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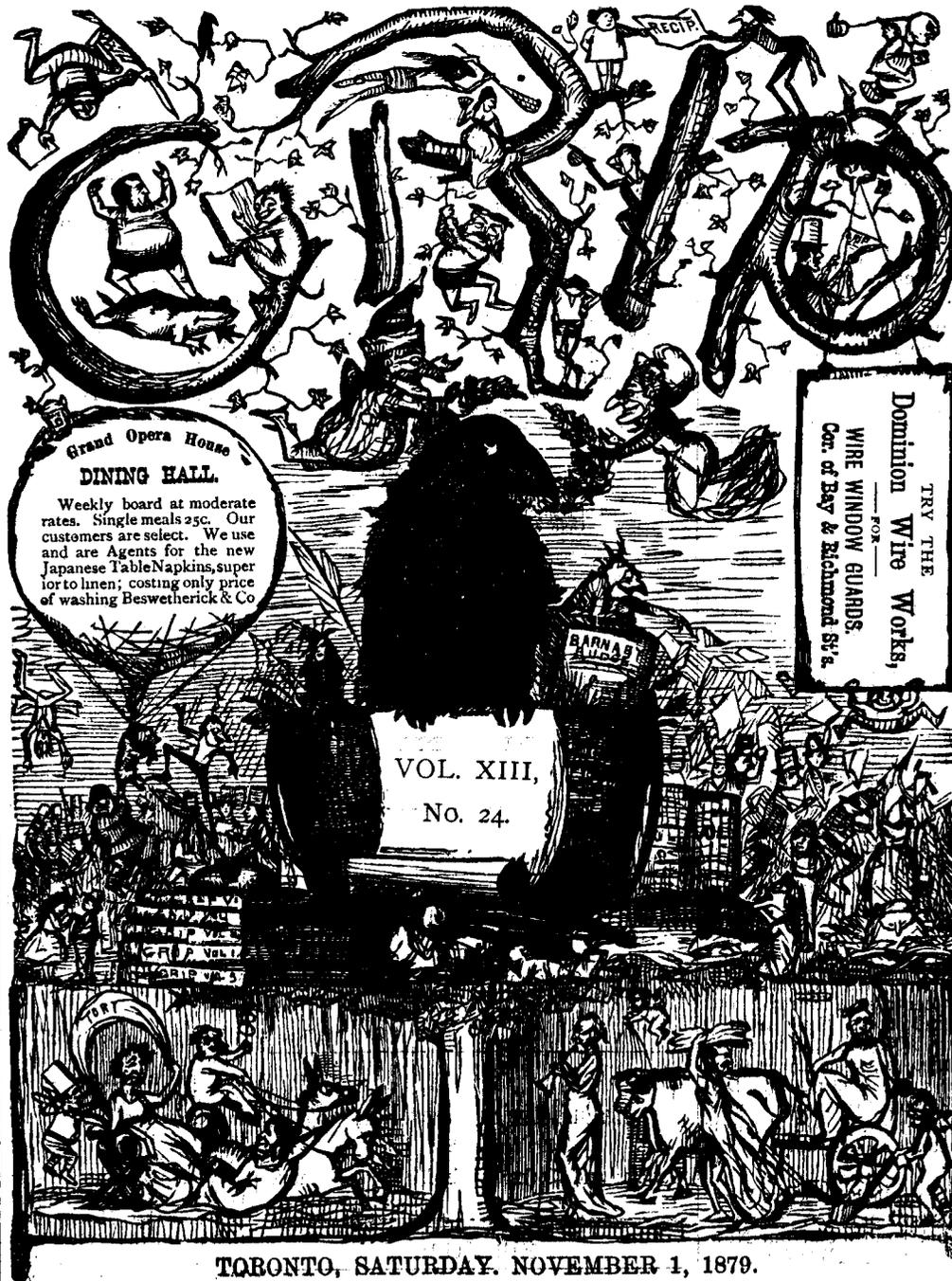
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Literature and Art.

CONOT signed a picture he had just finish ed on his death-bed.

The Stricken South, a statue by HOWARD KRECHMAR, is highly praised in St. Louis.

It is proposed to hold an exhibition of the works of the late WILLIAM M. HUNT, in Boston.

M. FAGEL, a pupil of M. CURALIER, has carried off the Grand Prix de Rome in sculpture.

The Buffalo Society of Decorative Art opened last week, and everything promises a successful year.

Mrs. J. W. MACKAY, the wife of the Bonanza King, has had her portrait painted in Paris by CABANEL.

In France there are two National Schools of Decorative Art, one for men, the other for women, the latter being superintended by a woman.

The Story of a Disappearance is the title of a new novel by the author of *The Leavenworth Case*. The latter was the first book of its author, and it made a decided hit, receiving praise from critics abroad as well as at home.

Readers of good poetry will hail with pleasure the announcement of a new volume of the complete poetical works of RICHARD HENRY STODDARD. There is no edition of Mr. STODDARD'S poems to be found in the book stores.

"Society Unmasked" is the title of a lecture being delivered by a young Canadian named J. B. WATSON. People who know him well say that "WATSON Unmasked" would be a more profitable subject to his prospective victims in the north and west of Ontario.

The New York Press Club has started a movement for the sale of a collection of pictures to be contributed by artists and others, for the benefit of the family of the late CHARLES G. ROSENBERG, artist, journalist, and author.

A letter from France states that a gentleman of this city visited Paris, Rouen, London, and other art centres in Europe, not long ago, and stated there that he was authorized to expend 2,000,000 of francs for pictures for Mr. VANDERBILT. He bought extensively. The great picture by DETAILLE, for Mr. VANDERBILT, the largest ever produced by this artist, passed through the New York Custom House only a few days ago.

They have what are called DICKENS Parties in some of the American cities. Here is the programme of one from one of our New York exchanges: "Mr. Pickwick is to hold a reception, at which over a hundred of DICKENS'S most prominent characters are to appear in appropriate costume. This will be followed by a grand promenade of the characters, which will give the audience an opportunity to see the groupies in detail. Mrs. Jarley will then present her unrivaled collection of real Wax-Work. After this there will be time to visit the Curiosity Shop, and patronize little Jenny Wren, the dolls' dressmaker. Refreshments will be served at Mugby Junction, where will be found 'eatable things to eat, and drinkable things to drink.' To quote from Mrs. Jarley, 'Hevery expectation set forth in the 'an bills will be realized to the utmost, and the whole form an effect of imposing brilliancy 'itherto unrivaled in this Republic.'"



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A curious book has been published by BLACKIE & Son, London, called *The Newspaper Reader*. It is made up of clippings from the journals of the nineteenth century, on the events of the day, carefully selected by H. F. BUSSY and T. WILSON REID.

Stage Whispers.

The Count JOHANNES will "star" it next season. Misguided man! He evidently believes that the egg crop is a total failure.

The reason SARA BERNHARDT has never appeared in French opera is because her modesty will not permit her to wear tights. This is reliable.

MARION D'ARCY, whose recent theatrical debut was a failure, is Miss TALBOT, the Halifax governess, who recently inherited a fortune of two hundred thousand dollars per annum.

SARA BERNHARDT has sold her picture *La Dormeuse* in the London Exhibition, to the Prince and Princess of Wales, and they have given her commissions for a new painting and a piece of statuary. From another source she has received a commission to execute a bust of Lord BEACONSFIELD before leaving England.

When Mrs. HARRIET BEECHER STOWE was given a check for \$10,000 by Mr. JEWETT three months after *Uncle Tom's Cabin* was issued, she didn't know what to do with it, and the publisher was obliged to go with her to a bank, into the mysteries of which she was initiated. Mrs. STOWE was paid \$30,000 by Mr. JEWETT.

At the Grand the New York Criterion Company held forth during the week. *Our Daughters* occupied the three first nights. The play (a "society" one) seemed to highly please the fair audiences, which attended this Opera House during the week. The drawing-room scene was very prettily put on—and the acting throughout was good. *Breaks* and a *Triple Courtship* fill the bill for the rest of the week.

The railroad drawbridge scene in BOUCCAULT'S new play at BOOTH'S Theatre, according to the Boston *Herald's* correspondent, is received with more applause than "BOOTH'S best acting in the house of his misfortunes was ever rewarded with," and he makes the suggestion: "If machinery is so much more effective than men and women in exciting an audience, how long will it be before somebody will invent a tragedian of wheels, springs and bellows to go by steam power?"

The comic opera *The Mayor of St. Bruiez*, which, it will be remembered, was written by Mr. FREDERICK A. DIXON and composed by Mr. F. W. MILLS, for Her Excellency the Countess of DUFFERIN, was produced lately at the Broad Street Theatre in Philadelphia, and will shortly be brought out in New York. Since its production at Ottawa it has been re-arranged and extended into two acts by Messrs. DIXON and MILLS, and therefore, the better adapted for the general stage. The following was the cast for its production at the Broad Street Theatre: *The Mayor*, Mr. GEO. DENHAM; *Charles Duval*, Mr. HOFF; *Monsieur Buillet*, Mr. PIERSON; *Pierre*, Mr. MCCOLLEN; *Pompon*, Mr. REIBERT; *Countesse de Beauvry*, Miss BLANCHE CHAMPSON; *Marie*, Miss BOCKEL; *Violette*, Miss BELLE MACKENZIE. Of this cast one of the Philadelphia journals says: "This cast, comprising as it does the principals from two companies, each of whom are known to public fame, and have been selected for his or her known ability to fill the parts assigned them, will present the strongest operatic cast yet seen upon the stage at this theatre." It is gratifying to find so purely a Canadian work commanding attention abroad, entitling the writer and composer to congratulations.

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The gravest beast is the Ass; the gravest Bird is the Owl;
The gravest fish is the Oyster; the gravest Man is the Fool.

From Our Muskoka Correspondent.

(A MILESIAK).

When you lave Rosseau tavern (it's kept by ould PRATT
And a comical janius, faith, he's all that)
Just think twice, and examine the state of your bones,
Before you go rollin' thim over the stones
Of the road.

The horrible, terrible, villainous road
Right across the world's backbone that won't kape a toad,
Great black rock that looks like the big devil's abode
All the road.

Where the bastes must climb up the stone steps in the
rocks,

As they thrag you along wid most horrible shocks,
And aich lump on the ugly ould stage sinds you high
Till you wish you'd a rope to hang on to the sky,
On the road.

Pitchin' down gullies as deep as a mine,
Rowlin' up cliffs, dislocatin' your spine,
Of all the lines in the world it's the worst stage coach line
Is this road.

It's a government road, and the government could
Spind more labour upon it, they might, and they should.
If they've not got the cash the improvin' demand
They should come here thimselves, thin, and do it by
hand.

On this road.
Yis, ould MOWAT and WOOD and the whole of the lot
Should be kept here a-pilin' off stones till they got
Sinse to spind a small bonus, or loan, or what not
On this road.

The Present Prosperity of Canada.

EDITORIAL FROM THE "MAIL."

The atrocious Grits say the Conservatives have not fulfilled their promises. They who, when in office, passed their time in alternate fly-on-the-wheeling and corruption, say we have done nothing. They—they—the paltry and mendacious minions of the howling and malignant *Globe*. Let us recount what we have done.

In the first place, we have held a session of Parliament. If nothing else was done there, at least the editor of this journal immortalized himself. He holds the high position of member of Parliament in high regard, and evidenced it by making two speeches, (*missa utilis dulcis*) on the sugar question. He had been in the sugar business. He objects to the name of Hogshead, with which he has been honored. He, in those two speeches, evinced the versatility of his mind by taking exactly an opposite position on the question to that which he proclaimed when he was in the business of sugar. Reason, he is now in the business of politics. And they say we have done nothing. Down with G. B.!

Secondly, Sir JOHN (Canada's Greatest) has been to England. He has got a promise that

an unlimited sum shall be lent us for the Pacific Railway, within an unlimited time, and at an unlimited interest, as soon as we are able to afford unlimited security. If this is not an unlimited success, what is it? And they say he has done nothing! Perish the Grits!

Thirdly, Sir SAMUEL TILLEY has made a tariff. It has been the most promising measure ever known. So exclusively promising has it been that except the shingle mill at Meaford, which employs two hands (those of the proprietor) and came in before the tariff, nothing in the way of performance has been attempted. And they say we have done nothing! Perdition to Reformers!

Then Sir CHARLES TUPPER has pushed on the railway exactly in the way Mr. MACKENZIE was doing, buying his rails in Britain, and, as he declares he is a thorough Protectionist, buying them in the cheapest market rather than make them at home. The only change he has made is that he has spent \$600,000 on the contracts more than was necessary. His supporters must be supported. And they say he has done nothing or worse! Destruction to JOLT!

Yes, that reminds us. Next, LETELLIER has been removed from office for replacing by strictly constitutional means a very bad government by a very good one. The same act of ours has destroyed the usefulness of all future Governors. And they say we have done nothing! Maledictions on MACKENZIE!

Lastly, we have brought back every Scandalizer to office, and inflicted an indelible disgrace on the country in the eyes of the world. And they say we have done nothing! Hooray for Sir JOHN!

The Foreign Manufacturers' Dialogue.

SCENE—Manchester, Pittsburg, or wherever the foreign manufacturers were expected to pour in from under the reign of Protection.

1ST MANUFACTURER—What about going to Canada and setting up business? They've got Protection there now, and a pretty high tariff. Sounds like a good speculation.

2ND MANUFACTURER—Its sound is all the soundness that is in it. I have private advices from Canadian friends. No show there.

1ST M.—Why, isn't the tariff high enough?

2ND M.—Quite, on our lines.

1ST M.—Isn't there likely to be a demand for our goods?

2ND M.—Yes, very fair chance of demand.

1ST M.—Can't we compete with any one there?

2ND M.—Yes, or likely to be there.

1ST M.—Well, then, I can't for the life of me see why we shouldn't transfer our business there.

2ND M.—Perhaps our friend Mr. B., the capitalist from whom we must get a good deal of our money, will tell you why he has no wish to invest there. Here he is.

MR. B.—Gentlemen, I will tell you very easily. The introduction of Protection into Canada was a political movement partly, partly a patriotic one. The politicians have eured the patriots, and are running the whole affair, and running it on political principles, which in Canada seem to be to grab all you can for your party. They neither have made nor seem likely to make the thing a success. Consequence will be, before their term of office is out, Canadians will be sick of Protection, and call for low tariffs to break down the rings now being formed. Next administration will cut down the tariff. Then, smash go any capitalists who have been fools enough to invest. Don't tell me they wouldn't. Why, GALT, their best man perhaps, did it before, reduced the tariff and gave a lot of palaver that it was as good for

manufacturers as before. Stuff. Many a mill stopped. No, no, no. None of my money goes there. If they had meant fair play, they would have kept their Protectionist supporters with them. Instead of that, they discarded them as soon as power was obtained. Any manufacturer goes there at great risk. And they know it. Very few venture.

1ST MANUFACTURER—Calculate we won't venture neither.

2ND MANUFACTURER—No. If the Canadians want our money, let them place men in power on whose word we can rely.

HANLAN'S (or COURTNEY'S, as you wish) former admirers call Chautauqua Lake *Golgotha*, not because it was the place of a scull, but because it is the burial-place of their faith.

Why They are Preferred.

In an article on the hitherto non-political subject of "Marriage" the *Mail* of a late date said:

"It is proverbial that the Conservatives are the favourites with the fair sex."

Mr. GRIP, who had never observed anything to that effect in any book of proverbs, took the trouble to enquire of MATILDA JANE, his house-maid, the reasons for this preference. That obliging domestic retired to her own room up stairs, and shortly afterwards returned with the following neat and satisfactory reasons, written in a bold hand on highly scented note paper. She remarked that they were but a few of the scores of reasons that might be given.

The fair sex prefer Conservatives because,
1. As a general rule Conservatives are tony fellows, connected more or less with the aristocracy.

2. They are more tall and handsome than Grits, and just the least little bit delightfully fast.

3. They can afford to keep their wives very comfortable, being generally in office and enjoying fat situations and good pay.

4. They are more likely to be true and faithful husbands, as the traditions of their Party teach them to follow their Chief through thick and thin, and they are always true to him.

5. Conservatives always bring good times with them, and the fair sex always enjoy good times.

6. The motto of the Conservative is, "By the Party, with the Party and for the Country." Ladies are very fond of parties, and also love to go to the country during warm weather. Hence the preference for Conservatives.

7. Grits are independent as a rule, and think for themselves. This is a very inconvenient thing in a husband, especially if his wife doesn't happen to agree with him.

A BURK in your hand is worth two down your pant leg.

A MAN stole a bee-hive with its occupants at Alliston, the other day. Now! Want any more about the "hum"?

PEOPLE often talk of the proud man's scorn. But, after all, the proud man's corn is not more tender than the humble man's.

In a Mitchell paper's list of birth notices we read such names as "Hotel," "Horn," "Beer." The average happy father knows that these things usually do come together after "an addition." But yet it will look comical to him to see them so associated in a newspaper.



The Mayor Awake.

His Worship the Mayor is awake! For several weeks the powerful Conservative organ had been trying to bring him to his senses on the subject of the York street dens, but all in vain. Mr. GRIP, earnestly sympathizing with the *Mail*, came to the rescue, and last week put the case in a nutshell—or rather, in a barrel,—and plumped it down immediately under the nose of the Chief Magistrate as he sat dozing in his chair. Presto! the odour of the "city's shame" ascended into the Worshipful nostrils, and the thing was done! The Mayor leaped from his seat sniffing and coughing like a thoroughly disgusted man, and shouted for the Police Commissioners, and the Police Commissioners shouted for the police, who came on the double quick. The word of command was given, and the guardians of the peace charged on the dens, capturing and carrying off a large assortment of white and colored trash. Thus was the beginning of the end of a crying nuisance consummated. Well done, Mr. Mayor! Well done, Mr. *Mail*! but especially and particularly, Well done, Mr. GRIP!!



Courtesy Once More.

The redoubtable Duffer, COURTESY, has beduffered himself still more by running away from HANNAN'S second challenge. The excuse he gives for this latest exhibition of his prowess is about as thin as the saw with which he, or somebody very much like

him, severed the boat at Chautauqua. It is to be hoped his friends and the public generally will be content to let him retire now into the seclusion which a carpenter shop grants, for next to the nuisance of his constant humbugging, is the infliction on in-offensive newspaper readers of those unending columns of explanations and apologies furnished on his behalf. In fact Mr. GRIP is of opinion that altogether too much attention is paid, at any rate, to these boat-rowing fellows. To judge by the space devoted to them in the daily papers, one would imagine that Aquatics was some intellectual science, whereas it is generally admitted to be merely a trade, and a crooked one at that. It is worthy of remark in this connection that it was announced officially in the editorial columns of *Globe* and *Mail* that aquatic sport had received its "death-blow" at Chautauqua. The tremendous amount of stuff they have since printed in their sporting columns is, we presume, to be taken as connected with the inquest.



Distinguished Arrival.

The Rag Baby has come to town, and is exhibiting itself in Albert Hall before an admiring and inquisitive public. It has grown wonderfully since its birth, a few months ago in St. Catharines—indeed, it can now stand alone, a good deal bigger than its foster father Captain WYNNIE, though its head does not contain anything like the amount of financial lore that the Captain's does. Mr. GRIP welcomes the Baby and its friends to town, and advises everybody to go and see it, and hear what the advocates of a National Currency have to say for themselves. They will find it both interesting and profitable.

Evening.

Now came still evening on, and twilight gray
Had in her peaceful livery all things clad,
And calm and joyful GARR walked forth to feel
The balmy quiet of the autumn air.
"All day," he said, "the busy streets have rung
With labor and with toil and traffic clang,
And now shall silence reign, the while they all
Rest and repose within." He said, and lo!
Against the walls a thousand idlers leaned,
Aid smoked, and spat and swore; ten thousand more
Swarmed all along the street, and carriages
Dashed everywhere in haste; the blaze of lamps
Flashed always in his eyes; then drums were beat,
The fife they whistled, and commotion loud
Rung, roared, and rattled, till with quickest speed
The moralizing GARR his steps retraced
And locked his door.

JINGO LETTERS OF ADVICE.—What to do with the Afghans and Zulus—N X M.



The Organ Duet.

The *Hamilton Times*, and some other papers on that side of the fence, express their astonishment every few days at the rather remarkable unanimity existing between the editorial utterances of the *Ottawa Citizen* and the *Toronto Mail*. Not only the general sentiment but even the wording of the articles are often strikingly similar,—so much so that the gleeful grit papers are in the habit of parading them in parallel columns.

The above illustration of the exact position occupied by the two conservative organs accounts for the union in question. The handles are turned by one and the same individual. Hereafter let no Grit marvel when he hears governmental direct.

Tory and Grit.

TORY—What have you now to say? Have not the times improved, as great Sir JOHN

GARR—It was not he, nor thou, nor any one of thy detested tribe, did better them.

TORY—What, note the rise of wheat! A dollar and a quarter, nay, 'tis more. And said we not that this our great N. P. Should make farm prices rise, and fill with joy

The farmer's rural home, by Grittish art Made desolate and poor?

GARR—What, wilt thou dare to say, Wilt dare imply, insinuate, or infer Thy Tory Cabinet of nincompoops Discharged the floods on Britain, and procured

That scarcity of grain, which, which alone Raised high the prices here?

TORY—I own that supernatural it seems, Yet I far more than natural regard The powers of great Sir JOHN, and cannot say

What he can do or no, I only know He promised, and 'tis here.

GARR—Besotted bigot of a rotten cause, Insensate idiot! how could he avail To move the elements? Were it CART-

WRIGHT, now, Or wise MACKENZIE, I should not deny The thing *might* the thing have done.

TORY—I have lived long, but never thought to see

Delusion like to this. O gudgeon, fool, O thrice be-donkeyed donkey, what canst thou

See in that stupid twain? **GARR**—Blasphemest thou? (*beats him*).

TORY—Worshipper of stupid! (*beats him*). (*Exeunt, beating one another*).



HE CAST PEARLS BEFORE ———



THE JOKER CLUB.

"The Pen is mightier than the Sword."

Confidence game—Decoy ducks.—*N. Y. Star.*

A star performer: The astronomer.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

Charity covereth a multitude of church lotteries.—*Whitehall Times.*

The word "boom" is beginning to have a "hardly ever" nausea about it.—*Wheeling Leader.*

The game of "high-spy" was introduced into this country by Major ANDRE.—*Cin. Sat. Night.*

Young men may be made of brass, but the Cincinnati Commercial says young ladies are made of belle metal.

It wouldn't be exactly the thing to call chestnuts eggs because they are burred fruit, would it?—*Ed. I. Tortelle.*

It has just been discovered that MURPHY was able to make a mile easier because he's a Milesian.—*Yonkers Gazette.*

Professor—"Can you tell of what parents the great Napoleon was born?" Student—"Of Cors-i-can."—*Yale Record.*

If it wasn't for the weather there never would be any variety in some people's conversation.—*Middleton Transcript.*

I never had a man cum to me for advice, but before he got thru he had more advice to offer than to ask for.—*Josh Billings.*

Pinafore is degenerating—its Ralphs are winning for themselves the sobriquet of "Sing-bad, the sailor."—*Yonkers Gazette.*

If Edison can render sound available in so many ways, why doesn't he utilize the howling wilderness?—*Philadelphia Saturday Night.*

Little Gertie (after waiting some time for dessert)—"Uncle, don't you have anything after dinner?" Uncle—"Yes, dear; the dyspepsia."

"That puts a different face on it," said the swindler when he raised a check from twenty to two hundred dollars.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

The only difference between some Catholic and Protestant girls is that one goes to church to count their beads and the other to count their beaux.—*Owego Record.*

The successful man is he who looks out for number one, and adds a lot of ciphers to himself in the shape of weaker-minded toadies and tools.—*N. Y. Mail.*

Whisky puts on some of the colors we see in autumn leaves, but who ever heard of admiring young ladies doing red noses in wax work?—*Fon Du Lac Reporter.*

They wanted COURTNEY to row in FRENCHY JOHNSON'S boat, but how could they expect a man to do any good work with his scull sawed in two?—*Buffalo Sunday Times.*

In his "Kin Beyond the Sea" Mr. GLADSTONE wrote President with a large P and Queen with a small q, which would seem to imply that GLADSTONE, in minding his P's and q's has respect to Republican rather than monarchical institutions.—*Morland Recorder.*

Beware of little things! A black seed no longer than a pin point will produce an onion that may ruin a Sunday school or break up a sewing circle.—*Evie Herald.*

Mr. GRIN, of Detroit, wanted to join LAWRENCE BARRETT'S company here, as he thought that GRIN & BARRETT would make a strong combination.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A DOWN town citizen found a basket on his door steps one night containing a little waif. He was awful mad! and declared he wouldn't have any little waifers stuck on to him.—*Dilldock.*

A person who looks over another person's shoulder to read what he is writing, may be depended upon as telling all he sees, and as much more as will make the story startling.—*Steubenville Herald.*

Let some of the men engaged in running six-day matches try running a newspaper for a while if they would understand the difference between go as you please and please as you go.—*Monthly Union.*

Life insurance companies should make it a point, when insuring a man's life, to find out if he is loved madly by some female that is on the shoot. If he is, he should be arrested as a swindler.—*Peck's Sun.*

"It is too cold for ice cream now,"

And he softly winked his eye;

"Oh, yes, dear Dolf, I know it is,

But I'll take an oyster fry,"

—*Buffalo Sunday Times.*

It is said that Indian babies never cry. This is because they are never taken to public entertainments. We believe an Indian rubber baby would yell frightfully if it were taken to a place of amusement. They all do it.—*Nor. Herald.*

"My son is a good boy, and would succeed in life, but he won't make an endeavor," said a fond parent to his neighbor. "What, no endeavor?" "Well, hardly endeavor." Their pistols were discharged at each other simultaneously with fatal effect, and now they both sleep in one grave.—*Cin. Sat. Night.*

Love tied his little arrows up and thrust them in his quiver:

Love took me by regretful hand and said, "Good-bye forever."

"Go not!" I cried, but love held out a blunted barb and, sad,

Replied, "My occupation's gone; hearts now are iron-clad."

—*Marie Le Baron.*

A father never thinks his ten year old son is stronger than a horse until he employs him to turn the grindstone to sharpen an old ax that is about as sharp at one end as the other. The old man bears on until the lad's eyes hang out and his trousers' buckle flies off, and just before he bursts a blood vessel his father encourages him with the remark, "Does it turn hard?" Thousands of boys have run away from home and become pirates and greenbackers in order to escape a second siege at the grindstone.—*Nor. Herald.*

A vendor of cheap jewellery was knocked down by an Irishman the other night, and at once brought an action against his assailant. The defendant protested before the court that the agent had called him a liar. The latter swore positively that he used no offensive language. Upon being asked to give the agent's exact words, the Irishman said, "He tried to sell me an old ring, yer honor, an' I towld him it was brass. He then turned round to another man and sez, 'It's alloy.'" The defendant was discharged.—*Utica Observer.*

If a hotel keeper smiles pleasantly when you ask him a question, that's a sign he hasn't been there long.—*By. State Journal.*

A new use has been found for many a new youth's headpiece, the utility of which had heretofore been questionable. It is discovered that such young men's heads are primarily intended to keep their neckties from slipping off.—*McGregor News.*

Hazel nuts are ripening. There is something saddening about these nuts. The first of the kind the writer saw growing was when he was a boy. They grew by a stream in which he was swimming. He gathered quite a number of them, which he carried home in the waist of his shirt and next to his flesh. The burr of hazel nuts is covered with a furze, something like needles. It comes off very easy—from the burr.—*Danbury News.*

How brilliant the woods in October!

Like the nose of a man never sober;

Like the red of the juvenile mitten,

Or the coat of a calico kitten:

Like the variant hues of a nice dream,

Or the tints of a harlequin ice-cream;

Like changeful, e'er-changing mosaic,

With nothing stale, dull or prosaic,

But everywhere gleaming in splendor,

Like the sky in the west at day's end, or

The posters whose charms never irk us,

That tell of the forth-coming circus:—

Like the nose of a man never sober,

How brilliant the woods in October!

—*Boston Transcript.*

A certain old gentleman, very rich and still more stingy, is in the habit of wearing his clothes to the last thread. One of his friends, meeting him, exclaimed: "They told me that you had a new hat, and I'll be hanged if you haven't!" "Oh, yes," said the miser, looking as if he were a trifle ashamed of himself, "you see, my wife kept telling me that the old one was a good deal worn out. Well, yesterday was my wife's birthday, and I got myself a new hat for her birthday present"—*Chicago Journal.*

We thought we would step into the Board of Trade yesterday and see how the boys were making it on the wheat deal. The first man we met was the Philosopher, just at the front door. The Philosopher was formerly a resident of Boston, and knows all about everything. "What's wheat?" said we inquiringly. "Wheat, sir," said the Philosopher, brightening up, "is one of nature's cereal productions involved in as impenetrable mystery as the occult sciences have brought to the cognition of man. The insolvable ego of bioplastic coordination—" "Hold on! hold on! What I meant was, what is the value of wheat in—" "Oh! ah, yes, to be sure, I understand. Wheat, my dear sir, contains the greatest quantity of gluten and the smallest of starch. All of the middle part of the grain is occupied by large, thin cells, filled with a yellowish material very rich in nitrogenous—that is, flesh-forming matter. Beyond this again there are six thin coats or coverings containing much mineral matter. The mill product of these coverings of the seed are peculiarly rich in nutriment, and fine flour is robbed of its best elements, rendering it unfit for any creature except a Monophodont; fruges consumere nati." "But, my dear Philosopher, this is no time for lime et mura. What I came here for was to get the latest Chicago quotation on wheat." "Ah, excuse me. Quod bonum, felix faustumque sit. Au revoir." And the Philosopher stepped out and left us to the mercenary pursuit of thereporter in search of news.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*



REGULATIONS

Respecting the Disposal of certain Public Lands for the purposes of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Ottawa, Oct. 14, 1879.

Public notice is hereby given that the following provisions, which shall be held to apply to the lands in the Province of Manitoba, and in the Territories to the west and north-west thereof, are substituted for the Regulations, dated the 9th July last, governing the mode of disposing of the Public Lands situated within 120 (one hundred and ten) miles on each side of the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which said Regulations are hereby superseded:—

1. "Until further and final survey of the said railway has been made west of the Red River, and for the purposes of these provisions, the line of the said railway shall be assumed to be on the fourth base westerly to the intersection of the said base by the line between ranges 21 and 22 west of the first principal meridian, and thence in a direct line to the confluence of the Shell River with the River Assiniboine.

2. "The country lying on each side of the line of railway shall be respectively divided into belts, as follows:—

"(1) A belt of five miles on either side of the railway, and immediately adjoining the same, to be called Belt A:

"(2) A belt of fifteen miles on either side of the railway, adjoining Belt A, to be called Belt B:

"(3) A belt of twenty miles on either side of the railway, adjoining Belt B, to be called Belt C:

"(4) A belt of twenty miles on either side of the railway, adjoining Belt C, to be called Belt D; and,

"(5) A belt of fifty miles on either side of the railway, adjoining Belt D, to be called Belt E.

3. "The even-numbered sections in each township throughout the several belts above described shall be open for entry as homesteads and pre-emptions of 160 acres each respectively.

4. "The odd-numbered sections in each of such townships shall not be opened to homestead or pre-emption, but shall be specially reserved and designated as Railway Lands.

5. "The Railway Lands within the several belts shall be sold at the following rates, viz:—In Belt A, \$5 (five dollars) per acre; in Belt B, \$4 (four dollars) per acre; in Belt C, \$3 (three dollars) per acre; in Belt D, \$2 (two dollars) per acre; in Belt E, \$1 (one dollar) per acre; and the terms of the sale of such lands shall be as follows, viz:—One-tenth in cash at the time of purchase; the balance in nine equal annual instalments, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on the balance of purchase money from time to time remaining unpaid, to be paid with each instalment.

6. "The Pre-emption Lands within the several belts shall be sold for the prices and on the terms respectively as follows:—In the Belts A, B and C, at \$2.50 (two dollars and fifty cents) per acre; in Belt D, at \$2 (two dollars) per acre; and in Belt E, at \$1 (one dollar) per acre. The terms of payment to be four-tenths of the purchase money, together with interest on the latter at the rate of six per cent. per annum, to be paid at the end of three years from the date of entry; the remainder to be paid in six equal instalments annually from and after the said date, with interest at the rate above mentioned on such portions of the purchase money as may remain unpaid, to be paid with each instalment.

7. "All payments for Railway Lands, and also for Pre-emption Lands, within the several Belts, shall be in cash, and not in script or military or police bounty warrants.

8. "All moneys received in payment of Pre-emption Lands shall inure to and form part of the fund for railway purposes, in a similar manner to the moneys received in payment of Railway Lands.

9. "These provisions shall be retroactive so far as relates to all entries of Homestead and Pre-emption Lands, or sales of Railway Lands obtained or made under the Regulations of the 9th of July, hereby superseded; any payments made in excess of the rate hereby fixed shall be credited on account of sales of such lands.

10. "The Order-in-Council of the 9th November, 1877 relating to the settlement of the lands in Manitoba which had been previously withdrawn for Railway purposes, having been cancelled, all claims of persons who settled in good faith on lands under the said Order-in-Council shall be dealt with under these provisions, as to price of Pre-emptions, according to the belt in which such lands may be situate. Where a person may have taken up two quarter-sections under the said Order-in-Council, he may retain the quarter-section upon which he has settled, as a Homestead, and the other quarter-section as a Pre-emption, under these provisions, irrespective of whether such Homestead and Pre-emption may be found to be upon an even-numbered section or otherwise. Any moneys paid by such person on account of the lands entered by him under the said Order-in-Council, will be credited to him on account of his Pre-emption purchase, under these provisions. A person who may have taken up one quarter-section under the Order-in-Council mentioned will be allowed to retain the same as a Homestead, and will be permitted to enter a second quarter-section as a Pre-emption, the money paid on account of the land previously entered to be credited to him on account of such Pre-emption.

11. "All entries of lands shall be subject to the following provisions respecting the right of way of the Canadian Pacific Railway, or of any Government colonization railway connected therewith, viz:

a "In the case of the railway crossing land entered as a Homestead, the right of way thereon, and also any land which may be required for station purposes, shall be free to the Government.

b "Where the railway crosses Pre-emptions or Railway Lands, entered subsequent to the date hereof, the Government may take possession of such portion thereof as may be required for right of way or for station grounds or ballast pits, and the owner shall only be entitled to claim payment for the land so taken, at the same rate per acre as he may have paid the Government for the same.

c "In case, on the final location of the railway through lands unsurveyed, or surveyed but not entered for at the time, a person is found in occupation of land which it may be desirable in the public interest to retain, the Government reserves the right to take possession of such land, paying the squatter the value of any improvements he may have made thereon.

12. "Claims to Public Lands arising from settlement after the date hereof, in territory unsurveyed at the time of such settlement, and which may be embraced within the limits affected by the above policy, or by the extension thereof in the future over additional territory, will be ultimately dealt with in accordance with the terms prescribed above for the lands in the particular belt in which such settlement may be found to be situate, subject to the operation of sub-section c of section 11 of these provisions.

13. "All entries after the date hereof of unoccupied lands in the Saskatchewan Agency, will be considered as provisional until the railway line through that part of the territories has been located, after which the same will be finally disposed of in accordance with these provisions, as the same may apply to the particular belt in which such lands may be found to be situated, subject, as above, to the operation of sub-section c of section 11 of the provisions.

14. "With a view to encouraging settlement by cheapening the cost of building material, the Government reserves the right to grant licenses, renewable yearly, under Section 52 of the 'Dominion Land Act, 1879,' to cut merchantable timber on any lands situated within the several belts above described, and any settlement upon, or sale of lands within the territory covered by such licenses, shall for the time being be subject to the operation of such licenses.

15. "The above provisions, it will, of course, be understood will not affect sections 11 and 29, which are public school lands, or sections 8 and 26, Hudson's Bay Company's lands.

"Any further information necessary may be obtained on application at the Dominion Lands Offices, Ottawa, or from the agent of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg, or from any of the local agents in Manitoba or the Territories.

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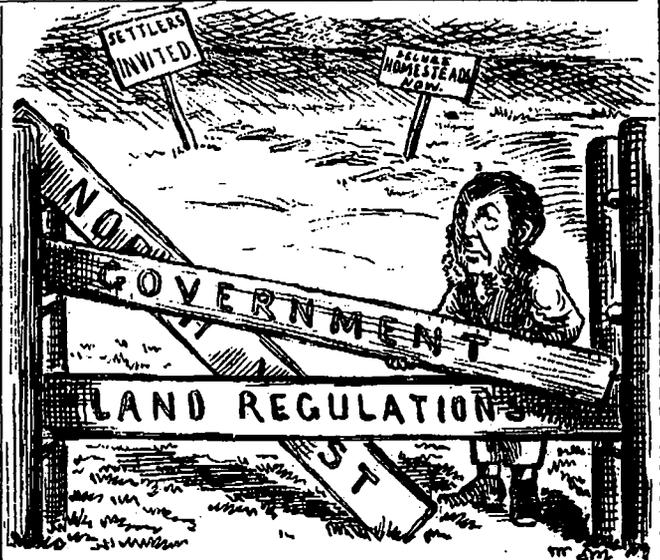
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