortgage was heavy. And may the inventors of such be accursed, even as I am!

"For, though a man without leeches sucking his blood may abide a bad season according to his strength and wait for the good return, which is God's gift to them, as an endure his chastisement, it is not so when he works one hour for himself and ten for a sucking spider in a web of law in a city office. And a bad season came and I was behind my bond with the spider and on the added interest he took ten more per cent. To each dollar added to his account he added more till no good season could straighten me out again, and every bright day was heavy with clouds for me, and my best hope was dried up, like a tree dying with the scale.

"And now after five mere years the time came when my wife's very hope, for she wasn't so strong as some, and the two girls, for there was another, seemed too much. I thought perhaps if she went back east again I could hire a man or a boy and get straight again, and I sent her back with money as I borrowed \$100 only, but they cost me \$10 a each year.

"And I lived God knows how, for I don't, because the long days was a bad dream, I felt that lonely. I was sorry at times that I'd ever come on land that the law called my own. But I hankered after it and the smell of it. And time and time again I dreamed it was all my own and free of interest, and I woke up crying tears of joy in a joyless house that wasn't mine. And the trees that seemed to know me were my children, and now when I walk I see the sun in the orange grove and smell the smell of the white blossoms, and my heart is sick with desire. But there aren't many trees there now.

"Perhaps there might have been if it hadn't been that the old lawyer as lent the young lawyer money to lend to me on the land I'd made come up to take a look at the land as was mostly his. And that is why I say I wanted once to cut a man's throat, for when I showed him my fair I could have caught him by his fat throat and got him down and choked him, for he'd never really worked and he was fat and soft, with a heavy jowl, and his father had been a railroad man with lots of money. And this man, he says to me, but yet more to himself, 'if so there was a good house built, it would be a lovely place.' And then he took a drink of wine and rode away in his buggy going soft and comfortable.

I went back mad to prune vines and scrape off scale and see to things just as if I was a hired man, with all the little profits looking out and coming up in a spring in a town office with a gang of unevill boys in it, learning the devil's work.

"That night as I laid in bed I knowed as well as if I heard him say it that if I was a dollar behind I'd be squeezed out even before the clause that gave 'em power to foreclose unless the hull principle came in force, for they that drew the mortgage knew how to draw it, and I signed it like an innocent, for the money I wanted was honey on a bear trap, and they had me tight.

"And of course, as is the nature of things, once in so many years there came a bad season, frost and a big wind that nipped me and drove me out like chaff. And I walked among my planted trees, and on the earth I turned over for years to give it the sun and air, and I was mad, for I heard the trees speak and the wind in the orange grove was like a voice. And I went in and gave the hired man his

money and told him to go quick. And he ran, for he was afraid and said things of me in town. But I was glad the wife and the children were away, because just then I read in a eastern paper how a ruined man had killed his own wife and children, and I knew well how it happened.

"I feared to go for my letter because I was behind and couldn't get up with these spiders. And so the notice of foreclosure came. And that day I neither worked nor ate, but I sat in the house thinking of the dead man in New York that had killed his own. I wondered how it was in the dark working of things that such was allowed, and here was all my years of sober, heavy work going over to a man who sat and cried out kindly that he would help them that wanted it, and not be hard. And he gave money to churches and was praised in the San Diego paper that he owned shares in till his name was spoken of in San Francisco, and some said he should be a senator.

"And the day passed, and it was noon, and then I went out and saw the sun get behind the orange trees that I had seen grow, and it was very beautiful. But my heart was dried up. I only felt like a man accursed, and a devil and a sinner not to be forgiven. And I took my axe and sharpened it till I could shave a big slice of horn off the palm of my hand, just as a sun was like blood on the foothills west of me. And God's light went wholly out of me. I took the axe into my orange grove, and I destroyed all the trees. Some I cut down and some I barked, and the young olives I destroyed and what I could of the vineyard. For I worked all night by the light of the moon till the dawn came, but even then I was not tired—no, nor did I feel as if I had done sought to tire me. And when the dawn came I fired my house and the stable I had built, and I took my horse out, which I had trained and broken, but which was no longer mine. And I shot it there, yes, I shot it, and I watched its blood flow on the heavy dust, and I did not care one bit, nor was I sorry.

"Then I put on my hat and walked up into the hills for fear folks should come for folks who had not learned me I did not want a harm, though I did not love them any more than I loved my wife and girls in the east. And I knew if I met a man and had the axe in my hand I should kill him.

"And I walked for three days, so far as I know, without food, and when I came to myself I was far away. Then I knew I had done a most evil thing, a thing hated by God. For I saw what a small thing I was, and I knew that the work of a man was for himself, and I knew that no man can work for himself. I saw that the lawyer could not have kept what he took. He, too, must have died, but still my beautiful trees would have been fruitful. And I had killed them, and by doing that I had destroyed a great part of myself. I bowed my head in the dust, and a great anguish came over me.

"For if my orchards and my vineyards and my groves had still been fruitful I could have said to myself, 'You have worked and have been rewarded if not as you desired.' But now my life was barren, and my labor wasted, and no greater anguish can smite any man. All the years had gone down beyond the sun, and in the night of my old age I have no consolation, and I can work no more. Forever and ever as I walk and tramp I see what I did, and if I could only undo it I would die happy. But it cannot be done. It cannot be done. And I am an old man, an old, old man. I want to go home."

His voice trailed off into a whisper, and he sat down and hugged his knees, staring into my dying fire.

And for a long time I did not speak. He was a very strange old man. But I gave him some tobacco, and he thanked me gently. I asked him if his wife were yet alive.

But he said that he did not know.—Morley Roberts in Illustrated London News.

Broiling Steak.

The ideal way of cooking steak is to broil it over a bright, clear bed of coals, turning it quickly and often, and cooking it till the dull, dark red hue of rawness turns to a bright rich red, all through. Such meat is not "raw," as the ignorant suppose; it is well cooked, but not overdone. An overdone steak is dark all through, and has been made indigestible by the hardening of its fibres by the ever application of heat. If steak "doesn't agree with you," ten chances to one it is because it is cooked to death.

When a broiler and hot coals are not at hand, don't be afraid to heat an un-greased spider "good and hot," and lay the meat in it. The heat will crisp the outside almost instantly; turn it over quickly and sear the other side. Keep turning in the same way till it is done. Never let it cook long enough so that the juices of the meat separate and form on the surface that is uppermost; they should be cooked in, not out. No butter or salt till the cooking is completed; then transfer to a hot platter, spread with butter and salt to taste. Only the best of butter should be used upon it. One needs to give her undivided attention to the proper cooking of a steak.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

A floating dry dock, built in England and spacious enough to accommodate large ironclads, arrived at Havana on Sunday having been towed out.

Hon. Mr. Sifton will recommend that instead of reserving alternate claims in the Yukon gold fields the government shall reserve claims in blocks of ten; that the size of claims be increased from 100 to 150 feet, and that the cost of working claims be exempt from royalty.

Hon. James Mitchell was sworn into the office of Solicitor General at St. Stephen on afternoon Nov. 5, the oaths of office being administered at his residence. These present at the ceremony included Governor McLellan, Attorney General White, Surveyor General Dunn and R. W. L. Tibbitts, Deputy Provincial Secretary. Mr. Mitchell's health is not improved.

The Spanish cabinet council has approved the proposal of political amnesty for Cuba and the Philippines. The government denies that the action to be taken with regard to the remarks made by Gen. Weyler to the deputations that waited upon him shortly before he left Havana is the result of any suggestion on the subject received from Washington.

An exchange says, "Pick out a morning next winter, when the mercury is below zero, shoulder a pick, and go into the woods before breakfast, dig a hole sixteen feet deep; come back to the house at night and eat a small piece of stewed buffalo robe, and sleep in the woodshed. Repeat the dose as often as necessary." Two doses will cure the most obstinate case of Klondicities, and the remedy is not patented.

A great gold strike has been made on Upper Sag Creek, near Butte, Montana. A ledge extending for many miles and the quartz running \$100 to the ton has been discovered, and the people in that part of the state are wild with excitement. Another report of the discovery of a rich placer deposit was brought from Elk City, Idaho, where Judge Lindsey and other Butte parties have been interested in mining. A \$10,000 clean up has just been made and the deposits are said to be richer than anything yet discovered in that state.

Sheep shearing by electricity is successfully carried out at Great Falls, Mont. One of the largest wool-shipping points in the northwest. The shears used are much like horse-clipping machines and power is transmitted to the shears from a nearby street railway power house. The installation is that of the simplest possible description. A street railway motor was taken from one of the cars, and the amature portion was replaced by a small pulley, which was belted to the main overhead shaft. Power was transmitted to the shears through universal joints.

Foreign News and Notes.

Reports from England seem to indicate that Lord Salisbury is losing the confidence of the people. Various rumors have been sent out in regard to his wishing to resign one or all of his public positions. But these rumors have been almost immediately denied.

It would seem as if the Conservatives were making unusual efforts to strengthen their positions. In one evening three of their heavy batteries opened fire in defense or explanation of their foreign and domestic policies. Arthur J. Balfour, the first Lord of the Treasury spoke at Norwich. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the Chancellor of the Exchequer spoke at Sheffield, and Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies spoke at Glasgow.

Mr. Chamberlain defended the general policy of the Government. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach advocated and explained the proposed increase of the army. Mr. Balfour advocated the idea of the unity of the British Empire.

The bye-election recently held in the Middleton Division of Southwest Lancashire was won by the Liberal candidate Mr. James Duckworth. His Conservative opponent was Mr. Wm. Mitchell.

Just why the Sudan campaign had been ended, we have not been informed. The newspaper correspondents who were with the Anglo-Egyptian army have returned having been notified that no further steps will be taken against the dervishes. The closing of the campaign has

raised loud protestations in the Tory papers in England, who have accused the Government of shirking its duty, and of having handed over the Sudan to England's rivals. It certainly seems very odd to the uninitiated why the Government should abandon the undertaking, when, as it has been pointed out, the country has almost been reconquered.

Glasgow University has a new Lord Rector in the person of Joseph Chamberlain. A very large number of persons were present during the ceremony of installing him in his new position. He received an enthusiastic reception, and after the degree of L. L. D. had been conferred upon him, he spoke on the subject of patriotism.

The Prince of Wales was recently sued in the Lord Mayors Court, in London, by a man named Hinds. The Prince was accused of receiving £20,000 that did not belong to him. The money was said to have been paid to him by the late Under Sheriff Croll, who was the liquidator of the United Kingdom Electric Telegraph Company. The action was dismissed.

The Prince of Wales recently said his famous racing cutter Britannia. The boat was bought by Sir Maurice Gitzgerald, who refuses to state how much he paid for it.

A report, which has since turned out to be untrue, was circulated in the London Stock Exchange, to the effect that Cecil Rhodes, the South African magnate, had died. It is supposed that the report was started in order to depress South African securities. The fact is, that he has almost recovered from his recent illness and fully expected to be present at the opening of the Bulawayo Railroad in South Africa.

The opening of this latest addition to the Cape Government railway system was an event of great interest. It is a continuation northward of the line from Kimberley in the Orange Free State. It makes a continuous line from Cape Town to Bulawayo. When the last section has been completed it will reach the Zambezi river, probably at a point near the Victoria Falls.

It will be remembered that in May, 1895, the French sent a military force to the island of Madagascar to enforce their claims in the country. The expedition, although wretchedly managed, was a success, and Queen Ranavalona and her people were forced to acknowledge the French as their masters. In 1896 the island became a French possession and its dependencies were declared a French colony.

Some of the natives refused to recognize any protectorate and at favorable moments have endeavored to shake off the French yoke.

A cable from Paris announces that a serious uprising among the natives, against the French, has taken place. The rebels are reported to be well armed and drilled. They are scouring the island, cutting off detached commands of their invaders.

The latest reports received in regard to the disturbance in West Africa, between the English and French, are to the effect that the latter have recalled their troops that occupied Saki in the 'disputed possessions. The French troops were withdrawn upon the arrival of the British force near Saki.

When the troops under Sir William Lockhart began their advance against the tribes who had risen in revolt on the Indian frontier, the Afriids appealed to the Afriids to help. He refused their demand.

The Oraksais have sued for peace; but but the Afriids have not yet had enough English bayonets tickle their skins to compel them to come to terms. They have again appealed for help to the Amerer.

As no authentic information has been received of the whereabouts or safety of Dr. Andree, the Arctic explorer, a relief expedition will be sent out from Norway, which will endeavor to rescue him. The Swedish Government offered to pay half the expense, but Norway has declined the offer.

Of the South American countries, Brazil is the latest one that has contributed excitement.

An attempt was lately made to shoot Ler president, Dr. Prudente Jose de Moraes Barros. Had the attempt been successful, it would have ended the life of the first Brazilian President who was elected by a popular vote.

In 1822, Brazil, under Dom Pedro, eldest son of King Joao VI of Portugal, was declared free. In 1831, Dom Pedro abdicated the crown in favor of his son Dom Pedro II. In 1889 a revolution broke out and he was deposed, his family exiled, and the country became the United States of Brazil. Its first President was Gen. Fonseca. The population of Brazil is about 17,000,000.

Pres. Barros was shot at by a soldier of the Tenth Battalion. He fired at the President, using a pistol, just as Barros was landing at the Marine Arsenal. In trying to disarm the soldier, the President's nephew was slightly wounded, and Gen. Betancourt, Minister of war, who assisted him, was mortally stabbed by the soldier.

Two German missionaries have been murdered by Chinese in the Southern part of the Chinese province of Shanghai.

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A Brazilian Sensation.

New York, Nov. 11.—A despatch to the Herald from Rio Janeiro says: Senator Vierra, one of the government supporters in the Brazilian senate, declared in an open session that the opposition had predicted the death of President Moraes before Nov. 9. This statement taken in connection with the alleged plot which led to the recent attempt to kill the President, caused a sensation. Senator Barcelos, of the opposition, protested vigorously against the charge. In the chamber of deputies Sosaiba, in an attack on the opposition declared that the party was made up of anarchists. This caused a hot discussion in that body.

The many charges made have caused the opposition to publish a manifesto denying any responsibility for the attempt on President Moraes's life. This manifesto, which sets forth that the attempt grew out of discontent in the army, was not well received. Comparative quiet reigns in Rio Janeiro, though the chamber of deputies has passed a measure declaring the city under martial law. Armed patrol surrounds the city.

"Papa, you are the nicest man in the world," said the father.

"And you are the nicest boy in the world," said his father.

"Yes, I guess that so. Isn't it queer how we both managed to get into the same family?"

Burke—I heard yez are on a strike, Casey?

Casey—I am. I struck for shorter hours.

Burke—An' did yez git them?

Casey—I did. Shure, I'm not wurkin' at all now.

New Brunswick,
County of Queens, ss.

To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

Whereas Annie A. Cripps, wife of Abner E. Cripps, of the Town of Brookline in the State of Massachusetts, carrier, Ada G. Burns, wife of John Burns, of the Parish of Gagetown in the County of Queens, and James Gray, of the Town of Byron in the State of Maine, laborer, have by their petition prayed that a decree may be made by the Judge of Probates of the said County of Queens, directing and ordering Francis Alexander McKinney, executor of the last will and testament of James Pender, late of the Parish of Petersville in the County of Queens, carriage builder and blacksmith, deceased, to pay to them, the said petitioners, their respective shares of the legacy or monies to which they are entitled under and by virtue of the provisions of the said will of the said James Pender, deceased, that is to say, the legacy bequeathed in and by the said will to Margaret Ann Gray, deceased, of whom the said petitioners are children and heirs;

You are therefore required to cite the said Francis Alexander McKinney, executor as aforesaid, and all others interested to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my office at the Town of Gagetown within and for the said County of Queens on Thursday the eighteenth day of November next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon to show cause why an order should not be made for payment to the said petitioners of the said legacy or monies as prayed for.

Given under my hand and seal of the said Court this twenty-second day of October, A. D. 1897.

A. W. EBBETT,
Judge of Probate in and for Queens County.

J. W. DICKIE,
Registrar of Probates for Queens County.

PHINNEY & CROCKET,
Proctors for Petitioners.

New Brunswick,
County of Queens, ss.

To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

Whereas Laura Mabel Ann Jane Howe, of the Town of Vineyard Haven in the State of Massachusetts, spinster, has by her petition prayed that a decree may be made by the Judge of Probates of the said County of Queens, directing and ordering Francis Alexander McKinney, executor of the last will and testament of John Howe, late of the Parish of Petersville in the County of Queens, carriage builder and blacksmith, deceased, to pay to her the said petitioner, the amount of the legacy or monies to which she is entitled under and by virtue of the provisions of the said will of the said John Howe, deceased, that is to say, the legacy bequeathed in and by the said will to Mabel Ann Jane Howe, deceased, of whom the said petitioner is the child and heir;

You are therefore required to cite the said Francis Alexander McKinney, executor as aforesaid, and all others interested to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my office at the Town of Gagetown within and for the said County of Queens on Thursday the eighteenth day of November next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon to show cause why an order should not be made for payment to the said petitioner of the said legacy or monies as prayed for.

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To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

Whereas William S. Gray, of the City of Fredericton in the County of York, laborer, guardian of the estate of Lilly Gray, of the Parish of Hampton in the County of Kings, infant, has by his petition prayed that a decree may be made by the Judge of Probates of the said County of Queens, directing and ordering Francis Alexander McKinney, executor of the last will and testament of James Pender, late of the Parish of Petersville in the County of Queens, carriage builder and blacksmith, deceased, to pay to him the said petitioner, as guardian of the said Lilly Gray her share of the legacy or monies to which she is entitled under and by virtue of the provisions of the said will of the said James Pender, deceased, that is to say, the legacy bequeathed in and by the said will to Margaret Ann Gray, deceased, of whom the said Lilly Gray is a child and heir;

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To the Sheriff of the County of Queens or any Constable within the said County.

Whereas Sterling C. Blair, of the City of Lowell in the State of Massachusetts, contractor, Rutherford M. Blair, of the same place, market man; Minnie F. Blair, of the same place, spinster; and Irene E. Blair, of the same place, spinster, have by their petition prayed that a decree may be made by the Judge of Probates of the said County of Queens, directing and ordering Francis Alexander McKinney, executor of the last will and testament of James Pender, late of the Parish of Petersville in the County of Queens, carriage builder and blacksmith, deceased, to pay to them, the said petitioners, their respective shares of the legacy or monies to which they are entitled under and by virtue of the provisions of the said will of the said James Pender, deceased, that is to say, the legacy bequeathed in and by the said will to Agnes Elizabeth Blair, deceased, of whom the said petitioners are children and heirs;

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Local Happenings.

Items of Local Interest Carefully Prepared by the Gazette's "Man About Town."

FOR SALE.—Notes of hand and receipts for sale at the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE office.

PROBATE COURT.—The Probate Court for the County of Queens will be held in future on the second Wednesday in each month.

PHOTOGRAPHY IN TOWN.—Mr. J. B. Wallace, of St. John, has opened a photograph gallery in the Temperance Hall, Gagetown. He will be here for about a week.

MILL PROPERTY SOLD.—Mr. Jas. Main has purchased from Mr. John Law the mill property, on Mill road, about two and one half miles from here and expects to start grinding this week.

RAN ASHORE.—The tug "Fred Gladie" ran ashore on Wednesday last some three miles off of the point above Mr. G. DeVeber's on Monday evening. She blew for assistance and the Martello went up and towed her off.

DEER.—Mr. Chas. Babbitt while out shooting on Wednesday last came across three deer. He had nothing but duck shot in his gun and with it managed to shoot one of them. On Saturday Fred Gorley also shot a deer.

POISONING ACCIDENT.—On Saturday last the ten year old son of Mr. B. McLean, of Cumberland Bay, took a dose of carbolic acid from a bottle he found on a shelf at his father's residence and died Saturday from the effects of the dose.

RECEIVED NO PAY.—The jurymen who attended the court on Tuesday received no allowance for their attendance. The Secretary-Treasurer contends that there should not have been summoned and that it was illegal to do so and the county is not responsible for the expense. The matter will be brought before the January session of the County Council.

SMALL CUT, LOW WAGES.—There are not many men yet employed in the woods on the Miramichi and the St. John rivers. The prospects are a very small cut this fall, and this means that wages are and will be low until spring at least. The average rate of wage of woodsmen this fall is \$10 or \$12 per month. Last year the average was \$20.—Gleaner.

DIED AT JOHNSTON.—The death occurred at Johnston, Queens county, on the 8th inst., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. McBride, of Mrs. Nelson, widow of the late Thomas Nelson, leaving four children, namely, Mrs. McBride of Johnston, Q. C.; Thomas W. Nelson and Mrs. C. W. MacFarlane of St. John and Miss Barbara E. Nelson.

REPAIRED.—The Methodist church at Oromocto has lately undergone repairs. The inside walls and gallery and wood work in general, together with the pews and pulpit have been newly and tastefully painted. The interior of the church has a bright and attractive appearance. The work done reflects credit on the committee in charge and on Mr. Kitchen by whom the painting was done. The outside is to receive a few coats in the near future.

ALL HANDS LOST.—A despatch from Chatham says: The schooner Janet A. from Tignish, was lost Tuesday night or Wednesday morning off Fox Island. She was loaded with oats and produce. Three men and two women were aboard. The bodies of Capt. Gillis, Susan Champion and an unknown man were brought to Chatham in Senator Snowball's steamer St. Isidore tonight. Capt. Gillis' watch was stopped at 6.30. The Janet A. was a vessel of 29 tons register, was built at Church Point, N. S., in 1882, and hailed from Chatham.

Mr. Laurance, specialist in optics, will beat his office, George St., Fredericton, from Monday, October 4th, until Saturday 9th. All defects of vision accurately corrected. Over 22,000 persons successfully fitted. No matter how difficult the case where no actual disease exists perfect vision guaranteed. Mr. Laurance warns the public against getting their eyes ruined by wearing ill-fitting glasses sold by bogus professors, travelling peddlers and so called opticians who graduate from manufacturing optical establishments, and who know nothing of the eye or how to treat it.

THE STORM NORTH.—The storm which prevailed along the north shore on Wednesday was much worse above Campbellton than at any other point. Freight trains were blocked by the snow and snowploughs were called for. About six or seven inches of snow fell at Campbellton. A large force of men were at work repairing the damage to the telegraph lines and it is expected that a through wire between Moncton and Campbellton will be had today. The report that Campbellton was enjoying sleighing a week ago, it appears was not correct. The people of the north shore are now enjoying their first sleigh ride of the season.—Times.

THANKS.—Our thanks are due Mr. Charles Babbitt for a fine roast of venison.

LAST OF THE SEASON.—Capt Colwell arrived in St. John on Monday with the last raft to go down river this season. He reports that Friday's storm was the severest he ever witnessed on the St. John river. He arrived all right without an accident.

SNOW STORM.—A regular snowstorm set in on Friday morning and continued all day. The star, David Weston was delayed three hours owing to the storm. Quite an amount of snow fell but it melted next day and has left the streets in a terrible state.

CATTLE SHIPMENT.—On Monday the stmr. Olivette took twenty head of cattle to St. John from this wharf. The boat hands had quite an exploit with a young steer which got away from them twice and gave them quite a chase before they succeeded in capturing it. The stmr. May Queen was delayed for nearly an hour in the creek on account of the Olivette waiting for the cattle.

A SAD ACCIDENT.—On Monday morning Gardie Colwell, son of C. B. Colwell, of Jemseg, was taking a load of produce to be shipped by the May Queen when in turning a corner the horses took fright and started to run which caused the load to fall off the sloven. Gardie fell off with the load and one of the wheels of the sloven passed over his head killing him instantly. Gardie was the only son of Mr. C. B. Colwell and was in his fourteenth year. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved parents.

ENTERTAINMENT.—Madam Christine, of Philadelphia, reader and vocalist will render in the Methodist Church, Gagetown on Friday evening next, selections from some of the choicest musical and literary composers. Local talent will assist in some of the musical renderings. Madam Christine's selections are of the highest order, and in reading and reciting she displays training and culture of a rare order and worthy of appreciation. An admission of 15 cents will be charged. Doors will be open at 7 o'clock. Program will begin at 7.30.

COUNTRY COURT.—The adjourned session of the County Court was held in the Court House on Tuesday morning. The only case was an appeal Scott Act case against Captain Brennan of the stmr. May Queen, from Chipman. Mr. J. R. Dunn appeared for the defence and Mr. Jas. McGroady for the prosecution. The evidence taken at the Justices Court was read and the court adjourned. The case will come up for argument before Judge Forbes in Chambers at St. John on a date to be agreed on between the counsel.

FOR THE KLONDIKE.—Wilfred Coburn, son of Tyler Coburn of Keswick Ridge, and Lee Albright, son of Ludlow Albright, of Macquaque, were passengers to the city Thursday by the train. They have been residing in Boston for several years, and having recently contracted the Klondike fever, the object of their visit here is to say good bye to their parents previous to setting out for the golden North. They will return to Boston on Saturday, and on the following Tuesday with eleven other young men, including Charles Albright, and Tyler Coburn, brother of the aforementioned young men, will sail from Boston in a schooner bound for the Klondike. They will take along with them a rotary saw mill, two years' provisions, and the party will include a doctor and carpenter. The young men have each subscribed \$300 towards the enterprise. They start out under favorable auspices, and their friends hope to hear of their returning with a vessel load of nuggets at the expiration of two years.—Herald.

PERSONAL.
Mr. R. T. Babbitt has returned from St. John where she has spent the past three weeks visiting Mrs. R. McAdoo.
Mr. John McMalkin, of St. John, is in town.
Mrs. Currie and daughter Miss Kate, of Fredericton, were the guests of Mrs. Neil McLaughlin last week.
Mrs. Isaac Fox visited St. John last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper went to St. John on Monday.
Mrs. J. Rubins has returned from St. John.
Miss Bertha McLaughlin of Mill Cove, is at Mrs. W. H. Bulley's.
Mr. Henry Johnston, of Welsford, is in town.
Mr. R. S. Howe, of Petersville, is in town.
Mrs. J. R. Dunn, and family are visiting here.
Miss Annie McDermott spent Sunday at home.
Mr. Tully McKnight, of Kings Co. spent Sunday, in town.
Mr. Thos. Redstone, is reported very sick at Hampstead.

Cambridge.
Nov. 17.—Miss Emma Coffin of Canby, N. S., is visiting the Misses Humphrey.
Miss Alice McAlay returned on the 12th inst from St. John where she has been for several weeks visiting her brother.
Mr. Mayes McCrae of Wickham, spent Sunday with a friend at Central Cambridge.
Miss Craft of Wickham spent Sunday with the Mrs. Gilchrist.

Master Wallace Lloyd who has been very ill with Bright's disease has so far recovered as to be able to be out again.

Mrs. John Pugsley who has been confined to her room is reported to be some better.

Mr. Jacob Carpenter and Miss Georgie Cochran of Johnston, were united in marriage by the Rev. D. Long, on Saturday morning in St. John. The happy couple came up from St. John by stmr. Star and went to the home of the bride where a bountiful repast, was served to a number of invited guests.

The marriage of Miss Alma Colwell and Mr. Beverly Colwell takes place this evening at 8 o'clock. A large number of guests are invited to the wedding.

The Sabbath School concert held at Macdonald's Corner on Sunday the 14th inst proved a grand success, the church being well filled. Mr. Hiram Humphrey occupied the chair and the following programme was most beautifully carried out:

Programme.
Singing—Joy to the world.
Reading and Prayer—By Rev. A. B. McDonald.
Singing—Take my life.
Opening address—By Willie Humphrey.
Grande Ligne Acoustic.
Recitation—"Sowing," by Chas. McDonald.
Singing—Work to do for Jesus.
Recitation—"Little Gleaners" by Susie Camp.
Dialogue—By teacher and class.
Solo—by Maggie Gilchrist.
Address—by Rev. A. B. McDonald.
Dialogue—"Lessons."
Recitation—by Beulah Humphrey.
Dialogue—by three girls.
Singing by children, "Into a ten where a sparrow boy lay."
Recitation—by Nina McDonald.
Collection—Singing—Never lose sight of Jesus.
Reading, "The Changed Cross," by Jennie McDonald.
Duet—Jennie McDonald and Maggie Gilchrist.
Recitation—by Frank Jones.
Singing—"Where are your sheaves."
—Benediction.

The choir with Miss Eppie Macdonald at the organ rendered the selections very beautifully. In a programme of such general excellence it would be quite difficult to pick out any as deserving of special mention; but a solo by Miss Maggie Gilchrist, a duet by Miss Jennie McDonald and Miss Maggie Gilchrist and a dialogue by Miss Olie B. Humphrey, Miss Maggie Gilchrist and Miss Laura Straight deserve special praise.

TWO PICTURES.

One Rich, Bright and Cheerful, the Other Gloomy, Dark and Muddy.

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BOOTS AND SHOES.

Some Quaint Folk Lore About Old-Time Foot Coverings.

The Elizabethan shoe was a really artistic affair, and, when powdered with gold and worn on the foot of a shabby or a dandy, was a thing to look upon. When Leicester received his Queen at Kenilworth he wore shoes of waste velvet. The queen herself was a connoisseur in shoes. The shoe and the scabbard into the boot about the middle of the fifteenth century, and in stout boots, with tops and spurs, Yorkists and Lancastrians rode against each other on many a bloody battlefield. Their boots were so heavy that their removal fell to the lot of squire or page, or any other attendant. After the revolution (1689) the immense roses on shoes were replaced by buckles and large, wide straps. At first these buckles were not unlike those in shape and size. Since that period the buckle has undergone every variety of form and dimension, and in the year 1777 buckles and buttons on the coat became so enormous that they gave birth to many ridiculous caricatures.

High-heeled boots were worn by ladies for three parts of the eighteenth century. They raised their fair wearers some inches, and rendered walking difficult and running out of the question. Boots and shoes of all kinds have been worn in England; shoes made of leather, wood, and red, brass-bound, iron-bound, gold-bound; with wide, blunt toes, with narrow pointed toes a foot long, but the right shoe and the left shoe exactly the same shape. About fifty years ago a young surgeon lost his election as resident surgeon for a country infirmary, in spite of first-class testimonials, because he wore lutton boots and a flat watch in his waistcoat pocket. Instead of his breeches he wore a pair of square toes he wore to avoid corns.—*Illustrated Magazine.*

Etiquette of the Wheel.

Rules of living differ in the country and in the city where the vast number of strangers to be met with requires to a considerable extent one's behavior. As in walking, a woman on a bicycle should be on a man's side, and a man should protect her. Should she dismount she should immediately follow out, no matter what the cause. This self-protective rule is too often neglected.

In overtaking anyone going through a narrow place or a narrow street, the man should take the lead, but on the other hand, on an open road, where the path is narrow, the woman should lead, otherwise the man may set too fast a pace and tire her out. In riding side by side, the man's wheel should be a trifle behind—perhaps with the front wheel even with her hands.

There are many miles of country road-ways where there is but a foot of hard soil at one side of the road. If it be on the right side of the way as you ride, that side of the road is yours. If it be on the left side of the way, it belongs to you only so long as no one coming in the other direction wishes it. Many a woman, however, counts on her chances and rides along without the least thought of the rights of others who meet her when she is on their side of the road; and while no man should insist on his rights in such cases, it is just as true that no woman should compel him to give up the path when it belongs to him. In the same way a woman should ride with one whom she knows very well, until she can ride eight or ten miles without constantly stopping or calling off or showing in other ways that she has not mastered the rudiments of wheeling. If she sets out for 20 miles and finds herself incapable of going beyond five without great difficulty she is causing every one else in the party great inconvenience.

What is the Future of Greece?

What of the future? The Greek people went to war to strengthen the Hellenic race and help to fulfill the Hellenic ideal. Have they irretrievably weakened the one and destroyed the other? At a first glance it would seem so. The Turk is stronger than he has been for many years. He has learned that no power will control him. The millions of Greeks in Asia Minor have lost confidence in Athens. Crete is farther from union than ever. She will have to submit to the terrible indignity of placing her revenues under foreign control, for a time at least. The dynasty has been shaken, and the name of the heir to the throne indelibly connected with an overwhelming national humiliation. The corruption of Greek politics, the miserable personal struggles which have usurped the place of party government, the "spoils system" at its very worst, have had their natural effect, and the Constitution is thoroughly discredited. The national idea of windy enthusiasm for great ends, combined with unwillingness to perform the solid labors by which alone these can be secured, has at last brought despair into the hearts of the best Greeks at home and abroad. A friend writes me from Athens to-day that there is little sign of the national dignity being taken to heart. Is it the end?—*Henry Norman, in Scribner's.*

Chulalongkorn and His Brother.

The King of Siam has a singularly winning smile and manner. He is free from all tincture of self-consciousness, and can say smart things. One of his sayings was very Oriental in its significance. The brother next in rank to him in his Foreign Minister. There is nobody to replace him at Bangkok; at any rate, for the transaction of great affairs. When, therefore, the King was pressed by M. Hanotaux to make some concession to France, he asked how could he, and his Foreign Minister were too long absent to be well up in current affairs. "But why, then, did you bring your brother to Europe?" asked the French Minister. "For a very good reason. Had I left him behind, I should on my return have found him on my knees." "Why not have let, then, as Foreign Minister, your other brother, who is with you?" "For a stronger reason. He is both ambitious and ferocious. The eldest would not have beheaded me if I went back, but the second might."—*London Truth.*

Wishing on Falling Stars.

Would you know the origin of the custom of making a wish when a star falls? If so, you need not travel all the way to Galicia, a province north-east of Hungary, whence it comes. There it is believed by the peasantry that when a star falls it reaches the earth in the form of a beautiful woman with long, glittering, blonde hair. Every handsome youth she meets in her wanderings becomes the victim of this starland beauty because she has the power of magic. At least that is what they call it in Galicia. Having bewitched her victim she enthralls him in her arms and then slowly strangles him to death. If certain words are murmured the moment the star falls, the woman has no power to harm that particular person.

Equal parts of ammonia and turpentine will take paint out of clothing even if it be hard and dry. Saturate the spot as often as necessary and wash out in warm water.

SWEET PEAS.

A host of dainty, wing-like flowers,
A bowl of Dresden china,
Bedecked with some lovely hours
With poetry far dear
Than in the roses, wondrous fair,
Which languish in their glory
In stately vase of pattern rare,
Breathing the summer story.

A swarm of pink-bellied butterflies,
On your frail stems and try to rise,
Seeking the wind, your lover,
Sweet peas, by fancy and my heart
You charm with your faint fragrance,
I challenge Dame Nature's art
To match you, lovely vagrants.

HANGED THAT HE MIGHT LIVE.

Peculiar Surgical Operation Performed in a California Hospital.

A very delicate and extremely rare surgical operation has been performed successfully at the French hospital in this city upon C. Hoffmann, young German farmer. By it not only his life has been saved, but he is enabled to begin the recovery of health. Hoffmann was employed on a farm near Knight's Ferry. During the past of July he fell backward off a wagon, striking the hard ground with the back of his head, and fractured the third cervical vertebra, an injury which in nearly every case proves fatal. An examination by the physicians in the hospital disclosed the seriousness of the injury, and they gave it as their opinion that not one in a thousand ever could survive it. The fracture prevented the moving of the injured man's head in any direction. The slightest attempt to move the head caused violent vomiting, brought on fainting spells and impeded respiration. The patient was given very little nourishment with a spoon, and had to be kept constantly in one position. His frame weakened away and yet he ingested, with great success.

On Aug. 11 he was brought to the French hospital in this city, where the physicians decided upon an operation as the only possible means of saving the life of the patient. In the presence of the hospital house staff and a number of consulting physicians the operation was performed Aug. 15. An incision was made in the neck exposing the vertebrae, which showed the injury to the third process, the arch of which was crushed, as was a portion of the second vertebra, thus removing the obstacle to the unimpeded motion of the head. The wound was closed and an extension apparatus applied.

The patient rests on an inclined plane. The weight of the body acts as a counter extension to the weight applied to the extension apparatus which is attached to the head, and the patient is virtually suspended by the neck until he shall be restored to health. The wound has been kept open, and the operation was performed, and the patient is doing well. At the last dressing Dr. Oscar J. Mayer, the operating surgeon, was sanguine that his patient would soon be restored to perfect health.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

A Dart That Didn't Stick.

No better and at the same time no more courteous robbery could well be imagined than that once committed by Beaumarchais, the author of the famous "Barbary Captives." He was the son of a Parisian watchmaker, but had gained fame, rank and wealth through his own pen and exertions. A conceited and curious young nobleman once undertook to wound the pride of Beaumarchais by an allusion to his humble origin.

In the presence of a large company of people who had a regard for the talented young author, this young man handed him a watch, saying that when he declared that I was too awkward to be a watchmaker.

Brought in "Pa's Prayers."

Once upon a time sickness came to the family of the poor old pastor of a country church. It was winter, and the pastor was in financial straits. A number of his flock decided to meet at his house and offer prayers for the speedy recovery of the sick ones and for material blessings upon the pastor's family. While one of the deacons was offering a fervent prayer for blessings upon the pastor's household there was a loud knock at the door. When the door was opened a stout farmer boy was wrapped up comfortably.

"What do you want, boy?" asked one of the elders.

"I've brought pa's prayers," replied the boy.

"Brought pa's prayers? What do you mean?"

"Yes, brought his prayers, an' they're out in the wagon. Just help me an' we'll get 'em in."

Investigation disclosed the fact that "pa's prayers" consisted of potatoes, flour, bacon, cornmeal, turnips, apples, warm clothing and a lot of jollies for the sick ones. The prayer meeting adjourned in short order, and the boy returned.

Moosh on Pat.

Two Irish soldiers stationed in the West Indies were accustomed to bathe daily in a little bay which was generally supposed to be free from sharks. Though on good terms with each other, they were not what might be called fast friends.

One day as they were swimming about one hundred yards from the shore, Pat observed Mick suddenly making for the land as hard as he could, without saying a word. Wondering what was the matter, Pat struck out vigorously after him, and landed at his companion's heels.

"What are you doing, Mick?" inquired Pat, feelingly.

"Nothin'—nothin' at all," replied the other.

"Then what did ye make such a sudden retreat for, an' leave me?" continued Pat.

"Behead," answered Mick, coolly, "I noted the in an' a big shark about twenty feet ahead, an' I thought while he was playin' wid you it would give me time to reach the shore."

It is not to be wondered at that Pat declined to bathe with Mick any more.

Best Built of O-men.

Stiffened cement has been used successfully in the construction of a boat by an Italian named Gabellini. The frame is of steel bars, a third of an inch in diameter, over which is spread a wire netting. On this the cement is laid, and the outer surface is polished. The boat is heavier than one built of wood would be, but it is cheaper and slips better through the water. Experiments have proved its strength.

Bismarck's Brain.

Bismarck's brain, according to the estimate from external measurements made by Herr Ammon, an anthropologist, and the sculptor who made the Iron Chancellor's bust, probably weighed 1387 grammes, in which case it is the heaviest on record. Currier's brain weighed 1330 grammes. Byron's 1397, Kant's 1350, and Schiller's 1380. The average weight of the brain of an intelligent European is 1380 grammes.

"Stuberton, have you any good rule for the use of shell and will?"

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Central Burton.

Nov. 11.—Our beautiful autumn weather has departed giving way to rain storms, but we cannot murmur as it was wanted to fill our wells.

Hallow'een would have passed away unnoticed by some of us, had it not been for the thoughtful reminder of some of our boys in removing some of our gates, etc.

Mr. Lemuel Esty has removed from our midst.

We are pleased to note the return of some of our winter lumber operators again.

The friends of Mr. Wm. Scott are glad to see him again able to resume his work.

Turkey feathers are flying everywhere as this is the season of raffles.

There was a raffle at Mr. Samuel Crawford's this week, by which a large flock of turkeys were disposed of.

Mr. Wm. Crawford has much improved the appearance of his residence, by placing a neat wire fence in front of it.

Summer Hill.

Nov. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kerr left here for Boston on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr were highly esteemed and will be greatly missed in this community; especially Mrs. Kerr, who was the organist in the Methodist church, and also at the Episcopal services held in the school house. Their many warm friends here regret their departure, but wish them every success in their new home.

The members of the Presbyterian church held a pie social in No. 4 Orange hall on Monday evening, 8th inst. The sum of \$12.50 was realized, which will be devoted to church purposes. Mr. A. M. Corbett acted as auctioneer.

Mr. John Russell will leave here shortly to spend the winter in Minnesota, and will go from there to the Klondyke in the spring.

Miss Lorne Corbett has been engaged to take charge of the school in this district next term.

Mr. J. W. Armstrong is erecting a new residence this fall. Mr. John Mallory is doing the masonry and carpenter work.

Mr. James McKinlay is building a two story residence.

A number of the young men of this place have gone to the lumber woods.

Chipman.

Nov. 14.—Inspector Steeves visited the schools of Chipman for the winter term during the past week.

Last Tuesday the Inspector was at the school at Briggs' Corner, taught by Miss Maggie Stroud, now in her third term here.

The pupils were examined in a thorough and interesting manner in the various branches of study taught in the school—consisting of reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar, geography and history.

Beginning with the latter the Inspector directed the fourth class to write upon their slates "What is the Cross?"

"The Crusades," "How Britain became England," and requested the class to write a brief outline of each subject.

The Wars of the Roses arose out of the rival claims to the throne of England by the respective houses of York and Lancaster in the 15th century, and terminated in the battle of Bosworth field 1485, when Henry VII ascended the throne.

The badge of the House of York was a white rose and of the Lancastrians a red one.

The Crusaders were called because all the warriors fought under the banner of the Cross. The emblem of the French was a white cross on a red ground and that of the English was a red cross on a white ground, worn on the shoulder, as an emblem of the Christian religion.

The first crusade in 1096 was excited by Peter the Hermit, a French monk, who after a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, preached a crusade throughout Europe against the infidels in Palestine. Robert, brother of William II sold his possessions and joined the crusade and later on Richard I and Edward I became identified with these wars for the conquest of Jerusalem and the Holy Sepulchre where our Lord's body was supposed to have been buried.

How Britain became England—When the Romans withdrew, the Picts and Scots invaded South Britain and the natives unable to protect themselves called to their aid the Saxons and their neighbors the Angles—hence Britain came to be called Anglo-land. By changing the letter A into E and dropping the last two letters in the word Angle, we have the word England, that is the land of the Angles.

At the conclusion of the examination the Inspector complimented the trustees upon the improved condition of the school house since its recent renovation inside as well as out, which had been undertaken at his suggestion.

The brick engine house attached to the new saw mill at Briggs' Corner is completed with its metal roof and further work is abandoned till next spring.

The May Queen made her last trip to Salmon river on the 13th inst., and left again on Sunday afternoon. By its premature departure these notes will be late in reaching the shiretown.

Little River.

Nov. 11.—Little River presents quite a stirring aspect as the teams are daily moving to and from the lumber woods.

Mr. Walter Hartgrove, of Lakeville Corner met with a serious accident in the lumber woods on Tuesday. While chopping the axe glanced cutting his face severely. He was removed to his home at Lakeville Corner where it is hoped he is recovering.

Two of our most popular young men intend starting for Klondyke in the spring.

Mr. Thomas Fulton has gone to Fredrickton where he intends to engage in blacksmithing.

Messes Archibald Tilley and Frederick Bailey have each erected a saw barn.

Miss Nettie Tilley has gone to Fredrickton where she intends spending the winter.

The Messrs. McLoughlin of Lowell, Mass., have returned to this place and intend spending the winter with relatives here.

Miss Minnie Young intends spending the winter with her parents.

Clark's Corner.

Nov. 15.—A little son has appeared to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carle.

Mrs. Herbert Miles and family intend spending the winter at the home of their mother Mrs. James Chase.

Chase Bros. have commenced lumber operations on the Burpee millstream. The crew consists of nine men, they expect to get out a large quantity of lumber before spring.

Inspector H. V. B. Bridges visited the Clark's Corner and Maquisit Lakeschools a few days ago, and found things in a flourishing condition.

A white owl, measuring over four feet from tip to tip, was shot on A. B. Watson's barn by Robert Carle.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Isaac Carle has been ill, but hope to see her around again in a few days.

It is encouraging to see such rapid progress being made on the bridge at Hunt's Ferry. A crew of eighteen men are now working, and we hope to see the bridge completed at Xmas.

Orland Carle, while walking on some frosty planks at the ferry, had the misfortune of falling off and getting a severe ducking. We hope no serious results will follow.

It is with feelings of sadness, we record the death of Mrs. Thomas McCoy, which occurred on Oct. 31st. She was a victim of consumption and has been a sufferer for the past few months. She leaves a husband and large family to mourn the loss of a kind wife and a loving mother. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. Parkins, who spoke from the words: "Set thy house in order, for thou shalt die and not live." The remains were interred in the Lakeville cemetery.

Mr. George Clark and daughter of 27, have been spending a few days with friends in this neighborhood.

Winslow Chase spent Sunday at his home and on his return to the woods, he was accompanied by Herbert Miles, of Maugouville.

Miss Maud Brown, teacher at Maquisit Lake, has, by means of a concert and pie social, greatly improved the appearance of her school-room, by the addition of new seats and desks.

Mr. George Chase butchered four fine logs the other day; one of them tipped the scale at 640 pounds.

Butler.

Nov. 9th.—The people of this place are about done their fall ploughing and are preparing for the winter.

Our popular teacher, Miss Estella M. Flower closed her school Oct. 29th and has taken a school in Kings county where she expects to remain until June.

Mr. James Doyle has finished his contract on Charles Chapman's house and is taking a few weeks vacation.

Mr. John T. Sypher expects to finish getting his marsh hay in about two weeks.

Capt. G. F. Sypher has loaded his last load of Rockland wood for this season for W. S. Butler.

Mr. J. W. Butler has been quite ill but is much improved.

Mr. J. Sidney Butler is doing a rushing business in his shop. He intends adding some new machinery. He is also doing a big business selling farm machinery.

Mr. Chas. E. Flower is putting an addition to his house.

As Mr. John T. Sypher was returning from Douglas Harbor on Monday last some of his rigging gave way causing quite a serious accident; the horse took flight and ran away. Mr. W. Scott Butler and Mr. Leslie Butler were in the wagon with him. All three were thrown out. Mr. Sypher received several cuts about the head and face; the other two were badly shaken up. The horse stopped before it got far; but not until Mr. Sypher's wagon was smashed beyond repair.

A very pleasant evening was spent at a reception at Mrs. John E. Flower's about one hundred guests were present and after extending to Mr. and Mrs. Slocum their best wishes they all sat down to a sumptuous tea and all done justice to the well filled table of good things and after viewing the many beautiful and costly presents, the party retired to the ball

room where all enjoyed themselves for a few hours. Music was furnished by Mr. Clarence Sypher. The party broke up about one a. m., and all went home well satisfied with their evenings enjoyment.

Hampstead.

As one reads the "GAZETTE" week by week the thought comes that what a lot of writers it has called to take pen in hand. I am sure that there were none imagined that there were so many embryo authors in Queens county as the "GAZETTE" has called forth. Truth it is that Gray in his noted "Elegy" mused on the line that in that country graveyard there might have reposed authors, poets, statesmen, or warriors as great as any of whom the world had ever heard but as he aptly put it "their lot forbade."

But the GAZETTE has been the medium that has changed the erst-while latent talent of the sons and daughters of Queens county into the full bloom of author-hood. Therefore I say—"Praise to its name." Just think, I say, what the world would have lost if the "Jax's" had never had their notable controversy, more notable because of the fact that I have never seen anyone yet who could explain what it all was about anyway.

Thin there is the bard of Hampstead whose genius hitherto has been as the "flower blushing unseen;" also the romances of our gifted Jeness authoress, and the most interesting notes of the world's news by B. A. Scovil not to mention the minor ones embraced under the head of correspondents, or reporters or occasional contributors.

All these make a numerous as well as interesting gathering for which the GAZETTE alone is responsible. Therefore again I say—"Praise to its name."

Best wishes are being showered on Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Golding, the occasion being their marriage. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Annie Cameron, the popular proprietress of "Cedar Cottage Hotel."

Mrs. Bella Slipp returned from St. John on Tuesday. She brought with her a beautiful organ for the F. C. B. church, which she was commissioned to buy. As noted some time ago, the idea of purchasing an organ had been given up, but Rev. G. W. Foster determined that the church should have one and Mrs. L. S. Thompson started a subscription paper by a most generous gift and her example was contagious with the above noted result.

Mr. R. W. Ferguson, who was visiting in Fredrickton last week, was recalled by the severe illness of his wife of pneumonia. Through the skillful treatment of Dr. M. H. McDonald she is now happily convalescent.

Messes. G. L. Slipp and H. H. Ferguson were guests of Mrs. Ferguson last week.

Mr. Judson Slipp has returned from visiting friends in Fredrickton and Woodstock.

Miss Augusta Slipp has returned from a most pleasant trip through the Upper Peninsula.

Mrs. L. S. Thompson returned from St. John on Wednesday.

Mr. E. P. Vanwart is home from Sussex.

Mrs. Annie Wood and Miss Lena Watson expect to leave for Boston next Wednesday.

Messes. Flewelling, of Oak Point, and Rathburn, of Hibernia, have been canvassing the neighborhood for fruit trees.

Mr. Jas. Wasson has returned from Fredrickton.

Rather a breezy time took place the other day when the proprietor of the "Woodville House" and the proprietors of "Cedar House" contested for the job of caring for "Woodville Union Hall," with the result that their is a call out for new tenders.

Mr. W. J. Cheyne has had Mr. Duncan Slipp at work putting up an up to date ice house and cold storage room combined. He intends to go into meat business largely next summer.

The many friends of Mrs. Palmer, widow of the late Albert Palmer, M. P. P., were much pleased to see her among them again. She returned to her home in Sussex on Thursday.

Mr. Geo. Worden, who had been to the woods, has been compelled to return home through illness.

Nov. 15.

Cox's Point.

Nov. 10th.—On account of the heavy rains during the last few days our good roads have given place to very muddy ones, which makes driving anything but pleasant.

The farmers in this section are about all through ploughing for this fall and it is well, for the land in most places is getting too wet to plough.

On Friday last a number of the boys with teams and ploughs turned out to the assistance of Mrs. James A. Barton, and a good half days work was done. After supper had been partaken of, a number of young ladies being present each and everyone proceeded to enjoy themselves by tripping the light fantastic to the excellent music rendered by Mr. Wm. Stillwell on the violin.

On Saturday evening a number net again at Mr. Asa Nightingale's and another enjoyable evening was spent in like manner.

Mr. Wellington McLean, one of our most prominent farmers, is talking of selling out in the Spring and paying a visit to the Klondyke.

Mr. Warren Granville made a large

shipment of pork to St. John, by str. May Queen on Monday.

We wonder if Capt. Kidd ever visited Grand Lake? If so, it must have been his ghost that was seen near here by a young man from a distance who makes regular calls here on business. He says while driving along through a piece of woods about three o'clock in the morning he saw what looked like an old man about three feet in height, beating on his back a large iron pot. The story sounds like a dream and we are inclined to think that it is such.

A company of young ladies and gentlemen called on Mr. and Mrs. McBane on Monday evening and a very pleasant evening was spent.

ST. JOHN LETTER.

The Man from Jenness Bound for Klondike—The News of the City—The Markets, etc.

The man from Jenness was in the city last Thursday.

Said he, "I've ploughed my last furrow; I've planted my last hill of beans; I've sowed with the farm for forty years and potato bugs and rust and caterpillars and early and late frosts and breezy ooms and rooting hogs have got in their work so industriously of late that you see before you nothing but a wreck of my former self."

"It's a pity," said the reporter sympathetically; "that you abandoned your frog farming project."

"Frogs be jiggered," answered the man from Jenness. "Mr. Coleman tells me that his Killarney frog consumes enough food in a day to satisfy a dozen hungry commercial travelers for a week. There's no money in frogs even at \$1.50."

"How about skunk?"

"The skunk industry has its objectionable features. Nature has provided the animal with a weapon of defence which art has never equalled, by an odorous marksmen and I have concluded that a harvest of a hundred dollars worth of fur would be followed by an outlay of two hundred dollars for soap and carbolic acid. I leave the frog to Mr. Coleman, the skunk and the potato bug to the agricultural public in general, and go where fortune waits me. "Where's that?"

"Among the blue Alaskan mountains, where rolls the mighty Yukon and hears no sound save its own dealings."

"I have," said the man from Jenness, stroking his chin whisker, "solved the problem of aerial navigation. I calculate the wind blows from the north at a burden of eight pounds without impeding its progress. This winter I shall capture forty or fifty of these birds and train one of them for a leader. In the spring I shall harness them to a car constructed for the purpose and start for the Klondike which I will reach in seven or eight days. With a string of forty geese I could carry a load of 200 pounds. I weight 120, the car and harness would weight 30; that would leave 170 pounds weight of provisions and mining tools. In a few weeks I would return with a car loaded with gold dust."

The Jennessers gravity and seriousness took the reporters breath away and his incredulity could not be concealed.

"Why not?" he exclaimed. "We train the cat to rid our homes of rats and mice; we train the dogs to hunt our neighbors' cattle and sheep; we train the pigeon to carry messages. Why not train the goose and make him our servant? My project is feasible, and I feel that my struggle with potato bugs and pleuro pneumonia and tuberculosis is over. Come into Billy Clark's and have a cigar or something."

Tramps have burglarized two or three vacant summer houses at Westfield recently.

Two attempts were made to burn the schoolhouse at Black river in this county last week.

Miss Mary L. Wilson is visiting her sister at Newcastle, Miramichi.

The Miles Art school, 27 Charlotte St., opened Oct. 1st, and during the present term the attendance is larger than ever before in the history of the school.

Francis Murphy, the temperance orator, begins a series of lectures at the Mechanics Institute tomorrow evening.

The C. P. R. issues excursion tickets Nov. 24th to 29th for the benefit of those who wish to spend Thanksgiving day with their friends.

On Tuesday last, Ray Ingraham, a three year old child who resides in the city, swallowed carbolic acid and died from its effects.

There are in port uncleaned one steamer, three ships, five bargues, two barquentines and 43 schooners.

Steamer "Galle" of the Beaver Line sails from Liverpool for this Port Nov. 20 weekly sailing will follow.

The sea serpent has loated permanently among the islands in the bay.

Snow fell nearly all day Friday, and is now several inches deep. There being no frost in the ground it will soon disappear.

The talented descriptive writer annihilates space and time in a measure, but his work is incomplete without illustrations. The old picture "Shakespeare and his friends," make those worthless of the days of Queen Elizabeth not esteemed contemporaries. F. E. Holman & Co., 32 King street, are large importers of fine engravings for home decorations, which in the artistic frames of natural oak made by Messrs Holman improve the appearance of the parlor or dining room wonderful and without a large expenditure of money. They should be seen by the readers of the GAZETTE.

People of musical tastes have three or four months before them during which, as the evenings are long, they will have abundant time for practise both vocal and instrumental. For such the store of F. A. Peters, Jr., at 107 Princess St. has attractions for ten cents each. In other stores the music is sold at the original prices. He has a large assortment of music arranged for the piano and other instruments, which he mails to his correspondents for ten cents each. In other stores the music is sold at the original prices. He also receives from a large American house their and it is issued from week to week. Mr. Peters will be happy to answer all letters of inquiry which may come to him from the musical public.

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