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Miramichi Advance.

CHATHAM, N. B., JANUARY 24, 1901.

Queen Victoria's Death.

In her eighty-second year, Queen Victoria, who reigned over the world's greatest Empire for nearly sixty-four years, is dead.

It is not within the scope of a merely local weekly, such as the ADVANCE, to deal with the events which have moulded the destinies of the great powers of the world in the Victorian age, or to refer, even briefly, to the expansion, development and consolidation of the empire during the reign of the great Queen.

Her life, as the Queen of Britain, has been one of unexampled devotion and responsible position. She has never faltered when a conscientious sense of duty has required her to do what she should even incur public odium.

Queen Victoria's successor on the throne will naturally be influenced by the principles, incentives and precedents which guided her as the Sovereign of the most potent of earthly powers.

King Thursday Her Majesty had a stroke of paralysis and was in a comatose condition until Tuesday evening when she passed from life painlessly and without a struggle.

On Wednesday and Thursday last week there was an important conference held in the executive council chamber at Halifax between representatives of the governments of the maritime provinces.

NOTICE.

To John Mc. Gillivray of the Parish of St. George, in the County of Gloucester and Province of New Brunswick and all others whom they may concern.

Bedford Basin Railway Accidents—The Last and First of Them.

About midnight on Friday the C. P. R. Express from St. John to Halifax, which was about three hours late, running at top speed within two miles of the latter city met with a serious mishap.

The prospect of one or more steel shipbuilding industries being established in the Maritime provinces and the encouragement to be given thereto by bonus or otherwise was discussed.

It was within a few hundred yards of this spot that the first accident happened on what is now the Intercolonial, but was then the Nova Scotia Railway, to take place.

The total amount received from the sale of game licenses in 1900 was \$3,268.05, or an increase of \$253.39 over 1899.

The Royal Baking Powder Tests. The Royal Baking Powder is an old and attractive quality, the first number of which was made just before the late publisher's hands.

Academics.

The foregoing is the title of a new and attractive quarterly, the first number of which was published last week by the publisher's hands.

The government has announced its intention of developing the coal fields of Queens-Bunbury country.

Three Papers for \$1.50.

A WEEKLY REPRINT OF ARTICLES FROM LEADING JOURNALS AND REVIEWS RELATING TO THE CURRENT TRENDS OF BOTH BRITAIN AND CANADA.

As many of the ablest writers are now engaged in journalism, their writing of the highest quality in matter and style is fugitive, seen only by the readers of each particular newspaper, and by them often lost.

It was at first intended to publish WORLD WIDE upon fine paper at a higher cost, but owing to the high cost of paper and the fact that the material is of such a nature that it is not profitable to do so.

The advantage of combining such publications as WORLD WIDE with the local newspaper is obvious, for it places within the reach of subscribers not only the local news, but also a great variety of general matter.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Makes the food more delicious and wholesome.

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Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of William Richards Company, Limited, will be held in the Company's office, at 230 Queen Street, on Thursday, 25th January, 1901, at 2 o'clock p.m.

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FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Steps Taken by Government to Minimize the Evil.

In past centuries drunkenness was not regarded as the great evil we now look upon it to be, and the extent of effort having for its object the promotion of temperance, was not so compared to what it is to-day. Still, the mischief of drunkenness was recognized to some degree, and the various remedies, legislative and otherwise, were brought into operation for its prevention and cure.

The method of the ancient Spartans was characteristic of those brave, but callous people. The state owned thousands of helots - slaves - and on occasions these were compelled to become intoxicated in order that the young Spartan men might be afforded a lesson on the horrors of drunkenness.

Under the republic the Romans were almost prohibitionists. Men of honorable family were by law forbidden to drink wine until they reached the age of 30, while women were not to use it at all, except on festival days. It is said that the practice of kissing among women arose from the habit of mothers kissing their daughters as a means of finding out if they had been indulging in the forbidden.

Drugs have been generally provided for special punishment for drunkards. Some in existence in foreign countries at the present day are most curious in this respect, and in former times the retribution that fell upon toppers, even in our own land, was often peculiar. During the commonwealth the "Drunkard's Clock" was used in parts of England. Instead of being a clock, however, it was a barrel which the man who had been guilty of excess had to wear in his armpits and walk through the streets or lanes. This would seem to be worse than being placed in the stocks, which were frequently used for inebriates, but could not have been so severe as this.

THE "WOODEN HORSE." Usually a military punishment. Army drinkers were placed astride a wooden erection, which might or might not have had a remote resemblance to the animal whose name it bore, and so bound that the position soon became one of torture. Occasionally the victim died.

Among the early English settlers in America it was a common custom to compel the toper to wear suspended from his neck a board on which the letter D was printed in red. Others had heavy weights attached to their wrists, while the hands and feet were chained together.

The steps taken by modern Governments show a praiseworthy anxiety to minimize the evil, and in the main are calculated to further the same. In many towns of the Argentine Republic habitual offenders are not merely fined, but are sentenced to eight days' street sweeping for each offence, without option.

On the continent of Europe novel schemes designed to prevent intemperance are in vogue. If a man gets drunk and returns in any public place, he is forbidden from visiting any other inn, cafe, hotel or similar institution in the republic for the space of a year. A last name of some persons is conspicuously displayed in all the public houses.

In Norway and Sweden dispensation are punished, and often permanent, if cured at the same time. If the man can be an old offender he is sent off to jail, and for a fortnight or so has nothing to eat and drink but bread and wine. When the man has finished the "patient" takes liquor in his person, and cannot be induced to take any for months, while in many cases he becomes a teetotaler.

Heiress and Wife.

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

After leaving the proper medicines and giving minute instructions as to how and when it should be administered, Dr. West took his departure, with a strange, vague uneasiness at his heart.

"Pshaw!" he muttered to himself, as he drove briskly along the shadowy road, yet seeing none of its beauty, "how strange it is in these young girls will fall in love and marry such fellows as that!" he mused.

"I have lost all I hold dear in life," she answered, pattingly, lifting her beautiful, childlike blue eyes toward the white fleecy clouds tinted by the setting sun.

"I wish to purchase some laudanum," Daisy ventured. "I wish to relieve a pain which is greater than I can bear."

"Toothache, most probably?" intimated the brisk little doctor.

"No, not that way," she cried, with a shudder, "so-and-so might save me, and I want to die!"

"You are a strange, deadly sickly creature, Daisy," he said, looking at her with a cold, calculating eye.

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All Japan teas are colored.

SALADA

CEYLON GREEN TEA is pure and uncolored.

under the moon's rays, tipped by the silvery light of the stars.

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About the House.

NUT MEATS IN COOKING.

Sandwiches—Chop peaches and all them. Butter thin slices of bread and spread the nuts evenly over them, sprinkling with chard cheese.

Salads—Chop the meats of peaches, walnuts, or almonds and mix them with the celery and beet greens and other ingredients of chicken salad.

Small Fancy Nut Cakes—Slice 2½ blanched nut meats and mix them with the celery and beet greens and other ingredients of chicken salad.

Drop Cakes—Chop 1 cup nut meats and add 1 cup brown sugar, 2 well beaten eggs, a pinch of salt and ½ cup flour.

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THE LATEST.

Settling—When I want to be snug I always say I feel like 30 cents.

HE WAS RIGHT. Mr. Newlywed—I actually believe you like my pet peevish better than you do me.

THE HOLLOW SQUARE. Ladies of Canada: The hollow square, a purely British military tactic, was never broken but once.

NEW EVIDENCE OF DISEASE. Little four-year-old Harry was not feeling well and his father suggested that he might be taking the chicken pox.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. The Institute of Homeopathic Medicine, All Grades, 111 W. George Street, New York, N. Y., gives the following as a remedy.

HARD WORK. Oh, we had the jolliest arrangements at our church society last week! Every woman contributed to the missionary cause five dollars, which she earned herself by hand work.

PIGEONS AFTER A JOURNEY. The carrier pigeon, when traveling, follows in the wake of the West India hurricane of September 8.

GOLDEN SILENCE. Mamma—You're very fond of your dolly, aren't you, dear? She's nicer than anybody else I know.

HERE IS HEALTH

FREE

These Four New Preparations... DR. SLOCUM'S CATARRH CURE OXOJELL

This is a Positive Cure for all Throat and Lung Troubles, also CONSUMPTION

THESE FOUR REMEDIES. Represent a New system of medicinal treatment for the weak, and those suffering from wasting diseases.

THE FREE OFFER. To obtain these four FREE invaluable preparations, illustrated above, simply write to THE S. A. SLOCUM CHEMICAL CO., 111 W. GEORGE STREET, NEW YORK, N. Y.

A Very Happy and Prosperous New Year to the Many Friends of LODELLA CEYLON TEA.

BLOOD DISORDERS are simply kidney disorders. The kidneys are the filter of the blood.

Dodd's Kidney Pills. You say you're a self-made man. To my certain knowledge you never would have amounted to a hill of beans.

It's Not Like Dr. Chase To Disappoint People. His Great Receipt Book Did Not Disappoint, and Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills Have Astonished Physicians and People Alike by their Wonderful Cures.

THE REMOVAL OF MILDEW.

As mildew prevention is far better than a cure. Do not allow garments to remain in a damp or wet condition over night.

PHILOSOPHY. Philosophy helps us bear the misfortunes of other people with equanimity, but our own—well, that is another story.

TO SOFTEN WATER. Bran or oatmeal are valuable for softening hard water. For both stir a peck of bran into a tub of warm water.

AS TO THE BABY. Mrs. Elephant—Tucks, dear, he's the picture of you!

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