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ON THE QUEEN'S HIGHWAY

ROADS THAT ARE NO LONGER IN USE.

And those that are as Pleasant as they are Long.

The oldest road which we have any definite knowledge is the Appian Way, the construction of which dates back to 212 B. C. This is remarkable for its grandeur and the immense amount of labor expended upon it.

There are some old roads in the Maritime Provinces, which though disused for fifty years or more, have never been levelled by the furrow, and most likely, will still show for what purpose they were constructed.

Among these old roads are those which make checker-boards of the hills about the quiet town of Shelburne, Nova Scotia. The place was settled in 1764, and named New Jerusalem, but in 1783, a great number of American Loyalists centred here, hoping to make it the metropolis of Nova Scotia.

Other roads, long since disused, are found about Louisbourg, on the island of Cape Breton. No important settlements were made in Louisbourg till 1714, when the French troops and inhabitants of Placentia, Newfoundland, evacuated that place and settled here.

But we have many delightful old roads that are still in use. One leads from Harbor Bouche, through Tracadie, to Antigonish. Another from Antigonish, by Arisaig and Merigonish, to New Glasgow. Another from Halifax to Chester; another from Pubnico, through Argyle and Tusket, to Yarmouth, and another along the shore of St. Mary's Bay, from Weymouth to Digby.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Colonel Albert F. Stewart of the Eleventh Regiment, N. Y., is a little too old to be called a child.

The thistle at the Antipodes seems to attain a most vigorous growth. Its root penetrates to a depth of from twelve to twenty feet, and this root, even when cut into small pieces, retains vitality, each root producing a new plant.

The average age of all the people of France is given as thirty-two years two months and fifteen days.

In the Boston Courts there are no less than 250 cases of divorce on the docket for trial this month.

A once famous dweller of Mt. Desert Island, was Madam Milliken who lived to be one hundred years of age.

Some of the most interesting facts in the life of a man, are those which are connected with his death.

Seaweed is coming extensively into use for decorative purposes, as a temporary covering for the facades.

Mr. George Fay, an Englishman residing at Guanajuato, Mexico, who is said to be worth \$1,000,000, is building a tremendous house.

The vast express business of this country may trace its origin to the small carriage-bus of a young man named William F. Harnden.

In the police court at Washington, D. C. recently, two lines of \$3 each were imposed on a veterinary surgeon for antipating, or, as the term is, "docking" the tails of a pair of horses.

The chief feature of the Maine courts, the past week, was the large number of divorces granted.

A singular story of a Baptist preacher killing his father-in-law comes up from the Indian Territory.

The King of Portugal has ordered thirty tons of fireworks and fifty tons of mortars for use at Lisbon in the royal reception to the King of Sweden.

The poor unsophisticated trout is being exposed to the allurements of the kid glove fishermen.

An Elko (Nev.) land-owner is sending his ranch to sea, and will employ Indian women and children to gather the crop.

One boy, attached to gally-colored ribbons, is torn by fair damsels, in the same manner as were the tiny sachet bags a short time ago.

A married woman, when young and pretty is a slave; when she is old and withered she is the most respected and beloved member of the family.

The value of the annual output of butter in Ireland is estimated at not less than \$30,000,000.

On Saturday night last James Cripps and a companion, belonging to Dutch Valley, Kings county, started out to have a good time.

Dr. J. A. Lintner, the well-known entomologist of New York, says there are in the world 320,000 species of insects.

Blondes and brunettes. Blondes and brunettes suffer from the weather, as a rule, with entirely different results.

Wind-scorching in the fall and winter, which produces so much annoyance to blondes, is difficult to deal with except by the use of a thick veil, which is certainly unhealthy except in the coldest weather.

The only time in winter when I would recommend the use of the powder is in the winter of March weather.

There are now twenty-two crematories in Europe, where more than 1400 incinerations took place this year.

Mrs. Margaret Dutton, who died recently at the age of 102, used tobacco until her hundredth birthday.

Seth Kinman, a veteran scout, has presented every President from Buchanan to Arthur with a chair made by himself from the horns and hide of elk and deer.

A singular deposit has been discovered near the base of a mountain near Taylorville, N. C. It resembles clay in pliability, but when exposed to the air becomes as hard as stone.

Short courtships and prompt marriages are severely condemned by Mr. Ruskin, who, in a lecture recently delivered at

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

A COLUMN OF GOSSIP AND HINTS FOR OLD AND YOUNG GIRLS.

What Women all Over the World are Talking and Thinking About.

Men who seek the society of ladies are becoming rarer and rarer in Paris. Most men can not do it. A man who has any serious occupation finds it materially impossible to pay visits, and without visits, in the present social conditions, relations can not be kept up.

Love and appreciation are to a woman what dew and sunshine are to a flower. They freshen and brighten her whole life.

Italian women have a strange way in this little place, I found of berthing the girls to the young men before the latter leave the town.

It is not a rare thing to meet here young couples who were engaged for ten, twelve or even fifteen years before fortune was able to either read or write, long years ago.

Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, in the New York World, makes an eloquent plea against early marriages for girls.

Give her a few years of absolute freedom from deep emotions, a little period to flutter before she settles on her roes, time for her music, her art, her books, her charities, her social pleasures, before she takes life in its seriousness.

Remove stains from cups and saucers by scouring with fine coal ashes.

Severe pains in the bowels and stomach are often speedily relieved by the application of a bag of hot salt.

Beet whalebones can be restored and used again by simply soaking in water a few hours and then drying them.

Cast iron stoves and iron ware should be heated gradually the first time they are used.

A good substitute for buttermilk in cooking is a thin batter made of flour and tepid water, and allowed to remain long enough to sour.

Ink stains are entirely removed by the immediate application of dry salt before the ink has dried.

Make starch with soapy water and you will find it a pleasure to do up your starched goods.

It is defeated on some measure it has brought forward.

The Princess immediately formed a new ministry, composed of abolitionists, and pledged them to bring in a bill for the immediate abolition of slavery in the Empire.

So while the liberal old Emperor is dying at Milan his daughter has removed the only tarnish upon her crown.

She antagonized the politicians and the nobility for the sake of a principle of right, but has endeavored herself to the people.

The throne of the Braganzas, which she is soon to occupy, will rest on surer foundations than ever before.

Where Women Starve.

The New York Sun in an article on the working women of the great metropolis speaks thus of one case brought under its notice.

Her husband was once the possessor of thousands of dollars, now lies in one of the charity hospitals in the city.

His death followed two days afterward. Too proud to let her friends see her in her misfortune, she came to New York and sought for work.

A skilled housekeeper, a good accountant, accustomed to the care of children, capable of filling a place of trust in a store, and willing to accept any situation, she has wandered up and down the streets answering advertisements, ringing door bells, and requesting work in stores, until the shoes were literally worn off her feet, and no work was to be found.

A little room in the attic of a boarding house she obtained and paid \$1.50 a week for its use.

Her furniture was sold piece by piece until the house in which it was stored burned with all its contents.

Then her jewels were disposed of, her dresses, and at last this cultured, refined, well-bred lady was obliged to accept the only real meal she had each day from the patron of a charitable home for girls, and to depend on her for pecuniary aid in paying for the little room she occupied.

Returning one day from another unsuccessful expedition in search of work, she fell on the floor of her room insensible, the landlady not allowing even her servant to attend to her, because the girl had to wash the next day and might be too tired.

In the morning she was picked up partially paralyzed, and is still in the hospital a broken-down, pained old woman, though comparatively young in years, earning a few pennies now and then by sewing with shaking hands some coarse garments.

Hints to Housekeepers.

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ATTENTION!

READ This Announcement!

A NEW SERIAL. The Bank of California, A story of the deepest interest will be commenced THIS WEEK, and will run through a dozen issues. It deals with life in California during the early days, relating the adventures of a Maine man, who left for California in the early days of the Gold Fever.

THE SATURDAY GAZETTE. Published every Saturday Morning, from the office No. 21 Canterbury street. ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1888.

The Saturday Gazette is the only Saturday paper in the Maritime Provinces, devoted exclusively to family and general matters.

Contributions on all subjects, in which Canadian are interested, will always be welcome. Correspondents will be glad to receive their articles as brief as the subject will allow, and are also particularly requested to write on one side of the paper only.

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Advertisers desiring changes, to ensure insertion of their favors in THE GAZETTE of the current week will be obliged to have their copy at the office of publication by Thursday noon.

At an auction in London recently, an egg of the extinct bird, the great auk, of which only sixty-one are known to be in existence, was sold for \$900.

American authors are more read than the English in Japan. Last year 85,000 English and 119,000 American books were imported into that country.

Wiggins, the weather crank, has got out of his cyclone cellar, and is now predicting an earthquake. An observing chap, who has kept the run of Wiggins' predictions, says the safest place in this country is the spot which the aforesaid Wiggins says will be reached by a tornado or earthquake.

A new writer of stories in negro dialect has been discovered at New Orleans. If this sort of thing is to continue there will be a new war of secession; the North will certainly refuse to be connected with the South if it has much more of the stuff purporting to be Southern literature imposed upon it.

The oldest merchant vessel, with one exception, now in actual service, is the schooner Good Intent. She was built by Clapp & Loring, in Braintree, Mass., in 1813, and was originally a sloop, with square stern and no figure head.

Says the Augusta, (Me.) Journal:—Are dogs intelligent? One would certainly think so could he have seen the deed performed by a shepherd dog belonging to Mr. C. C. Hunt of this city.

The fate of Samuel Bonnell, so far as the public are aware, is still enveloped in mystery. The members of his family have, as is understood, spared no effort to solve the problem of his disappearance but without avail.

William Pugsley, D. C. L., Barrister and Attorney-at-Law, Offices: Cor. Prince Wm. & Church Sts.

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THE PLUMBER'S ASSISTANT.

He was a Plumber's Assistant and he was, ostensibly, stuck in the bath room of one of the finest private residences in St. John. I say, ostensibly, my children, and as we sometimes have the pleasure of entertaining this interesting individual, you will doubtless understand my meaning.

Which, my children, touched the Heart of the Plumber's Assistant, the beautif. maiden, or the Cigar?

Then the beautiful Maiden answered, "take a cigar," and the Plumber's Assistant helped himself to a pocket full, and, remarking that after a season he would return to try the flavor of her Ruby lips, he bent his steps toward the bath room.

It is not necessary for me, my children, to say he did not go, for Her Eyes Flash'd Fire When She Spoke.

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blow. It was new to his experience to be struck by a forehead hand. He was as much astonished as angered.

one to remain by me many a year after. Her carcase, too, had in it something of motherhood, something I longed for, but found not at home, something which every man needs as a protection—protection against degradation.

two miles distant, on midblack; the vegetation and flowers entirely different from those of the east; the birds of other species; the very air seemed made of other elements; it was a new world, and it brought to me continually a sensation of newness.

My boy, said Broome, one evening soon after arrival, you want to know about the mine and mining, eh? All new comers are more or less crasy on that subject.

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Trains will Arrive at St. John: Express from Halifax and Quebec 7:00, Accommodation 8:45, Day Express 9:20.



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FUNNY MEN'S SAYINGS

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"Mabel, I love you." The words came forth like the plaintive vibrant sigh of an Aeolian harp.
"Of what name?"
"Of what name?"
"Of what name?"

THEY WERE VERY.

And the Handsome Young Doctor Couldn't Vaccinate Them.

[Philadelphia Record.]

Maidenly modesty and female vanity have had a sharp struggle among the young ladies in this city, and especially at the fashionable schools, since the small-pox scare began. The young women dread the disease, which, even if not fatal, might prove deadly to their physical charms, and vaccination was therefore welcomed by all. But the difficulty was that few of the young ladies, with visions of receptions next winter before them when they would appear in low-cut corsets and sleeveless bodices, cared to have the disgusting marks placed upon their arms. In consequence there has been a great demand, especially at the fashionable boarding schools in the city, for elderly physicians to whose care the young ladies could submit themselves for vaccination.

UP IN HIS PARL.

The Major in Cast as a Toper With Great Success.

She was a woman of ready resource, says the Detroit Free Press. While the hour was late, two or three evening visitors yet tarried, and the moment she heard her husband strike the steps she knew that he was heavy, and also grasped her line of conduct.
"Hi! hi!" she laughed, as she rose up, "he comes! He has been out rehearsing for amateur theatricals, and it will be just like him to try to show off. He takes the part of a Maj. Springer, who comes home full."

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"Yes," sighed Mrs. Hendricks, to an afternoon caller, "we are moved and in such a location, but the furniture is in such a condition. How true the old saying is, Mrs. Henson, that three removes are as bad as a fire."
"Indeed," replied Mrs. Henson, "I am glad to hear that, for I had a great deal of trouble with my furniture, but I must not forget to take into consideration the saving in rent."

A Terrible Blow and its Result. Considerable sympathy is manifested in Maine for James A. Gatchell, the pugilist, who on Saturday last murdered Wm. H. Hopkins at Augusta by a terrific blow on the month. Says the Commercial, "Gatchell is a large, powerful man, while Hopkins did not weigh over 130 pounds." The Commercial goes on to say, "Gatchell is to be pitted. He was well liked on the street, and was a good natured, kind, hearted fellow. This unfortunate matter has completely unnerfed him and his hands tremble and his voice was husky when he testified before the coroner's jury to-day, tears fairly gathered in his eyes."
A Fortunate Man. Tobacco, or at least the nicotine it contains, is known to be a poison, but the case of Thomas Eggleston, who died at Griffithsville, W. Va., the other day, shows that it is not necessarily a quick poison. Mr. Eggleston smoked his first pipe about the time that Washington was inaugurated President, and kept on smoking until the end of his long and tranquil days. He was probably the oldest smoker in consecutive service in the United States, and all the brethren of the pipe and cigar should feel proud of his record. He smoked for nearly a century. He was about 112 at the time of his death, and it is interesting to note, that he never had the toothache. He also had the rare good fortune to get through his long life without a headache; and he never took a dose of medicine until he was 106. If the anti-tobaccoists insist that he might have been 212 years old by this time we shall not quarrel with them. But what a peaceable, painless, and happy life this man had. One sees him sitting in the sun before his farmhouse door, placidly smoking his pipe, full of the wisdom of experience and the results of that medication which tobacco often condenses, and pondering on his long past and the longer future. Thomas Eggleston may have been a great man. He certainly was an uncommonly fortunate one.

Who shays I'm liar! Whoop! I can lick any man in 'trot! Been out wif' the boys, you know! Shay, Emly! "Is't he natural, though?" replied the wife. "Run up stairs, Harry, and change your clothes. You'll do. Nothing could be more perfect."
"Chase (hic) close! No, sur! Chase nothings! Uptain! Yes, go up stairs. Good (hic) bye, Emly. Reglar angel. Been our wif' boys, you know."
And the little woman clasped her hands and laughed and praised, and got rid of her company under the impression that no one had smiled a moue. However, the last one was hardly of the step when she bounced upstairs and confronted the delighted man with the exclamation:
"Now then, you old demijohn, prepare to get the worst walloping a fool of a husband was ever treated to!"
And he got it.

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