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Collector's Notice.

1898. The undersigned non-resident ratepayers of the Parish of Johnston County of Queens are hereby notified that unless the amount of their respective Rates and Taxes as set opposite their names together with the cost of advertising (25 cents each) are paid within two months from the date hereof to the Collector of Rates for the said Parish for 1898 the necessary legal proceedings will be taken to collect the same.

Table with columns: NAME, Rates and Taxes, Road Taxes, Totals. Lists names like Akersley, Stanley E., Babbington, James, Best, Frances, Barnes, Ephraim, Brown, W. Maslow, Clark, Rev. John A., etc.

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IF THOU HADST NEVER SMILED.

If thou hadst never smiled on me Or fondness for me shown, Despair's dark shadow would not now Around my heart be thrown.

The hopes I cherished long ago, In happy boyhood's years, Have perished—have been washed away By many bitter tears.

Yet still my heart in secret still With fond affection beats, Although we never meet, Again in love may meet.

So fare thee well; the die is cast, Death shall close the scene, But you and I shall never part, The same as we have been. —New York Ledger.

BOILING WATER WITHOUT FIRE.

The Only Trick About It Is to Stir It Long and Hard Enough. It is possible to make a pall of water boil without applying external heat to it in any way. In fact, you can make a pall of water boil by simply stirring it with a wooden paddle.

All you have to do is to place your water in a pall—it may be too water if necessary—and stir it with a wooden paddle. If you keep at it long enough, it will certainly boil. Five hours of constant and rapid stirring are sufficient to perform the feat successfully.

The point which Professor Ames wishes to illustrate is what is known as the mechanical equivalent of heat. It requires just so many foot pounds of work to develop a given quantity of heat. By turning the paddle in the water at a regular speed it is possible to find out just how much work is required to raise the temperature of water one degree. The best measurement so far made, and is in fact the one which is accepted as the standard of the world, is that which was measured in Johns Hopkins university.

Heat is developed in almost any substance which is subjected to continuous or very violent action. It is an old trick for a blacksmith to forge without fire. Long continued and violent hammering on two pieces of iron will heat them to such an extent that they can be welded together. A lead bullet, if shot directly at a stone wall, will develop heat enough by the contact to melt and fall to the ground as a thin mass. There are many other occasions wherein this mechanical development of heat becomes manifest.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Ethics and Business Cashed. "First began my practice," the doctor remarked between the puffs of a cigar, "but I was a more truthful exponent of the law than you are. I had made up my mind that I should not advertise, and I want to tell you how it came out. The proprietor of one of the little papers came to me one day with the remark: 'Doctor, I want a little ad from you for The Weekly Standard.' 'I couldn't do it, my good friend,' I replied, 'for I would be a flagrant violation of professional ethics.' 'What's the rule?' 'Oh, the rule of the profession is to not advertise. I don't care what you use your name in cases where it is called for.' 'Yes, no objection to that.' 'And you'll pay me for it?' 'Not a cent,' I replied, perhaps a bit harshly, for I thought the editor was going to work me.

"Out he went, apparently angry, but I paid no attention to it. One day I was called to see a patient, and in the course of the recovery of a little girl in the town, and at the conclusion was the brief but flattering compliment, 'Dr. Grant is an attendant.' I confess I thought better of the fellow and was pleased. The next week, however, one of my patients died, and at the conclusion of a very pathetic obituary notice was that same line, 'Dr. Grant is an attendant.' You ought to have seen me get to the office and get an advertisement in The Raxoo."—Denver Times.

Eye Language. No part of the human countenance engages our attention so frequently as the eyes. When we face to face conversation, we do not look at the lips—although, as a rule, the attention is very quickly taken by any movement of the mouth. In fact, one usually feels that there is a sense of incompleteness in the association of mind with mind by means of conversation if there is not a continual interchange of glances, making a kind of running commentary on the words spoken. Now, why is there this continual meeting of eyes accompanying all kinds of human intercourse? Partly no doubt it is attributable to certain habits of comparative recent date. The eye, "the window of the soul," is a more truthful exponent of the inward thoughts than the tongue, and, seeing that speech is very frequently used to conceal the truth, but to conceal them, we look to the eye for confirmation or the reverse for what our ears are taking in.—Louis Robinson in Popular Science Monthly.

Furniture Polish. One of the best household floor and furniture polishes comes to us from the Japanese. It consists of one pint each of linseed oil and cold strong tea, the whites of two eggs and two ounces of spirits of salt. Shake well before using. Put a few drops on a pad of soft silk and rub hard, then polish with an old piece of silk. The work is tedious and fatiguing, but the effect is almost equal to new.

Oak Poisoning. Before exposure to poison oak or immediately after poisoning may be avoided by a hot bath in which has been dissolved two tablets of bichloride of mercury. Relief may be obtained after poisoning has occurred by washing the inflamed parts frequently with a strong solution of green soap. After bathing dust with formalin.

Elongated rifle bullets are made from leaden rods. A machine cuts them into the required lengths, stamps them into shape by means of steel dies and drops them finished into a box at the rate of 7,000 an hour. Birds of prey are able to look at the sun without being dazzled because there is a membrane on their eyes which drops their sun down at will. "Spain discovered us." "Yes, and she made a mistake in not keeping posted about us after our discovery."—Chicago Record.

RACCOON RITES.

Their Immersion in Infat. Coons and Their Washing of Food. The coon home at the Cincinnati zoo consists simply of a plot of ground about as large as a barn door of extra generous size would cover. It is surrounded by a wire fence four feet high, topped with a broad up curving top rail, which prevents the little clownlike creatures from escaping.

In the center of this yard is a tree 20 feet high and having many and heavy limbs. Near the base of the tree is a several foot square pool of water. This pool marks two very exclusive, very notable characteristics that distinguish the coon from any other animal. The pool is the coon's christening and food cleansing place.

When a coon gives birth to young, almost the first thing she does is to take her babies one by one in her mouth, and accompanied by the father coon, proceed slowly and solemnly to the pool. Arriving at its brink and while the father coon thoughtfully by the mother baptizes the little one beneath the wave with all the decorum of a Baptist or Episcopalian clergyman immersing a candidate for church membership. After lowering it into the water, the mother coon will lift it up again, Mrs. Coon and her husband wend their way back again to their family corner of the yard. This service, solemn and staid, is continued by Mr. and Mrs. Coon until every mother's son of their just arrived offspring has been duly christened. Viewed soberly, it is really one of the most unique, impressive professional performances imaginable. But the indescribable broadness of the picture made by the wee husband and wife as they go through with the performance is inimitable. If, to the laughter, come to almost every one who witnesses the scene a little bit of drama.

Almost any hour any day in the year you find a group of people tossing bits of goodies to the coon. Upon picking up one of these Mr. or Mrs. Coon instantly, with the goodly daintiness of a lady, teeth, trot over to the pool and washes the morsel back and forth in the water two or three times, then returns to her favorite corner or up to its favorite croch in the tree, the little chap sets to devouring it in a way so devoted that you can see his little paws to the bluish—Cincinnati Enquirer.

LOUISIANA UNDER SNAPE.

How the Office of Hangman in the Colony West Begging. When the court martial that Don Alejandro O'Reilly, the second Spanish governor of Louisiana, in 1769, had organized to convict through a verdict of death against Lafreniere and six of his companions as the leaders of the Louisiana revolution in Louisiana, the first man to be hanged was the colony's O'Reilly sought in vain among the Louisiana men in Louisiana to find a man who would perform the abhorrent work of serving as hangman at the execution of the patriots. Not a man of the colony would accept the call. In this emergency O'Reilly was compelled to assign the congenial task of slaughtering the helpless crocodiles and Frenchmen to regular Spanish soldiers whom he had brought with him from Spain, and instead of being hanged, Lafreniere and the others were shot to death by a platoon of grenadiers in a space of ground near the site of present United States mint in New Orleans, which at that time was in the rear of the military garrison of the post.

The failure of O'Reilly to secure a hangman in the case of these unfortunate men called to mind of old French residents of New Orleans that day the interesting story of an African slave of the Mississippi, who, after 80 years previously had control of the colony of Louisiana under a charter granted by the regent of Orleans. The company offered Jeannot his freedom on condition that he would serve as public hangman of the colony. Jeannot appeared to agree to the proposition, but by afterwards repudiated the bargain. He then sold his right arm with a hatchet. By this self-inflicted mutilation Jeannot avoided the requisite duties of hangman for the colony, but he also lost his opportunity for freedom. However, the agents of the company, not knowing in what way to utilize Jeannot as a laborer, appointed him overseer of all the slaves belonging to it. Poor Jeannot was rewarded for his sacrifice of humanity and conscientiousness by receiving the respect and esteem of all the inhabitants of the colony during the rest of his life.—New Orleans Picayune.

Women and Foreign Travel.

The matter of sex need not affect in the slightest the question of foreign travel. If an American girl wants to study art, music or languages and has the means, there need be the least reason why she should not go alone to Paris or Berlin or Vienna to do it. There is no greater fear of insult abroad than at home. The only difference without escort, but the same thing is true of the larger cities here.

In the mere matter of travel Europe offers far more comfort and convenience than America to women journeying alone or in parties without men. They need never touch their baggage or their trunks. At hotels and railway stations they will always be more courteously treated than men, and that is saying a good deal. And the "unprotected female" needs no protection. English women think nothing of taking their vacations on the continent, and a journey from New York to Los Angeles presents more terrors than one from London to Constantinople or Cairo.—Robert Luce in "Going Abroad."

Oak or Squash.

A student asked the president of Oberlin college if he could not take a shorter course than that prescribed by the institution. "Oh, yes," was the reply, "but that depends upon what you want to make of yourself. When God wants to make an oak he takes 100 years, but when he wants to make a squash he takes six months."—New York Tribune.

One Way to Win Him Back.

Mrs. Triggs—I'm afraid my husband is drifting away from me. What would you do to win him back? Mrs. Paxton (who has had experience)—Give that sore eyed puddle dog of yours away and learn how to get up a square meal once in awhile.—Cleveland Leader.

Authorities differ as to the rate of growth of the human hair, and it is said to be very dissimilar in different individuals. The most usually accepted calculation gives 1/4 inch per annum. Many a French mother buries her own hair and a favorite toy with her dead child "that it may not feel quite alone."

FOR SALE.—District School Assessment Blanks and School Tax Notices for sale at the GAZETTE office.

Equity Sale.

There will be sold at Public Auction on Saturday the twentieth day of August next at 12 o'clock noon at Chubb's Corner—so called—in the City of St. John, pursuant to the directions of a certain decretal order of the Supreme Court in Equity, made on the 17th day of May A. D. 1888 in a certain cause therein depending wherein Francis A. McKinley, executor of the last will and testament of Thomas Reid, deceased, —is Plaintiff and William P. Reid, is defendant, with the approbation of the undersigned Referee in Equity, the lands and premises mentioned in the said Plaintiff's bill and in the said decretal order, and therein described as follows:—All and singular that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Parish of Hamptstead, in Queen's County and bounded and described as follows, viz:—The Southern half part of all that tract of land bounded on the north by the front road, and occupied by James McKinley, on the south by lands owned and occupied by Thomas Reid, deceased by the front road, and westerly by the Gagetown road, the whole of the said tract of land was owned and occupied by the late John B. Reid in his lifetime, and contains four hundred acres,—with all the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging.

For terms of Sale and other particulars apply to the Plaintiff's solicitor or the undersigned Referee. Dated at the City of St. John this 4th day of June A. D. 1888.

E. H. McALPINE, Referee in Equity.

L. A. CURREY, Q. C., Plaintiff's Solicitor.

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Farm for Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale his farm situated at Onabog, containing 90 acres of upland and 20 acres of lowland, the remainder acres under cultivation, the remainder well wooded. There is also a new house on the farm. The farm is well watered by springs. For further information apply to R. S. MAYES, Onabog, or J. W. DICKIE, Gagetown.

Michael T. Coholan,

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A Full Line of Cloths in stock, Perfect Fit Guaranteed,

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A House and Lot at Young's Cove Station. House new, partially finished, 2 1/2 stories. Lot about 1 1/2 acres. 16 fruit trees, young and healthy. Fine site for tradesman. Will be sold at a bargain. Possession given any time. Address, B. W. PARKER, Highfield, Queens Co., N. B.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION,

ST. JOHN, N. B.

SEPTEMBER

13th to 23rd, 1898.

\$13,000 IN PRIZES!

All departments of Prize Lists revised and increased. Large Special Prizes in Live Stock and Dairy Products. Live Stock enters Wednesday 14th leaves Wednesday 21st. GRAND DISPLAY OF THE Forest Life of New Brunswick

Collection of Wild Animals, Birds, Insects, plants and Fungi shown in their natural haunts. Prizes offered for Natural History Collections. Machinery of all kinds in motion—with many Manufacturing Novelties—Prizes offered for Best Manufacturers display.—In addition to the regular prize list there will be County Competitions

Prizes given by the Province of New Brunswick arranged by the Executive Council. \$7000 given in County Prizes for Wheat, Collections of grain and Collections of Fruits, Exhibit of Fish, Fish Products and Appliances. HOLIDAY SEEKERS will find a varying number of attractions in Amusement Hall and in the wonderful performances on the grounds.

NEW GRAND STAND—NEW POULTRY BUILDING—HYGIENIC MARVELS—BAND MUSIC. Excursion Rates from everywhere. The Canadian Pacific Railway will carry Exhibits, under Conditions, practically FREE. For Prize Lists and full information Address, CHAS. A. EVERETT, Manager and Secretary, W. C. FITZFIELD, President.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that under authority of the Act 24 Victoria Chapter 38, the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestry of Trinity Church, in the Parish of Canning, intend to offer for sale, by public auction, on the 20th DAY OF JUNE, at three o'clock in the afternoon, an upset price of \$200, a lot of land owned by the said Corporation, situated at Douglas Harbor, in the Parish of Canning, containing 200 acres more or less, bounded on the one side by Ass Belmain and on the other by John Allen. Sale will take place on the premises. Terms—Cash—10 per cent upon adjunction—balance on giving the deeds. JAMES R. MILLER, Church STEPHEN YEAMANS, J. Wardens.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Dominion Parliament, for the granting of a subsidy to the Central Railway Company on its extension from Newcastle to Gibson, opposite Fredericton, and also for the revocation of the subsidy already granted, between Chipman and Newcastle. E. G. EVANS, Superintendent.

NOTICE.

November 18th, 1897. CROTHERS BROS.' STEAM SAW MILL, Upper Gagetown. Local Sawing done in First Class Shape and at Reasonable Rates. 150 CORDS 4-FOOT SLAB WOOD FOR SALE VERY LOW.

MONCTON

Woolen Mills,

SPRING 1898!

I beg to inform my customers and the public generally that I am again handling the products of the above mill, East of the St. John River. Knowing your requirements I have personally selected the largest assortment ever offered in this county. Comprising New and Nobby Styles as well as the usual Staple Goods, made only of Pure Wool, and at prices I never was in a position to offer before. See our goods and prices before you buy and I feel confident that you will give us the patronage for the coming season that you have so freely bestowed on us in the past. Yours, etc. A. D. McLEAN, Narrows, Queens Co.

Established 1862.

John McCann,

CHEAP GROCERIES

—CONSISTING OF— FLOUR, MEAL, FISH, SPICES OF ALL KINDS, TEA AND COFFEE. Cream Tartar, pure, 24c. per lb. TEA VERY LOW ALSO LIQUORS; (Separate Establishments) INDIANTOWN, N. B.

WANTED.

Two girls to learn the tailoring business. Apply to WILLIAM DEVLAR, Gagetown, N. B.

POOR DOCUMENT

QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE,
JAS. A. STEWART,
Publisher,
GAGETOWN, N. B.

The GAZETTE will be published every Wednesday morning in time for despatch of the earliest mails of the day. Subscription price \$1.00 per year in advance. Advertising rates made known on application. Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths inserted free. Lines accompanying the latter, 5 cents per line.

Queens County Gazette.

GAGETOWN, N. B., AUGUST 17, 1898.

Ashes and Bone Manure.

H. B. P. Havelock, N. B., writes to this paper:

"Give me some information about the use of hardwood ashes; what quantity to use per acre? At what season should they be applied? What crops are they most adapted to? Should they be mixed with other fertilizer, or applied alone?"

What is best manure good for? What crops are best suited to its use and how should it be applied? Please give me an answer covering the above questions.

Wood ashes are found practically to be a quick and effective fertilizer on most soils and few mistakes can be made in their use when they can be secured at less than 15 or 20 cents a bushel. To go into the question of quantity to be applied, requires some investigation into the nature of the soil and the crop. We cannot analyze our soils chemically but we can by a little careful work ask them what they contain and what we can best apply to them, to insure a good crop. Soils contain as a rule an abundance of plant food if it could only be made available and herein lies one of the values of ashes; that the caustic lime that is in them tends to make available some of the plant food.

Then the tining of the soil by thorough pulverization has much to do with securing the availability of fertility and this is a lesson which the majority of Maritime farmers are greatly in need of learning. But to come directly to the use of ashes. How much shall we use? Well not more than a crop will require. An acre of buckwheat yielding 30 bushels of grain and 2,400 bushels of straw per acre will contain about 53 lbs. nitrogen, 21 lbs. of phosphoric acid and 60 lbs. potash. An acre of mixed hay, 24 tons, 70 lbs. nitrogen, 17.5 lbs. phosphoric acid and 77 lbs. potash. An acre of turnips 700 bus. 89 lbs. nitrogen, 52 pounds phosphoric acid, and 180 pounds potash.

On hundred pounds of hardwood ashes carefully preserved will contain about 10 lbs. potash, for a crop of buckwheat then an approximate guide would be, enough ashes to supply 60 lbs of potash or 600 lbs. of ashes scattered between 5 and 6 barrels. Hay would take a top dressing a little heavier and turnips still more. Of course this hint we give is not an absolute guide, as there may be large stores of potash in the soil which good tillage and the application of ashes, lime and gypsum would make available, and if that supply of potash were suspected as it could be all through Northern New Brunswick we would advise less ashes and more lime. It must be remembered however, that ashes are not a complete fertilizer and if the land was real poor and lacking in nitrogen, and phosphoric acid as well we should have to apply these elements in some form. The editor of the Farmer for two years raised very fair crops of potatoes and garden stuff upon an old soil that had been cutting hay for a great number of years and was supposed to be rather leachy and poor, by turning under the sod and applying ashes and Thomas Phosphate. The decaying sod supplied nitrogen, the ashes supplied the potash and the phosphate powder the phosphoric acid. Bone meal on some lands is always preferable to the Thomas phosphate powder. Ashes have the good effect on light soils of making them stiffer, and they are not generally necessary upon heavy clays, as there is plenty of potash in the clay, and their mechanical effect is bad. It is of no use to put ashes or anything else on wet land. Drainage and cultivation precede all successful farm operations. They are best applied at the time of planting or sowing the crop, or on the aftermath, they should never be mixed with animal droppings and are best applied alone.

HEN MANURE.

This valuable fertilizer is very rich in nitrogen and is a good supplement to ashes and bone meal or Thomas phosphate. Every 100 lbs. of fresh manure from chickens will contain about 1.6 pounds of nitrogen, 1.8 pounds phosphoric acid, and 8 pounds potash, while the dry well preserved droppings, will contain fully three times that proportion of nitrogen. Lots of dry earth should be used in the hen house to preserve the droppings. There is no other absorbent as good. It can be applied to almost any soil, and when properly mixed with earth will be a comparatively bulky manure, and may be applied at the rate of several tons to the acre. Hen manure if allowed to lie under the roots and heat parts with almost all its nitrogen, becomes nearly valueless. Hen manure in a concentrated form is a splendid application for cabbages and

cauliflowers, etc., but we would strongly advise mixing it with dry earth and using it as a general manure.—Co-Operative Farmer.

ST. JOHN LETTER.

Kansas, it is said, has a spring that spouts water that both cheers and inebriates; California has a soap mine and Kentucky a cave several miles in extent that is full of fat porkers. Somewhere in the west a white earth has been discovered that is used extensively in the adulteration of wheat flour and it is as nutritious as the flour itself. One cannot but wonder if these things have always existed, or is it nature, like an elder Edison, busy at work in her laboratory and from time to time turning out new things with which to astonish mankind.

Springs of champagne and whiskey ought not to surprise us any more than natural gas and petroleum surprised our grandfathers. We expect everything while they expected nothing with which they were unfamiliar.

A shark, 15 feet long, that had followed a small boat several miles, was killed near Quaco recently.

Alfred M. Rowan, formerly of this city was killed at Newport a few days ago by the accidental discharge of a pistol. He was first assistant engineer on the steamer City of Everett.

Upwards of 300 tourists bound for P. E. Island and Cape Breton were in the city one day last week.

The wife of Ex-mayor Charles K. Ray, formerly of this city, died in New York a few days ago. Her remains were brought here for burial.

One of the crew of the steamer Belfast, lying in this harbor, fell overboard last Wednesday, and was drowned.

The Knights of Pythias, led by the artillery band and two batteries loaded with flowers marched to Fernhill last Thursday and decorated the graves of their deceased brethren, a short prayer being made at every grave. The ceremony at Fern Square was very touching and consisted of singing, Scripture reading by Knight Thorne, oration by Supreme Master-at-Arms Moulton, prayer and the doxology. Mr. Moulton closed his impressive address by reading a poem by H. L. Spencer of the Gazette editorial staff. About 2000 people were present and many graves were decorated other than those of the Knights. Superintendent Clayton's arrangements for the occasion were perfect.

All grades of sugar are 1-16 cent higher than last week. Ontario flours are 10 cents lower; Manitoba are unchanged. Dry fish are scarce and higher; medium cod \$3.35, large \$3.50, and pollock, \$1.40 per 100 pounds. Eggs are scarce at 11 cents.

EDWARD EDWARDS.

St. John, Aug. 15th.

Fraud Unmasked and Exposed

For some years the ladies of Canada have suffered much loss and inconvenience from the use of deceptive dyes put up to look like the popular Diamond Dyes. These imitation package dyes were sold at very low prices to retail merchants, who in turn made immense profit on them when sold to women who were unfortunately influenced to buy them. These imitations of Diamond Dyes were never sold more than once to any woman. They possessed no foundation qualities or good points to make them valuable or popular. They were made of the cheapest ingredients, the colors were dead, muddy and unsightly, and they ruined all materials they came in contact with. These common dyes are now so despised and shunned that storekeepers are glad to sell them at half price to be rid of them.

Canada's International Exhibition

In all departments and classes where premiums are offered, entries will close on Monday, August 29th, fourteen days before the opening of the Exhibition. Entries received after that date, will pay increased fees. The application of this rule will be general throughout all the departments, being necessary to enable the Board to know in advance what exhibits to expect, and on account of the difficulty and increased cost of putting Late Entries through the books. Entry blanks, properly ruled, for entries will be found in the Prize List.

The Association is now erecting a new and large poultry building, on lots recently purchased by them, accommodation for 1500 birds. Exhibitors are requested to make their coops as neatly as possible,—60 inches in length and height and 24 inches in depth from front to rear. The poultry department will not be neglected; last year over 1000 birds were entered for competition, the show of last year will be surpassed at this exhibition. The premium books call for all the standard varieties of poultry, water fowl, and pet stock. This is a most interesting department and will be so attractively arranged as to enable visitors to see and examine everything in the poultry line.

The following expert judges have been selected for service, at Canada's International Sixth Annual Fair, to be held in

St. John N. B. September 13th to 23rd, in the following departments: horses, Dr. Geo. M. Twitchell, Augusta, Maine; beef breeds of cattle, J. C. Snell, Snelgrove, Ont.; dairy breeds of cattle, Robert Reesor, Locust Hill, Ont.; sheep and swine, J. C. Snell, Snelgrove, Ont.; poultry Dr. Geo. M. Twitchell, Augusta, Maine; fruit, D. H. Knowlton, Farmington, Maine; dairy products, A. W. Woodard, Quebec; judges of grains, agricultural and horticultural products honey and apianian supplies, flowers, will be announced later. The score card system will be used as far as possible.

Freight coming over the I. C. R. and C. P. R. will be delivered on the St. John Exhibition grounds. Exhibitors sending goods and stock by steamers, will arrange to have them delivered on arrival of boat. Exhibits will be returned to starting point free by all the transportation companies.

UNABLE TO WALK.

A Distressing Malady Cured by the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

From the Hartland, N. B., Advertiser. Right in our own village is reported another of the remarkable cures that make Dr. Williams' Pink Pills so popular throughout the land. The case is that of Mrs. E. W. Miller. The Advertiser interviewed her husband, who was glad to relate the circumstances for publication, that others might read and have a remedy put into their hands, as it were.

"For five years," said Mr. Miller, "my wife was unable to walk without aid. One physician diagnosed her case as coming from a spinal affection. Other doctors called the malady nervous prostration. Whatever the trouble was, she was weak and nervous. Her limbs had no strength and could not support her body. There also was a terrible weakness in her back. Three months ago she could not walk, but as a last resort, after trying many medicines, she began to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Improvement was noted in a few days and a few weeks has done wonders in restoring her health. Today she can walk without assistance. You can imagine her delight as well as my own. We owe her recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I recommend them for any case of nervous weakness or general debility."

Mr. Miller is part owner and manager of one of our lumber mills and is well known throughout the county. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. Avoid imitation by insisting that every box you purchase is enclosed in a wrapper bearing the full trade name Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Botwoodville, Newfoundland. July 28.—We are now enjoying summer in the fullest sense of the word. The days are so fine, but oh—so hot. The cool breezes from the Bay though, makes life bearable.

Rain is needed sorely. The gardens are getting thirsty from the drought. Crops are looking well, though, still we want the showers. We have had no thunder or lightning this summer. We are told it is a rarity on this island. The mail steamer "Lady Glover" is now making tri-weekly trips up and down the Bay, connecting with the trains from St. John and Port au Basque. The line to Port au Basque is now opened to traffic, and a person may leave Botwoodville Wednesday morning and be in North Sydney Thursday morning, so a province is not so far away from home after all. And it would be a very fine trip for any who had a week or two of leisure, to come and view the rough, rugged scenery of the

Nfld.

The mill is now running, making quite a little stir in our quiet village. The surveyor, Jas. Munro, of N. S., had the misfortune to cut his foot badly some three weeks ago, and as his is a hard position to fill, in this mill, she was down for a few days. But as the company have secured a man from Benton, they are now at work again. In the meantime Mr. Munro has gone home but will return as soon as he can.

C. T. Hillson, Esq., of Anherst, is spending a few weeks here. G. A. Fowler, manager of the Exploits Lumber Co., and wife, paid a flying visit to Nova Scotia a short time ago.

The mill being down a few days a party of our province men took a trip down the Bay to Exploits, on the company's steamer, "The George." They spent a delightful day and were much pleased with the scenery etc.

The local fishing has been good this summer. Beginning in the spring, with white fish, we have had rock cod, codfish, trout, herring, salmon in abundance. The trout fishing is especially good at present and a three or four pounder pays well, beside the sport of fishing. One man caught 37 in an hour or so last week; another 63, and so on. I had better stop now and this may be put down for a fish story.

Forest fires have been raging doing some damage to the lumber and destroying some bridges for the railway. Bishop Jones of St. John's and Rev. Mr. Bailey of Bonivista spent a few days here, with their mission yacht. They are taking a tour round the coast, in the interests of the Episcopal churches.

Rev. Mr. Lacombe, the Methodist minister to be stationed at this place, has taken a trip to England and we are hoping soon to have him return—with his bride.

New Brunswick. JAMES G. CO. CO., N. B. Aug. 15th 1897.

To EDITOR QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

Please publish extracts from minutes of Queens Own Lodge, No. 184, I. O. G. T.

Resolved that the members of Queens Own Lodge having heard of the death of Moses Dykeman and feeling that an irreparable loss has been sustained by Llewellyn Lodge, take this opportunity of placing on record their high appreciation of his character and worth.

The early record of our Lodge show that when the Lodge was instituted Dec. 1868 he filled the chair of P. C. T.

During all the intervening years nearly 32, he has been an active member of Llewellyn and prominent in the District Lodges holding at times the highest offices in their gift.

Those who had the pleasure of attending the last session of District Lodge will long remember the cheerful and hearty welcome extended by our dear departed brother.

May his example stimulate all to a life long effort in the cause he loved so well.

Resolved—That a copy of the above resolution be forwarded to Llewellyn Lodge.

MAIRIE COX, Secretary, Cambridge, Aug 1st, 1898.

The above Moments of our dear departed brother is received by Llewellyn Lodge with grateful appreciation as a hearty and worthy tribute of him who so faithfully and ardently labored among us for the well being of Llewellyn Lodge and the principles of temperance in our land. We hope his noble example may prove a stimulus to us and pray the God of all grace to sustain Mrs. Dykeman and family in their very sad bereavement.

On behalf of Lodge, TAMAR PURDY, Secretary Llewellyn Lodge, No. 196, James G. Co. 15th Aug. 1898

GRASS.

The Grass usually sold on the Seville Farm will be sold at private sale on and after Monday Aug. 16th, 1898.

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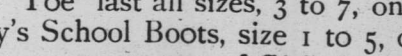
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Local Happenings.

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

H. W. Woods, General Merchant, Wolford, has just received a fine, new line of the celebrated B. Laurence Spectacles and Eye glass in Gold, Gold-filled and nickel frames. Mr. Woods keeps a perfect line of test lenses, and can guarantee perfect satisfaction to any person who require perfect aids to vision.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—War or no war I am still in the front rank in fitting trim having lately secured the services of Mr. J. A. McKinnon, a late grad uate of Mr. J. Mitchell's cutting school of New York. I am now fully prepared to give my numerous customers a first class fit, workmanship unequalled, style perfect, and prices that will astonish you. I respectfully invite you to call and inspect my large stock, no trouble to show goods and give you quotations as Joseph Walker's, Merchant Tailor, second door above People's Bank, Queen Street, Fredericton, West End.

HELD OVER.—A batch of correspondence and district news, etc., will be held over this week on account of scarcity of room.

LOOK FOR IT.—Patterson's & Wetmore's advertisement on page 4 of this paper, read it, do what they tell you when in need of Hats and Furnishings. Call and see them, Mill St., Paradise Row.

TAKEN TO ST. JOHN.—The remains of the late John Retalick, who was buried at Oranocoto in 1882 have been exhumed, and were brought to this city, along with a handsome granite shaft, yesterday for re-interment. Sun.

THE WAR ENDED.—The war between Spain and the United States in consequence of Spain formally accepting the terms proposed by the United States as the basis of a peace treaty.

SCHOOL RESUMED.—The schools in Gagetown opened after summer holidays on Monday last, in charge of Mr. D. Mitchell of Lincoln Sunbury Co. Mr. Simons having accepted the position on the Moncton school staff.

MARITIME BAPTIST CONVENTION.—The Maritime Baptist Convention will be held at Amherst, N. S. beginning on Saturday the 29th inst. The E. Y. P. U. will also meet at the same place but their deliberations will take place two days previous to that of the convention. Dr. Chivers will be present and take a leading part in the exercises connected with the latter.

106 BIRTHDAY.—On Tuesday the 16th inst of this month next, Mrs. Amy Blizzard of Washademoak Lake will have celebrated her 106th birthday, a most remarkable age. The venerable great grandmother is still as alive to the world and her everyday life as she has been for some years past. Her power of speech is retained with wonderful clearness and it is indeed extraordinary to what degree her senses of sight and hearing have been preserved. It is doubtful if in Canada to-day another person could be found to be as free from disability as Mrs. Blizzard at such an advanced age.—Record.

NOTICE.—The semi-annual Sunday School Convention of District No. 2, will meet at the Thorneburn Baptist church on Saturday August 27th. At the afternoon session reports will be received from the various S. Schools in the District and papers read in connection with Sunday School work. In the evening there will be addresses by pastors and Sunday School workers. All are invited to attend.

ANNIE L. BRIGGS,
Sec'y Treas.

DEATH OF A LEADING SUSSEX MAN.—The death occurred at Blissville, Sunbury county, Tuesday evening of Mr. William E. Hoyt at the age of 78 years. Mr. Hoyt formerly carried on business at Blissville, the place of his birth and was the oldest magistrate there. He was a member of the county council for some years and left three sons and three daughters: Mr. J. W. Hoyt, collector of customs at McAdam; Sherman Hoyt of Fredericton; Jacob Hoyt of Blissville; Mrs. R. J. Morgan of Old Town, Me.; Mrs. Mercesse of Blissville and an unmarried daughter, at McAdam.

NEW BRUNSWICK AS A SPORTING CENTRE.—Mr. F. H. Risteen to-day received a letter from the secretary of the German embassy at Washington asking for information about a shooting trip here in the fall. The distinguished German said he had written the editor of the Outing and asked him to recommend a good shooting ground and that the authority had advised New Brunswick and had named Mr. Risteen as competent to give all the required information. Mr. Sandys, the editor of Outing recommended this province because it afforded a greater variety of game than any other sporting resort. Globe.

GROSS CARELESSNESS.—A very serious accident might have been the result of the tugboat Hope coming up the Creek without any lights one dark night last week. A party of our young people went rowing and as there was considerable movement going on did not hear the tug boat till it was close upon them. Their cries attracted the attention of those on board the Hope and she was brought to a standstill. Such gross carelessness as that of bringing a steam boat up the river after night, and especially on a dark night, without head lights, is unheard of. Had the pleasure boat been struck by the Hope, (and it had a very narrow escape), the probability is that every lady aboard would have been drowned.

FORESTER'S PICNIC.—Court Rookery Glen, No. 3226, I. O. F., will hold a picnic on the fine grounds of Mr. H. W. Woods, at Armstrongs Corner, on Thursday, the 29th inst. High Chief Ranger A. W. MacRae, of St. John, and Past High Chief Ranger Wm. Kinghorn, of St. Mary's will be present and deliver addresses in the evening. There will be no admission charged to the grounds. A Tea will be served in the evening for which 30 cents will be charged for adults and 15 cents for children. The grounds selected by the Court are first class ground for a picnic and many successful picnics have been held there. Every effort will be taken to make the picnic the best of the season. As this will likely be the last picnic this year all should attend.

ELECTRIC STORM.—The severest storm of the season passed over here on Monday at noon. The lightning was very severe and was accompanied by a heavy fall of rain. Many farmers had during the morning spread out their hay, which received a soaking. The only damage reported is the loss of a gate post belonging to the Rectory which was struck by the lightning and badly splintered.

Plebiscite Convention.

The convention summoned by the Queens County District Lodge of I. O. G. T. in the interest of the Plebiscite action was held in the Temperance Hall, Gagetown, at 8 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

Dr. M. C. McDonald was appointed chairman and Rev. N. McLaughlin secretary.

After the singing of "Blest be the tie that binds," the Rev. Mr. Clark of Chipman offered prayer.

Short addresses, relating to the necessity of earnest, practical efforts during the election campaign were delivered by Mr. R. T. Babbitt and Rev. Mr. McDonald.

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Literature.

Three Times at the Altar.

"Don't try it on, my dear young lady, it is bad luck. If you want to wear it as a bride you must never put it on before the day," exclaimed Dorcas Fenmand, holding up her hands in eager deprecation, as her young mistress prepared to fit on the beautiful bridal costume that was prepared for the important ceremony of the following day.

But Bertha Gascoigne laughed gaily and despised the warning.

"Silly Dorcas! As if there can be any truth in such an old woman's tales!" she replied smilingly continuing her preparations. "Do you mean that anything can possibly come between me and Egbert between now and to-morrow?"

The good woman shook her head gravely.

"I tell you, Miss Bertha, that if you put that dress on, you'll either not wear it at all or else you'll wear it in sorrow. It is a bad omen, I'll tell you, and you will rue not taking it!"

But the beautiful and joyous bride-elect only laughed at the fear-stricken face of her attendant.

"It would be far more serious if it didn't fit me, Dorcas," she said gaily. "I want to look my best to-morrow, and cannot be turned back by any foolish fears from my purpose. Only imagine if I were to find that it would not meet, or that I should tread on it because it is so long! No, no! I am resolved to try whether all is right."

And she continued her toilet as she spoke, by rapidly opening the dress and arranging it as it was intended.

How lovely she looked as the bright colour came on her cheek as she surveyed herself in the long cheval glass, and her heart told her with what admiring rapture Egbert Burgoyne would gaze at her on the morrow!

It was a love-match though there was fortune in the case. Bertha was a large heiress, and though Egbert was no fortune-hunter, it could not be concealed that he was nearly portionless. A small patrimony of perhaps a thousand or two was all that he possessed, and it had been arranged that the bride should settle on him twenty thousand pounds, thus reversing the usual proceedings in such cases.

Still, Egbert was a rising barrister and so far as talent and industry could avail to secure his success; and with the advantages that might reasonably be expected from the absence of all pecuniary cares and struggles, it was reasonable to expect that he would attain high eminence in his profession, and make up in rank and fame for the absence of wealth.

Thus the match did not appear altogether such an unequal one; and as Bertha would be twenty-one on the day of her wedding, there was little use in opposing her wishes, even though there was a candidate for her hand whose title would have given and received lustre and from her beauty and grace, but who had failed in obtaining the heart he would have given half his rent-roll to win.

Such was the couple that were to be united for life on the following day, and whose future was, according to the predictions of the sage Dorcas, so seriously endangered by the rashness of the fair bride.

The hours of that memorable eve passed swiftly away.

There are always such various matters to be arranged on a last day of any period of life, and the heiress was no exception to the rule.

She had much, very much to think of to remember, to anticipate and to resolve on the close of her maiden state and assumption of the duties of a wife; for Bertha Gascoigne was no light, thoughtless creature, and she seriously and solemnly prayed to fulfil the vows that she was so soon to take on herself in the sight of Heaven and man.

And she lay down to rest that night with a heart as void of evil thoughts, or sad fears and imaginings, as ever a fair maiden could entertain in the last hour of her free, and unfettered life; yet few had more grief and anxiety awaiting them on the memorable morrow.

Egbert Burgoyne would only arrive in time to meet them at the church door; his duties kept him necessarily in London till the eleventh hour, when he hoped to bid them a long farewell during his wedding tour.

But the remainder of the party were assembled at the Fir Grove, her own ancestral seat, and were to proceed with the heiress-bride to the sacred edifice where her irrevocable vows were to be paid.

Very sweet, and maiden-like, and lovely did she look as she was handed into the carriage by the old friend who was to give her away; and the group of outsiders and of friends who received her on her arrival could not forbear an involuntary cheer of admiration.

Smiling and blushing she advanced through the little throng to the altar where she expected to find her bridegroom awaiting her; but he was not in the place that befitted an impatient and loving bridegroom. There was a vacancy at the altar steps, which, however, was supplied ere long by a figure that she by means expected or even wished to

* that of a cousin of her intended
—one to who she had always ta-

ken a decided distrust, albeit without, as it appeared, any rational or decided reason; for Gaspar Burgoyne had always exhibited the most warm and respectful attachment to his future relative; and if there had been cause for complaint, it was rather of excess of attention and deference to both the betrothed than any lack of any kind attentions and devotions to their wishes and comfort.

Yet by some strange instinct, or, as some would fars said, feminine caprice Bertha had shrunk back from the soft and oily Gaspar, as if there had been some poisoned drop in the honey he poured forth so abundantly.

Certainly there was something in his present aspect, and the very fact of his sudden advent, that sent a chill to her very heart.

"I am afraid I am a very unwelcome substitute for my poor cousin," he said gently drawing her away from the spot where she was standing; "but I thought it better to come in person to tell you what had made it impossible for my cousin to appear in his proper person. Will you come with me, and I will explain what has happened?"

The trembling bride was well-nigh as white as the dress she wore, and it was with some difficulty that she managed to steady her limbs sufficiently to accompany the new-comer to the vestry of the church, where, by a quick, significant sign, he warned the rest of the party not to follow them.

Scarcely had the door closed however, then he began, in a low, soft tone, to explain the mystery.

"Dear Bertha," he said, "my own sweet cousin, as I must still consider you, do not hate me for being the bearer of bad news, but I could not shrink from doing what may be at least some consolation to you. Can you nerve yourself to hear and bear bad tidings?"

Bertha's lips moved, but they could scarcely articulate the word "Yes," and her eyes imploringly had him to go on. "Is—he—dead?" she uttered at last, when the suspense grew well-nigh intolerable.

"There has been an accident," he said. "Egbert was bathing, and I fear that now there is but faint hope that he can have been saved. It is terrible; but, Bertha, believe me, I am—I ever shall be—devoted to you. I will never cease so long as I live—never—to try and supply his place. Oh, my poor angel-cousin, if you could but guess the extent of my sympathy, my affection for you!" he went on softly taking her hand in his.

But there was no reply. Her limbs were actually motionless, her eyes fixed and glassy as she listened; and the next minute he drew to his arms the insensible form of the bride-elect.

He held her there for a brief space; he clasped her tighter to his breast and his lips pressed hers in eager warmth.

But the touch was cold enough to alarm him for her safety, and he hastily opened the door and called for assistance—a summons that was rapidly responded to by the cousin's uneasy expectants.

But all efforts failed to restore the girl to any consciousness at the church and she was rapidly driven home to the Fir Grove while a doctor was being fetched, who arrived very shortly after their arrival, and ere long succeeded in reviving the mourning bride to a sense of her misery.

Her first demand was for Gaspar. She longed to know the details, to drink the cup to the very dregs, and to weep over the lost one with at least some intelligible idea of his fate. But the tale was only a brief and unsatisfactory one.

Egbert had been bathing at—, where he had been staying to complete an important case in which he was concerned, when, as it was supposed, he was seized with a cramp or some under current and disappeared ere help could be rendered.

"And you—were you there, and yet did not help?" she said reproachfully. "Oh I would rather have died with him had I been there, than tell the tale."

Gaspar shrank before her unintentionally bitter reproach.

"I can pardon anything in your present state, dear Bertha," he said; "yet it is a sad addition to my grief for you to reproach me. Had it been within the bounds of possibility, I would have given my life for his, if only for your sake; but it would have added to your desolation for us both to have left you, and no one to console or tell the tale."

"Forgive me I am so wretched to be just!" she said, freely extending her hand.

"If he did clasp it almost too warmly to his lips, she did but attribute it to his affectionate sympathy and grief.

But ere the news became known, there were free comments of a less charitable nature on the results of the misadventure.

"He is his kinsman's next heir. Miss Gascoigne settled twenty thousand on the poor fellow, which I suppose will go to the next of kin," said one. "It seems a great shame; but there are some people born with a silver spoon in their mouths."

"He had better go in and win," said another smiling significantly. "He has the best chance I should say—the same name and nearest relative; and not a bad-looking fellow into the bargain."

But all these surmises were soon ended by the dispersion of the little party assembled for so different a purpose, and the mourning bride was left in silence to her grief and suffering. And time passed on, and still no tidings came of the mis-

ing one, and it was only too certain that he had been too completely dragged below the current for the body to be recovered. There was not even the poor consolation of paying the last rites to his beloved memory. It was indeed sorrow enough to crush the very flintiest and hardest heart, and so Bertha Gascoigne well knew and felt.

Gaspar visited her from time to time with gentle and unobtrusive devotion. He seemed to divine her every feeling and wish, and only to live to gratify her wayward fancies and soothe her pain; but though she told herself that she was ungrateful, she shrank at times from his attentions and his very presence, that always seemed to recall and sharpen the pang of bereavement. The very fact of his having been present at his cousin's death—the vague likeness that there was between them, and it might be even the identity of name—were enough to account for this. It might be, but still the repugnance deepened and increased as the days and weeks of mourning should have lessened its strength.

(To be continued.)

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(W. E. B.)

WHAT TEMPERANCE DOES.

From an old number of Harper's Magazine we take the following, every word of which is true:

Intemperance cuts down youth in its vigor, manhood in its strength, and age in its weakness. It breaks the father's heart, because the dotting mother extinguishes natural affection, causes filial love, blots out filial affection, blights parental hope, and brings mourning age in sorrow to the parents.

It makes the weak man strong, the sick man healthy, death not the makes wives widows, children orphans, fathers fends, and all of them paupers and beggars. It feeds rheumatism, imports pestilence, nurses gout, weakens epidemics, invites cholera and emphysema consumption. It covers the land with idleness, poverty, disease and crime. It fills the jails, supplies the almshouses, and demands the asylums. It engenders controversies, fosters quarrels and cherishes ricks. It crowds the penitentiaries and furnishes the victims for the scaffold. It is the life blood of the gambler, the allment of the counterfeiter, the prop of the highway man, and the report of the midnight incendiary. It countenances the liar, resurrects the thief, and esteems the blasphemer. It vitiates obligation, reverences fraud and honors infamy. It defames benevolence, hates love, scorns virtue, slanders innocence. It incites the father to butcher his helpless offspring, helps the husband to massacre his wife, and aids the child to grind the parrioidal axe. It burns up men and consumes women, detests life, curses God, and despises heaven. It suborns witnesses, nurses perjury, defiles the jurybox, and stains the judicial urnine. It bribes votes, disqualifies voters, corrupts elections, pollutes our institutions, and endangers our Government. It degrades the citizen, debases the legislature, dishonors the statesman, disarms the patriot. It brings shame, not honor; terror, not safety; despair, not hope; misery, not happiness. And with the malevolence of a fiend, it calmly surveys its frightful desolations, and insatiated with havoc, it poisons fidelity, kills peace, ruins morals, blights confidence, slays reputations, and wipes out national honor, then curses the world and laughs at its ruin.

There, it does all that and more. IT MURDERS THE SOUL. It is the sum of all villainies, the curse of all curses; the devil's best friend.

Templars Magazine.

NOTE AS YOU PRAY.

This is what we want the praying portion of our citizens to do. If you cannot consistently vote as you pray, abandon one or the other at once. Don't ask God to tear down a certain thing, and then turn round and vote to build up, strengthen and perpetuate it. Don't pray that the great evil of intemperance may be annihilated then turn round and vote with the whiskey ring. Don't pray that the wickedness of the wicked may come to an end," then vote for a whiskey drinker. Don't pray for that "glorious day to dawn when righteousness shall cover the whole earth," then vote for whiskey candidates. Don't pray that your children may be preserved from the snares of the

devil, then refuse to sign a remonstrance to prevent an applicant from obtaining license to make drunkards of those children.

We have great faith in prayer; but the man who prays must be consistent, if his prayers ascend higher than his head. He must live for that which he prays for. He must work to bring about the results for which he prays. He must vote for the results as well as labor in in all Christian hope and faith.

If we vote as we pray the rum traffic will soon find its level, will soon be laid under the ban of law and prohibited as a beverage. But if we pray with the true followers of the world's Great Redeemer, then turn round and vote with and for the drunkard maker, the whiskey traffic is in no danger and Satan not only winks but laughs at our inconsistency, knowing well where it will end.—Exchange.

Humorous.

A distinguished prima donna recently called for her letters at a Post Office in New York.

"Have you any evidence of identity," said the clerk. "No, unfortunately I have left my cards at home, but it is all right, I am Marinne Brandt the prima donna." "I'm afraid you must have some other evidence," returned the clerk, "any lady could say that. 'Yes but any lady could not prove it. Just listen." The applicant lifted up her voice and sang a cadenza with such a brilliant effect that every door in the office opened and half a hundred heads popped out. The clerk waited until she had finished. Then he simply said, "Thank you very much, here are your letters."—Exchange.

The country vicar who had a thorn in his side in the shape of a crusty old farmer who delighted in annoying him in every possible way, was offered another living and accepted it. Taking leave of the parish he was surprised by the man's evident regret and sorrow at his departure. "Why I thought you would be glad to get rid of me," exclaimed the parson. The farmer shook his head solemnly. "Nay, nay," he said in a broken voice. "You see sir, I've lived here for nigh on to 40 years and my experience of your parsons is that there is never a bad'un goes but a wuss'un comes. Exchange.

"Do you know why they are called cipher despatches?"

"Of course I can't be sure, but I have an idea that the cipher represents the amount of news that the public usually gets out of them."

"Beg pardon," said a polite stranger "I'm afraid I kicked you."

"Old Gentleman "Oh!"

"Polite Stranger. (Shouting) "I kicked you."

"Old Gentleman, (surprised) "What for?"

"Polite Stranger. "It was quite an accident."

"Old Gentleman (Not catching it) "Eh."

"Polite Stranger (screaming in his ear) "Accident."

"Old man (terrified) "Where, where, you don't say so anyone kicked?"

"Polite stranger rushes out."

There are 45 States in the union. The state of war which the country is at present doesn't count.

"Didn't your ascending cashier leave you any message?"

"Yes. He left a line in the cash box transferring to me his paid up membership in a don't worry club."

Hannigan (reading)—Shure, that felly Random, hoiver he is, must have a charmed loife. De Spaniards have been shootin' at him for a mont' and ain't hit him yet! O'll bet he's Oirish!

At a fashionable wedding a short time ago the guests threw the little paper confetti, such as they used in carnival time in Paris, consisting of little disks of a bright colored paper the size of a pea which was extremely pretty as it fell in tinted showers over bride and groom, horses and carriage. The sidewalks were strewn with the pretty stuff and it clung to the faces and finery of the guests. This is the Paris and London custom at weddings for rice is considered dangerous since an English bride lost the sight of her eye through a grain of rice thrown on her wedding day.

A Boston man says he is going to send in his application for a pension because he has had to listen to so many prophecies about the war.

The Queen of Sweden belongs to the Salvation Army, and sometimes wears its characteristic garb in public.

The language of Greece to-day, allowing for the changes which would naturally be brought about during the centuries, is substantially the same as the language used by Demosthen and Pericles.

LEXTON, July 25.—The Earl of Minto has been appointed Governor General of Canada in succession to the of Aberdeen.

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