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THE SITUATION IN CHINA is very grave. After the revolution which ended in the overthrow of the Manch dynasty and the establishment of a Republic, the world welcomed the new China and watched with the keenest interest her apparent settling down into a sedate sisterhood among the nations. Unfortunately the party which united to overthrow the Manchus are now apparently divided among themselves, and several Generals have been executed, apparently without any trial. The friends of the dead Generals and the enemies of the Republic are said to be arranging for reprisals, and it is not surprising those acquainted with China to see the Manchus once more on the throne, or the country the battleground of powers which now stand ready with the drawn sword to endeavor to secure a slice of the strange land.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY will, it is said, apply for necessary leave to largely increase its already huge capital. All Canadians rejoice at the prosperity of the road, and nothing which could in any way hamper its progress will be done by sane individuals. The legislators have, however, the duty devolving on them of safeguarding the public interests, and it will be incumbent on the management of the company to show that the capital is needed for the purposes of the road, that there is no attempt to be made at stock watering and that the rates for passengers and freight traffic are the lowest compatible with the revenue necessary for working expenses, repairs and for reasonable interest on the capital. The company will be well advised if it is perfectly frank with the public in these matters.—*Tr. Globe.*

RATES OF FRATERNAL ORDERS are just up under discussion, and the turmoil over the matter which has arisen in the Ancient Order of United Workmen has directed public attention to this important subject. The stability of these orders is of vital importance, and to unsettle the mind of members, of whom there are many thousands in Ontario, is a very serious matter, and only justifiable by necessity. It should at this date not be necessary to point out that the rates of all orders like those of insurance companies should be on a perfectly safe basis. The day has gone by when death clauses can be met by monthly assessments fixed without any consideration as to age or other conditions. What the Workmen and all other assessment orders should do is have their rates fixed according to the well-known "Healthy Male Table," and at the same time raise a generous fund to help the old members who cannot now pay their rates, but by whose enthusiastic support these orders were founded and carried on to this day.—*H.*

Every Line is Interesting
The Weekly Globe and Canada Farmer has evidently found the secret of perpetual youth. After sixty eight years of untrifling faithful services devoted to the up building, and shaping the fortunes and destiny of the Dominion, it still continues to set the pace in the field of weekly newspaperdom in Canada. It has always aimed at the highest

standards, and proven itself to be a most reliable national and general newspaper. The agricultural interests and general welfare of the nation have been and are still in the broadest sense of the term, its chief concern.

In order to maintain this premier position and keep abreast of the phenomenal development and growth of Canada, The Weekly Globe and Canada Farmer has increased its facilities and perfected its mechanical equipment. Apparently nothing has been left undone to make every detail from the gathering of the news, to the delivery of the paper to the reader complete. The Outlook (New York) was pleased to say in a recent issue, that it is now one of the most complete newspaper plants on the continent.

The staff has also been increased that the improved facilities may be fully utilized. Full and accurate synopsis of the world's news written by trained men, who know how to say what is necessary in the fewest words; original and carefully edited articles; special contributions from leading writers. Miscellaneous reading of the very highest standard are features which make it the leader among Canadian Metropolitan Weeklies. Every department pulsates with vitality.

The four pages of bright pictures on calendar paper is in itself equal to fifty each year by some papers.

Very favorable arrangements have been made with The Weekly Globe and Canada Farmer whereby our readers can have in combination with this paper on remarkable favorable terms. The two papers for \$1.50 per year. All subscriptions to the Globe will date from Jan. 1st 1913.

Sample copies will be sent to any address by making application either verbally, or by card to this office.

What a Steel Rail Has to Stand

Have you an idea of the strain to which a steel rail is subjected today? Let us consider one for a moment, in the time of its greatest torture, and see. The Canadian Ball Express is coming, it is drawn by two engines. The largest weighs one hundred tons, twenty seven tons of the weight are carried on the six driving wheels, which means almost thirteen tons to a wheel. Thirteen tons of weight upon each wheel! That means thirteen tons of weight impinging for a flying instant upon a rail surface perhaps no more than an inch square and then moving forward all the time, a succession of whirling blows from a thirteen ton hammer. If the train is going thirty miles an hour, an imaginary square inch has but one five hundred and twenty eighth part of a second in which to receive the blow, twice under it, distribute the terrible force of it through its elastic elements to the surrounding mass of the rail, brace it self to help distribute stresses that are being set up on adjacent surfaces and zigzagging back and forth in all sorts of ways through the content of the rail, and then almost instantly lift its devoted head to receive the blow of the next driving wheels. If the train is going sixty miles an hour instead of thirty, this all has to be received, withstood and passed on in one ten hundred and fifty sixth part of a second.

And yet this isn't all that is happening to the nerves of the rail. This is only taking account of the compression strains. There is another set of strains: for these big driving wheels are pulling the train. They have caught hold of the rails just as your hands grip the rope in a tug-of-war and they take a fresh hold every fraction of a second. The tendency is to pull the top or head of the rail, to pull it all to pieces. It is the business of the rail to stick together and web and flange, in every single and separate molecule of all the tendency of which steel is capable. But we have stated only one half of the tension strain. This strain is reversing all the time; for while the huge drivers are pulling one part of the rail toward them, they are pushing another part away from them. This plucking and spurning, hauling and kicking, tension or back again takes place with every half turn of a driving wheel, and at a frightfully rapid rate. The marvel is that the rail is not ground to powder.

"The Menace of the Broken Rail" in the July Metropolitan Magazine.

Vests to go with mannish tailored suits are strictly mannish style, with bone buttons.

Savings From Small Wages

How Some English Workmen Have Made Small Fortunes.

What self help and thrift can do for a man is strikingly demonstrated by the case of John Morrison, a Yorkshire carpenter, who, although his wages had never exceeded \$8.75 a week, has been able to leave behind him the substantial sum of \$15,000, every penny of it the fruits of saving.

When he married a little over forty years ago, he looked round to see what economies he could effect. He found that he had been spending at least \$1.25 a week on beer and tobacco; therefore he could very well dispense with that. That meant a saving of \$65 a year. And this was the nucleus of his fortune.

A few weeks later his wages were raised from \$7.50 to \$8.75 weekly. He could rub along without the extra \$1.25 and was thus able to put by \$130 a year. When his savings had amounted to \$500 he bought two cottages, borrowing three quarters of the purchase money and paying off the loan out of the rents. He was a man of property now.

The appetite for thrift took full possession of him. He was fond of gardening and he decided to turn his hobby and his spare time into money. He rented half an acre of land; his wife opened a shop for the sale of the produce, and the first year he was able to increase his saving to \$5 a week, which, in two years' time, he was able to buy two more houses.

And thus simply his fortune grew. House was added to house, each paying for its own purchase with its rent, until at 60 he was able to retire on \$750 a year almost twice his highest wages as workman, and when he died to leave a good \$15,000 behind him.

And what John Morrison could do and did, others have done. Only a few weeks ago a workman confessed in a court of law that he had already saved \$3,000 out of wages, which had never exceeded \$7.50 a week. "How did you do it?" asked the magistrate. "By a little self-denial your worship," the man answered, and then proudly added: "And I've brought up four children too; and now there's only me and the wife. I'm going to buy an annuity when they say I will come to over \$350 a year."

SHAM BURIAL ON INDIAN RESERVE

Disappointed Squaw Made a Pitiful Effort to Hide Disappointment

A tragedy of disappointed motherhood was revealed at the Fairfield Indian Reserve, in Manitoba, following an investigation by the Indian Department into a supposed case of foul play. The department was notified that Mrs. Albert Cook, a squaw of the reservation, had given birth to a child in the doctor's absence at Crane Lake; that in his absence also the child had been buried, and the Indian woman and her husband informed the doctor on his return that the infant had been born dead, and had been buried immediately after death. The chief of the tribe demanded that the body be exhumed, and when the grave was opened it was found only a pitiful dummy of a child, a body made of moose liver, bound round with bandages, a head of raw lead, on which was a baby's bonnet, while for lower limbs there were the legs of a partridge. The "doctor-general's" department of Manitoba was asked to investigate and find what had been done with the real child. Then there came to light the story that there was no real baby and the mock burial was a sorry subterfuge to hide the shame of disappointed motherhood.

The squaw had told the reserve that a little heir was expected at the Cook household. But the stork played away, and shame sat so heavily on the heart of the Indian woman and her husband that the subterfuge was planned.

Sell Fertilizing in Denmark
According to a consular report, the annual imports of artificial fertilizer to Denmark amounted to 300,000,000 pounds, with an estimated value of \$2,700,000. The Danish Government makes about 1,500 experiments a year in different localities with tillers, thus teaching the farmer scientific treatment of their land.

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Report of the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner

The Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, supervised by the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, embraces four divisions which deal with dairying, fruit, extension of markets and cold storage. Each division embodies a far reaching service calculated to foster and assist the industries concerned and now requires the services of about one hundred employees including many technical and semi-technical officials.

During the past year, a number of new features have been commenced. In connection with the cow testing service, a number of dairy record centres have been established for the purpose of assisting and encouraging the improvement of milking herds. Then in two districts model factories are being established for experimental and demonstration purposes.

The whole work of the Branch for the year ending March 31st, 1912 is reviewed in the Annual Report of the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner just out. Copies will be sent on application to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

Berlin, Aug. 27—After maintaining reserve ever since the Panama canal bill was introduced in the United States Congress, the German press burst out in impatience with the signing of the measure by President Taft. The comment of the Tagliche Rundschau is typical of the rest: "Uncle Sam with the generosity of a great philanthropist, made a gift of the canal to all nations, then proceeded to frame it with cannon and armor, and now demands a big price for the gift. The United States repeatedly has given the German people to understand that it values little value on the traditional German-American friendship. The agreement with England applied to all nations, and its breach hits Germany and German trade."

"It is the duty of Germany and other nations to make the United States a counter gift in true American style."

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PHONES FOR DEAF MUTES

Light Takes The Place of Sound in This New Device For Dumb

How can a deaf mute use a telephone? This question had long perplexed William C. Shaw, a deaf mute, who works in the experimental laboratory of the General Electric Company at Lynn, Mass., and he set himself to the task of solving it. The result is a practical apparatus by means of which deaf mutes can converse with each other or with normal persons at any distance.

Mr. Shaw has exhibited his deaf mute telephone at several technical schools, but it has been received with most enthusiasm at schools for those afflicted as he is.

Instead of sound, light has to be used as the means of communication so "telephone" is scarcely the correct word to apply to this invention. It consists of three essential parts—the sender, the indicator and the receiver, with the electric wires that connect them. The sender is a typewriter. The indicator stands on the table in front of the sender. It consists of a frame about six inches square, in which are mounted thirty-six two-candle power electric lamps, each marked with a letter or figure.

The receiver is a large reproduction of the indicator, being about three feet square and having upon it 36 eight candle-power electric lamps, marked with letters and numbers to correspond with those of the indicator.

The pressing of a key on the typewriter closes an electric circuit which lights the lamp bearing the letter of that key. The receiver may be situated in another house. Beside it is a call lamp.

Now, suppose two persons, A and B, desire to talk over the phone. A on his keyboard in his house presses the call button on his typewriter key-board. This causes the call light in B's house to glow and attracts B's attention. B replies that he is there by pressing the call button on his typewriter and lighting the call lamp in A's house. Then A sends his message, ticking it out upon his typewriter just as he would if writing a letter. The touching of each letter by key is followed instantly by the lighting of the corresponding lettered lamp on B's receiver.

The lamps remain lighted only while the key is pressed down; they go out the instant it is released. It takes a little practice to follow a message that is sent quickly, but after a short time a man can receive as rapidly as one can operate the keys. Of course the apparatus works both ways sending and receiving being done in either direction.

In its present form this deaf mute telephone requires a wire for each of the thirty-six keys, but as there are cables containing that number of insulated wires this is no great obstacle. Mr. Shaw was born in 1860, and became deaf and dumb as a result of spinal meningitis at the age of five. He has been married twice, and has by his first wife a boy of twelve who hears and talks perfectly. His second wife is also a deaf mute. His father, a sea captain, took him all over the world in a vain effort to have him cured. He is on old friend of Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone.

TRACES OF EARLY MAN

Two Races Inhabited North America Before the Indian Arrived

As a result of thirty years of exploration in the Delaware Valley, searching for evidences of the early man in North America, Ernest Volk, a field archaeologist, announces some remarkably interesting findings. He succeeded in tracing three distinct habitations of man in Delaware Valley—the Indian on the surface of black soil; a specimen of prehistoric man termed by the explorer an "argillite man," as he used argillite in the manufacture of his implements, and finally a still older race, the so-called "galena" or "gravel men," who lived before the days when the yellow loam formed the surface soil. "The traces of man in the gravel, far below the surface, were found in the shape of artificially fractured stone, chiefly of argillite and quartz. The bones of Arctic animals, such as the musk ox, and of elk, probably species now extinct, were also found. Most of the specimens mentioned, which prove the three periods of occupation in the Delaware Valley, are on exhibition in the American Museum of Natural History."

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C. P. R. Purchase

A Nineteen Million Dollar Order And What It Means

In these days of big things, when people talk of millions, where their grand fathers spoke of thousands, the fact that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has ordered 125 additional freight cars and 300 more locomotives may not attract more than mere passing attention except amongst railway men. And yet this order involves an expenditure of the immense sum of \$19,000,000, the freight cars costing \$14,000,000 and the locomotives \$5,000,000. This is a pretty big amount for any railway, even one like the C. P. R. to spend at one time in additional equipment, especially when cost-conscious sleepers and diners or passenger coaches of any description whatever are not included.

If figures are seldom amusing, they are sometimes entertaining, and this latest purchase of the C. P. R. furnishes a few facts that are of more than ordinary interest. Here are some of them.

The length of a freight car from buffer to buffer is 39 feet, its weight 37,000 pounds, and its carrying capacity 80,000 pounds. The length of these locomotives from pilot to buffer of the tender is about 69 feet, and its weight, in working order, 175 tons. Each tender carries 5,000 gallons of water and 13 tons of coal. Each locomotive is of 15,000-horse power, and can haul on a level at least 75 cars, on an average of 50 cars over the whole system.

String these cars in one long line and they would reach a distance of 92 miles from Montreal more than half way to Quebec. The 12,500 freight cars would make up 250 trains, and if they were to start, say from Calgary, at intervals of one hour, running on a regular schedule of 20 miles an hour, nearly ten days would elapse between the dispatching of the first and last train. When the last train left Calgary, there would be a grand procession, from the Rockies to the Atlantic and 2,000 miles out on its depts, if it were possible to extend the rails on the ocean and that is two thirds of the watery way to the old country. The 5,000 mile parade would practically reach around one fifth of the globe. The distance from Calgary to Montreal is 2,251 miles, and the run would occupy four and a quarter days. If the cars were unloaded promptly, the first train could reach Calgary on the return trip, two days before the last one had been dispatched east.

Each car carrying 40 tons, the total capacity of the new cars would be half a million tons, more than enough cargo for 50 ships of the largest cargo carrying type in the world, which has a capacity of 10,000 tons.

The motive power of the 300 new locomotives aggregates 450,000 h.p. enough to run 64 Angus shops, the largest of their kind in Canada, or the machinery of factories that would keep nearly four hundred thousand persons employed.

The trains themselves, with the "runs" averaging, say, 125 miles, between individual points would require 17 crews of five men each, between Calgary and Montreal, a total of 85 men, and the 250 trains would need an army of trainmen, 22,250 strong, if each crew were to make a single "run".

And this is but one purchase of the C. P. R. When one enters upon calculations about this year's entire freight equipment, some 65,000 cars, on a similar basis as that mentioned, a good deal of arithmetic has to be indulged in. They would make up into 1,300 trains, and it would occupy nearly eight weeks between the departure of the first and the last of them from a given point. They would stretch out 26,000 miles, and encircle the globe at the equator, where Mother Earth swells out to her largest circumference, 25,000 miles. They would

reach across the continent of America, from Halifax to Vancouver, seven times. And they would have a carrying capacity of 2,000,000 tons on the one trip, and with 100 trains over twenty two million tons were carried during the year.

All of this shows that the C. P. R.'s equipment is something colossal, and that its \$19,000,000 purchase means a great deal more than appears on the face of it.

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MR. P. C. LARKIN, THE WELL-KNOWN Toronto merchant, has just returned from a lengthened tour of Europe. He has made a careful study of the entry in Britain and Germany over the navy and has come to the same conclusion as have many others who have studied the question, namely, that the ill-will and the entry for more ships are due in a large measure to the tactics of those industries associated with the manufacture of articles needed during war. Among some of the great combines interested in the war game may be mentioned the steel trusts, the beef trusts, the Birmingham gun makers, the powder manufacturers, military clothing manufacturers, and all the heterogeneous mass who grew rich on other people's miseries. The best class of citizens, men and women, should use their influence to prevent the selfish greed of a handful of the people forcing two professedly Christian nations into war.

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For want of help, our Classified Want Ads. will untie the knots. We make this a good paper so that intelligent people will read it, and they do. Isn't that the kind of help you want?

THE UNITED STATES SENATE, by exempting American ships from tolls on the Panama Canal and thus striking a blow at the letter and the spirit of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, has ignored the British protest and stirred a feeling of resentment among British people. During the debate Senator Root, a statesman of high type, declared: I know of no higher rule of ethics than that which requires nations to observe good faith in relation to their treaties." The same attitude is taken by many of the leading newspapers of the United States, while the Conservative press of Canada cite the incident as another bit of evidence of Canada's wisdom in not entering into a reciprocity agreement. That, however, is not the question for that agreement could have been terminated by either party at any time. The real forces at work in the present instance have been the American railroads. The American shipping industry is of almost negligible importance, therefore if foreign shipping can be crippled by high tolls the railroads need have little to fear from the competition of the canal.

Tor. Globe.

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and accommodated five cabin passengers. When the steamers take days for a voyage these boats took weeks. It was all the following year that steam's first used as motive power for ships. As those slow ships were the only means of conveying news across the ocean, news of the stirring events of Europe was always six or more weeks old, yet none the less interesting on that account. The paper records events in the struggle between Russia and Sweden and the more important strife of Spain against Napoleon, which took active form in this year. The contemporary point of view is the chief interest in these events which have become matters of past history.

In connection with Spain's war against Napoleon there is an appeal to her Cuban colony for financial assistance, the plea of patriotism being very strong. In such a patriotic struggle the appeal was justifiable. One writer speaks of the crown of Spain as the wealthiest in Europe, and that was a strong reason for Napoleon's desire to possess it. Another writer speaks of his wish to overturn every dynasty that had a name older than his own, a motive that has probably escaped most historians.

A contemporary event of some importance was the arrival of the French king, Louis XVIII, in England and his accommodation on one of the estates of the Marquis of Buckingham. Sir Arthur Wellesley, afterwards the Duke of Wellington, begins his glorious continental career by joining forces with Spain, and his first victories are recorded. While everyone appeared to be opposed to the French in general, there is one Frenchman who gets credit for his compilation of a Chinese dictionary, the first to be published in Europe. Evidently the general excitement did not disturb him in his work as a scholar.

USED AS WALLPAPER

Chinese of Newchang Have a Fancy for Old Daily Journals

The Trade and Commerce Department at Ottawa has received interesting information from his Majesty's consul at Newchang concerning cheap printing paper in China. It seems that in the customs statistics of Newchang for last year there appears as a separate item under the heading of paper an importation of 37,000 cwt. of old newspapers, valued at \$14,418. These old newspapers, which appear to be mostly British, are in extensive demand in the Newchang district for wall paper for native houses and cottages.

The local Chinese newspapers have enormously increased their circulation during the year. This is doubtless the reason for greatly enhanced demand for printing paper, both of native and of foreign make of cheap quality.

TO CHANGE CALENDAR

Prominent Canadians Think the Year Should Have Thirteen Months

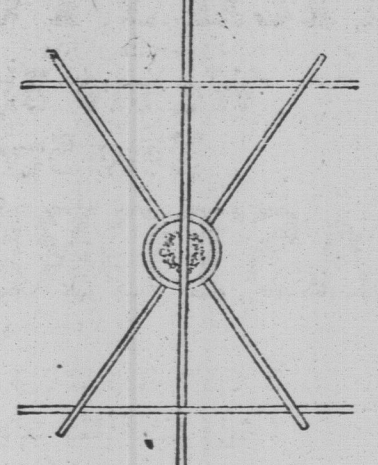
The Royal Society of Canada wants the calendar revised. A delegation waited upon Premier Borden and urged that he exercise his authority in Canada and exert his influence with the British Government to have the number of months in the year increased from twelve to thirteen, and that each month shall consist of twenty-eight days. This, it is urged, would make them all the same, and would also result in each day of the week occurring every year on the same day of the month. Mr. Borden promised the delegation that their request would receive serious attention of his Government. The deputation consisted of Mr. Fleming, Sir James Grant, Miss Sulte, Mr. R. G. Boucher, Mr. B. and W. D. Lesueur.



Pietro Cuni, who is here shown carrying two small cannon and one of his comrades, is the strongest man in the Italian army. Like all of his countrymen, Pietro's service with the colors is compulsory, but the hard work incident to a soldier's life is child's play to him. Pietro is 24 years old and says he is getting stronger every day.



It takes a steady hand and some patience to do this, but it can be done. Take five straws and a coin, say a nickel, and arrange them as shown in the picture and you can lift the whole outfit by one straw. The structure is held together by the tension caused by the crossing of the straws.



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NOTICE

A large number of our subscribers are more or less in arrears, all of whom we would ask to kindly make a prompt remittance. This is a very small matter to the individual subscriber but when multiplied by the hundreds, it is a matter of quite large dimensions to the Editor.

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Backward, turn backward, O Time in your flight, and give us a maiden dressed proper and right. We are so weary of switches and rats. Billy Burke clusters and peach-basket hats waded of excelsior heaped in a pile and stacked on their heads to the height of a mile. Something is wrong with the maidens, we fear. Give us the girls as they used to appear. Give us the girls who once knew of yore, whose curls didn't come from a hair-dressing store. Maidens who dressed with sensible view, and just as Dame Nature intended them to. Give us a girl with a figure her own, and fashioned divinely by nature alone. Feminine style's getting fiercer each year—oh, give us the girls as they used to appear. (Kan) News.

Give us a girl with round cheeks like a rose; give us a girl with an untitled nose; give us a girl on common sense heels; one with a head without wheels one that can romp and paw up the dirt; one without hobbles on mind or on skirt; one that can build a short cake like a dream; one whose complexion stands water or steam, one who can fasten herself to a broom and laugh as she steers the old thing 'round the room; one whom no flattery ever can budgie; and one who knows something besides making fudge. Houston (Tex.) Post.

Give them the girl they want—we do not care. Dress her in hoops with a horrible flare. Make her look foolish with old-fashioned things—a sort of stuffed angel, developing wings, Pat her in cork-screws, with rings in her ears, and make her look double or tre le her years. Make her a grandma when she is a miss, and have her look useful to hug and to kiss. Give us the girl you can't tell from a boy the kind of a girl the world can enjoy. Give us the girl who can drive a machine dress like her brother and live these, ene. Give us the girl who is quick on her feet and will push an old grandfather into her seat; one with a gentleman's collar and coat, who speaks in four languages, clamors to vote, reads Bernard Shaw and is smart as a whip and is thin in the middle and is straight in the hip. A fig for the child-like, ingenious doll. We do not want any of that sort at all. Give us a woman in step with her day, who has put the old Puritan business away; one who is lovely and earned and sweet, and a lady withal from her head to her feet—a woman who's made of what men are made of. A fig for Priscilla, who did very well when the country was young and a vision of hell was a very good thing for the pro-

vincial mind. Give us the twentieth century kind, who don't discount us coming around with the virtues of Mrs. Pro-metheus bound. Give us a club woman loaded with brains, or give us a suffragist, smashing her panes; give us the girl who exhibits a worth the new kind of the new kind—the hope of the earth.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

INSIDE HISTORY OF BUNKER HILL GUN

It Was Taken to Quebec by Major Tapp Whose Grandfather Got It From British Government

Col. J. L. Herbert Nelson, president of the Quebec Literary and Historical Society, tells the story of the Bunker Hill gun at Quebec citadel as follows: "The real story of this piece of cannon appears to be unknown. I am of the few remaining who do know its history, and therefore feel justified in making the following statement concerning it: "On the 4th of November, 1871 Capt. C. E. Montizambert, Quebec Garrison Artillery, and I were commissioned to recruit B Battery C.A. (the first of the permanent corps) and at the same time to take charge of all the military buildings and stores, transferred to the militia department when the last of the imperial garrison sailed from Quebec on 6th of November. Among a multitude of obsolete materials we noted this strange bronze gun in the sheds in rear of the present R.C.R. quarters on St. George street. A few days later Major W. H. Tapp, a retired British officer, whom we both knew, came to us, claiming that this bronze gun was his personal property, that it had been an heirloom in his family for about a century; that being determined to fix himself permanently in Quebec he had caused the gun to be brought from his home in England, and that pending the creation of a new home here he had requested one of the military storekeepers to house it where we found it. He asked us to take charge of it until such time as he would claim it. He further volunteered the statement that the gun had formed part of the armament of an American ship of war or privateer captured off the harbor of Boston in the early days of the Revolutionary war by his grandfather, then an officer in the Royal navy. This officer had either received the gun as a reward or kept it as a legitimate loot.

"During the summer of 1872, our new commandant, Lt.-Col. T. B. Strange, R.A., caused the gun to be mounted on an improvised carriage in the centre of the Citadel square, in the exact position it now occupies. "In May, 1875, being on leave of absence, I visited the United States and among other cities Boston, and among its sights, the Bunker Hill monument. At the summit of this monument, reached by a long flight of stairs, is a quadrangular chamber. To my surprise I found affixed to the walls two bronze guns of the exact size and appearance of our Citadel gun. A third monument also affixed to the walls. One of these was an inscription to the commonwealth of Massachusetts, that the bronze guns were cast by order of the state during the war of Independence. Two of these were intact at the close of the war—the third exploded, (hence the fragments) and that the fourth had completely disappeared.

"There could be no doubt that Major Tapp's gun was the same as the one referred to in this inscription. It exactly corresponds to its fellows in size and above all by the embossed oval escutcheon with the arms of Massachusetts—an Indian holding a bow above a lone star. "I mentioned these facts to my brother officers after my return and I think gave the information to at least one of the Quebec papers of that year, 1875. Up to 1877 there was no inscription whatever on the gun itself. That year and the year following I was on service in England. After my return I noticed for the first time that the inscription, which still exists, had been deeply cut into the metal of the gun. I observed to Colonel Strange that there was no proof that this gun had ever been used and captured at the battle of Bunker's Hill, in fact the inscription was at variance with Major Tapp's first statement to Montizambert and I. He replied laughing, 'What does it matter? No one will be the wiser, but it will tickle the fancy of our American visitors.' "Whether Major Tapp gave his consent to this inscription I never heard. In 1880—when B Battery C.A., was transferred to Kingston, we left the custody of the gun to the incoming garrison.

"Major William Hotaro Tapp never created for himself a home in Quebec, he resided with a private family at Mount Pleasant. Probably for this reason he never claimed the gun."

In connection with the controversy over the old cannon which for years has been an object of interest to tourists of Quebec, it is interesting to note the manner in which McLaughlin, the American historian sums up the story of the battle of Bunker Hill, which occurred June 17, 1775. "The world knows the result," he writes. "Beaten back in two desperate assaults, the British finally captured the redoubt when the provincials had run out of ammunition. It was a victory dearly bought, and though the Americans were for the moment overcome by mortification, their brave resistance to disciplined troops was of great moral effect."

Fact and Legend Re the Blarney Stone

Which Winston Churchill Lately Kissed The actual kissing of the Blarney stone by Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, while on a recent visit to the beautiful Killarney Lakes district, has sent thousands of people to their books of reference to find out just what it means. The medley of authorities that has been produced is decidedly confusing. One fact seems to be established and it is that the tradition of the Blarney stone is surrounded by a vagueness of detail characteristic of its origin and in keeping with the ornamental trappings that one story acquired in the course of the ages. We are on safe ground so far as the facts about the castle go.

Blarney is a village four miles north west of Cork, with 800 inhabitants. It is situated on the Blarney River and has some celebrity for its tweeds; but the castle and its stone are, of course, the glory of the place. The castle is little more than a square tower 120 feet high, with mahicolated battlements and it was the stronghold of the McCarthys.

The famous stones of triangular shape and is lowered from the north angle of the castle, about twenty feet from the top. It bears the following inscription: Cormac McCarthy Fortis Me Pieri Fecit. A. D. 1446.

How the stone acquired its widespread renown is disputed, but the version given by Wheeler's "Familiar Allusions" holds the field, probably because it is the only connected story offering anything like an explanation.

When or how it first got its singular reputation is not known, but the superstition concerning it is firmly fixed in the minds of the Irish peasantry, hundreds of whom resort to the castle every year for the purpose of kissing a stone endowed with a property so marvellous.

The story runs that in 1602 Cormac McCarthy, the lord of Castle Blarney, concluded an armistice with Carew, the Lord Resident, on condition of surrendering the fortress to the English garrison; but whenever the fulfilment of his pledges was demanded, he invented some smooth and plausible excuse for delay, till Carew became the laughing stock of Elizabeth's Ministers.

Blarney a Soft Insinuating Word. "Thus," says Wheeler, "the term 'Blarney' became a byword and was used to denote a soft, insinuating and deceitful manner of speech."

It is said that Queen Elizabeth herself was the first to use the phrase "It is all Blarney."

The reference authorities thus describe the virtue that follows the kissing of the stone: Dr. Brewer's "Dictionary of Phrase and Fable": "Whoever does this shall be able to persuade to anything."

Wheeler's "Familiar Allusions": "The power of imparting to any one who kisses it a fluent, persuasive and not over honest tongue."

Farmer and Henley's "Slang Dictionary": "Blandishment, soft speech, or sawder, gross flattery, gammon." Dixon's "Dictionary of Idiomatic Phrases": "To be full of flattery and persuasive language"

Trench H. Johnson's "Phrases and Names": "Snaive speeches intended only

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some feet from the top. "Encyclopedic Dictionary": "This, no doubt, is the stone that Mr. Churchill kissed, and in order to do so it is necessary "to lie on your back over the machicolation." Others maintain that this is not the stone at all, but that the right stone lies loose on the ground.

It is reported that Mr. Churchill is coming to Canada in the autumn.

There is a stone there That whoever kisses, O, he never misses To grow eloquent, Don't hope to hinder him Or to bewilder him Sure he's a pilgrim From the Blarney Stone.

Samuel Lover has also written about the Blarney Stone. The best known verse is:

O say, would you find this same "Blarney?" There's a castle not far from Killarney, On the top of its wall (But take care you don't fall) There's a stone that contains all this Blarney, Like a magnet its influence such is, That attraction it gives all it touches; If you kiss it, they say, From that blessed day, You may kiss whom you please with your Blarney.

The exact position of the stone is an other matter of considerable dispute, and the doubt is much too remunerative to be disposed of.

The general supposition is that the stone is one fixed by iron to the parapet of the large square tower which used to be the donjon or keep of the castle

received a severe set-back, it is hoped, in the sentences of five years imposed on Mary Leigh and Gladys Evans of Dublin. These were the women whose acts of criminal destructiveness marked the visit of Premier Asquith to the Irish capital recently. Mrs. Leigh threw a hatchet at Mr. Asquith's carriage and wounded Mr. E. Redmond, the Irish leader. Miss Evans attempted to set fire to the Royal, in which Mr. Asquith intended to speak the following day. Mrs. Leigh's long record of suffragette will now be a little less.

Historic Mansion Passes Ontario's old Government House, the historic building in which the Lieutenant-Governors of the Province have lived for many years during their various terms of office, was sold by tender to a contractor for \$2,750, to be torn down and be removed, in order to make room for railway yards. Besides the building materials contained in the house itself there were old carvings of considerable value.

Clergymen are being criticized for dabbling in real estate. Those who criticize may be of the class who contribute nothing to the preacher's salary.

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Personals.

Mrs. Ella J. Moore of St. Stephen, announces the engagement of her daughter, Sara E. Moore, to George F. Manning of St. George, the marriage to take place early in September.

A. C. Toy left on Monday for St. John to attend the yearly session of the Masonic Grand Lodge held there during the week, he is expected home today.

Saml. Woodbury, a native and former resident of this town who left here about 62 years ago and has since lived in different places of the Maritime Provinces and is now a resident of Sussex has been the guest of his nephew Alfred Mesley during the week. Mr. Woodbury who is in his 88th year has the appearance and activity of a man of 65, and after his long absence, there is not one of his old acquaintances left.

Vernon Mealey of Winnipeg, Man., is visiting friends in town guest of his aunt Mrs. John Doyle.

Miss Randall who has been a guest at the Victoria for the past two months left on Monday.

Rev. Donald Fraser and family have been the guest of Mrs. Frazer's parents Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Brien for the past week, the Reverend gentlemen occupied the pulpit of his old charge the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening.

Congratulations are in order at the H. R. Lawrence on the arrival daughter last Friday.

McKay who has been seriously past few months, we are port as improving having it up on Tuesday for the trial weeks.

Boston who has been hos. Spinney for the Monday for a short

son Clark's wife, old West St. John, now of Boston, guests of his nephew J. Saiton for a few days this week, leaving Wednesday for Westfield where they are visiting.

Geo. P. Taylor of Los Angeles, Cal., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. J. K. Taylor, West St. John, and his cousin Miss M. Taylor, Yarmouth, have been visiting with his brother Dr. Taylor, M. P. P., during the week.

Edw. Oliver a d wife left on Monday for their future home at St. John's Ore., all wish him success in his new venture.

D. Bassen spent two days at his home here during the week.

Mrs. G. S. Sherman is visiting with her brother Geo. McCallum this week, they and a few friends held a picnic at Canal Point Wednesday evening going by motor boat.

Miss Jace McCallum is visiting with friends at Elmville.

Mrs. John D. Long, Bingham Mass., wife of U. S. Secty. of State; Miss Edith Hoyt, Washington, D. C.; Miss Bertha Peire and T. P. Long Bingham, Mass., who are summering at the Algonquin, motored here on Friday of last week ordered dinner at the Victoria and drove round Back Bay and Letete, remaining here for their dinner. They intend to return here some day and drive down to Beaver Harbor etc.

Chas. Miliken now of Lowell Mass., is visiting with his brother Jesse Miliken and other relatives.

Miss Winnie Linton of Ottawa who has been the guest of her cousin Mrs. Chas. Craig for the past week, returned to her home Thursday, Mr. Pratt also returned with her.

Mayor Greason and daughter left on Wednesday for a trip to Otterburn Man., for a visit to his sister Mrs. Alex. McViccar, he will also visit other places enroute.

Mrs. J. H. Brown is visiting relatives at Dipper Harbor and St. John this week.

Arthur Curran left on Tuesday by Harvesters' Excursion for Vancouver, B. C., where he has two cousins living and also an uncle at New Westminster.

Among those registering at the Victoria during the week were: G. I. Higgins, S. J. Ritchey, F. H. Tingley, D. A. McDonald, J. S. Parker, L. E. Toole, A. Morrissey, St. John; W. S. Whittaker, Ottawa; J. P. Calder, Campbell; B. C.

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Mrs. Harry Chaffey, Mrs. Frank Chaffey and Mrs. J. Kay arrived here to attend the funeral of their mother Mrs. Thos. Magowan.

Rev. Mr. Brown and wife of Beaver Harbor were in town on Thursday.

Ira Getten left on Thursday for a few days trip to Montreal and other places.

Dr. Taylor entertained his cousin Miss Taylor of Yarmouth, Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Clark and other friends to a motor boat sail to St. Andrews on Thursday.

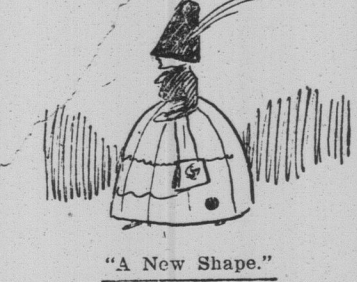
D. E. Russell and Dr. Russell and their families who have been summering here for the past two months will leave for their homes in Buffalo to-day.

Surveyor Genl. Grimm e was in town Wednesday and reported that the bad places in the bog on the St. John real would be repaired at once.

"What a shame, to think of them digging up earth in that way!" "What do ye mane?" asked his companion. "Well," said the other, "that machine is taking the bread out of the mouths of hundreds of laborers who could do their work with their picks and shovels."

"Right you are, Barney," said the other fellow. "Just then a man who had been looking on remarked:—"Look here, you fellows, if that digging would give work to a hundred men with shovels and picks, why not get a thousand men with their picks and shovels to do the job?"

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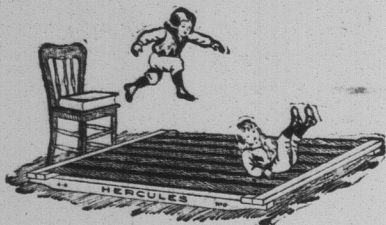
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The auction over, building began with a rush. The great difficulty lay in securing needful supplies of lumber and other material. Every available workman was pressed into service, the one qualification being ability to use a saw and a hammer. In spite of many difficulties, construction made rapid headway and by Christmas a pretentious village graced the commanding slope. Municipal organization had also been effected, a school board chosen, teaching commenced, church services inaugurated, a curling rink opened, a daily eight-page paper established, and other enterprises set on foot. The first weeks were a marvel of development. Winter, keen and cold, stayed

at the first anniversary, then, Kerrobert stands a town of 600 people on a rising slope midway between Outlook and Macklin, and thirty six miles from the Alberta border. Pretentious avenues, no less than Railway Atlantic, Pacific, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, etc., parallel the railway track up the slope. The railway plans great things, as its twenty five sidings, seventeen miles of local track and new branches now building thitherward indicate. Early in November the formal incorporation as a town will be made, while at this moment of writing a delegation is at Regina to urge upon the Provincial Government the importance of making it a judicial centre. The people are intelligent and progressive, many of them having been engaged in travelling and professional work in the east. The surrounding country has fine farming land, so that, altogether, the growth of the town at a thousand a year for some years is a prophecy which may be verified.

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Valuable Collection Presented to Toronto University

A valuable collection of Ontario plants has been presented to the Department of Botany of the University of Toronto by Principal William Scott of the Normal School. There are about 5,000 sheets in all, thoroughly representative of the flora of certain parts of the Province, particularly of the east and central south. This collection embodies the work of many years, done by Principal Scott during the recreation hours of his busy life. As Principal Scott is known to be a careful collector and a discriminating botanist, this latest contribution adds much to the working store of Ontario plants in the herbarium of the University.

OLD PERUVIAN MINE

Source of Incas' Precious Stones Found by Greek Tavern-keeper

According to C. R. Kehler, a noted mining engineer, who has made a survey of the Andean gold belt throughout Peru, the principal source of the wealth of precious stones of the Incas may have been revealed near the little town of Acornayo, in Southern Peru. A Greek tavern-keeper named Kalafatovich has discovered an emerald mine which bears evidence of having been worked by the ancient Peruvians, about one mile from Lake Pomahuasi, on the river forming

the subject of this issue, the stones sent to Lima show them to be of the finest quality.

The tavern-keeper discovered the first emerald while watching his Indian workmen digging in the old excavation for material for lime. In three oblong pockets were found many stones, one of which weighed nearly 200 carats in its rough state. Kalafatovich had given an option to a London syndicate, but the Government has asserted the right to take over the mine by paying an equitable price to the discoverer, and to work the mine itself or lease it to private individuals. Kehler says the discovery of the emerald deposit is one of the most important ever made in the world.



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Paying Cash Pays!

Running an account is very convenient at times, we readily admit; but you must have observed that when you run an account, you are very apt to buy many a thing you would go without if you were paying cash - things no doubt you could easily dispense with, without injury to yourself or family. And when those extra things come to be paid for - maybe you must then deprive yourself of other things that you actually need or at least go without them for a time, now "Paying Cash" enables you if you want to, to save money. Its very easy to "Charge the Goods" Its not so easy to "Discharge the Debt." So for economy's sake "Pay Cash" And since we have adopted this Cash System we find it moving very satisfactory both to our customers and ourselves, your money will buy you "Better Goods and More of Them" than if we were making bad bills by reckless credit giving.

ANDREW McGEE - - Back Bay

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Charlotte County Exhibition At St Stephen, N. B. Sept., 10, 11, 12 & 13, 1912

Agriculture, Horticulture, Live Stock,
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Special Attractions on the Midway!

Governor's Day, Wed. Sept. 11,
Fast Horse Racing and other Amusements

Excursion Rates on all Lines
KEEP THE DATES IN MIND!

W. S. Stevens, Secretary.

LELETE

Mr. and Mrs. Adams and Miss Flossie Frye of Boston are guests of Misses McMahon.

Mrs. Wilson Wentworth went to St. George Friday to meet Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin and son Healey of Ansonia Conn., who made a short visit with her sister Mrs. Wm. Tucker and friends.

Mrs. Simeon Tucker and Mrs. H. O. Chubb went to St. George on Friday.

Mr. Spear and son of St. George took dinner Thursday with H. O. Chubb.

H. O. Chubb is getting ready to build the cellar wall for the new house to be erected by Geo. Chubb.

Mrs. Hattie Robinson of Boston arrived Saturday and is the guest of Mrs. Edw. McNichol.

Miss Stuart of St. George and Miss North of Welchpool have arrived and opened the schools Monday.

Mrs. T. E. Tucker returned on Monday from a visit with her son Clarence at

Campobello.

Mrs. Clarence Tucker and daughter Mrs. Oscar Mathews and three children of Campobello and Mrs. Albert William of Waterville were calling on friends on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Armstrong, St. George is staying with Mrs. Herold McNichol who is confined to the house by illness.

J. A. Smith of Cambridge arrived on Tuesday to make a short visit with his family who are summering here.

Miss Ethel McNichol and Andrew Hickey took tea with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Chubb Sunday.

Mrs. George Mathews and son were guests of Mrs. Hickey at Letang Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Luther Brown and children of Campobello have been visiting Mrs. Neil Seelye.

(From Another Correspondent)

Rev. E. E. Davidson returned to Deer Island Thursday after holding a two

week's meeting with the churches at Letete and Back Bay, while at Letete he was entertained at the home of W. Wentworth.

Mrs. Lomer and sister Miss Mabel Simpson were calling on friends in the lower part of the settlement Wednesday.

H. V. McLaughlin, wife and child left for their home in Ansonia, Conn., Monday after spending a few days here with friends on their return from Albert Co.

Mrs. G. N. Stevenson nee Miss McKenzie and little daughter Lois returned to Milltown after visiting at the home of Mrs. Wentworth, from Milltown, she will join her husband at Sprague N. Y., where he enters upon his new field of labor the first Sunday of September, we all wish them success in their new home.

Quite a number of the young folks were disappointed in not having ice cream served at Fred McLean's on account of storm.

Miss Clara Dines is kept well occupied at home attending to quite a sick member, we hope for speedy recovery.

Miss Stewart arrived Sunday afternoon from St. George to take charge of the school this term, Miss North arrived Monday from Campobello to teach the lower grades.

Mrs. Lomer and children left for their home in Boston Friday after spending two weeks here with friends.

W. R. Wentworth has been laid by with a lame back the past week but is able to be out again now but not quite as nimble as of old.

Mr. Smith arrived from Boston Thursday to join his family that have been spending the summer months here.

Mrs. Robinson of Boston and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Tucker are visitors at the home of E. McNichol.

Mrs. Hattie Mathews went to St. Andrews Monday for a few weeks.

The Mr. Connors Bros. had quite a number of passengers from Letete to St. Andrews Monday.

Fred Wentworth returned Tuesday from a week with Mrs. George Blais at Bay Side.

A number of our young folks leave for Normal School the last of the week, may succeed after their studies.

E. Davidson will hold meetings with the church at Back Bay Saturday evening Aug. 31st.

Miss Millie Dick leaves for Boston on Friday to enter upon her duties again after a few weeks' visit with her mother Mrs. Stephen Dick.

MASCARENE

Mrs. McLean of St. George spent Monday with Mrs. P. L. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Newham and children and Mrs. Joseph McMann of Letete visited Mrs. Frank Leland Monday afternoon.

School opened Monday with Miss Lilian Lord of Deer Island as teacher.

Messrs Arthur and Roland Mathews of Letete spent an evening recently with R. Burgess.

Mr. Vail of Woodstock is visiting at P. L. Camerons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Leland of Calithness and Mrs. Oliver Adams of Deer Island spent a day recently at their old home here.

Mrs. Beaton and children returned to their home in New York Friday. Misses Pheasant and Christie accompanied them as far as Eastport returning the same day.

Wm. Mitchell of Back Bay made a few calls here one day this week. We are all glad to see Mrs. Hilyard out again after her recent illness.

Religions Of Australia.

Australia's religious census returns have just been published by the Federal Statistician. 1,700,443 citizens of the Commonwealth write themselves down as members of the Church of England. Roman Catholics come next, with 921,425, plus 75,379 Catholics without prefix. Presbyterians are third with 547,896. The Unitarians and the Lutherans are on the down grade. There are 17,287 Jews and 13,818 Mohammedans in Australia; 9,251 confessed "no religion" and 83,000 objected to state. 516 men and 63 women frankly avowed themselves Atheists.

This business of moving things back an hour is a great one. It does the hi

Many of our people complain of the wet weather we have been having during the past two months, but our little losses and inconveniences sink into insignificance when compared to what other places have been suffering. The latest to hear from is England where an immense loss and damage has been sustained by heavy and continuous rains. Crops worth millions of dollars have been destroyed, buildings bridges and other public and private property has suffered to a large extent and latest estimates of losses put it at about a quarter of a billion dollars, the farming interests alone suffering to the extent of a \$100,000,000 with the rain still falling.

BACK BAY

Miss Hazel Dines, of Letete, was the guest of her sister Mrs. S. Leavitt for a few days last week.

Mrs. Wm. Mitchell was the guest of her daughter at Beaver Har. last week. Misses Maggie Miliken and Ethel Spiny were calling on Mrs. Seymour Leavitt one day last week.

Jas. Quigley of Eastport is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Seymour Leavitt and Miss Hazel Dines called on friends Saturday evening. Wentworth and James Quigley were calling on friends Sunday.

Mae Epps of St. George returned home Sunday after spending two weeks here. Miss Olive Mitchell passed through here Saturday enroute to Kimsville.

Wm. McMahon of Letete called here Saturday evening.

Capt. Ruben Cook and a number of friends spent one day last week in St. Andrews.

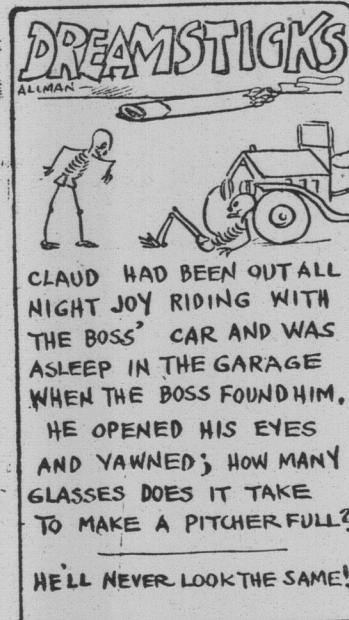
Judson Kinney and Willis Phinney spent Sunday at their homes here.

Elgin McNichol Letete made a business call here Tuesday.

Miss Amanda Kinney is the guest of Mrs. Allie Kinney.

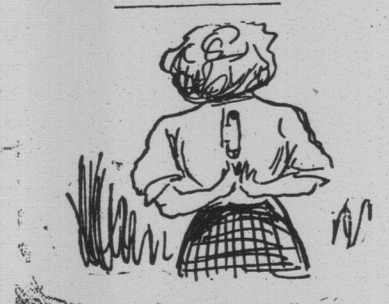
A Toronto paper devotes half a column to stinging the praises of feed tea. But he went out after he had written it and ordered a strawberry annulee or something else.

It would be better if the simple methods of years ago were observed, when our grandmothers vied with each other in giving the public the best commodity their rhurns could produce.



A BILL FILE

Agent—"I have here a small device that will enable you to save at least two-thirds of your coal bills."
Mr. Sharpe—"What is it, a bill file?"



"Bacillus glycoabacter" is the name of the newest advance agent of longevity, which has had many names since men began to dally with retorts, test tubes and germs.

In nature's economy provision has been made only for a straight quid pro quo. What she gives us she expects us to pay for, what we pay for she is ready and willing to give us.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Rev. W. H. Johnson of Jacksonville Car. Co. will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday.

The evening service of St. Mark's Church in future will be at 7 p. m. and the Sunday School hour will be at 2 p. m. instead of 10 a. m.

For Boys school suits and for school shoes you should note the Low Prices at Bassen's. It will be a saving for you.

H. H. Goodnow and wife left on Monday for Boston. The estate has been left by them in charge of Levi W. Goodiehl, Town Marshall.

We want all the Choice Print Butter and Fresh Eggs we can buy. Will pay cash if preferred. H. McGrattan & Sons.

Camp Utopia will break up on the 3rd of September, quite a few of the boys left for their home during the past week.

Mr. Bassen took acct of Fall and winter stock, lots of it. It has to go The Small and Low Prices will move them.

Gen. McCracken held a social dance at Pennfield Wednesday evening about 20 attended from this town and quite a number of the young folks of Pennfield also attended.

The Citizens Band gave a very acceptable programme on the Band Stand Monday evening. The cool evenings will before many weeks spoil that amusement for the town.

The Cornet Band have secured the Viking for their excursion to Calais on Monday and will leave the wharf here at 6.30 A. M. that day, if weather is fine this will make a delightful day's outing.

The Rev. A. W. Mahon pastor of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church has resigned the pastorate of that church on account of ill health much to the sorrow of his parishioners. He will for a time visit with his brother at Sydney C. B. after which his plans are uncertain.

The Cornet Band will go to Woodland, Me on Monday to help our American cousins of that place celebrate, if the Viking (which is being repaired and having a new boiler installed at St. John) is ready in time the band will hold an excursion to Calais thence to Woodland by train.

The schools opened on Monday with Principal W. McL. Barker in charge. Miss Magowan and Miss Sweeney retain their former rooms, while Miss Burpee of Nashwakis takes the room in charge of Miss Spencer last term and Miss McCaffery who taught at Letete last season takes the room vacated by Miss Moore.

The dredge Beacon Bar and tug Lord Wolsley which have been working at St. Stephen and St. Andrews for some months past, arrived in port on Wednesday about noon. We understand she will continue the deepening of the channel from about 1000 yards above Silver Island up into the harbor which was commenced some 4 years ago. When completed the channel will be 8 ft. deep by 75 ft. wide and will be of great advantage to the town, as all the schooners can then come in while she is at any time and the Connors Bros. could come in at any time within an hour of lowest tide.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY EXHIBITION.—Since the last issue of our paper the management of the Charlotte County Exhibition, has succeeded in adding to the already

list of events, the famous "Curzon" or better known as the "Butter-Fly Girls." This attraction has been secured under great difficulties, as there has been many other performed by two ladies, who will do several marvelous stunts, while in the air 50 feet high. Their concluding features will be a "Skirt Dance." This will be performed on the Exhibition grounds, twice daily.

Five different bands of Music have been engaged. The last day of the Fair the "Scottish Pipe Band" of St. John, will be in attendance.

There have been forty-one Horses entered in the Horse racing and some speedy ones are among the list.

The Midway will be alive with unforeseen attractions.

The different departments of the Exhibition have been well filled and a good show, is without a doubt, assured.

Excursion rates have been obtained on the different railroads and Steam Boats. The Henry F. Eaton will bring an excursion from St. Andrews, under the auspices of the St. Andrews band. The fare for the round trip will be only 50c. This will give you nearly all day and part of the evening, which will give you ample time to visit the Midway and see the "Curzon Sisters" perform.

Remember the dates, September 10 to 13.

Obituary.

One of the oldest residents of the town passed to her rest on Tuesday about 2 p. m. in the person of Margaret, wife of Thos. Magowan at the well advanced age of 76 years, she was formerly Miss Margaret Bowdoin and was born at Second Falls in 1836 and was married in 1860, the family gathered at her home May 14th and celebrated her Golden Wedding Anniversary.

She had been in poor health for had several periods of serious illness during the past few years, so her death while not unexpected, suddenly at the last.

Beside the sorrowing husband is survived by four daughters Harry Chaffey and Mrs. John Indian Island, Mrs. Frank Chaffey Letang, Mrs. John C. O'Brien of this town and two sons Harry of West Berlin Ver., and Hazen at home also one sister Mrs. Elizabeth Miliken of St. George and one brother Edw. Bowdoin of Second Falls, all of whom have the sincerest sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

The funeral services took place on Thursday from her late residence and were conducted by the Rev. E. Thorpe.

Word was received here last week of the sad drowning of Judson McDougall on August 17th at Webster, Mass., at the early age of 29 years, 3 months and 26 days. The remains were brought here for interment by his wife and sister Mrs. Chas. W. Nource of Marlboro, Mass., arriving here on Tuesday last week they left again for their home on Friday.

Deceased was returning from a fishing trip on Webster Lake with one companion and their boat was run to by a motor boat, he falling into water sinking immediately and raising as usual, in such a condition and death is supposed to have been from the shock. Beside his wife deceased is survived by his mother Cathness, four sisters Mrs. E. Flynn, Red Beach, Me, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Bonny River, Mrs. Chas. W. Nource, Marlboro Mass., and Mrs. Angus McVicar, St. George, and five brothers George, John J., Ernest and Allan of St. George and Peter in Australia, all of whom have the sympathy of the community in their sad and sudden bereavement.

Deceased had been away from here for about 11 years.

Russell Hanson who has been ill with that dread disease Cancer for some years and in a very serious condition for the past 6 or 8 months died Thursday morning which came as a relief to him from intense suffering.

He has been a highly respected resident of St. George for about 20 years.