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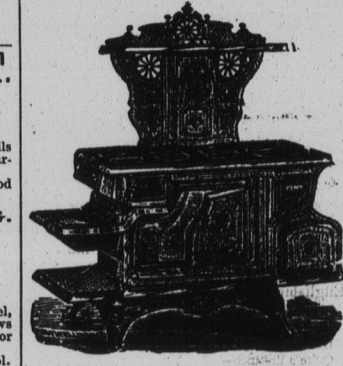
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Wun girl had a aylock gownd on and another had a fire red one, and there wus more than had mixed colors like horse jockys. Sum of the men had hardly enuf cloze on to be descent, and they bed their sleeves rolled up like as if they wus butcher- in.

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Nanky Gunner, I must see that mule 'o' I get back to Putnam.

One of those silences common to country conversations.

I wouldn't begin to name their things.

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Bill was silent, trying to catch the line of Tom's thought.

"Nanke-e-e-e, Nank Gunner-r-r-r!" The tones were feminine and rang out.

"Bill," said Tom one night as they lay awake.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.—Correspondents will please be careful to place nothing but their "copy" in the unsolicited envelopes...

ROUSED AT LAST.

The local government but added fuel to the destroying fire when they reappointed JOHN R. MARSHALL chief of the police of the greater city of St. John.

The people felt indignant when our efficient and respected police magistrate was removed, but they failed to realize the thorough disregard of the government for them and their representatives until an old man, nearly 80 years of age, incompetent in every respect to perform the more responsible and arduous duties of chief of police of the greater city, was appointed to that office.

In the face of this and the dismissal of Mr. PETERS to make room for Mr. RITCHIE, DR. SILAS ALWARD and Dr. A. A. STOCKTON could do nothing but resign.

We did not object to the construction of a bridge at Fredericton that cost \$100,000; and we did not complain when the government stables and all the government stock were located within the bounds of the capital city; we were quite stoical over the further expenditure of \$30,000—some say \$40,000—in new departmental buildings in Fredericton; but when we are refused \$3,000 for an exhibition which must benefit not only St. John but the entire province, when the protests of three of our representatives and our best citizens are disregarded, and a competent gentleman removed from the best office in the gift of the government to make room for a retiring politician, when the recommendations of both our city representatives are passed over and an inefficient man reappointed as chief of police; then we object. The people object and they are prepared to back their objections with their votes.

ALL CASH AND NO CREDIT.

A large number of the subscribers to PROGRESS have received a postal card notifying them that their first year's subscription has expired. The notice reads:

Your subscription to PROGRESS expires (month and date). Kindly inform me at once if you wish the paper sent to your address as usual. Yours faithfully, EDWARD S. CARTER, Publisher.

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The publisher of PROGRESS does not propose to send the paper to any person who does not order it. The law will allow any publisher to do this, and collect the subscription, so long as the paper is taken from the office. Such a course cannot give satisfaction to either of the parties concerned. The person who sends one dollar for PROGRESS orders it for one year, not for two or three, and he will receive it only for one year. When any subscription has or is about to run out, the above notice will be sent, and if another dollar for the next year is not sent within ten days the publisher will conclude that the paper is not wanted, and will erase that subscriber's name from the list.

We know that in adopting this plan we are doing what no other paper in the provinces does. It has been the custom ever since St. John had a newspaper for the publishers to send their paper to their subscribers year after year without any renewal order. In many cases subscribers paid no attention to bills, and when after six, eight or ten years they had to pay, the mule could not compare to them. They "kicked," objected, said they did not order the paper continued, and finally concluded

to pay, the newspaper man having the law on his side.

But these incidents are disagreeable and PROGRESS will avoid them. It will make no difference whether a subscriber is worth one dollar or half a million, if he fails to send his dollar in advance the paper will drop his acquaintance.

Therefore no subscriber to PROGRESS must take offence if after due notification to which no attention is paid the paper does not appear in his Saturday morning mail or on his doorstep.

Avoid writing and saying, "I will send the dollar in a week or two," or "I will call in and pay." We have no doubt that you intend to do just what you say but it is impossible to keep two sets of subscription books, one for paid subscribers and another for those who will "drop in next week." We dislike to refuse any such request, but regret that system demands that no attention be paid to them.

By following the plan we have indicated, subscribers will avoid the disagreeable necessity of settling back scores, and we will not have the melancholy satisfaction of saying farewell at the end of every year to subscribers in arrears who have joined the happy band without liquidating their obligation to their favorite newspaper. We shall thus be deprived of the disagreeable necessity of noting how many of our esteemed patrons have left their country and their bills behind them—and what is best of all, we will never be accused of standing in the enviable position of "preferred creditor" to any subscriber.

So let all our esteemed patrons be on time, save themselves annoyance, and give us pleasure.

THE DUPES OF POLITICIANS.

We advocated and fought for civic union from the start, and today we see it an accomplished fact. Today the city of St. John has a much larger area and has nearly 20,000 more of population than it had yesterday. Without boasting, PROGRESS can claim that its thorough exposure of the mismanagement and corruption in the city of Portland had much to do with the result. Prominent citizens well informed in civic affairs have assured us that had not PROGRESS exposed the condition of Portland, the mismanagement of her affairs by the "ring" in power, union would not have been accepted by the people. Be that as it may, we did our simple duty. If the officials of the enlarged city have like success, we will be content.

We regret that the rejoicing of the hour is marred by any unpleasantness. Had the people anticipated, had they known, that the enlargement of the city would give the government the opportunity to do as they have done, we believe that union would be a thing of the past, buried under dissenting votes. But we can only speak for ourselves; had we anticipated the interference of provincial politicians with the business of the citizens, our voice would not have been raised for union.

We regret that we cannot give our congratulations with heartiness. The dismissal of a good magistrate and the retention of an inefficient chief of police make a poor beginning. We have been the dupes of politicians, whose greediness overcame their judgment.

THERE IS A REASON.

We want a metropolitan city down by the sea, either St. John or Halifax, in intimate relations with Montreal and Toronto, and we believe the short line of the C. P. R. and other improvements will set one or both of these places on the boom.—Toronto World.

St. John is at the scratch, and Halifax won't start in this race. Ocean steamships, grain elevators, dry docks, government wharves, imperial troops and men-of-war have failed to start her, and what could the Short line do?

Why is it that, with all the assistance of the imperial and dominion governments, and the great and superior natural advantages Halifax claims to have, she is behind St. John in trade and population?

Why is it that there is more life in four streets of this town than there is in all Halifax?

Why have Halifax merchants allowed our wholesale merchants to supply the trade of Nova Scotia?

There must be a reason for these things.

Is there any truth in that trite story that two men once started in business on opposite sides of the same street in a certain town; that one of them hailed from St. John, the other from Halifax; that ten years later the New Brunswicker "owned the town," and among his papers was a first mortgage on the Nova Scotian's goods?

The reason is not far away. There is more brains, energy, business activity, instinct—call it what you please—in one St. John man than can be found in a Haligonian block.

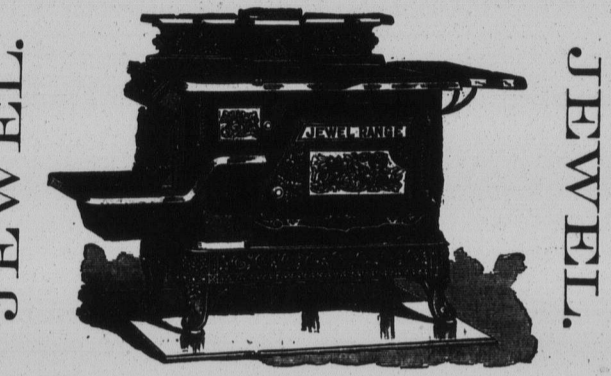
Why is it that the Canadians always seem to be so greatly excited by any mention of annexation to this country? . . . We should like to know for several reasons, but especially because we admire the Canadians, and have no design of dragging or cajoling them into the American union of free and equal states.—New York Sun.

And we like Americans; we admire their check, we imitate their slang, but we know them too well to love them. And without love how could we be happy!

What must be known to pass a civil service examination? One of the overworked clerks in the dead letter office in Ottawa addressed a notification to a firm in St. John, N. B., U. S. A.

Advertisement for soap featuring an illustration of a woman washing clothes and a tub. Text: 'Still you, my dear, washing can't be done well unless the soap is right. I've been washing these 30 years and tried all kinds, and there's none like dogan's Ideal Soap for taking dirt & stains out of the clothes without rotting them, and it don't make the hands rough and sore as many soaps do. It's made by Wm Logan St. John, "all grocers sell it".'

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PERHAPS AN OVERSIGHT.

There is substantial food for thought in Prize Essays on Tobacco, a neat little pamphlet that has just been published under the auspices of the Anti-Tobacco association. It is a work that sobers and saddens at the same time that it interests and instructs us. It brings us in contact with a problem that SOLOMON himself might hesitate to attempt.

Why, in the face of the preordained and foreknown fact that there was to be an Anti-Tobacco association in St. John, did the Almighty create tobacco in the first place?

The mind flutters at the endeavor to balance probabilities and weigh the purposes of the Infinite. No man durst venture to question the designs of Providence. But—and we say it with reverence—since the Anti-Tobacco association has declared its views, He may well feel satisfied that He made a very great mistake.

If Mr. THOMAS LYNCH, jr., signer of the Declaration of Independence, could have foreseen the future, he would have employed his spare time in writing letters and storing them away to be discovered by his descendants, 100 years later. A New York dealer in autographs recently paid \$4,000 for a letter by LYNCH—the highest price ever paid for such a document. Letters by BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, JOHN HANCOCK and other worthies of the revolutionary period can be bought for \$20 a piece or less, but the value of an autograph, like that of a diamond, depends a good deal on its scarcity.

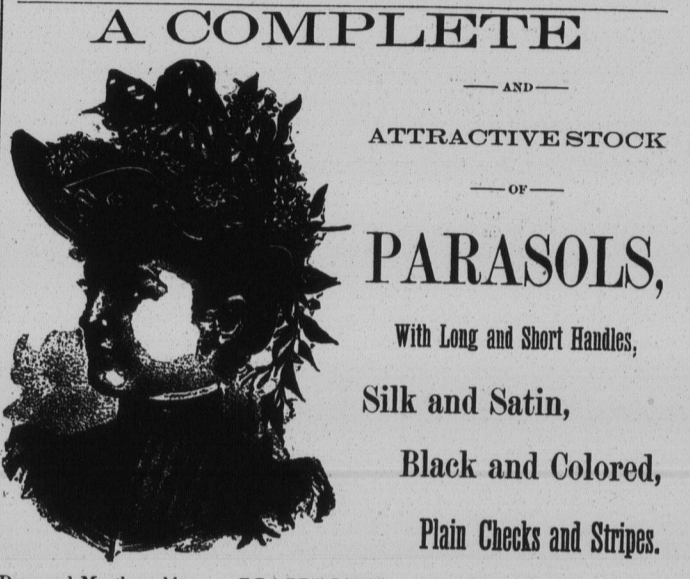
There are a few hardworked clergymen in this town who never take a vacation. They work through heat and cold, sunshine and rain, looking after others and forgetting themselves. What better place this year than Paris with its exposition for a vacation? Give the workers a chance to recruit. Send them away with a light heart and a heavy purse. What church will start the ball rolling? Why not rich Trinity with its capable curate and a hardworked rector who has had but one vacation in sixteen years?

Mr. WILLIAM PUGSLEY is now solicitor-general of the province, and a member of the government. We have no doubt that he will be a capable officer and a prudent councillor. He made an admirable speaker, one who filled the office with perfect dignity and fairness, yet did not neglect the interest of his constituency. Let us hope that when he retires from his present position he will not be a party to jerking from any man's feet shoes that are several sizes too large for him.

There is an impression abroad that the dominion government has it in for St. John, but the local magnates appear to be getting in their work with great promptitude just now.

We are indebted to "C. H. L.," for an interesting but lengthy communication concerning certain portions of the fragment on "The Mound-builders," published in

Advertisement for Venetian Blind Tapes. Text: 'You May Require It! Venetian Blind Tapes, All Ready for the Slats. Special Prices for Quantities. BARNES & MURRAY, 17 CHARLOTTE STREET. A COMPLETE'.



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I'VE GOT 'EM ON THE LIST.

GEOFFREY CUTHBERT STRANGE ON SOME LOCAL NUISANCES.

First Among Them Comes the Person Who Stops You on the Street—She is Amiable, Loveable and Means Well, But She Never Would be Missed. She—for it is usually a lady who commits this particular branch of the unpardonable sin—is generally possessed of an amiable disposition and an eminently social nature. She has a sweet smile and a certain indescribable air of having been on the lookout for you all day, without being exactly conscious of the fact. But the moment her eyes rest upon you, she recognizes the cause of that voiceless yearning in her soul. "Twas for this I pined, O Cesar!" and she greets you with a rapture that you cannot reciprocate.

I have noticed that the meeting almost invariably takes place in the centre of a block, or on a square, a spot from which there is no convenient mode of egress. You see the dreaded enemy advancing from a distance, and note, with a thrill of apprehension, that she has recognized you. Your heart drops into your shoes with a dull thud that makes you catch your breath, and you glance furtively to right and left for some avenue of escape. But there is none. You have passed the last cross street by only a few paces, yet you dare not turn back. To do so would be nothing less than a direct cut. So you take your courage in both hands, quicken your pace, and determine to be firm, to show unmistakably that you are in a hurry and cannot stop.

You have just received notice that a parcel awaits you in the custom house, you are consumed with anxiety to find out what it contains, who it is from and—most important of all—how much duty you will have to pay on it; you know you are a little late, but fast walking will enable you to reach the office portal just five minutes before the hour for closing, and a groan almost bursts from your lips as you see your tormentor slackening her speed, and smiling with innocent pleasure as she comes, in anticipation of "a nice little chat."

Before she has quite reached you she calls out in her soft, pleasant voice, "Well! is this really you? Where have you been this long time?" One feeble effort on your part to pass on and you are lost. You try to keep your hands in your muff, but somehow she is holding one of them, without your knowing how she obtained possession of it. You are giving a detailed account of what you have been doing for the past week, telling how your mother's cold is and listening to a recipe for your little sister's mumps, together with a sketch of the speaker's own suffering when she had mumps. A cold dew breaks out on your brow and you make a frantic effort for freedom. "I must not keep you standing in the cold," you say, with hypocritical consideration. "Good bye!" "Good bye! Oh, wait a minute! Can't you come in tomorrow?"

PEN AND PRESS.

A thorough newspaper man, and one whose friends are numbered by the thousand, is Mr. George S. Rowell, who succeeds the late H. W. Richardson as editor and controlling owner of the Portland Advertiser. The paper could not pass into more capable hands.

In the Bridal Chamber. Groom—Oh, my darling, I call upon the gods to witness that I quaff your health in their own nectarous drink! Voice from over the transom—Well, here's lookin' at you.—Ex.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN ST. JOHN AND HALIFAX.

And the Happenings in Social Circles of Fredericton, Moncton, Woodstock, Dorchester, St. Stephens, Millville, Bathurst, Sussex, Amherst, Truro, Coburn, etc.

Quite the event of last week was the surprise party given at the residence of Mr. H. L. Sturdee, 1520 Spring street, on Friday evening, of which I could not give a full account last Saturday, in consequence of my correspondence having to be sent in an early hour.

The event of this week, and to which society people have been looking forward with great interest for some time, was the At Home given by Mr. and Mrs. James Dever, on Tuesday last, in honor of the newly married couple.

The bride wore a gown of rich white satin, made en traine and trimmed with bunches of lilacs of the valley, carrying a bouquet of the same flowers.

The presents of the bride were numerous and costly, and much admired by the guests during the evening.

The following is a list of some of the guests present: Judge and Mrs. King, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Watters, Mr. and Mrs. Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Jones, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Richey, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Charles Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. J. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. DeVeber, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonnell, Mr. and Mrs. Waters, Mr. and Mrs. J. Coster, Mr. and Mrs. H. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner.

roses in full bloom, of which Mr. Fisher is justly proud, as they are the product of his own conservatory. The rooms were filled with a select and carefully selected plants, there being fully 100 present.

By last night's northern train for Quebec, from whence they will take the steamer for England.

Mr. George H. Pick, assistant freight agent of the I. C. R. had a very sad and sudden death at his house on Saturday night.

Mr. E. W. Jarvis, teller of the Bank of Montreal, here, met with a very painful accident on Monday morning.

Mr. Edward Jack has returned from his trip up North. Mr. T. Carleton Allen has been receiving congratulations last Saturday on an interesting domestic event.

Mr. Bailey returned, yesterday, from the Royal society meeting at Ottawa, where he read an interesting paper on the geology of New Brunswick.

Mr. Frank Sherman, of the Merchants' Bank, who has been transferred to the Woodstock agency, left for that town Monday.

The young people of the Baptist church are preparing for an ice-cream social, to be held in the vestry of the church tomorrow evening.

Mr. Leonard Tilley left on Tuesday evening for Ottawa, en route to Vancouver. Dr. William Bayard accompanies him on his trip, and left St. John on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier have returned from their trip to Colorado. Mr. Collier is much benefited in health by his rest and change of climate.

Mr. Frank Daniel, of Campbellton, spent a few days in town this week. Mr. E. B. Hazen, who has been visiting in Baltimore and New York, is registered at the Hotel Dufferin.

Major Short, whose sad death occurred at the disastrous fire in Quebec, was, only about two years ago, married to Miss Angie Caruthers, of Kingston, Ont., and who visited St. John a few years ago, being the guest of Mrs. Isaac Burpee, and was well known in society circles.

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This week's outgoing steamer will be the Merry freight of Canada to the other side. I believe Mr. Charles and Mr. Dupper will be among the number, but none will be going with them warmer wishes for their safety than Mr. and Mrs. Harris and their charming daughter.

I believe Mrs. Dr. Ross is leaving shortly for Antwerp, to visit her sister, Mrs. Capt. Gold, and while in Europe she will also visit the Paris exhibition.

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Mr. Frank Sherman, of the Merchants' Bank, who has been transferred to the Woodstock agency, left for that town Monday.

The young people of the Baptist church are preparing for an ice-cream social, to be held in the vestry of the church tomorrow evening.

Mr. Leonard Tilley left on Tuesday evening for Ottawa, en route to Vancouver. Dr. William Bayard accompanies him on his trip, and left St. John on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier have returned from their trip to Colorado. Mr. Collier is much benefited in health by his rest and change of climate.

Mr. Frank Daniel, of Campbellton, spent a few days in town this week. Mr. E. B. Hazen, who has been visiting in Baltimore and New York, is registered at the Hotel Dufferin.

Major Short, whose sad death occurred at the disastrous fire in Quebec, was, only about two years ago, married to Miss Angie Caruthers, of Kingston, Ont., and who visited St. John a few years ago, being the guest of Mrs. Isaac Burpee, and was well known in society circles.

By last night's northern train for Quebec, from whence they will take the steamer for England.

This week's outgoing steamer will be the Merry freight of Canada to the other side. I believe Mr. Charles and Mr. Dupper will be among the number, but none will be going with them warmer wishes for their safety than Mr. and Mrs. Harris and their charming daughter.

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THE WORLD OF BOOKS.

Two Important Books. I. Prof. Alexander's volume is a very important addition to the body of what is known as Browning literature, and must take rank at once with the half dozen hand-books which no student of Browning can dispense with.

The chief defect of the work is a negative one, which I would fain see remedied in a later edition; though the point is one on which Prof. Alexander may join issue with me. There is a side of Browning's genius which Prof. Alexander has seemed to ignore; and the reader of Browning who fails to perceive that side overlooks one of Browning's securest titles to immortality.

II. Among the manuals of history which are now pouring in such profusion from the press, I select for special commendation the little volume lately put forth by Prof. Emerson, of Harvard.

have hopelessly betrayed, but Prof. Emerson conducts us through it by clear and delightful paths. Those middle ages, which are so enveloped in romance and myth that we find it difficult to regard them as other than the fabric of a fairy tale, were fruitful with the germs of all our modern civilization.

Notes and Announcements. Early in June, Longmans, Green & Co. will issue in New York the first number of The New Review, an English monthly started by Mr. Archibald Grove, a young Oxford man.

Dr. Titus Munson Coan's suggestive paper on "Taking Pains in Writing" is the best of many good things in the May number of The Writer. Other excellent articles are, "The Magazine 'Reader,'" by Elizabeth Greenleaf, "Shorthand in Newspaper Work," by Fred Ireland, and "Typewriting Contests," by Clarence E. Brown.

Gerald Massey, who had some promise as a poet some 40 years ago, but who has since devoted himself to Spiritualism (so called) and the elucidation of Shakespeare's Sonnets, is about to reissue, in two volumes, a collected edition of his early and late verse.

Mr. William Sharp, one of the minor British singers, and at the same time one of the most confident of critics, contributes to the April number of the National Review a paper on "The Sonnet in America," in which he essays to sum up the merits and defects of living or late American poets.

There are two other points to which I would take exception, though they are so small that I may be thought hypercritical. To say "Homer would not write a great epic, were he alive now; nor Shakespeare, great dramas," is to state what may be true, with certain qualifications. But it sounds rash to dogmatize on so sweeping a universal. I would with great diffidence suggest to Dr. Alexander a little enlargement upon his idea, as a safeguard against misapprehension.

Stick to your flannels. Stick to your flannels, Tom. In the end of May, Don't get them off, my boy. And stick to your flannels, Tom. Stick to your flannels, Tom. However glows the sun, Or you will be an angel, Tom, Before the spring is done.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

[FOR ADDITIONAL SOCIETY NEWS SEE FIFTH AND EIGHTH PAGES.]

TRURO, N. S. MAY 15.—Mrs. John Robbins, wife of the popular pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, returned home on Friday, from Toronto, where she has been visiting friends.

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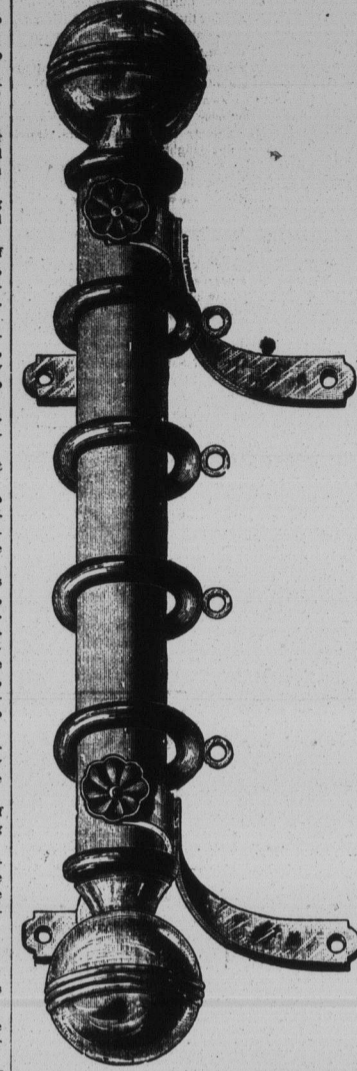
CALAIS, MAINE. [Progress is for sale in Calais by Gillis Bros.] MAY 15.—A lovely masquerade party patronized by Mrs. Downes was given in Eaton hall on Tuesday evening by a number of the folk of Calais.

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To the Electors of Sydney Ward. GENTLEMEN: In compliance with your requisition, asking me to allow myself to be put in nomination as a candidate for ALDERMAN at the approaching election, I beg to say that, although the matter is not of my seeking, I am entirely in your hands, and will accept with pleasure your flattering nomination. A glance at the names on your requisition convinces me that you intend to carry the election, and I am content to leave the result in your hands, assuring you that it filled my best efforts in the future, as in the past, will always be put forward in the interest of this city, and Sydney Ward in particular. I have the honor to be, Yours, etc., WILLIAM LEWIS.

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The meeting committee of the A. A. club had one thing more to do before the season opens...

I leave out of question Mr. Payne, who is doubtless equal to any of us, but whose duties do not always permit his presence.

As for myself, I would take the place in the last emergency, if the club found nobody else...

It is only natural that a man, whether he plays for a record or not, should wish to know at the end of the season what his record is.

The aim of the A. A. club is to do business in a business-like way, and it should not err in this respect any longer.

There are few horses around St. John handsomer or better bred than John A. He is in fine shape this spring.

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Power's Horse Talk. HALIFAX, May 15.—"Horse news" is dull about here just at present, though a great deal of interest is being manifested.

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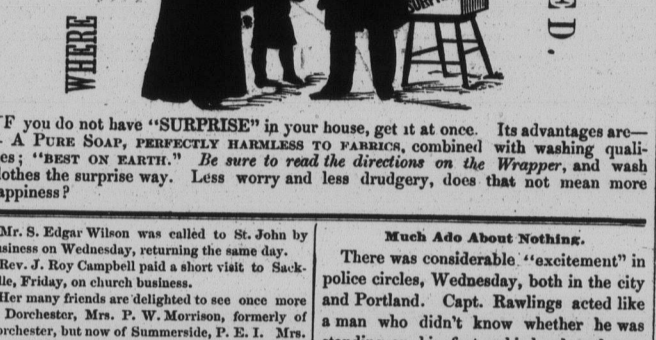


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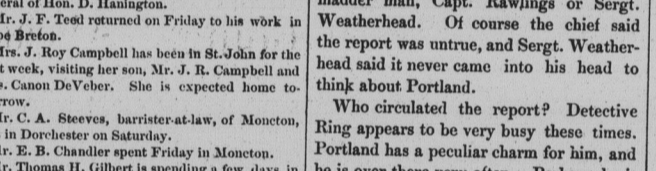
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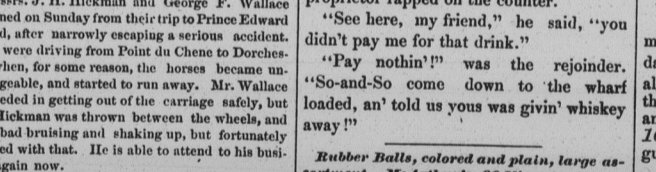


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