

The White Town Meetings

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: : Here We Are Again ! ! ! : :

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Nestorians Win Again.

The Nestorians again crossed sticks with the town team on Saturday afternoon.

At four o'clock Referee Mann threw out the rubber, and gave the signal for the start of the most exciting game this season.

Play was even for the first ten minutes; finally after making a nice stop, the defence of the school team let the rubber slip into the net by accident, score 1-0. Shortly before time was called, on a piece of combination and long shot the school team evened the score.

When the teams passed off again, a faster pace was set, and although the school team was on the defence during the whole later period, the town boys only landed the disc once, while the Nestorians made connections with the net successfully on three occasions. Thus the score ended 4-2 in favor of the Nestorians. It is not saying too much to state that the score of the game indicates that the school had much on the town boys. The forward line of the Nestorians played a good defence game but their combination was not as prominent as in the previous games. Clark and Bates played good hockey for the town the former keeping the puck well down the ice by his lifting.

Ross Mann as referee was impartial and did not find it necessary to mete out any penalties.

The lineup was as follows: Nestorians G.-Dodd, P.-Dewar, C. P.-Watt, L. W.-Stuart, C.-Hibbard, R. W.-A. Johnson, R.-E. Johnson, Referee-Mann. Goal Judges-Lord and Franley. Attendance 150.

The Best Train Service At Reasonable Rates

"Collier's" Declares I. C. R. Dining Cars Preach A Sermon.

The Canadian editor of "Collier's" in last week's issue, thus sums up the advantages the people are receiving from the Government operation of the Intercolonial Railway.

The last thing a people-owned railway should try to do is make money. It should give good service, run fine passenger trains, charge reasonable freight rates, and seek to pay expenses. All this the Intercolonial does. Even its deficits are to be counted to its gain. They show that it is not robbing the people to fatten balance sheets. The Intercolonial is an object-lesson in altruism to other railroads that are not managed on such high principles. It is a good thing and our own, and Canada does not want to part with it. Even its dining-cars preach a sermon, which is that, in these days, when meat is a luxury for the rich and butter is worth its weight in gold and eggs are more precious than rubies, the best table d'hote dinner on the continent can be put up for a dollar.

The Nestorian Society will hold a reception in honor of St. Stephen High School Hockey team on Friday evening.

Miss Margaret McLaughlin left for Calais on Monday to attend the funeral of her Grandmother, the late Mrs. Dinmore.

Miss Maude Dick with her friend Miss Portia Brown of Wilson's Beach, spent a few days at home last week returning to Wilson's Beach on Monday.

Social and Personal

Mr. Emery of St. John is in town.

W. J. Smith of Windsor N. S. is in town.

Miss Annie Stuart has returned to Muscarene.

Medley Kennedy is home from St. Andrews.

Wm. Gardner is able to be out after his illness.

Dr. Taylor left on Monday for Fredericton.

C. Hazen McOee went to St. John on Monday.

F. Kierstead of Hall & Fairweather was in town Monday.

Fred McLean of Letate was a visitor to St. George on Monday.

John Hart is on the sick list with La Grippe.

Bert Cameron of Muscarene spent Monday in town.

Mr. Fenwick arrived from Hampton on Saturday.

Miss Helen Clark is still very ill at her home.

I. E. Gillmor of Bonny River was in town Friday.

A. Milton Dann of G. E. Barbour Co. is in town this week.

G. E. Jack of Pennfield, was in town on Tuesday.

David Spear, of Pennfield, was a visitor to St. George on Tuesday.

F. M. Anderson of Campbellton, N. B., was in town on Friday.

Chas. Leland of Muscarene was in town Monday.

Arthur Henderson of Letate was in town on Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Milne spent Sunday with friends in town.

Patrick Sullivan of Bonny River was in town on Monday.

Ira McConnell of Letang was in town on Saturday.

Miss Mary Daley of Pennfield paid St. George a visit on Monday.

Miss Kate Hart who has been on the sick list is much improved in health.

Miss Lenora McVicar of Muscarene visited St. George on Friday.

Miss Kate McCarten is visiting Mrs. Lewis Connors at Black's Harbor.

Miss Gertrude Armstrong left on Friday to attend Business College at St. John.

Mr. Cruikshank of Frank Skinner & Co. St. John, was in town on Monday.

T. R. Akerley of Ames Holden & Co. was registered at the Carleton house this week.

Earnest W. Shiels of Hall & Fairweather, was registered at the Carleton house on Monday.

Thos. Malntyre returned from St. John on Saturday, where he has been spending a few days.

Mrs. C. G. Weldon of St. John visited her sister Mrs. J. D. Williamson last week.

F. F. Ashborn of the Davis & Lawrence Co. spent a few days in town last week.

Joseph Clark left on Monday for St. John and Halifax in the interests of the Eastern Canning Co.

Thomas Kent, who has been engaged at St. Andrews for the past few months has returned to St. George.

Jas. Grey, Edward Clinch, Steve Spinney, Morris Clinch and Jas Kaiman who have been stone cutting at St. Andrews during the past few months arrived home last week.

General News.

Berlin, Feb. 28.--It is learned from Hamburg that the new 45,000 or 50,000 ton vessel of the Hamburg American Line, which will be built at the Vulcan yards there, will cost approximately \$7,500,000. It will probably be named Europe.

The order for the vessel was originally placed three years ago with Harland & Wolfe, of Belfast, but was cancelled on account of the depressed condition of the shipping trade.

The completion of the Europe will realize a long-cherished idea of Herr Ballin, director of the Hamburg-American line.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.--From an authentic source it is learned that the following is the probable programme for naval increase for the coming year, as it will be reported by the house committee on naval affairs: Two mammoth battleships of 28,000 tons each, costing \$11,000,000 each; one repair vessel, two large colliers, five submarines and three destroyers.

Halifax Feb. 28.--The people of Nova Scotia are alarmed lest after the next census, when the readjustment of representatives in the Canadian house of commons, based upon it, shall be made, that they shall lose another seat, or perhaps more than one in the federal parliament.

To prevent this is the object of the following resolution introduced in the Nova Scotia house of assembly this afternoon.

That in the opinion of this legislature each province of the Dominion of Canada should have as a representation in the house of commons the representation it had before becoming a province of the Dominion.

That the redistribution of the constituencies to be made after the next and every future decennial census the representation of each province shall not be less than that minimum.

That steps should be taken at once to secure the co-operation of the legislature and government of the other provinces as well as the federal parliament with a view to agreeing upon such an amendment to the British North America Act as will give effect to the support of this resolution.

Springhill, Feb. 28.--Practically the first disturbance in connection with the Springhill strike occurred here Saturday evening, when two of the employees of the company came up town in company with one of the detectives named Conrad Timms.

It is stated by the U. N. W. men that the company employes had been drinking. Whether this is true or not your correspondent cannot say, but a row occurred between the men and some of the strikers, near Rogers' Corner, and one of the men was badly beaten. Timms and the men retreated to the pallisade and in the fracas a shot was fired. This morning Timms was brought before Shippenary Hunter, charged with discharging firearms. Two men swore positively that they saw Timms fire the shot. He was represented by Detective Powers, who placed the prisoner on the stand. He swore that the shot was fired by one of the men with him. An adjournment was made until tomorrow to call further witnesses. The men who assaulted the employees of the company were not arrested. There is no doubt but the relations between the men and company are daily growing more strained.--Telegraph.

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Spokane, Wash., Feb. 28.--Twenty-four persons are known tonight, to be dead as the result of snow slides yesterday and today in the mining region of northern Idaho. To the nineteen who perished in the avalanches at Mace and Burke, Idaho, last night and early today are added three more who died in a similar disaster yesterday when the camp of the Carbonate Hill Mining Co. at Mullen, Idaho, was destroyed and two were killed at Dorsey, Idaho today. The fight against time and cold at

Mace and Burke has been waged bravely and persistently by the little army of men who hope to find under the heaps of rains, some who have escaped death.

The rescuers have dug frantically for many hours. Every available man and boy has been pressed into service.

Mace is situated high on a creek and mountains rise high on either side of the town. The damage there was done by a fragment of the main body of the avalanche which on Sunday night, carried a construction train from the track as it plunged into the ravine.

Montreal, Feb. 28.--The meeting of the executive of the National Hockey Association held today which it was prophesied would wind up in a lot of trouble was a disappointment to those who wanted to see it.

Everything had been fixed up and when the various trouble-making resolutions were presented they were calmly ruled out of order by the chairman and his decision quite as calmly accepted by the delegates.

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The end of the matter was that Ottawa were allowed to keep and play Small, the Cobalt people announced that they would content themselves with a civil suit against Small, and the Wanderers had the \$100 fine imposed on Hall for striking an official in a game earlier in the season knocked off when they assailed the league that Hall wouldn't pay and the club would have to do so if the fine wasn't cancelled.

Montreal, Feb. 28.--Thomas Reynolds, the conductor of the train which was wrecked at the Spanish river bridge on Jan. 21st, with the loss of over forty lives was ordered to report at the Carleton Place headquarters today. On arrival he was taken before Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and by the president presented with a handsome gold watch and chain and a check for \$550. In making the presentation Sir Thomas said it was the company's recognition of Reynolds' duty of a railway man which called for self sacrifice and devotion quite as much as that of the soldier.

At the time of the wreck Reynolds though himself quite severely wounded went into the water and drew out passenger after passenger only desisting and having his wounds dressed when all that was possible had been done.

Bristol, N. B., Feb. 28.--A bad accident occurred this morning, half a mile from Bristol Village, by which Chalmers W. Britain was instantly killed. He, with an assistant, named Brooker, was thawing ice, preparatory to starting his flour and grist mill, when he slipped and fell, injuring his neck and becoming wedged between the large wheel and the wall in such a position that Brooker had to go for assistance before being able to remove the body. Mr. Britain was a prominent man in this community, taking an active interest in the Church of England, and also among the Oddfellows. He leaves a widow and four children.

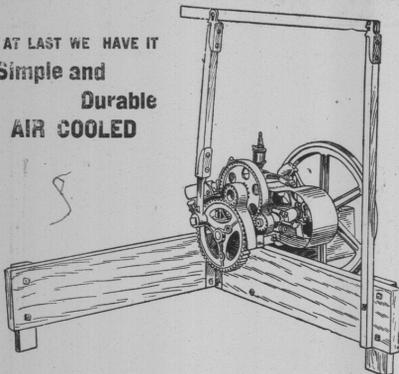
Ottawa, Feb. 28.--The Railway Commission Saturday issued an order of vast importance to the press of Eastern Canada. A few weeks ago the board issued an order which was understood to mean that telegraph companies must discontinue the flat rate business in Canada, and file their new tariffs by March 1. The new order is an interpretation of the former order and explains that the original was intended to apply only to points from Port Arthur westward. Thus the eastern newspapers are not affected at all as was feared.

Early Monday morning a fatal smash-up on the Intercolonial Railway near Truro caused the death of three train hands on the wrecked freight train. James O. Davison, brakeman, and driver Daniel McLeod, and fireman John Macnae, died after being taken from the wreck. All three of the men belonged to Truro. The cause of the wreck is supposed to be due to a washout on the line and the rails spreading.

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In 1 and 2 pound tin cans. Never in bulk.



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WORLD OVER.

A Cure for Worry

(Ottawa Journal)

When a man begins to carry his troubles to bed with him, and ponder over them instead of going to sleep, then look out for squalls. Such is the dictum of Dr. Woods Hutchinson, one of the leading authorities in the United States. Worry, he claims, is a disease whose symptoms are as definite, whose course is as fatal, and whose cure is as simple, as many other of the better known and more plainly charted ills to which flesh is heir.

Life, according to Dr. Hutchinson's analysis, is nine parts happiness and content to one of gloom and misery. When the proportions of worry assume charge of more than one-tenth of a man's time it is, says this authority, a plain sign of a physiological condition that, in time, will become extremely serious.

And men have to strive to obtain and retain this nineteenth of contentment. Discussing the aspect, Dr. Hutchinson says:

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No Guesses
Go into the process that produces

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The Wisdom of Nature

The death frost lies where late the roses threw
A thousand petals on the soft June grass,
And o'er the lawn dark spectral shadows pass
Of naked boughs where clover blossoms grew:
The thrushes' nest is empty; swift winds strew
The straws to right and left--from that mass
Of box and arbor-vitae sounds alas!
No happy note, gone is the rustling crew
That peopled there. O what is death to thee,
Thou ceaseless Nature? ocean calls, I go
To lie beneath with many helpless men,
Yet ripples laugh, new waves rise merrily

The Banshee

A voice came crying to me window
In the wind and the rain,
Like the voice of an old, old woman
Who was crying in pain:
And I knew that Michael (God rest him!)
Would never speak again.
I knew, but I didn't let on I knew
For fear the children had heard:
I had it ready on my tongue to say,
It was only a bird--
But the voice cried mighty loud and close
And not one of the children stirred.
Not one of the children moved in their sleep
--But the red fire shone;
And out there in the wet blue of the night
The voice went on--
It was sad with the sorrows that are to come
And the griefs that are gone.
For the heart of the creature was full of love
She was longing to speak.
God knows how far she had come in the dark,
And all for my sake--
But her tongue (God help her!) was a heathen thing,
Like the cry of a kittiwake.
I knew she had passed by the ship
As it rose and fell;
And looked at me Michael walking the deck,
And him alive and well;
And seen the body of him sewn in a sail
And sunk in the swell:
And the creature (God help her!)
Was sorry, and trying to tell,
The trouble she must have seen!
It was all in her cry:
The pain of the unborn lives
And the lives gone by;
And she keened for me Michael; and not
one of his fatherless children
As much as opened an eye.
--M. Little, in London Spectator.

Facts About the Empire

England has seventy-eight artisan wells, varying from one hundred to one thousand feet in depth.
On the first day of last year 959,848 persons were in receipt of poor-law relief.
Chocolate was sold in the London coffee houses soon after their establishment in 1650.
Over five hundred and seventy thousand persons are employed in factories in the cotton trade in the United Kingdom.
The United Kingdom last year imported 6,622 organs and harmoniums, and 19,932 pianos.
It is illegal for any person to install or work a wireless telegraph apparatus in the United Kingdom without the license of the postmaster general.
Relief of the poor of England and Wales, and matters wholly connected therewith cost over seventy million dollars annually.
Nelson's monument, in London weighs 1,500 tons, and is 177 feet high.
In England and Wales there are one hundred and seventy packs (over six thousand, seven hundred couples) of fox-hounds.
For the copyright of the song "Kathleen Mavourneen" two thousand dollars was paid.
For conducting a marriage ceremony Scottish clergymen do not charge fees.

The Engineer.

I don't want to boast nor nuthin,
But I've got this much to say;
If it wasn't for me that knows nuthin,
There'd be much hell to pay--
For I lowers the miners and hoists 'em, too,
Some several times a day.
A human life don't count for much
When it's off in some foreign land;
But it means a lot when your here on the hoist
With that human life in your hand
And multiply that by the number on shift
And you'll see just how I stand.
A little mistake and they'd hit the sheaves,
Or land in the watery sump;
Or spatter around on the plates and guides
With nary a chance to jump--
But instead of that I lands 'em safe
With scarcely a jump or jolt.
I drops the cage to a station floor
So even and accurate, too.
That a car rolls on without a jolt
The way it was meant to do.
And when she is loaded I hoists her up,
Like a limited train goes through!
Now, I don't want to boast nor nuthin,
But, as I began to say,
I reckon a job like mine is worth
The price that the bosses pay--
For I hoists the miner's and lowers 'em down
Some several times a day.--Saturday
Evening Post.

Labor Lifts

If one stays awake at night because of any restlessness, a sponge-off with alcohol has a refreshing result. A small sponge is used not well soaked. It is not necessary to get into the bathtub to do it. Squeeze the sponge over the entire surface of skin. Apply more alcohol at the base of the neck than anywhere else. This cools the blood going to the brain and soothes the nerve centres.
Constant washing ruins a brush that has an expensive back. Therefore, a brush for daily use should be used that has an ordinary wooden handle and back with good stiff bristles to withstand the scrubbing action of water and borax.
In washing silk waists, handkerchiefs, underwear, etc., use only luke-warm water, and cold is better, for the hot water will yellow them as well as give the silk an unpleasant stiff effect. Do not have them very damp when ironed, for the same reason. If they are rolled up in a cloth so that they may dry evenly they may be safely ironed when nearly dry.
A simple and ingenious way of getting rid of mice consists of standing a small tub of water on a chair on a level with the pantry or cupboard shelf the mice most frequent, and then sprinkling the water thickly with oats.
The oats float on the water and impart such an appearance of solidity to the surface that the unsuspecting mice, having a liking for oats, venture upon it at once, and of course are drowned.
Don't fill an oil or an other kind of stove when it is lighted. This seems superfluous advice, but with the coming of cool weather it cannot be too often repeated.
Heat is the best and quickest cure for neuralgia, and is best applied by means of bags and heated salt.
Serve crisp celery with cold meat. It is always appreciated, and is a nerve tonic of considerable effectiveness.
For washing coarse cloths soft soap is the best, and it has the advantage of going farther than hard, yellow soap.
A severe paroxysm of coughing may be arrested by giving the patient a teaspoonful of glycerine in a wine-glass of hot milk.
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Tears.

There be three hundred different ways
and more.

Of speaking, but of weeping only one.
And that one way, the wide world o'er
and o'er.

Is known by all, though it is taught
by none.

No man is master of this ancient lore.
And no man pupil. Every simpleton
can weep as well as every sage. The
man

Does no better than the infant can.

The first thing a man learns is how to
speak.

Ye understand they not each other's
speech:

But tears are neither Latin, nor yet
Greek.

Nor prose, nor verse. The language
that they teach

Is universal. Cleopatra's cheer
They becked with pearls no richer than
from each

Of earth's innumerable mourners fall
Unstudied, yet correctly classed.

Tears are the oldest and the commonest.

Of all things upon earth; and yet how
new

The tale each told by them! How un-
blessed

Were life's hard way without their heav-
y dew!

Joy borrows them from Grief; Faith
trembles lest

She lose them; even Hope herself smiles
through

The rainbow they make round her as
they fall;

And Death, that cannot weep, sets weep-
ing all.

Your Enemies are Friends

(Toronto World)

This is a very friendly world.

It is always trying to do you good,
often in spite of yourself.

If you find yourself at enmity with the
world the probabilities are that the world
has a useful lesson to teach you, and you
are unwilling to learn.

If you find the world full of enemies
you may rejoice that Providence has sent
so many mentors and chasteners to be
agents in your training.

The most valuable thing the world can
give you is experience. There is no limit
to the experience constantly being sup-
plied, even to the most unwilling and re-
fractary.

The most valuable thing you can do
with experience is to apply it to the de-
velopment of character. All those people
you are in the habit of regarding as ene-
mies are the agents of your experience.

They bring you what you need, and af-
ford you the opportunity to discharge
your debts. Your chief prayer should be
to have your debts cancelled and you cancel
what is owing you, a wholly conditional
prayer. Most of your enemies are debt
collectors in various fields, chiefly mental
moral and humanitarian. When Provi-
dence sends a collector around and you
mistake him for an enemy and drive him
away, it does not improve your credit at
the big clearing house.

The world is full of your friends. Some
of them you know, and some of them
you do not recognize.

Take if you but to your apparent ene-
mies. They will help to grow.

stopped in 20 minutes
sure with Dr. Shoop's
Croup Remedy. One
drip will surely prove.
No vomiting, no dis-
tress. A safe and pleasing syrup—See Druggists.

The Times at
Glade Ranch.

Uncle Will Bradley was sitting at
the big window in the front room
looking out upon the street. A tall,
lean fellow with a face as brown as
coffee passed down the street, dis-
daining the cement walk as being too
hard for his moccasined feet. He
wore a wisp of red cotton around his
head above the ears, the national
headdress of the Navajos.

"Uncle Will, who is that funny
man?" inquired Edith, as she climbed
to her uncle's knee. "He looks just
like a character."

"What do you mean by a character
little one?" Uncle Will asked, as he
stroked her fluffy hair, that never
would be smooth.

"Well, a character—you needn't
laugh—is a man in a story. Some-
times he is, lost, and when you find
him he is your brother, and rich; and
sometimes he is an Indian, and says
'Ugh' and 'Woogh' and—and scalps
people."

"Oh, indeed! Well, then, Sequel
must be a character," for he certainly
said 'Ugh' and 'Woogh' outrageously
often, and I suppose he figures in a
story or two, for that matter. I knew
him out at the Glade Ranch, when
he was a boy."

"Tell me a story about the times at
Glade ranch—a true story. Oh do!"
pleaded the little girl.

"Well, let me see. There were
two little boys and two little girls at
the Glade ranch. The boys were
good little chaps, but the girls were
so bad—"

"Oh, no!" interrupted Edith. "Tell
me a truth, Uncle Will continued. At
least that was what Sequel called
her. He used to herd the milk cows
for us. Do you know anyone by the
name of Ethel?"

"Yes—Mamma; but she's not
afraid of turtles, John Bradley
brought an animal here yesterday
from the river, and he said he was
a turtle, and so did mamma; but it
had its bones on its outside. And
mamma touched the turtles bones
with her finger, but I wouldn't."

"Well, perhaps she isn't afraid of
danger, but Sequel knew and willingly
risked his own life to protect her. He
paused only long enough to utter the
Navajo whoop that means 'Come to my
assistance,' which we all understand,
for he had amused the children often
by explaining how the Indians fight; then
he dropped upon all fours and ran about
like a dog, until he attracted County
Galway's attention, and drew him away
from Edith's tree."

"When Sequel sounded the call for re-
inforcements I turned toward the house,
wondering if he could get a rifle and
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kill the children, but as I turned, Ethel
much afraid ran to the corral, stumbling
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to faint with fright. She clung to the
log fence and dropped down on the
black colt's back, and was gone before I
could speak."

"The bars of the corral were longer
than the fence, and the big black horse
skipped over them as lightly as a bird,
with Ethel huddling upon his back and
clinging to his mane with one slender
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for the grove, and over the rock-strewn
pasture land he galloped with never a
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that seemed to indicate that County
Galway was in some way connected with
the trouble.

"I climbed upon the pasture fence and
looked in the direction of County Gal-
way's angry bellowing. I believe I
joined the Much-afraid family at once,
for what I saw was enough to frighten
anyone, and I was helpless on account
of my broken ankle."

"Edith was sitting on the ground near
a small pinion sapling, with an umbrella
over her head, while County Galway was
advancing upon her, not very rapidly,
but bellowing and pawing the earth at
every stride. Sequel was about an equal
distance from Edith, and running toward
her with all his Indian might, but wast-
ing his strength, it seemed to me, shoot-
ing the awful Navajo war cry that no
words can describe."

Edith was his pet; partly, I think, be-
cause, she, unlike Ethel, was not afraid
of anything. The Indian boy understood
the danger, and was trying to impress
County Galway with an idea of his pro-
cess by making a great deal of noise.
But County Galway was not frightened
in the least. Indeed, he rather hasten-
ed the matter to attack the little girl, no
doubt intending to toss her first and
then turn his attention to the yelling
warrior. And Edith seemed not to
realize her danger, for she twirled her
umbrella and raised and lowered it in
a manner that set County Galway
wild with rage."

"With a bellow louder than any he had
uttered, he braced himself for a lunge
just as Sequel seized the little girl and
swung her to one side. The big fellow
closed his eyes and hurled his great body
upon the umbrella. His horns pierced
the cloth, and when he tossed his head
the strong silken cover hid fast. Mind
folding him for a moment, and giving
Sequel time to run to a little sapling
and place Edith in a friendly crouch. It
was a little too small to shelter two, and
Sequel was forced to run when County
Galway disentangled himself and found
that he had missed his intended victim."

"Sequel ran toward another sapling,
and County Galway charged upon the
little tree that sheltered Edith, striking
it such a blow that it shook in every fibre."

But Baby Edith clung to the forked
branches with all her might, and even
shouted to Sequel to 'climb a tree.'
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"Goody!" said Edith, when her uncle
had finished the story. "And now I
know what Ethel, mamma meant when
she said something about the turtle. She
hit the turtle with a little switch, but it
didn't hurt, because the turtle's bones
are just like armor with the turtle in-
side. She said that if we wear the num-
ber of truth, and keep inside, nothing
on the outside can hurt so. I go as
Ethel-Much-afraid was kind of shivery
on side, but she wasn't scared in sea-
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The Dairy Cow.

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dairy cattle are as yet too greatly con-
fined to breed lines, says Howard's Dairy-
man. We must study more broadly and
accurately and generic character and
meaning of the word dairy, as expressed
in a cow. The mere partisan sees
everything in a cow through breed
spectacles. He is all Holstein or all
Jersey, or all Guernsey or all
Friesian. But the central thought goes farther
than characteristics.

The type of great dairy merit is to be
sought for not in breed line and
characteristics but rather in the deep
purpose of nature, working through certain
physiological laws, to as perfect an ex-
pression as possible of the dairy temper-
ament, dairy function and dairy form.
Breed partisanship is easily led off into
fad characteristics.

Nature in her efforts to perfect the
dairy quality in cattle will not be con-
fined to fad notions. Hence she gives us
good cows in all colors and all breeds,
but rarely in all forms.

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(Catholic World)

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wife and two boys, totally unprovident
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sacrifices that the latter should be thor-
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When Dr. Bourne was between eight
and nine years of age, a lady called one
day upon his aunt. Finding her engaged
upon making a beautiful piece of Irish
lace, the visitor asked: "What is that
for?"

The other looked up and quickly an-
swered: "It is for my Frankie when he
becomes a bishop."

And the aunt lived long enough to see
her beloved Frankie the head of the
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WHOM HE SPOKE OF.

"Does any insanity run in your
family?" asked the examining physi-
cian.

"Doctor, I didn't come here to be
insulted!"

"But I must know your family his-
tory."

"You are not hitting at my mother
in-law, are you?"

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The Editorial Column

We are well aware of the fact that it is to the editorial column that the most intelligent readers of our paper almost immediately turn as the issue comes to hand. "What says the Editor today," is the mental question asked. This being so there, rising above all party, the editorial column ought to be the guardian of the rights of the public, the Conservator of the best interests of the community which it serves. Subjects of a political character may be discussed, and by an intelligent and unbiased discussion, the minds of many are settled. Social questions, questions which relate to every day life, moral questions, upon which the judgement of many may not be correct, should be discussed, with a good desire for the general welfare. It may sound boastful but we are not far astray when we say that the Editorial Column of a County newspaper, exercise an influence upon the community, second only to that exerted by the pulpit. Its influence is of the moulding character. Final and best results are reached by degrees. It touches the public mind, it appeals to its intelligence. It helps to form the public morals. It assists in determining questions of interest and importance. As for ourselves, last week our pages were read by probably not less than seven thousand people. Already questions are being asked us as to our attitude towards certain questions social and political. These questions will be answered as occasion demands. We are told that now "Greetings" is the only paper read by many in the County. All the more reason why we should feel the responsibility of the charge committed to us. As an independent, our columns are open to all parties both political and religious, the Editorial Column reserving to itself the right of criticism and a free expression of its independent views, thus keeping to itself its right to direct or suggest along lines that make for the public welfare. We will see to it that its words are honest, ever seeking to deal justly with questions of importance, and suggest a course of action which in its wisdom will be for the best interests of all concerned.

Good Work For I. C. R.

A run from Halifax to Montreal in 23 hours is not had work for the I. C. R. This was the record of last week when the European mails now landed by the Steamer Empress of Ireland at Halifax on Friday and, notwithstanding the fact that a heavy snow storm prevailed over the entire Eastern Division, leaving at 10.40 a.m. the mail train arrived in Montreal the next morning at 9.40 thus making the run in the remarkably quick time of 23 hours.

The Empress arrived in St. John on Saturday about the same time the train arrived in Montreal. The mails therefore landed at Halifax reached Montreal a day in advance. This may be said also of the passengers who departed at Halifax they arrived in Montreal a day earlier. St. John will need to look to its laurels.

You Get What You Put In.

The following anecdote was told by President Catten, in the course of his address during his inductor ceremonies last week at Acadia. "One of the leading Boston pastors who was summing up at a beach near Portland went out on Sunday to preach at a little country. No collection was

taken at the service but as the preacher was coming out of the church he noticed a box marked 'free will offering for church purposes' so dropped half a dollar in the box. Just as he was driving away he was called back and informed that the offering was always used to pay for the supply.

"The minister was accompanied by his young daughter. As they drove home the little girl remarked to her father that if he had put more in the box he would have got more out.

"Turning to the students' gallery President Catten said 'Boys, you will get out of your college course just what you put in. Even if you should deceive your professors and obtain a degree without honest effort you really will have nothing.'

I. C. R. Pictures Are Sought For.

Request From Australia for Views of Canadian Scenes. An inquiry recently received by the General Traffic Manager of the Intercolonial Railway, shows how wide is the distribution of a good item of news through the medium of the press. Last November on account of the display of I. C. R. views being shown on the New York Herald bulletin screens along with the returns of the Presidential election, went the rounds of the Canadian newspapers. It evidently travelled even further, for the other day a letter was received from Melbourne, Australia enquiring about these views, and asking if they could be obtained for lecturing purposes. The views alluded to are beautifully colored stereoscopic slides and the selection includes some of the prettiest scenic features along the line of the Intercolonial railway, such as 'Quebec from Lewis,' 'Bic' one of the most beautiful of the lower St. Lawrence seaside resorts 'Famed Matapedia Valley,' 'Hale des Chaleurs,' hunting and fishing scenes along the North Shore, 'Bore at Moncton,' 'Reversing Falls, St. John,' 'Wentworth Valley,' 'Folleigh Lake,' 'Halifax' and scenes on the 'Bras d'Or Lakes.' Wherever shown these have attracted great attention and have been widely admired.

Why Living is High

The Toronto News, after an exhaustive investigation into the present high cost of the ordinary necessities of life, has come to the conclusion, which is undoubtedly correct, that the prodigious increase of recent years is traceable largely to the failure in the production of various agricultural products to keep pace with the nation's growth in population, especially city population. The West is rapidly increasing the size of its wheat crop, and the shortage is notable chiefly in garden stuffs, and in live stock, poultry and their products. Market garden "trucks," butter, eggs and meat are far too dear.

The obvious remedy is to make the farm, and particularly the market garden and the chicken run yield a larger output. "Back to the land." And "intensive agriculture" are the approved cure. They constitute the gospel constantly preached by the Department of Agriculture and the various agricultural colleges.

Mark Twain's Preference

(Utica Globe) "Being an author, I suppose you would like my little gift to take the form of a book," said a lady admirer of Mark Twain (so runs the story). "Do tell me your ideas about the kind of books you like best as Christmas presents." "Well, that depends," he replied, thoughtfully. "If a book has a leather cover, it is really valuable as a razor strap; if it is a brief, concise work such as the French write, it is always useful to put under the short leg of a wobby table. An old-fashioned book with a clasp can't be beat as a missile for a dog; while a large book, like a geography or an atlas, is as good as a bit of tin to nail over a broken pane of glass.

A Matter of Dollars and Cents.

Advertising should be just a matter of investment for you, Mr. Merchant. You put money into Stock that you may get More Money. Put Money into Advertising that you may gain a larger percentage on that Money you put into Stock. Advertising Does Pay and there's no doubt about it. All the merchants who have won great success have used Printer's Ink extensively. IT WILL PAY YOU Watch your Advertising in 1910. Advertising that is neglected doesn't pay a bit more than the store that is neglected says.

Providential—Mother—"Why should we make Willie a doctor when there are so many new doctors every year?" Father—"But think of all the new ailments!"

The Civil Sabbath and Lord's Day Legislation.

The Canadian Publishing Association has issued the first number of "The Dominion Sentinel," while it announces that "it is not published in the interest of any class whatsoever," yet every sign of article is the product of a Seventh Day Adventist preacher or leader, and all its 46 pages are devoted to earnest explanations and exposition of the views of that body concerning Lord's Day Legislation. Many times have we obtained the publications of Seventh Day Adventists, and whether books, pamphlets, periodicals, or leaflets, they were without exception declared to be published by some association the name of which would never suggest the society in whose interest the publication was issued in the interest of the people who are opposed to all legislation in regard to the Lord's Day.

Again and again in its 46 pages the writers declare that Lord's Day legislation in general, and the Lord's Day Act of Canada, in particular, is religious legislation. It is said to be an effort to "enforce the ten commandments by law," "a purpose to bring about a strict religious observance of the Lord's Day, by law," a law "enacted under the plea to benefit man, often used to oppress him," &c., &c. Yet in the whole 46 pages there is not named one section, sub-section, or clause of the Lord's Day Act that proves the charge that it is religious, or that in any way substantiates the specious charges of these Seventh Day Adventist writers.

The fact is that the Lord's Day Act nowhere seeks to enforce religion. Its single purpose is to preserve the civil right of citizens throughout the Dominion to that day as their weekly day of rest. When the Act was before the Canadian Parliament in 1906, an effort was made by Seventh Day Adventists, and other Saturday Sabbath Keepers, to secure an amendment which was of a purely religious character. In fact the only effort to secure religious legislation in connection with the Lord's Day Act was promulgated by the Saturday Sabbath Keepers.

Much emphasis is given in this "Sentinel" to the right of liberty of conscience and to worship as each person chooses. On the front page and in several other places Queen Victoria's well known words are quoted and enforced: "Firmly relying on the truth of christianity we declare it to be our royal will and pleasure that none be in any wise favored, none molested, or disquieted by reason of their religious faith or observances." This right and liberty to worship in peace is guaranteed throughout the empire by Act of Parliament. In this Dominion, R. S. C., 1906, Cap. 146, sec. 198 to 201, safeguard the civil right of every citizen to the practice in quietness and without interference of any religious rite or ceremony, according to the conscience of that citizen. This legislation, dealing directly with religion and religious worship, is accepted, acted upon, and by implication, highly commended in every article in this paper.

This writer, however, most frequently insists that the Sabbath is only, always, and singly a religious institution; and that at no time, nor under any circumstances is the Sabbath civil in its character. Yet the Sabbath has always been civil as well as religious. The same command which says, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy;" also commands that the day shall be a day of rest, when neither thou, nor thy wife, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, nor thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gate, shall do any work. It is truly civil as well as religious. A Sabbath law is a six-day law, kindred to an eight-hour law, the first protecting the weekly rest after six days of labor, and the other protecting the daily rest after eight hours of labor. In both cases, "the liberty of rest for each, demands the law of rest for all."

The civil character of Sunday laws is well stated by the Supreme Court of New York, in a recent case.

"As a civil institution of it (the Sabbath) is older than the government. The framers of the first constitution found it in existence; they recognized it in their acts. The stability of government, the welfare of the subject, and the interests of society have made it necessary that the day of rest observed by the people of a nation should be uniform, and that its observance should be to some extent compulsory, not by way of enforcing the conscience of those who desire and are entitled to the day.

"The Christian Sabbath, as one of the institutions of religion, may be protected from desecration by such laws as the Legislature, in their wisdom, may deem necessary to secure to the community the privilege of undisturbed worship, and to be deemed essential to the peace and good order of society, and to preserve religion and its ordinances from open reviling and contempt, and this not as a duty to God, but as a duty to society and the State.

It is necessary that the purpose of the Lord's Day Act and be him of the Lord's Day Alliance be clearly understood by the people. Hence the statements of the "Sentinel" should be corrected, and the object of its publication distinctly made known.

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LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Milne, Coates & Co. resumed work again on Tuesday morning.

At St. John West Feb. 23th to Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKillop, a son.

The Connors Bros. made her usual trip up the river on Tuesday, leaving a fairly large freight.

The Thimble Club met last week with Mrs. Henry Goss, and this week the Club will meet with Mrs. George Craig.

The Ladies of the Baptist Church will hold a social and sale in the vestry of the Church Saturday evening March 5th. Admission 15c.

There is a large list of unpaid subscriptions in St. George. We are doing our best for you, but we cannot run the paper without money. Please come and see us.

The Deer Island Weir Owners Union have made arrangements with the packers that the price of fish be \$12 per hoghead for the first of August, and \$6 per hoghead for the balance of the season.

John Kernighan has purchased a fine horse and trucking gear from the estate of the late Samuel Poole, Peunfield, and is engaged in the trucking business in and about the town.

A disastrous fire occurred at Black's Harbor on Monday evening. The house which was occupied by Henry Thompson was totally destroyed, being barred to the ground. There was no insurance.

The St. George High school enjoyed a sleigh drive last night. After a pleasant drive to Massarene they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie. About thirty-five were present. The party arrived home about midnight.

Owing to the mild condition of the weather, and consequently poor ice, the hockey game with St. Stephen, which was to have taken place Monday afternoon had to be postponed indefinitely. It is hoped that the ice will soon be in good condition.

The "Greetings" office is now well supplied with printing material and stationery of all kinds, and is prepared to handle all orders in job work at reasonable rates. Don't send your orders out of town. Be loyal to home enterprise. We can satisfy you.

Burn's Big New Stone Shed at Northfield Wt. collapsed at 7:15 o'clock on Saturday morning. No one was killed but seven or eight were hurt, two seriously. Wm. McMaster, James Craig, and Fred Matheson all of this town had very narrow escapes.

The shed is flat roofed and is 275 feet long. The collapse was caused by snow and ice on the roof. The men had only started to work on Wednesday.

The Nestorian Hockey Team will play the St. Stephen High School Hockey Team at 4 o'clock on Friday afternoon, providing there is ice. The St. Stephen boys are good stuff and our boys need no recommendation and a good game is assured. An admission will be charged, gentlemen 25c, ladies 10c. Don't miss seeing the Nestorians compete with an outside for the first time this year. We wish them luck.

The members of Red Granite Amateur Dramatic Club will present for the first time in Coates Hall on Easter Monday March 25 the Comedy drama in four acts entitled "A Fishermen's Luck." On Tuesday Evening 29th inst. the same company will appear in the famous Southern Comedy Drama in four acts "A Woman's Honor." The Club are devoting a lot of time in preparing these plays and patrons are assured of two good entertainments. The proceeds will be in aid of the building fund of St. Mark's Church Rectory.

A semi-public meeting was held by the Nestorian Society of the S. G. N. S. The following programme was carried out: Speech dealing with "The relation of the Magna Charta to the Constitution of the Present Day; Recitation entitled "Remember boys make men." Impromptu on "The Boer War." Review of Current Events of the week.

The question was debated: Resolved that commercialism had done more towards civilization than conquest. The President decided in favor of the Negative.

The following visitors were present, C. H. and Mrs. McGee, Mrs. Kernighan, Mrs. Messerick, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. P. Hanson and Mrs. E. R. O'Brien.

BY THE WAY

"Stormy March has come at last, with wind and cloud changing skies."

Don't kick a man when he is down, unless you are sure he will never get up again.

The man who has luck invariably upon his side can well afford to laugh at superstition.

Clerk (run into somebody in the dark) Stupid ass (perceiving it is his employer) that I am.

"Father, haven't you had another wife? The Bible says you married Anna Domini 1835."

The lovers of coasting are taking advantage of the dry condition of the hills, and coasting parties are the order of the day.

Why is it that when people fall on an icy side-walk they first look to see who saw them fall and then find out the extent of their injuries afterward?

Winks--"What did he do when he found that his wife had planned to elope with the chaffeur?"

Jin's--"He thoroughly oiled the car and put it in first class shape."

Tommy--"Father, a man is a bachelor until he gets married, isn't he?"

Father--"Yes, my son."

Tommy--"And what does he call himself afterwards?"

Father--"I wouldn't like to tell you, my son."

St. John with a population of 50,000 boasts of building permits amounting to \$3,000,000 in the last ten years. Calgary with a population of 30,000 can account for permits amounting to \$2,500,000 during 1909. The west is certainly growing.

One third of the fools in this country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law, one-half think they can beat the doctor at healing the sick, two-thirds of them think they can beat the editor running the newspaper--London 'Tribune.

During the month of January, 1910, four comets were at one time in the heavens. The first of these is Halley's comet; the second Wirtzelske's, rediscovered at the Observatory de la Plata on October 31st by Porro; the third, is Daniel's, and the fourth Illness.

Hon. Mr. Hazen has stated that the lumber cut of 1909 was 60 percent of that of 1908. In the Surveyor-General's report we find that \$246,742.77 was collected in 1909 and that \$191,514.63 was collected in 1908. Now if the 1909 cut yielded an amount of \$246,742.77, the 1908 cut much greater according to the official statement, should have yielded more than the \$191,414.63 collected. In other words the stamptage collection of 1908 should have amounted to \$411,237.95. Therefore \$219,823.32 is lost. Where is it?

Assemblyman Louis A. Cavillier of New York city has developed a sudden aversion to using a telephone. The Manhattan member had occasion to call up J. B. Lyon, the state printer.

"Is this the state printer?" demanded the assemblyman.

"It is," replied the voice at the other end of the wire I'm Lyon.

"You are eh!" should Mr. Cavillier.

"Well I want to talk to the state printer and talk to him in a hurry, too."

"I'm Lyon," protested the voice.

"I know you are," roared the angry assemblyman. "I can understand English I guess. Now, you tell the truth this time or I'll make trouble for you. I want to talk to the state printer."

"I'm telling the truth," returned Mr. Lyon, who also was developing some warmth in the region beneath his coat collar. "I'm Lyon, I tell you--L-y-o-n understand? And I want you to know that I'm not in the habit of lying, see!"

AN ULTIMATE CONSUMER

"How do you enjoy the winter?"

"Very fine."

"You must be selling coal."

"No; burning it."

SIMPLE ENOUGH

"What kind of a tree is that?"

"A dogwood."

"How do you tell?"

"By the bark."

CURED BY OPPOSITES

"What did the doctor say about it?"

"He told me I was all run down."

"Did he do anything for you?"

"Yes; run up a bill."

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Chief Justice Marshall used to narrate with great glee the following correspondence on a point of honor between Governor Giles of Virginia, and Patrick Henry. The Governor wrote: "Sir,—I understand that you have called me a hotbed politician. I wish to know if it be true, and, if true, your meaning."

W. R. GILES.
Patrick Henry's reply came promptly: "Sir,—I do not recollect calling you a hotbed politician at any time, but think it probably that I have. I can't say what I did mean, but if you will tell me what you think I meant I will say whether you are correct or not, very respectfully."

"PATRICK HENRY."
This was leaving it to Giles with a vengeance; but, as there was no further correspondence, the Governor of Virginia must have read satisfaction somewhere between the lines of Patrick Henry's brilliantly equivocal reply.

The Useful Barn Owl

A family of barn owls will number from three to seven birds. It is hard to believe what an amount of vermin a family of owls will consume. An old owl will capture as much or more food than a dozen cats in a night. The owlets are always hungry. They will eat their own weight in food every night, and more, if they can get it. A case is on record where a half-grown owl was given all the mice he could eat. It swallowed eight one after the other. The rapid digestion of birds of prey is shown by the fact that in three hours the little glutton was ready for a second meal, and swallowed four more mice. If this can be done by a single bird, what effect must a whole family of owls have on the vermin of a community?

It would be difficult to point out a more useful bird than the barn owl in any farming country. Like many other birds it deserves the fullest protection, but man is often its worst enemy.—American Birds.

Tommy's Remedy

Remedies are unfortunately sometimes worse than the diseases which they are made to cure. Tommy's mother had made him a present of a toy shovel, and sent him out in the sand-lot to play with his baby brother. "Take care of baby, now," said his mother, "and don't let anything hurt him."

Presently screams of anguish from baby sent the distracted parent flying to the sand-lot.

"For goodness sake, Tommy, what has happened to the baby?" said she, trying she, trying to soothe the wailing infant.

"There was a naughty fly biting him on the top of his head, and I killed it with the shovel," was the proudly reply.

Elephant Meat

That people will eat elephant with a relish has been proved by a butcher in Frankfurt-on-the-Main, to his profit and without the knowledge of his customers. This enterprising tradesman learned that a vicious elephant in the Ghent Zoological gardens was to be killed and made a bargain for the carcass. Within a few days that the elephant was transformed into 3,800 pounds of sausage meat and every pound was disposed of at a good price.

INFLUENCE OF THE DRAMA.

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(Saturday Evening Post)
A German baron—he said—blew into New York and got acquainted with some clubmen. He was put up at a club by one of them for the customary two weeks, and paid his bills promptly.

There was great surprise when the man who put him up refused to make an application for the renewal of the courtesies of the club for the baron. Club members were indignant about it and one of them had a new card issued.

The baron appreciated the compliment, and entertained lavishly. He left without paying his bills, and the member who volunteered the second time had to settle.

"Did you lose anything?" he asked the man who had stood sponsor first time.

"No," he said. "I didn't wine and dine him, like you. I took him out one day and whetted him."

Wanted a Preacher.

"Is this there a preacher on this train?" asked a large, dark-visaged man as he passed from one sleeper to another.

At last, after he had loudly repeated his query for the fifth or sixth time, a grave-looking gentleman laid aside a book and rose up from a seat near one end of the car.

"I have the privilege of being a minister of the gospel, sir," he said. "Can I be of any service to you?"

"Yes," said the larger passenger. "A fellow back in the dining car has bet me \$5 that it wasn't Lot's wife who got Joseph into trouble, and I thought you might have a Bible with you, so I could prove that he was wrong and get the money."

The Rat and the Swan

During a dreadful storm, when the river Tyne had flooded the country all round, a number of people were assembled watching the huge masses of hay swept along in its rapid course. At length a swan came in sight, struggling sometimes for land and at others sailing in its stately manner along with the torrent. As it drew near a black spot was observed on its snowy plumage, which the spectators were astonished to find was a living rat and it is probable it had been borne from its dwelling in some hayrack and, seeing the swan, had hastened to it for a refuge. On the bird arriving on land the rat leaped off its back and scampered away, but a man having no respect for the sagacity which the rat had displayed killed it with a blow of his staff.

An Absent-Minded Bishop

(The Argonaut)
When the Bishop of Truro, Dr. Gott, was dean of Worcester, his absent-mindedness was so notorious that he earned for himself the sobriquet of "Dean Forgetful."

On one occasion he had invited some friends to dine with him; on their arrival a short time before the dinner hour he suggested that in the interval of waiting his friends would perhaps like to walk through the grounds.

After spending about a quarter of an hour in admiring the flowers, shrubs and greenhouses, they suddenly came upon a door in the garden wall. "Ah!" said the dean to his astonished guests, "this will be a much nearer way for you to go home than by going back to the front."

And, all unconscious of his invitation, he opened the door and bowed them out.

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Leave A.M.		Arr. P.M.	
7:30	St. John East Ferry	6:30	St. John West
7:45	Duck Cove	6:15	Spruce Lake
7:59	Spruce Lake	5:55	Allan Cot
8:15	Allan Cot	5:52	Prince of Wales
8:30	Prince of Wales	5:38	Musquash
8:45	Musquash	5:25	Leppaux
9:10	Leppaux	4:58	New River
9:27	New River	4:35	Pocologan
9:35	Pocologan	4:17	Pennfield
9:55	Pennfield	4:00	St. George
10:30	St. George	3:30	Bonny River
10:52	Bonny River	3:10	Dyer's
11:22	Dyer's	2:45	Cassell's
11:35	Cassell's	2:37	Brunswick Junction
11:45	Brunswick Junction	2:20	Oak Bay
12:12	Oak Bay	2:03	St. Stephen
12:30	St. Stephen	1:45	
Arr. Noon		Leave P.M.	

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E GRANITE TOWN GREETINGS

The Painter And the Sign.

She noticed him the first day he came. I noticed them both. I make no particular apology for the confession, and in fact am now so hardened that I take particular pleasure in the recollection. At first I had the same moral right to watch the young painter at his work that she had, or any other roamer in the block, for that matter. After the affair became involved, which it did so gradually that at first I scarcely recognized the intruder of Cupid, I acknowledge that for a time conscientious qualms mingled frequently with the pleasure I experienced in overhearing their remarks, but after a day or two the delights of eavesdropping swept all my compunctions to the winds.

First the carpenters put the sign-board up. She and I could hear the noise of the operation early in the morning, and reached our windows simultaneously. We watched them a little while, mentally debating, at least I was, as to the probable length of time the hammering would continue. Turning, she seemed a bit confused to see me leaning out of the next window. I thanked heaven that I was old and white-haired and decrepit; otherwise I am sure she would have drawn back hastily into her room. As it was, I spoke to her and she smiled. Our wonderment as to the work going on below took words, and we discussed the matter thoroughly. The immense signboard reached from the ground up to the windows, and when the job was completed we understood only too plainly that the mercenary disposition of our landlord was about to wreck the appearance of our lodging house. For myself, I was in no position to allow trifles like signboards, loaded down with glaring advertisements, to coerce me into changing my quarters. An old man with a scant income, and beyond the power of increasing it, is not apt to be quiescent about his living quarters.

The girl, however, in a pretty, pouting way, was greatly displeased with the commercial acquisition. "What, I am afraid, with a compulsory fortune equal to my own. Young girls who see for a living can scarcely afford to be too particular either."

But about the painter. He put in appearance about the third day, after the board had received a coat of white paint at the hands of two young fellows, who conversed loudly and chewed an immense amount of plug tobacco. The painter, I can scarcely call him an artist, although some of his brushes were quite fine, made a favorable impression with us from the first. After the preliminary racket caused by the rigging and adjustment of his swing, the work took on a comparative quiet in its execution, and he moved about with a fascinating deftness that it was really a pleasure to witness.

"I am glad there is to be no more noise below us, at any rate, said the girl to me as the young man began his measurements, following each with the shurring sound of a soft pencil."

"Yes, it will indeed be a relief," I replied, mentally remarking on the fondness I had always felt for the brunette type of beauty.

The painter raised his head, having overheard the remarks, and there was a little smile of appreciation on his clear cut lips.

"The carpenters made it disagreeable for you, did they?" There was a quiet reserve in his manner that convinced me immediately that he was a gentleman. Otherwise I should not have encouraged him to continue, on the girl's account, though I was burning with an old man's curiosity to know what kind of a sign it was to be.

I looked at the girl, and thanked heaven that he was a gentleman, for I saw in her face the dawn of a healthy interest in the proposed advertisement. I did not at the time imagine for a moment that the interest extended to the painter, and still do not think so, though I realize only too well that I am old and that love moves with unrelenting swiftness in these days. At least she was a well-bred miss and not flirtatiously inclined.

"Yes, the carpenters were a little noisy," I admitted, after mature reflection. Then I launched out to satisfy my curiosity—perhaps I should say out-crying—for knowledge. "What is the sign to be?" "I queried, endeavoring to suppress any suspicion of rudeness in my tone. The question had the double effect of securing the somewhat uninteresting information, and of letting the painter forever into our good graces. You see I have adopted the plural now without excuse, and the girl's wide eyed interest and seeming dependence on my good judgment was beginning to justify it."

"A cigar sign," he announced pleasantly, pausing in his preparations and glancing upward, as if to see how the intelligence was received. I flatter myself that I have now reached an age when I can assume a stoical cast of countenance, under stress of deep and lasting disappointment. It was not so with the girl, however. Her face not only gave evidence of displeasure, but she voiced the feeling in words. The words were:

"How perfectly horrid!"

The painter laughed immoderately. I was certain now that he was no boor, for it takes a brave and courageous man to stand a woman's scorn of his work. He was not without reason for his courage, though, and I must not over rate his good nature.

"But this is not going to be a horrid sign," he said. "It is going to be handsome and attractive." Here's young American assurance, I thought.

"I am commissioned by the manufacturers of the Dorothy cigar," he continued, "to illumine this sign with the head of a charming woman. She must be beautiful and alluring in the extreme. If I succeed, my future is assured, and my fortune also."

There was a fine air of hopefulness about the little speech that won my heart in spite of his buoyant manner. "And do you feel certain that you will be able to paint such a face?" asked the girl.

He looked at her intently for a moment. "I was somewhat doubtful of it when I took the contract," he said, "but am beginning to feel that possibly I may be able to accomplish something that will help sell the Dorothy cigar."

Of course we could not see the work he was doing, as the sign-board was immediately below us and against the building. I was, moreover, unable to go downstairs that evening, being confined to my room by an extremely painful attack of rheumatism, although I was more than anxious to have a glance at the rough outline on the sign-board. Nor was I able to move about much the following day.

The painter arrived bright and early, and I was awakened by a combination of harmonious melody, which emanated from a masculine whistle below and a girl's voice from the next room. The three of us exchanged salutations and discussed weather conditions without variance. Presently I found intent watching from the window more painful than pleasant and sank back from sight into my rocker. Then it was I became an unwitting, and at first unwilling, eavesdropper. The first remark that reached my ear was the following from the girl:

"Is this beautiful woman you are painting to be a blonde or a—brunette? She hesitated slightly on the last word."

"Which do you consider advisable?" The slap of his brush had ceased, and I knew he was losing valuable time. I could also guess that his eyes were elsewhere than on his work."

"Why, a blonde, of course. Everybody thinks blondes are more attractive than brunettes." The girl spoke in a manner that brought to my mind a number of impressions, chief among them being that she did not mean what she said; Realizing that she was probably conscious, or should be, of her own dark beauty, I could not bring myself to censure her.

"A blonde it will be, then," was his quick reply.

"But you have such a dark supply of paint. How will you be able to paint a blonde with that?"

He did not answer for a moment.

said: "Well, it's all in the mixing, you know." I hoped he was blushing with shame. If not, I was for him.

"Is this—this girl, to be your ideal?" They were becoming acquainted remarkably fast, and I began to feel that my life was lapsing over into a new and strangely rapid generation.

"I hope I can bring the picture up to my ideal," he finally answered. My rheumatism was still aggravating me greatly that evening, but I made a groaning descent to the ground floor and out onto the opposite side of the street. Then I turned and beheld for the first time the gigantic cigar sign. The picture was still a mere outline, but it told me that my suspicions had been correct. I have said that the painter had courage. This was positive daring! And I also formed a poor opinion of his ability to mix dark paints into a blonde preparation. The hair was dark as night!

The next day I felt better. I was able to have leaned out of my window indefinitely, but fifteen minutes sufficed. My old-fashioned conscience was becoming a deliberate failure.

"What are you working on now?" she asked.

"I am finishing up the right eye," responded the painter.

That explained their low tones. The right eye was directly under her window, and for that reason I had difficulty in hearing.

"She has blue eyes, of course, being a blonde," was the next observation from the girl.

"Of course," he returned. I cowered like a guilty wretch in my chair. I felt it almost a duty to correct him, but discovered that I was calling myself an "old fogey" and "back number." Deceitful silence was a happy recourse.

Several days followed, more rapidly for me than the time was wont to pass. I wondered vaguely at times if sewing was remunerative, and if making up for lost time by lamplight was not a trifle hazy on the eyes. Also whether painting signs had to be done with any great dispatch in order to prove profitable, and just how much time should really be taken to paint a large cigar sign like the one below our window. Then I began to hope that the time was no particular object in sign-painting and that gaslight was not hard on the eyes.

"I will be through to-night," he said, on the morning of the tenth day.

"Then I will be able to see the picture tonight," she said, not gaily, but with a half tone of sorrow. She had rigidly refrained from viewing the sign until it was completed.

He painted silently for a time.

"You seem very much in love with your work," she said finally.

"Yes," he replied quietly, though the words reached me clearly. "You are right, I am very much in love with my work."

That night he came for her and they crossed the street together in the gathering dusk to look at the picture. I found myself quivering with excitement, and wondered if my old ears would serve me at that distance. At least I could depend upon my eyes to a certain extent. I both saw and heard something of what occurred. They stood closely together, and as the girl turned I heard a sharp exclamation of surprise. I could detect no anger, though I was listening intently for it. He began talking rapidly and vehemently. I knew intuitively what he was saying. After a short time the two forms melted together, and I could see his arms steal about her. I felt on my knees and the tears rained down my cheeks.

"We must tell Uncle Ben," I heard her say presently.

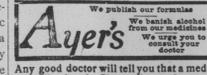
"The first thing to be sure."

They were upon the steps in a moment and it was a guilty old, rheumatic wretch they found simulating surprise on their arrival.

I have saved and re-read a hundred times the clippings from the daily newspapers which told of the sudden rise to prominence of a young ad-painter in the city, and the crowds which gather every day to look upon the picture of the young American girl on the Dorothy cigar sign little imagine the secret in the heart of the old man in the window above.

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The Ribbon Sandwich

An unusually pretty sandwich is of the "ribbon" variety, says the Delinquent. To make it cut fine slices of white bread about half an inch thick and spread each with softened sweet butter before slicing it from the loaf. Trim off the crust from the slices and shape the latter into squares of even size, about 3 by 3 inches.

Lay each slice, buttered side up, upon a pastry board. Spread the first one with cream cheese rubbed smooth with minced parsley and chives, the latter previously sprinkled very slightly with lemon juice. Cover the next slice with a thin layer of smoked tongue freed from skin and gristle. Strew the third with rice yolk of a hard egg seasoned with salt, pepper and a bit of dry mustard and pat a layer of smoked salmon or of rosy ham on the fourth slice.

Pile the slices one upon the other evenly and in the order mentioned and top them with the fifth slice laid with the utterest side downward. Wrap carefully in a cheesecloth binder which has been slightly dampened and weight with a book for an hour or so.

When ready to serve remove the cheesecloth and divide the little brick into thin slices, cutting downward with a keen edged carving knife. The result will be a square formed of half inch strips of bread pressed together and crossed by lines of green, red, yellow and pink. A different style of ribbon sandwich is made with a number of slices of brown bread and of white bread piled alternately, each slice previously spread with cream cheese blended with finely minced nuts and overlaid with a crisp leaf of lettuce.

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The new mayor of Southwark, Eng., Canon Horsley, possesses a very extensive knowledge of crime and criminals. For ten years he was chaplain of one of the largest prisons in England—the old Clerkenwell House of Correction, and during that time over a hundred thousand offenders passed through his hands. Of his prison days he has numerous souvenirs at the rectory, Walworth, including burglars' implements of various kinds. His knowledge of the ways of the wicked, indeed, led one convict to remark to another, after a homily from the chaplain: "Why, Bill, he must be 'bin one of us himself." In addition to the Black Museum, the canon has established at the rectory a small zoo, which is the delight of the children of the parish. Natural history is the canon's favorite hobby.

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OFF TO THE SOUTH POLE

Latest British Expedition Sails Under a White Flag.

The latest British expedition towards the South Pole left London recently when the Nimrod sailed from the East India Dock. It was announced that the King and Queen would visit the vessel when it calls at Coves.

The Nimrod is an old vessel, and is well suited for work among the ice. The destination of the vessel is Port Lockroy. These two expeditions will bid farewell to civilization for many months, while the Nimrod, under Captain England, carries on a series of scientific investigations along the ice.

According to present plans it is intended that three of the best party shall go due south to the Pole, three due east, and three along a line between the other two, the latter being the main party. Should all go well, the land party will have returned at the end of Christmas 1910, ready for the return of the Nimrod in January, 1911.

Miss Shackleton feels great confidence in the enterprise which forms part of the outfit. With the machine for taking the necessary observations, she is well equipped. It has been suggested that the expedition should be accompanied by a number of Eskimos, who have been employed on the "Victoria," are at home for a short visit.

REVAL LIFE

Several members of the Reval Life Society made the awards of medals and other distinctions for the year 1909 as follows:—Gold medal to Lieutenant Ernest H. Shackleton for his "Nearest South Pole" a gold medal to Commander Robert E. Peary for the discovery of the North Pole; silver medal to Capt. Robert Bartlett who commanded the Steamer Roosevelt on the Peary expedition; silver table to the Duke of the Abruzzi for his expedition to the Himalayas where he made a record ascent.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—The customs revenues for the first eleven months of the fiscal year which closed today totalled \$34,081,937. These figures establish a new record as they are half a million dollars in excess of a like period in 1907, the banner year to date. The total gain for the eleven months as compared with the same period last year has been \$11,461,228. If the present rate of increase is continued during March the customs revenues for the year will exceed sixty million dollars. For February alone the increase was \$1,071,176, the total for the month being \$5,164,824.

There are over 400 miles of railway now in operation in Guatemala, and various extensions are in prospect. One of these contemplates the building of a line from Zacapa on the Northern Railroad, about 100 miles from the sea, to Santa Ana, on the northwest, the British railway already built, and thereby with the capital of Salvador. Much of the coffee now grown in that republic will thus find an outlet to the Atlantic of which it has long been in need, and it is highly probable that the bulk of the import trade to Salvador will also be conducted along this route.

A western woman grub staked her husband in 1897 for an Alaskan gold-seeking trip, and now she is suing him to get half of the \$2,000,000 he has made.

L'ETETE

Mr. Seymour McVicar has returned home after spending several months in Mass.

Miss Taylor and Miss Nellie McLean spent Thursday evening the guests of Miss Goldie Dick.

Roscoe Burgess and George McVicar of Mascarene, called on friends at Lower Letete, Sunday.

Mrs. Kathleen Stewart very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends at a sewing party one day last week.

We are all very glad to hear that Wallace Mathew is improving after his recent illness.

Misses Emily and Pearl Cline, of Deer Island, are visiting friends here.

The many friends of Wellington Dick are glad to welcome him home again.

Miss Edith Chambers spent Sunday at her home at Mascarene, accompanied by her friend, Robert Holmes.

Mrs. Herbert McLean and daughter, Nellie, called on friends at St. George one day last week.

Mrs. Thomas Tucker who has been sick with erysipelas, is slowly recovering.

Rugene Matthews and James Seely, who have been employed on the tug "Victoria," are at home for a short visit.

The six weeks hauling in March does not look very propitious at the present time.

Mrs. Norman Seely and baby Clementina, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Lilla Dick.

Miss Winnie Hinds, of L'Etete, is at Letete. She will spend several weeks here.

Ward Dick called on friends here on Monday.

Mrs. Will Bannan returned home Saturday to Lubec, after spending a week with friends here.

Mrs. Addie Stuart has gone to Boston for an indefinite period.

Dr. and Mrs. Clayton Holmes, of Lubec, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Wentworth, returning home on the Steamer Viking.

Mrs. John Holmes arrived home from Eastport on Thursday, where she has been visiting for two weeks.

The Misses Cline, of Deer Island, are visiting at Mrs. Judson Mathew's for a few weeks.

The Viking arrived here on Thursday with a large passenger list. The traveling public took advantage of the fine day.

A new railroad company has been organized to build a line from Teziutan, State of Puebla, through the State of Veracruz, to the port of Vera Cruz, says the Mexican Herald. The \$2,500,000 gold capital has all been subscribed.

Engineer Leopoldo V'areal, a member of the board of directors, says that the line will develop a region rich in fruit, sugar, coffee, oil, etc., and that the freight on the lemon trade alone pay the expenses on the road. A branch line will also be operated between Papantla and Misantla.

An insurance agent was boasting that his company recently paid a life policy to the widow the day after the funeral of her husband and insisted that no company was ever so prompt in payment.

"That's nothing," replied the agent of another company. "One of our patrons recently fell from the top of a four story building, and a cheque for the full amount of the policy was handed him as he passed the second story window."

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 28.—Tommy Murphy, New York, to-night won the decision at the end of twenty rounds from Owen Moran of England.

Both men were on their feet after twenty rounds of desperate fighting and Referee Eddie Smith declared Murphy the winner over England's champion lightweight. The decision was jeered and Moran frantically protested, saying he had been robbed.

MUSQUASH

Patrick Kane, employed at Lowell's lumbering works, spent Sunday at his home at Fairville.

Friends of Mrs. B. P. Austin, took supper and spent a very enjoyable evening at her home Wednesday last. Including Miss Roome, Miss Gamble, Miss Clinch and others.

Miss Helen Soprano, of St. John, was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Shepherd, Sr. last week.

Miss N. Anderson, who has been visiting friends in St. John for a few days, returned to her home in Musquash, on Friday morning's train.

Miss Nellie W'Imanson, of Clinch's Mills, met with a severe shaking up while returning from the Post Office one day last week, falling on the ice.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shepherd, Jr., congratulate them on the arrival of a son.

Mrs. B. F. Austin, spent Sunday with Mrs. Dr. Clinch, South Musquash.

Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor and son, spent Sunday with Mrs. Taylor's sister, at Prince of Wales.

Mrs. Howell, M. P., spent a few days last week at his lumber camps. The work in the lumber woods is progressing more rapidly since the much needed snow has come.

Rev. Father Carson, held services at Musquash on Sunday last. His many friends are glad to hear that he is much improved in health.

Frank Parks spent Sunday at his home. Josh Ferguson, has accepted a position with the New River Lumber Co.

Game Warden Deane, arrived home on Friday morning's train from St. John, where he has been spending a few days.

Rev. J. R. Martins, was unable to hold his usual Lenten service Wednesday evening, owing to the storm.

Wm. Donnan, spent Sunday with friends in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Post Master Spinney, spent Sunday with their daughter at Lepreau.

Jan. Shepherd, spent a few days of last week in St. John.

Miss Allene Clinch, spent Thursday evening last with Miss Boone of Musquash.

Miss Flossie Cairns, who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. D. Taylor, returned to her home at Prince of Wales, on Friday.

George and Fred Reid, spent Sunday at South Musquash.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moody, drove to St. John, on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones, spent Sunday with Mr. Jones' father, South Musquash.

Patrick Driscoll, Jr., and Wm. Graham left on Friday evening's train for St. John, where they intend spending a few days.

Miss Pooley, school teacher, South Musquash, spent Sunday with her folks at St. John.

Mrs. Nelson Spinney, of St. John, west spent Wednesday with her mother Mrs. Catherwood, Mrs. Catherwood has been laid up with a fractured arm, her friends are glad to hear that she is improving.

Edward Boyd, spent Sunday with his mother.

Miss Cona Balcolm, is spending the winter months with relatives in Nova Scotia.

F. S. Clinch, arrived on Friday's train from New River.

MASCARENE

Mrs. Herbert McLean and Miss McLean were guests of Mrs. C. McVicar recently.

I. E. Gilmor, Bonny River paid a business trip here Friday.

John Catherine has been engaged in hauling their brush here during the past week.

Miss Lenora McVicar drove to St. George Friday.

We are glad to hear Ernest Stewart is improving after being ill for the past week with a sore throat.

Miss Grace Johnson and Ward Dick were visitors here on Friday.

Miss Annie Stuart has returned home last week after spending a couple of weeks in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McVicar spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Misses Maud Dick and Portia Brown made a short call Thursday on their way to St. George.

Hiram Wilcox who is employed with Sullivan at Bonny River spent Sunday at his home.

Capt. and Mrs. Hilyard spent Thursday at Graniteville.

Denais Leland was in Letete on Saturday.

Menzie Chambers and Jesse Leland spent the evening with Bert Cameron on Saturday.

(Too late for last issue)

Miss Alta and Walter McKenzie attended Division on Wednesday last.

Neil Seelye made a short call while passing through here last week.

Ernest Stewart is home from Woodlands with a sore throat.

Chas. Leland was in town Thursday.

Mrs. P. Cameron and Mrs. Wm. Hilyard gave friends in Letete a pleasant call last week.

Miss Maggie Leland the young daughter of Chas. Leland took seriously ill on Wednesday evening. Dr. Alexander is in attendance.

Miss Lenora McVicar spent Wednesday afternoon with Miss Grace Stewart.

Allan Stewart paid St. George a visit on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Leland is suffering from a severe cold.

Bruce McVicar is hauling logs.

Denais Leland is employed with Capt. McLeod at Calhoun.

Menzie Chambers was the guest of his sister at Letete on Sunday.

Wm. Hilyard made a trip to St. George Thursday.

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