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Calendar for Jan., 1897.

MOON'S CHANGES.
New Moon, 3rd day, 11. 50. 9m. a. m.
First Quarter, 10th day, 5h. 33. 4m. p. m.
Full Moon, 18th day, 4h. 4. 3m. p. m.
Last Quarter, 25th day, 3h. 56. 2m. p. m.

Day of the Week	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	High Water
1 Fri	7 49 18	8 38	9 28	10 18	11 9	12 0	1 0	2 0
2 Sat	8 19	9 8	10 0	10 50	11 40	12 30	1 20	2 10
3 Sun	8 49	9 38	10 28	11 18	12 8	1 0	2 0	3 0
4 Mon	9 19	10 8	10 58	11 48	12 38	1 28	2 18	3 8
5 Tue	9 49	10 38	11 28	12 18	1 8	2 0	3 0	4 0
6 Wed	10 19	11 8	11 58	12 48	1 38	2 28	3 18	4 8
7 Thur	10 49	11 38	12 28	1 18	2 8	3 0	4 0	5 0
8 Fri	11 19	12 8	1 0	2 0	3 0	4 0	5 0	6 0
9 Sat	11 49	12 38	1 28	2 18	3 8	4 0	5 0	6 0
10 Sun	12 19	1 8	2 0	3 0	4 0	5 0	6 0	7 0
11 Mon	12 49	1 38	2 28	3 18	4 8	5 0	6 0	7 0
12 Tue	1 19	2 8	3 0	4 0	5 0	6 0	7 0	8 0
13 Wed	1 49	2 38	3 28	4 18	5 8	6 0	7 0	8 0
14 Thur	2 19	3 8	4 0	5 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	9 0
15 Fri	2 49	3 38	4 28	5 18	6 8	7 0	8 0	9 0
16 Sat	3 19	4 8	5 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	10 0
17 Sun	3 49	4 38	5 28	6 18	7 8	8 0	9 0	10 0
18 Mon	4 19	5 8	6 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	11 0
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26 Tue	8 19	9 8	10 0	10 50	11 40	12 30	1 20	2 10
27 Wed	8 49	9 38	10 28	11 18	12 8	1 0	2 0	3 0
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School Books, and

SCHOOL SUPPLIES
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BEST ASSORTMENT OF
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PRICES AWAY DOWN.

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From now till the new year we want a PILE OF MONEY,
and have a BIG PILE OF GOODS to exchange for it.
Sound money and sound business is what we after. Our
stock is large and well assorted, and for the balance of 1896
we will give special inducements for Cash or Good Notes.
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IN PENMANSHIP
Will be given to those taking my mail course in
SHORT HAND, during the next three months
only.
One Year's Instruction at a Small Cost.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE is hereby given that application
will be made to the Parliament of
Canada at the next session thereof
for an act to incorporate a religious
body to be called and known as "The
Holiness Movement (or Church)"; and
to authorize such corporation to meet
and adopt forms or regulations and
make regulations for enforcing discipline
in said Church and to empower said
corporation to acquire, receive and take
conveyance of such lands, money,
mortgages, securities or other property
as may be required for the purposes of
a chapel or chapels, college or colleges,
school or schools, or other educational
purposes connected with the said
Church, and for the purpose of a printing
and publishing house or houses in
connection with the said Church, and
for power to undertake and carry on
such business of printing and publishing,
and for authority and power to sell
and support such chapels, colleges,
schools, and such printing and publishing
houses or houses, and a book
depository or depositories in connection
therewith, and to take and receive the
benefit of any gift or devise by will
or otherwise in its said corporate name
or otherwise and to give said Church all
necessary powers connected therewith.
Dated at Ottawa this 10th day of
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heals the lungs and cures
Coughs and Colds.

Measures of Interest to Catholic Readers.

(Scored Heart Review.)
DRAWBACKS OF A COLLEGE
EDUCATION.
Pres. Charles F. Thwing of the
Western Reserve University contributes
a very thoughtful paper on the
above subject to the current issue
of the Forum. Dr. Thwing, of
course, frankly admits that a college
education confers great benefits upon
the fortunate youths who are
enabled to acquire it, but the purpose
of his article is to show that such
an education, in consequence
of certain practices which are tolerated,
if not actually practiced,

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day, cure faster, with rheumatism, piles, cold
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My experience, says Cardinal
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the most powerful lever ever erected
by a merciful God for raising man
from the mire of sin. It has more
weight in withdrawing men from
vice than even the pulpit. In public
sermons we scatter the seed of the
Word of God; in the confessional we
reap the harvest. In sermons, to
use a military phrase, the fire is at
random, but in confession it is a
dead shot. The words of the priest go
home to the hearer of the sinner.
The confessor exhorts the penitent,
according to his spiritual wants.
He cautions him against the frequen-
tation of dangerous company, or
other occasions of sin; or he recom-
mends special practices of piety
suited to the penitent's wants. Of
all the labors that our sacred minis-
try imposes on us, there are none
more arduous or more irksome than
that of hearing confessions. It is no
trifling task to sit for six or eight
hours on a hot summer day listen-
ing to the stories of sin and sorrow
and misery. It is only the con-
scientiousness of the immense good
that is doing that sustains the confessor
in the sacred tribunal. He is one
who can have compassion upon the
ignorant and erring, because he
himself is also encompassed with
impunity. He is one upon whose
lips is set a human and divine seal,
for the words whispered into his ear
can never be uttered by human
voice.—N. Y. Freeman's Journal.

Man and Wife in Distress

From Chronic Catarrh—Bare Instan-
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THE HERALD

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1897. PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY. SUBSCRIPTION—\$1.00 A YEAR. JAMES MCISAAC, Editor & Proprietor.

ADVICES from Hamilton, Bermuda say, that in the House of Assembly on the 30th ult. the Hon. attorney-general introduced a resolution to provide funds for the celebration of the completion of the sixtieth year of her most gracious majesty's reign. All rules relating to the different readings of resolutions were suspended, and the measure was carried through all the several stages and passed unanimously.

THE private car habit has grown to such an extent among the members of the Laurier-Beard government that they are going to buy another. But they have been found insufficient, so Mr. Scribner was down in Montreal the other day purchasing a fifth, which will be called the "Boston." The name indicates the use that it will be put to, namely, the carriage of the eminent ambassadors of the grit party to Boston and other cities of the neighboring union in search of "the sign."—Halifax Herald.

The Chatham World puts the case regarding the Laurier-Greenway "settlement" very neatly when it says:—"Mr. Greenway has offered to make certain concessions, and Mr. Laurier has accepted them as satisfactory, but the Manitoba minority is as unconcerned as ever, and the agitation is still going on, and is likely to go on. The concessions may satisfy those who had no grievance and asked for no change, but they don't satisfy the Manitoba minority. Concessions were not asked for and are not wanted. The constitutional right to separate schools, as affirmed by the Privy Council, is demanded, not as a concession, but as an act of justice and good faith."—Exactly, the "settlement" pleases only those who had no grievance. The minority, who had been robbed of their constitutional rights and who had petitioned for a remedy were not considered at all when the arrangement was made.

JUDGMENT in the West Prince contested election trial was delivered at Alberton on Wednesday last when Mr. Hackett was unseated. The petition against him contained forty-nine charges of bribery and corruption. Of these charges, the petitioners abandoned 37. The remaining twelve were proceeded with and evidence taken regarding them. With the exception of one, all were dismissed by the court, being unsupported by evidence. The one charge remaining, and on which the court unseated Mr. Hackett was that of treating by a man held to be an agent of his. It was shown that Mr. Wm. P. Callaghan, who was canvassing for Mr. Hackett, had treated one Patrick O'Brien to some whisky, and on this the election was voided. This seems a trivial charge, but the fact that it was the only charge sustained shows that the Conservatives conducted a clean and honorable campaign. We have had election trials in this Province before now, when treating was regarded as an agent of the election law; but only the "custom of the country." The costs of the unsustained charges will have to be borne by the petitioners.

ARCHBISHOP FABRE, of Montreal, who had been very ill for some weeks previously, died at the archiepiscopal residence in that City, at a few minutes after eleven o'clock, on Wednesday night last. His Grace retained full consciousness till the last. Most Rev. Edward Charles Fabre was a native of Montreal, where he was born on the 28th February, 1827. It will thus be seen that he had almost completed his seventieth year at the time of his death. He was educated at the Seminary of St. Hyacinthe, and at the Sulpician Seminary at Issy, near Paris. He received the tonsure in 1845 at the hands of Archbishop Affre of Paris, who was subsequently married, and in that City, while endeavoring to restore peace. The future Archbishop returned to his native City and in 1850, was raised to the priesthood, by Bishop Prince. After filling several important charges he was elevated to the episcopacy and appointed coadjutor Bishop of Montreal in 1873. In 1876, he succeeded the late Bishop Bourget, as Bishop of Montreal, and in 1886, when that see was raised to an archbishopric, he became its first Archbishop. During his episcopal career, the late Archbishop paid several visits to Rome, and he enjoyed the personal acquaintance of the last three popes. He was

stricken by his last illness at Paris, on his way to Rome. The journey had to be abandoned and he returned home. Archbishop Fabre was a man of saintly character and of the kindest and gentlest disposition, and his death is deeply regretted by all classes and denominations. The diocese of Montreal is one of the largest in North America, embracing a Catholic population of about 400,000 souls. The suffragan sees of the Archdiocese are St. Hyacinthe, Sherbrooke, and Valleyfield. The late Archbishop's aged mother survives him, and during his last illness was frequently at his bedside. The funeral took place yesterday.

Liberalism vs. Legitimate Authority.

We notice that the Morning Organ, following in the wake of some other papers of the same stripe, is striving to make a little capital out of the fact that the Archbishop of Quebec, together with his suffragans, has placed a "settlement" on the Laurier-Greenway question. What a pity our morning contemporary would not try and properly present to the public those questions regarding the Catholic Church, and the actions of its bishops, which it thinks proper to discuss. Whether its failure to do this arises from ignorance or perversity, we know not; but on whichever horn of the dilemma it may choose to place itself, its position is equally reprehensible. In its issue of the 4th inst., under the caption, "Bishops and Civil Liberty," it starts out with the declaration that "the interference of the bishops of the Roman Catholic Church in politics and in the business affairs of free citizens have become a menace to civil liberty in Canada." This is a sweeping assertion, and is unfounded and ungrammatical. The "preservation of civil liberty," is a favorite shibboleth with those who delight in depriving their fellow men of their constitutional liberties; just as the man who steals your goods raises a cry of "stop thief." Then it confesses that he is guilty of the very thing which he accuses the bishops of. The bishops of the Catholic Church are the guardians of civil liberty, not its destroyers; and the history of Canada furnishes several uncontroverted instances of the fact that they have been the guardians of liberty, the upholders of the constitution and the friends of law and order, in 1812. They did the same in 1837, and their course at the present time is acknowledged by the man who makes any one desirous or capable of taking something more than the mere superficial view of the facts must be convinced that the Bishops of Quebec stand for liberty in its true sense; for law and order, and for the constitution. Of course there are those who will not consider the action of the Bishops in its true light; they prefer pandering to the prejudices of the superficial by presenting the case in the most misleading guise. This the Morning Organ has, wittingly or unwittingly, done.

In the first place, the Catholic Church is a divine institution notwithstanding any opinions the editor of the Morning Organ may entertain on the point, and the Bishops are placed "to rule the Church of Christ." "Order is Heaven's first law," and the order and organization of the hierarchy in the Catholic Church are most thorough. Every Catholic understands these facts, and when he ceases to obey the legitimate authority of the church, he ceases to be a good and exemplary Catholic. It is true, he may continue to call himself a Catholic; but it is by his actions he is to be judged. In the face of all this we are told the bishops must not "interfere in politics, and in the business affairs of free citizens," subject to their jurisdiction. Why not? Are not politics a branch of ethics having to do with the safety, peace and prosperity of the people; with the protection of the citizens in their rights, and with the preservation and improvement of their morals? Are we to be told that the bishops are not the best judges of public morals; that they who have been specially chosen to guide those committed to them in the way of morality and righteousness, must not discharge their duties in this respect? Of course, politics are here considered, not from the point of view of party; but in the generic and most comprehensive significance. The office and duties of a bishop being understood, there are corresponding duties on the part of the Catholic laity. It will not do for a man to call himself a Catholic in private life, and a Liberal in public life. By liberalism in this connection we do not mean adherence to the Liberal as distinguished from the Conservative party; but liberalism in the religious sense. This is a religious error and a very dangerous one. A Catholic in private life, cannot be a "liberal" in public life. No matter what his position may be

he must submit to the church in religious matters.

In virtue of these relative duties and obligations on the part of the bishops and people the Bishops of Quebec consider that the "settlement" of the Laurier-Greenway question as arranged by Mr. Laurier and Mr. Greenway in such as should not receive the support of Catholics. But the followers of Mr. Laurier and some of the newspapers supporting him have, in their opposition to the properly constituted ecclesiastical authorities, enunciated principles of morality, which the Bishops consider dangerous and pernicious. The greatest offender in this respect has been L'Electeur, edited by Mr. Pacand, of Baie des Chaleurs railway station. He so persisted in this course that the Bishops found it necessary to place his paper under the ban. This being done, the Morning Organ, among other papers, supporting Mr. Laurier, tries to elevate Mr. Pacand to the status of a martyr. The Morning Organ sketches his life and will give our readers some idea of his worthiness of the martyr's crown. L'Electeur was a deplorable specimen of journalism. Its proprietor, Mr. Laurier, was the right hand man of Mr. Mercier in his lifetime, just as he has been the chief journalistic agent of Mr. Laurier in recent years. It was he who had the Quebec paper, his collected works secured the \$100,000 from the Baie des Chaleurs railway subsidy for the electoral purposes of his leaders. This money he has been ordered by the courts to refund, on the ground that it was diverted from its proper purpose. In his paper Mr. Pacand has made, in conformity with the political requirements of his principal, abuse and opportunism his stock-in-trade. The character of L'Electeur has never been better expressed than in the words of a most distinguished character. First it entered his home and attacked his wife, alleging that she had received jewels as a bribe to influence her husband. Then it was compelled to confess that its story that Mr. Angers had himself accepted \$25,000 in respect of a public contract was a fabrication. Pursued for libel in consequence of this unfounded charge, it turned upon the judges who found it guilty upon its own admission, and accused them of parishism. On the religious issue which its leader cast into our politics it has followed the sinistrous policy of two years ago it was shouting for the Quebec clergy to aid Mr. Laurier. "Why are the clergy silent?" it cried. "Why should they not take sufficient guarantees from candidates to vote in favor of the repeal of the old Greenway law?" Then it spoke as it said it did for Mr. Laurier, it made enormous promises to the Roman Catholic clergy, telling them that the liberals were to give separate schools up to the hilt. Finally it has drifted into a campaign of a character altogether dissimilar to that which other liberal journals have entered upon. The majority of such journals support the Manitoba settlement by reasoning and upon its merits. They do not ban L'Electeur, on the contrary, commended it to the people by attacking the motives of the very ecclesiastics whom it called on to support Mr. Laurier.

Media for the Schools.

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Howland, who has been deeply interested in the cause of education has been interesting himself in the matter of media for the schools of the Maritime Provinces. The following correspondence is self explanatory.—

Ottawa, Dec. 24, 1896. Sir,—I am directed by His Excellency the Governor-General to transmit to you for your information, as the result of his consideration of the subject this year, a list of Canadian institutions in your Province to whom the Excellency now proposes to present Governor-General's medals annually during his term of office.

I have the honor to be, Sir, Your obedient servant, (Sgd.) JOHN SINGLETON, Governor-General's Secy. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island.

GVERNOR GENERAL'S MEDALS Prince Edward Island.

In this city on Friday, January 1st, 1897, died, at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Charles Young, and daughter of the late John Stair of Halifax, N. S., aged 78 years, Mr. R. I. F.

Suddenly, at Peake's Station, on Dec. 14th, of paralysis, Hannah, aged 31 years, beloved wife of John Dougan and daughter of John and Mary Grant. She leaves a grief-stricken husband, father and mother, five brothers and two sisters to mourn their loss.

In this city on the 31st ult., after a lingering illness, John J. Trainor, in the 50th year of his age.

At St. Charles West, on the 15th ult. Mr. John Kitcham, aged 74 years. R. I. F.

At the City Hospital, on the 29th ult. James Mallet, in the 80th year of his age.

At Enfield, on the 23rd ult., after a brief illness, Rose Duffy, beloved wife of Patrick McCordle, and sister of the late Rev. Fr. Duffy, in the 64th year of her age, leaving a sorrowful husband and one son to mourn their loss. The funeral will take place on the 27th inst., at 10 o'clock, Rev. D. B. Reid officiating. May her soul rest in peace. (By Rev. Fr. Duffy and Roswell papers please copy.)

At Auckland, New Zealand, on Nov. 29th, Richard Searcy, aged seventy-one years.

In this City on Saturday evening, the 2nd inst., Joseph Galant, son of Joseph Galant, in the 17th year of his age. May his soul rest in peace.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK. Moncton advises us it is understood that the conditions on which the Baie des Chaleurs railway is taken over by the Dominion government is that a separate account shall be kept of the traffic receipts and outlay and that any deficiency incurred in the operation of the road this winter will be charged against the price ultimately to be paid for the road.

The general belief is that the government's control of the road will be permanent.

Some weeks since several boards of guardians throughout the South of Ireland formed committees with a view of mediating between landlords and their evicted tenants. These committees were in every instance composed of poor law guardians far more alike to landlords and tenants, and they have put themselves in communication with the owners of estates from which tenants have been evicted, in order to bring about voluntary agreements for the reinstatement of the latter. The movement has not, however, been attended with any success, and now these committees are beginning to dissolve, regarding the task of arbitration as hopeless.

At the meeting of the Middlesex Evicted Tenants' Arbitration Committee letters were read from five landlords rejecting the services of the committee. Mr. Standish Barry said no good results had followed the appointment of these committees in any poor law union. The following resolution was passed: "That having regard to the several refusals of mediation between evicted tenants in this union and their landlords received by the committee from landlords and agents, we deem it useless to hold any further meetings for the purpose of effecting arrangements and therefore adjourn sine die."

TO THE COUNTRY TRADE.—Weeks & Co. were the spot cash buyers of the big bankrupt stock of J. B. McDonald & Co. We commissioned this big bankrupt sale a week ago and crowds of people have and are now sharing in the bargains. We can only give you a small idea of the many bargains that are going by referring to our advertisement. We can only say that in many cases \$10. will buy \$100 worth of goods and in some cases more. Call and see the bankrupt bargains in Fur Jackets, Fur Coats, Muffs, Collars, Caps, Slugs, Robes, Dress Goods, Hats & Caps, Shirts, Linens, Traverses, Cardigan Jackets, Corsets, Cloths and general dry goods. Some of the biggest bargains ever offered in Charlottetown at Weeks Big Bankrupt sale.

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Lord Salisbury and that the signatures to the instrument thereupon would be expected at Washington. It would be signed coincident with the new year, but this expectation will not be realized, and the signatures, it is now stated, can not possibly be effected before the end of this month. The causes for the delay cannot be stated, but they are sufficient to defer the consummation of the treaty. In the meantime there is no reason to believe that the prospects of ultimate agreement are as favorable as they have been, the delay doubtless being due to some essential question, as there is complete understanding on all material questions.

The Donaldson line steamer Warwick, Capt. Kemp, sixteen days out from Glasgow, crashed on the Yellow Mar Lodge, ten miles of Southern Head, Grand Manan, N. B., last Wednesday night, about 10:30 o'clock, with terrible force, under full steam, and in a total wreck. Capt. Kemp was on the bridge at the time of the accident, and immediately ordered out lifeboats, but they were swamped in a few minutes. The passengers and crew remained on board all night. They made another attempt to land next morning about eleven o'clock, and were carried out, and were there picked up in an exhausted condition and safely landed at Seal Cove Thursday evening by a fishing vessel which had been sent out to their rescue. They were cared for by the inhabitants in a hospitable manner and everything was done to make things as comfortable as possible for shipwrecked passengers and crew. The ill-fated steamer had about seven hundred tons of general cargo, most of which was lost or destroyed by water. The passage across the Atlantic was unusually rough with gales from north to west and east. The Warwick was built in Newcastle in 1883, was 3,527 tons gross tonnage and was barkentine rigged. She has previously been in trouble. When built she cost \$245,000. She was not originally constructed for the Donaldson line. The vessel was insured for one-third her value.

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The German Consul at Washington has handed to the State Department an interesting description of a farm in Mookshong where electricity has in great part been made to take the place of farm hands. A turbine drives a dynamo which lights the barn, yard and dwelling, and furnishes a current of low tension to work pumps, run saws, cutters, lathes, grinders, legs hand saws and trucking machine. One machine attends to the entire place.

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List of Ratepayers for the City of Charlottetown

In default for Assessment due on Real Property for the year ending 31st Decembar, 1896, containing names of all such defaulters, and the amount due from them, respectively, with a statement of the Number of the Town Lot, Water Lot, and Common Lot upon which or any part thereof, such Assessment is in default.

Table with 4 columns: Name of Ratepayer in Default, Statement or Description of Property upon which such Assessment is made, Amount of Assessment, and Amount paid. Includes names like Angus, Rob., Bish, John, Brown, Ambrose L., etc.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Statute 51 Victoria, Cap 12, Section 91, after 30 days publication of the above list, being a list of the Ratepayers of the City of Charlottetown who have failed to pay within the time prescribed the Assessment severally levied upon their Real Property in said City, I will make an application to His Honor, the Deputy Registrar of said City, for Judgment against each and all of the lands and interests therein described for the respective amounts so levied against them, and then unaided and that upon such judgment being duly entered I will further apply for a warrant for the sale of such lands. Dated this 21st day of December, 1896. ROBERT VANDERBERG, City Collector.

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PHILOMENA

A DAUGHTER'S HOLOGRAPH BY J. M. CAVE.

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In her situation she had much free time, and was invited to give the utmost courtesy. It was that she was too little occupied; had too little to do for the high salary she received, the beautiful apartments set aside for her use, and the privilege of a carriage, did she choose to use it; which she never did alone, or without her pupil.

However, Madame la Princesse, constantly assured her "that she valued her influence over her daughter above everything; and that even without the material lessons she could give her, she was more than repaid for all that she could possibly give her."

The princess was a gay woman of the world. She loved her own freedom, and believed in being very indulgent to others. "Her own life was all roses without thorns; why should she annoy others?"

made grimaces (a thing in very bad taste, she emphatically declared) to her duty today, she might take it to-morrow for her own free will. Without a word in her own eyes one hour, she laughingly admitted, would be the subject of ridicule the next.

"No, no, beware of bias, it was a dangerous thing." In other words, she was warning the body, never to be deceived by the body's own words, but to be guided by the body's own actions.

Without breaking her fast, she hurried from church to the house of Mile de Joncourt. A sort of fever seemed to carry her there, almost without her own volition.

"What was this restlessness? What had come over her? she asked herself, as she stood waiting for the servant to admit her. Though the sacrifice had been made suddenly at the last moment, she was not at all along that it might be that? Had she ever seriously said to herself, or admitted to any one, that it could be otherwise?"

She waited, still trembling, in the hall for the door to open. Mile de Joncourt was not at home, said the man-servant, who opened the door. Would Mile de Joncourt enter and wait for her return? She asked herself, as she stepped into the hall.

Philomena declined, and was descending the great stone stairs when the landau, containing Mile de Joncourt, drove up to the door. They surrounded her, and would have her re-enter with them, for she was a great favorite with all the friends of the house.

"You are not well, my child, my darling. Come in, stay with me, at least for a few moments. I want to speak to you of Edouard; he will be here this evening. Have you no message for him?"

"Yes, yes; I am very grateful. I came for that, too, but I forgot. My head is not quite strong to-day. Tell him, maminka, she put her hand on Mile de Joncourt's shoulder, and her words were hardly spoken, when she felt her head sink back on her neck, and she was unconscious.

princess sternly regarded him. Knowing her ladyship very well, he dared not trifle with her; knowing her wishes, he had proceeded to take the measures inexorably laid down for such emergencies.

"All." There had been much telegraphing and signalling with medical police-bureaux for an hour.

"What is it?" "Diphtheria." A cry of horror from the princess, followed by commotion throughout the whole palace.

Half an hour later the family carriage containing the princess and her daughter drove away.

An hour later a hired carriage left the door. It contained Philomena and a hospital nurse.

Edouard called the next day determined to force an avowal from Philomena's own lips. To urge her by every argument in his power, to yield her happiness into his keeping.

Oh, how impatiently he waited for the opening of those great barred, and double-barred, princely doors, that shut her away from him.

They opened at length. "Mlle de Joncourt?" "She is not here." "When will she be at home?" "She has gone away."

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continued to wonder about the house where she had lived, and the hospital where she had been, and the death of her father.

"What proof had he of her death? Perhaps there was some mistake. Cruelly there surely was; perhaps there was some mistake, for how could she, that noble and beautiful one, high born and high bred, how could she have been thrown into the ditch, or into a hospital bed, like the veriest beggar, or the refuse of the street?"

"To law," he cried. "What law could a young and beautiful lady, like my daughter, be subjected to as Novaya Hospital, at midnight and alone?"

"Pardon, not alone. By special request of the Prince Verkamoff, an experienced nurse had been sent for the patient."

"Where was she, this experienced nurse?" "At the hospital."

When at length Edouard succeeded in seeing this nurse, he heard from her lips the narrative of that terrible night.

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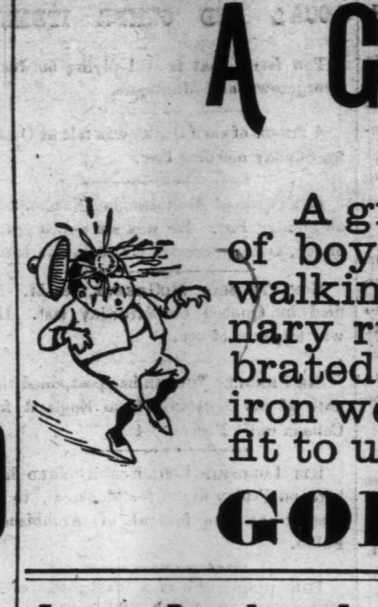
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