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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

The municipal council held its regular bi-monthly meeting on Wednesday night in the council's chamber. Reeve Kealy presided, and there were present Councillors May, Cornish and Morden, Councillor Allen being absent.

Robt. Norris et al. petitioned to have a road opened up on Jones' avenue, north from the Keith road to Fifteenth street, thence west on Fifteenth street to Forbes avenue. Laid over till next meeting.

A. D. Taylor, solicitor for the municipality, wrote enclosing the resolution regarding water records on Seymour creek, which the council had prepared to be sent to Commissioner Fisher. The council approved same.

Constable Dick reported that during May there were four calls on the fire brigade, 26 road tax receipts issued, $52 collected for same; three head of stock impounded, $11.50 in fines collected for same; $5.50 for feed and advertising and $12.75 for outlay. Filed.

Clerk Philip reported that he had assessed district lots 272 and 273, and found the total value of said lands to be $393,200 and of the said improvements $15,150. Accepted.

Messrs. Bain and McNaught wrote asking that council approve a sub-division plan of block 8, lot 549.

The Western Corporation and J. G. Nye both put in applications for the sub division of acre blocks into lots. The plans were approved.

Mr. Phillippo, on behalf of the citizens' celebration committee, asked for a contribution of $250 towards First of July celebration.

The report of the financial committee, board of works and water committee were of a routine nature and were adopted.

The reeve reported that he had communicated with the government re crown grant for the cemetery. Mr. Cotton stated that he did not think that the government could give the title asked for, but that the municipality would be given full control of the land so long as it was used for cemetery purposes.

It was decided to send the bill of costs in connection with the fire in block 550 last Saturday evening to Mahon, McFarland & and Mahon for payment.

The question of renaming some of the short streets in the west end was laid over.

The fixing of the rate of taxation of lands and improvements was decided on, and a by-law on same was submitted by the clerk which was read a third time and passed.

The Celebration.

Pursuant to a requisition Reeve Kealy called the mass meeting to order on Tuesday night in the municipal hall. A citizen's committee was elected to arrange for the First of July celebration to be held here on Monday, July 2nd.

There was a large and enthusiastic turnout of citizens.

Mr. J. G. Phillippo moved that the citizens of North Vancouver do celebrate the First of July.

The motion was carried unanimously, and that ten men should be appointed as a general committee to take charge of the work, with power to add to their numbers. The following committee was elected:

Messrs. Chance, George Bartley, A. R. Steacy, C. McKenzie, J. G. Phillippo, Birt Campbell, J. A. McMillan, Dr. Dyer, H. R. Heffel (manager Bank of B. N. A.) and J. C. Williams.

The committee then met and elected the following officers:

J. G. Phillippo, chairman; Geo. Bartley, secretary; H. R. Heffel, treasurer.

The following sub-committees were struck:

Finance committee—Messrs. A. R. Steacy, A. Gibson, McMillan, McKenzie.

Music and dancing—Messrs. Campbell, Chance and Dan Martin.

Transportation—Messrs. J. G. Phillippo, Geo Bartley, A. St. G. Hamersley, Steacy and Heffel.

Decoration—Messrs. W. J. Irwin, Larson and J. J. Woods.

Field sports—Messrs. McKenzie, Dr. Dyer, Campbell, G. H. Dick, Alex. Gibson, Chance, G. E. Jorgenson and J. P. Rothwell.

Acquatic sports—Roy Wheeler, Harry Wright, Durston, Dr. Dyer, Captain Gosse and Dan Martin.

Reception—Reeve and council, J. C. Keith, A. St. G. Hamersley and Alex. Smith.

Printing—Messrs. Bartley and Phillippo.

Church Notices.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, CORNER OF SEVENTH AND THIRTEENTH STREETS.

Ember Saturday (Eve of Trinity Sunday)—Evensong and intercession, 4:30 p. m.

TRINITY SUNDAY (June 10th)—HOLY COMMUNION, (sung, with sermon) 11:30.

St. Barnabas' Day (Monday)—Morning prayer and HOLY COMMUNION . . . to be announced.

Wednesday: Evensong with address on "St. Alban and His Times: Britain's First Martyr," 8 p. m.

Friday—Practice, 8 p. m.

Next Sunday—HOLY COMMUNION, (plain) 8 a. m.

Every Sunday—Mattins, 11; evensong and sermon, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, SIXTH STREET.

Services will be conducted on Sunday at 11 a. m. aud and 7:30 p. m.

In the morning the pastor will continue the study of the Early Christian Church. In the evening the subject will be "A Living Letter."

Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Christian Endeavor meeting on Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Subject: "What Christ Expects of Us." Consecration and business meeting.

Choir practice on Saturday at 8 o'clock.

Service in Moodyville school on Sundays at 7:30.

Strangers welcomed to all these meetings.

Pastor: Rev. J. D. Gillam, M. A.

On Sunday morning the pulpit of St. Andrew's church was filled by Mr. Robert Duncanson, of Knox College, Toronto, who also preached in the evening at Moodyville. Mr. Duncanson has been appointed a student missionary to the logging camps on the north side of the inlet for the summer months. He will take up his abode at Frome's camp, which will be his headquarters, and will preach in the school there on Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Duncanson is delighted with the scenery and climate and has set his heart on doing good service for the Master before summer melts into fall.

On Sunday evening the pastor, the Rev. J. D. Gillam, preached on "The Lord's Day, an Opportunity or a Duty." Mr. Gillam pleaded for the observance of the Sunday by the individual as the only antidote for the materialism that threatens the life of each and all today. Speaking of the community, he held it to be a great opportunity for a city about to be born, like North Vancouver, to conserve the day of rest and holiness. With no past behind it to act as a drag or fettert and with a splendid future before it, the fundations of the city should be laid deep in righteousness and sanctity. He resented and considered it the duty of all to resent the idea of an open town on Sunday; and he called upon every citizen to see to it that no open bar and no such profanity as balloon ascensions be allowed henceforth in the City of North Vancouver.

On Wednesday unique services in connection with Church Unity were held in St. John's and St. Andrew's churches.

In St. Andrew's the pastor presided and conducted the service. The same theme, the same portions of Scripture and the same hymns were in use in both churches. Mr. Gillam explained the nature of the meeting, read the circular letter on unity, signed by the leaders of the religious world of the old country, and sketched in outline the position of Presbyterians to the union of the Churches. Messrs. Duncanson, McBain and Quinn took part in the subsequent proceedings and provided an interesting and not unfruitful discussion of a most important subject. No more hopeful sign of the Holy Spirit's power and presence in the Church could be given than the manifest healing of the schisms and sores of the past, betokened in the expressed desire for closer corporate union.

The annual church parade of the Independent Order of Foresters will be held at Mount Pleasant. Rev. A. E. Hetherington, B. A., B. D., will preach the anniversary sermon. The Vancouver members expect all the North Vancouver brethern to be in attendance. The members will assemble at the Oddfellows' hall, Mount Pleasant, on Sunday evening, June 17th, and after ritualistic ceremonies will march to the church.

Wedding Bells.

A cab with a team of white horses on Lonsdale avenue was a sign of an event of no ordinary importance to those in it on Wednesday afternoon. The party was driven to the home of the Rev. Mr. Gillam, on Twelfth street, and proved to be Mr. W. J. W. Harrington with Miss Janet A. Scott close by his side. Assistance, in case of need, was there in the persons of Mr. A. N. Harrington and Miss E. M. Gamble, who performed their duties satisfactorily. A simple but effective service made the happy couple into one, and the 5:40 ferry bore them over the blue waters of the inlet amid a brilliant sunshine which augured the good wishes expressed by the friends of the bride and groom. Vancouver will be their home, which but proves it the more conclusively to be the central city of the world, for the one first saw the light in Michigan and the other in New Zealand. May every blessing attend their way.

Hotel North Vancouver.

The following are the guests registered at the hotel this week:

Mrs. Ella Simpson, Vancouver.
David Blair, "
E. V. Bolston, "
Dr. Geoffrey and wife, "
S. R. Robb, "
C. and W. T. C. Rendau, "
A. R. Handscombe, "
J. C. Bishop. "
C. R. Pendry and wife, "
Theodore Simpson, "
Theodore Hunter, "
L. McAdam, "
J. Whitly, "
Miss Keys, "
Wm. Hewitt, "
C. L. Gordon, "
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Irwin, "
R. E. Goni, "
W. D. Nickson, "
G. S. Turner, "
Walter Chapman, "
Geo. R. Handbury, Brandon, Man.
J. E. Hall, Winnipeg, Man.
R. Brown, New York.
Matilda Jane Palmer, New Brunswick.

A Rescue.

The eleven-year-old son of Mr. Tom Hurd, chief engineer of the ferry St. George, had a narrow escape from drowning Monday evening. While the ferry was coming into the slip at this side, young Hurd, in his endeavor to be the first to land, missed his footing on the wharf and fell into the water between the boat and the wharf. Both Mr. Quinn and Brassey, of the firm of Brassey & Quinn, plunged into the water simultaneously, and succeeded in rescuing the lad before anything serious could have happened. Owing to the dangerous proximity of the screw, great credit is due the rescuers for their timely action. Young Hurd is none the worse for his adventure.

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LOCALS.

Cheer up, you will soon be dead.

It is hard to keep kin from quarreling.

W. E. Myers, Spokane, arrived on Wednesday.

A. E. Todd, Victoria, visited the town this week.

Ross Piers, of Port Moody, was in town this week.

On the 15th a half-hourly ferry service will be inaugurated.

It is said of every stingy man that he has plenty of money.

Richard Harding is moving into his new house at Port Moody.

Robt. W. Dick, of Mission City, was in town this week on business.

Vacations are like marriage: Anticipation often beats the realization.

Miss L. Pasel has left for Alert bay where she will spend the summer.

Several campers have pitched their tents on this side of the inlet for the summer.

A. A. Blain and H. L. Godsoe, of Hamilton, paid the town a call on Wednesday.

If there is a man in the country whose honesty has not been assailed, let him stand up.

Captain Archibald and wife, of the Empress of Japan, were visitors to the town on Wednesday.

Mr. Miller, of the inland revenue department, Vancouver, was in NorthVancouver this week.

Miss. C. Kearsey, of Vancouver, spent several days with Mrs. J Kirkpatrick, of Fourteenth street

Pete Larson, of the Hotel North Vancouver, has 20 horses, and not one of them is afraid of an automobile.

A promise to rain these days amounts to about as much as a promise made by a man to his wife.

A cheap man is referred to as a Cheap John. Why should not a cheap woman be referred to as a Cheap Marie?

Brassey & Quinn will bring down eleven more long poles for the B. C. Electric Railway Company's tower.

W. Same, New York, registered at the Hotel North Vancouver on Wednesday. Mr. Same is here on his vacation.

ABANDONED.—A camp chair. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement.

H. S. Brown, of Kamloops, paid his brother, J. Brown, of the Keith road, a visit during the early part of the week.

The board of license commissioners will meet next Wednesday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, in the municipal hall.

Davis & Kirkpatrick, the contractors, have completed their contract on the butcher shop for the B. C. Market Company.

Nye & Brown, contractors, who are building a cannery on False creek, near English bay, saved a boy from drowning this week.

J. S. St. Clair, Lynn creek, has 180 fine promising white Leghorn chicks. His poultry yards are second to none in the municipality.

Harold G. Bedderson and L. M. Lynd, Toronto, took in the clerk's picnic on Wednesday. They were loud in their praises of the town.

There was about 3,000 picnickers here on Wednesday. The grocers' clerks and their friends took advantage of the weekly half-holiday.

The gardners report that the strawberry crop is now marketable. Next week new potatoes and early turnips will be on the market.

LOST.—Pair of spectacles and belt on First street, between Lonsdale avenue and Moodyville. Return same to Mrs. Hogg, the Esplanade.

The celebration committee will meet to-night.

Why does everybody look toward a band playing when they could hear the music as well looking the other way? Because they can't.

Mr. J. N. J. Brown was in Vancouver Saturday evening bidding adieu to two lady friends of his on the eve of their departure for the North.

Considerable complaint is being made as to the bad condition of the Capilano road to the dam. It should be in the very best of trim this time of the year.

The first four-oared crew of the North Vancouver Boating Club made their initial appearance last Saturday, consisting of Dr. Dyer, Stone, Wood and Brown.

Things are very lively at Moodyville these days. A new boarding house will be started shortly for the men working on the big boat, also a camp will be started there.

Why does nearly everyone who is telling you something, intersperse the story with, "you know," half a dozen times when if you knew there would be no use telling it?

Arrangements have been made with Brassey & Quinn to fill in the holes on Lonsdale avenue, opposite the Western Corporation and the Brackman-Ker Milling Company's warehouse.

"My husband is the best man in the world," writes a townsman's wife to this office, "but he won't milk. The subterfuges he adopts to get out of milking are amusing, and always successful."

A standing advertisement: The party who found our umbrella will please return same to this office immediately, and receive our thanks, as the weather is threatening and we refuse to get wet.

O. Johnson won two prizes in the grocery clerks' picnic. First prize in pole vaulting, eight feet eight inches; second prize, running long jump, fourteen feet. Our local athletics can always hold their own.

Chas. M. Corder, jun., of MacKay, Queensland, Australia, was a guest at the Hotel North Vancouver this week. Mr. Corder has been an extensive traveller, and predicts great things for the Ambitious City.

Jos. Anderson, inspector Bank of B. N. A., Montreal, was here on Monday. He is on his annual tour, and, of course, is well satisfied with the progress the local branch is making. Manager Heffell showed him over the town.

After the mass meeting re incorporation on Monday night a wag suggested that a certain speaker should be appointed by the council to act as a philosophic contemplator of civic conditions and financial superintendent to report monthly.

The bigger fool and incipient sap-head a man is, the better he takes in the general run of society nowadays. A fellow who can discuss dancing master steps will every time receive more attention than an individual who discusses a sensible subject.

Big ball in I. O. O. F. hall, Mount Pleasant, on Thursday evening, June 14th, given by Companion Court, I. O. F. Tickets, $1 per couple, to be secured from Mrs. Gross, Chesterfield avenue. A late boat will be secured if sale of tickets warrant such.

F. S. Nye has installed on his premises an up-to-date wind mill for supplying water to the house and garden. This is the first of its kind on this side of the inlet. The water is pumped into a tank 30 feet above ground, affording an excellent pressure to all parts of the house.

On Wednesday P. King and John A. Barber, of district lot 2088, block 12, were summoned before Magistrate Alexander, on a charge of violating the bush fire act on May 3rd. This case was laid over till next Wednesday. P. King was also charged with again violating the act on June 1st. The evidence given in this one was so conflicting that the magistrate could not reach a decision, and will view the ground for himself next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson, of Manitoba, who have been visiting in North Vancouver, left Wednesday for their home. It is Mr. Lawson's intention to remove to North Vancouver as soon as he can dispose of his business in the prairie province.

Never perhaps in the history of the world has there been a parallel of the happening which occurred on the arrival of the 5:30 boat at the ferry wharf, on Monday evening, when two business partners dived simultaneously into the water to rescue a boy from a watery grave.

Let every citizen in North Vancouver assist energetically and enthusiastically towards this young city's monster celebration on July 2st. As this is the first of its kind to be held on the north shore of the inlet, it is imperative that the affair will prove a axiom for succeeding years.

Owing to the extra charges of the livery men North Vancouver has been virtually deprived of the tourist traffic this season. Mr. Copeland, of the suspension bridge, says that the number of outside visitors, so far this season, has been very few, and the only reason given for this is rough roads.

W. H. Kelly, president of the Vancouver Grocery Clerks' Association, and his committee of willing workers were congratulated on all sides on the success of the picnic on Wednesday. The clerks of Vancouver one and all are highly pleased at the outcome of their first outing, and say they will come again.

A meeting of those interested in the formation of a new ferry company was held last night, in the Fairfield block, Vancouver. It is proposed to put on two ferry steamers to ply on Burrard inlet points, particularly between this port and Vancouver. Enough capital has been subscribed to ensure the success of the undertaking.

An instrumental orchestra has been organized of North Vancouver talent, and already a hall and piano have been secured. C. Mackenzie has been elected president, and Tom Clark secretary-treasurer. Practice will be held every Tuesday evening under the ableleadership of R. Chance Thereare about ten pieces already in line.

The effects of luxurious living are so plainly evident that we can see it without half trying. The influence that it has had on marriage is evident. Now, we have—may it please the devil—the bachelor maid. The woman who glories in the fact that she has emancipated herself from the glories of love and the sweet responsibilities of maternity. And why has she done it? Because in her independence she can have comforts and luxuries which in marriage she might have to do without.

The long expected has happened. Chief of Police Sam North, of Vancouver, has been suspended indefinitely for "inefficiency in the force." The mayor acted on his own initiative, or at least that of the aggregation controlling the Lord's Day Alliance, and operating under the guise of moral reform. It is our firm opinion that Chief North has always acted in a straightforward and consciencious manner, his impartiality to friend and foe gaining for him a respect that is deeply rooted in the breasts of all those who had any dealings with him. Vancouver has made a grave error, and the new chief, for whom a member of the "alliance" has been in search of in Eastern Canada, will, we hope, prove just as efficient as the deposed chief. The chief that is wanted is one that will allow the dominating despotism of the promoters of the Lord's Day Alliance to pollute the force.

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SCHEMES OF THIEVES

TRICKS OF THOSE WHO OPERATE IN JEWELRY STORES.

The Way One Place Was Completely Cleaned Out—How Show Windows Are Broken—Getting a Safe That Was Bolted to the Flooring.

A number of jewelers were dining together and with the cigars the talk turned on jewelry thieves and their methods.

The first story was told of an individual who was seen lounging about the plate front window of a jewelry store. No particular attention was paid to the man at the time, but the clerks recalled the incident after the robbery. In this instance the man appeared a number of times in front of the store. One evening soon after dark there was a sudden crash, and a robber was actively engaged in scooping in jewels with a hooked stick. In thirty seconds he was done and away. Bystanders stood as if petrified until the man struck out at a run. Then the store people and the bystanders realized what had occurred and shouting "Thief!" started after the man.

The man dropped his bag. The pursuers stopped and seized the bag. They returned to the store with the bag in high glee, remarking incidentally that there was no need in chasing the thief because here were the goods. The proprietor of the store and all the clerks had followed, but, having farther to go than the crowd, were behind and were met by the people with the bag. Proudly the bag was opened. It contained a brick. The thief had dropped it to check the pursuit. Realizing the trick had succeeded, the crowd, headed by the salesmen and proprietor, went back to the store, only to discover that the window had been cleaned of stock and the counters were bare of a number of costly articles.

A policeman on duty said that after the proprietor and clerks of the store ran for the departing thief a neatly dressed gentleman, with all the airs of a member of the firm, gave directions to two other men to get the stuff out of the windows and told him (the officer) that this was being done as a precaution against theft while the window was broken. In some first class stores there is a regular danger signal arranged, and the men are drilled each week. When the danger gong sounds one man takes his place at the door, another at the telephone to send word to the police, another with running qualities makes for the door in readiness to pursue, and so on.

Among other stories told were some relating to the tricks and devices of the jewelry thieves. The robber often works at night or sometimes during a crowd by cutting out a disk of glass near where some costly goods are shown. He may reach in and secure something and be off before detected if he is quick. Sometimes he has a long instrument hidden under his coat, so that he can reach in and pick up a watch. Often again he uses a simple stick with a slightly turned end, hooking into a ring.

The process of crushing in a plate front during the intervals of the patrol of the police, at the same time making as little noise, is done by pasting cloth or heavy paper on the glass. A wooden mallet is used, the hammer ends being securely bound up in a heavy woolen fabric stuffed with excelsior or kindred material. With this soft headed mallet it is possible to bang away noiselessly at the glass until the pane begins to crumble. Unless the plate is usually thick an opening can be made without much trouble.

In recent years jewelry thieves, like bank robbers, have rented quarters near the place they intended to rob and lived there long enough to study the situation. In one case a room was hired over a jewelry store and entrance effected to the store by means of a rope ladder dropped from the window of the room to a window leading to a hall in the store portion. In another case the bar spreader was used to open the bars of a window. This device consists of a spirally threaded shaft fitted into two blocks, with a central piece with a bar for turning. The blocks are adjusted between two bars, the central piece turned, whereupon the spiral shaft causes the blocks to expand sidewise, forcing the bars open. Then the intruder can pass in.

A story was told of the removal of a safe in which the proprietor of a jewelry store was accustomed to put his costly stock each night. It was not a large safe, but exceedingly strong, and because of its light weight a number of bolts were put through the floor and connected with the safe bottom. The proprietor often said that thieves could not take the safe unless they took floor and all. Not long after the store was entered, and, behold, the thieves had sawed out the section of the floor to which the safe was fixed. The safe was bound up with rope, the latter passed under the separated section of flooring, and, when the boards were sawed through, safe, floor and all were lowered into the basement and readily moved out through the basement door, put into an express wagon and carted off.

Spoiled His Scheme.

Among the creditors of an insolvent firm was a New Yorker who had a balance of $285 coming to him. This man wanted his money. He was a good talker and persuaded the firm to pay him off in case he could get the other creditors to grant an extension of time. So he called a meeting of the creditors and talked to them eloquently about the prospects of the firm getting on its feet again if it only had time. He seemed to have won out when a little old man in the back of the room rose and in a squeaky voice declared that he, for one, wanted his money and did not want to wait for it. "Don't you think it is rather selfish of you to interfere with this plan, in which all of the other creditors have agreed?" asked the first man. "We are willing to wait for the amount of our claims. Every one of us, including myself, believes that this firm should have plenty of time. How much is your claim, anyway?" In the same piping voice the little old man answered: "They owe me $185,000. How much is your claim?"

The Tomb Spider.

The people of Italy believe in the existence of a wonderful creature which for the want of a better name is called the tomb spider. The entomologists know nothing of this queer beast and declare that it only exists in the fancy of the superstitious persons and those whose curiosity or business makes it necessary for them to explore old ruins, tombs, catacombs, etc. According to the popular account, the tomb spider is of a pure white color, has wings like those of a bat, a dozen horrid crooked legs and a body three or four times the size of that of the largest tropical American tarantula. The accounts of this queer insect and his out of the way places of abode are by no means common, and on that account the information concerning him which we will be able to give is very meager. Any Italian will tell you that such a creature exists, however, and that he is occasionally met with in old mines and caverns as well as in tombs and subterranean ruins.

Goldsmith's Showy Clothes.

Goldsmith was ludicrously fond of showy clothes. When he sought to take orders in Ireland he tried to dazzle his bishop by a pair of scarlet breeches. While studying medicine in Edinburgh he wore "rich sky blue satin," "fine sky blue shalloon" and silver hat lace. Before Johnson, Reynolds and Garrick he strutted about bragging of his bloom colored coat, and when his reputation had been made by his two principal poems he blazed forth in purple silk small clothes, a scarlet greatcoat and a physician's wig. He carried a gold headed cane, and a sword hung by his side, a weapon so disproportioned to his diminutive stature that a coxcomb who passed him in the strand called out to his companion to "look at that fly with a long pin stuck through it."

A Woman In Morocco.

All the life of a woman in Morocco is really passed behind the walls of its prison-like houses. She sees nothing, knows nothing, is wholly sunk in ignorance. She has no social life, no afternoon "at home." A writer says: "Most of the ladies' calls are roof to roof visitations, and very nimble they are at getting over the low partition walls, even dragging a ladder up and down with them if there are high ones to be crossed. The reason is that the roofs, or, rather, terraces, are especially reserved for women folk, and men are not even allowed to go up except to do repairs, when the neighboring houses are duly warned."

Strange Pledges.

London pawnbrokers are frequently asked to take strange things in pawn. The other day a Holborn pawnbroker lent $100 on a fine horse, which one of his daughters rode until it was redeemed. The same pawnbroker once took in pledge a medical chest of poisons that were strong enough to kill 10,000 men. It was, however, a valuable deposit, as some of the poisons were very rare. A Kensington (England) pawnbroker about three weeks ago lent a sum of money on a number of autographs of dead celebrities.

Before and After.

Mrs. Mann—Before we were married Charles used to bring me candy when he came to see me. Now I have to buy my candy myself or go without. Mrs. Grimes—That's just the way with the men. Mrs. Mann—But, then, I don't mind it. I buy better candy than he used to buy, and as it is his money, just the same as in the old days, the new arrangement is more expensive to him than the old one.

A Criterion of Age.

Birmingham—Your daughter is to marry a young man named Hill, I believe? Manchester—Yes. He belongs to one of the very oldest families in the country. Birmingham—I didn't know that he came from a particularly old family. Manchester—Oh, yes. You often hear people use the expression, "As old as the Hills."

Absentminded.

Smith—Brown is getting to be quite absentminded of late, isn't he? Griffin—Why, I haven't noticed it. Smith—Well, he is. The other day he happened to look in a mirror at home, and he asked his wife what she was doing with that fellow's picture in the house.

Not a Philanthropist.

A.—The man does a great deal for the poor, it is said. B.—Nonsense. He would not even give his daughter to me as my wife.

The universal and absolute law is that natural justice which cannot be written down, but which appeals to the hearts of all.—Victor Cousin.

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Anaemia or bloodlessness is indicated by paleness of the lips, the gums and the eyelids, and is most frequently found in girls and young woman.

Other symptoms are deficient appetite, impaired digestion, irritable temper, shortness of breath, dizziness, fainting, headaches, easily fatigued, depression and despondency.

The blood is lacking in the life sustaining power which is necessary to the proper working of the bodily organs, and can only be restored by the use of iron, as any qualified physician will tell you.

But iron alone cannot be taken into a weakened stomach. In Dr. Chase's Nerve Food iron is combined with certain nerve restoratives in such a way as to be easny assimilated into the blood and thus afford immediate and lasting benefit to the system.

And more than this, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, through its action on the nerves, sharpens the appetite and aids digestion, so that help is also afforded in deriving the full nourishment from the food taken into the body.

On account of these two ways in which Dr. Chase's Nerve Food enriches the blood and builds up the system, it is beyond doubt the most effective treatment for anaemia and similar wasting diseases that was ever compounded. Note your increase in weight while using it.

Mr. Albert Saunier, Willow Bunch, Sask., writes:-

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Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for $2.50, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. The portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase the famous receipt book author, are on every box.

LAPLANDER STYLES.

They Haven't Changed Any In the Last Thousand Years.

There is one corner in the world where the fashions of the people have remained the same for the last thousand years. The Lapp lady is not concerned about the latest toque from Paris nor is she subject to that soul harrowing experience, the bargain counter crush. However, she may properly lay claim to having been the original bloomer girl, for the nether garment worn by her today is of the same design as that worn by her ancestors of a thousand years ago.

The summer garment of the Laplander is usually of coarse woolen goods and has something the cut of a shirt with a high collar. Among the sea Lapps it is for the most part undyed. Among the other Lapps usually blue, sometimes green or brown and even black smock frocks have been seen.

Round the waistbands, along the seam in the back and on the edges this smock is ornamented with strips of red and yellow cloth. Under this garment is a similar oue, either plain or figured, worn next to the body, for the Lapp never wears linen underclothing.

The trousers are of white woolen goods, rather narrow and reaching to the ankles, where they are tied inside the shoes with long slender shoestrings. Over these drawers are usually worn leggings of thin, tanned skins, reaching from the ankles to the knees.

Stockings the Lapp never wears. He fills the upper curving tip of his shoes with a sort of grass, which is gathered in summer and beaten to make it soft and pliable. The winter costume only differs from that worn in summer in that every piece is made of reindeer skin with the hair on.

The dress of the women differs very slightly from that worn by the men. The smock is somewhat longer and is made without the big standing collar, instead of which a kerchief or cap is worn about the neck. To the woven and often silver ornamented girdle hang a knife, scissors, key, needle and thread. The head covering is not only different in the two sexes, but also differs according to the locality.

THE BLUEFISH BRIGADE.

What Happens When the Blues Make a Charge Upon Menhaden.

"When menhaden or herring are driven upon the beach by bluefish, as they often are, so that they can be carried off by the cart load," said a fisherman, "there is very seldom found among them one of their pursuers, and if one is found it is likely to be a fish that is diseased or that has been hurt in some way. The bluefish follows to the very verge of the water, but there it stops, and it is so powerful and alert a swimmer that, close as it is, it still easily keeps clear of the land. The menhaden or herring are no mean swimmers. They could come as close and keep off the shore as easily as the bluefish do, but not when the bluefish are after them. Then they are like men pursued to the edge of a precipice. It is almost certain death to jump, but they must do that or turn and take the chances of breaking through the pursuing line.

"When the bluefish—there may be 3,000 or 4,000 of them together—sight a school of menhaden, they go for it like a brigade of heavy cavalry, cutting and slashing, snapping and biting right and left. The menhaden are simply overborne by superior weight, and there is nothing for them to do but flee. If they are driven toward the shore, the land is to them what the precipice would be to the man. They must take it or they must turn and try to fight their way through. Many do turn and try to swim under or over or around the savage bluefish, and some escape in this way, and some are snapped up, and some are maimed and then cast ashore, and many of them, crowding together, are so closely pressed that they are practically forced ashore.

"Sometimes fish that are not cast up very far flop down into the water again. A high wave may set some free. A fish thus liberated may find its fins so damaged that it can't swim, and it is cast up again. Weakened by its rough experience, it may fall a prey to some of the bluefish yet lingering offshore. It may escape."

INDIAN PROVERBS.

The coward shoots with shut eyes.

Small things talk loud to the Indian's eye.

The paleface's arm is longer than his word.

When a fox walks lame old rabbit jumps.

A squaw's tongue runs faster than the wind's legs.

There is nothing so eloquent as a rattlesnake's tail.

The Indian scalps his enemy; the paleface skins his friends.

Before the paleface came there was no poison in the Indian's corn.

There will be hungry palefaces so long as there is any Indian land to swallow.

When a man prays one day and steals six the Great Spirit thunders and the evil one laughs.

There are three things it takes a strong man to hold—a young warrior, a wild horse and a handsome squaw.

Gold Used In Jewelry.

France heads the list as the country which uses up most gold in the making of jewelry. Her jewelers work up 33,000 pounds weight of gold every year—that is, about one-thirtieth of the whole amount produced. Great Britain accounts for an almost equal quantity, and the United States takes 32,000 pounds weight for similar objects, while German craftsmen for that country worked up 30,000 pounds of virgin gold in the last year. Small as Switzerland is, she absorbed nearly 20,000 pounds weight of fine gold, while Italy and Russia between them took a similar amount. We can procure no accurate statistics from Turkey or India or China, but as each of these countries uses a large quantity of gold for purposes of ornament we shall not be very far wrong if we say that the world's jewelers use more than half of all the gold produced.

Million Bushels of Wheat Wasted.

"During 1905," writes George R. Metcalfe, M. E., in the Technical World Magazine, "the railroads of the United States ordered new locomotives to the number of 6,300, together with 3,300 passenger cars and 340,000 freight cars. These last figures give a good idea of the relative importance of passenger and freight traffic to a large railroad. The rail mills started the new year with orders for 2,500,000 tons on their books.

"In spite of these great orders and in spite of the best efforts of the railroad managers pile after pile of thousands of bushels of corn has been heaped up on the ground in Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska for want of storage room or transportation facilities, while in North Dakota alone over a million bushels of wheat have rotted on the ground for want of freight cars to move it."

Attention Moves the World.

"Knowledge," it is said, "begins in wonder." But wonder is the result of attention, and by attention the world is moved beneficently or madly, as in the blind and bloody turmoils of the Russian people, attentive at last to their wrongs and the possibilities of liberty. Without the attention of individual and collective minds nothing goes forward on an earth so full of objects and ideas that selection must be forced from the outside or deliberately exercised from the inside before anything good or bad can be done. It is the business of the good man to study means of attracting attention to good causes, to necessary betterments and to all that is fair and lovely and wholesome in this distracting, distracted and multitudinous universe.—Century.

A Remarkable Child.

Dr. and Mrs. Julian P. Thomas of New York are the parents of a remarkable child, aged seven years. Some of the playthings, provided at his own request, are a skeleton, his favorite, whose every bone he knows by name; a physiological chart, which has enabled him to study the muscular tissue, the nervous and circulatory systems; a fully equipped automobile boy's size, which he operates and repairs; a great globe, which has caused him to spurn all geographies. He is a talented musician and makes an exception of his music and drawing teachers in the sweeping refusal to deal with instructors.

The Prime of Life.

The larger part of the great fortunes of this country have been accumulated after their amassers have passed forty. In fact, the first forty years of a man's life are the preparatory years, the years of training and discipline. A large part of this time he is laying the foundation—just getting ready to rear the superstructure. Many of us stumble around many years before we get into the right place, and then for additional years we make many mistakes. Most men do not get wise until they have passed forty. They may get knowledge before this, but not much wisdom. Wisdom is a ripening process. It takes time. Every man makes his own dead line. Some reach it at thirty-five, some at forty, some at fifty; some do not reach it at eighty; some never reach it because they never cease to grow.

The Change of a Word.

A remarkable instance of verbal degradation is the word "slave." Its original, the Russian "slava," meant glorious, being etymologically akin to the English word "glory," and was proudly taken as their name by the Slavonic people. But when the Germans reduced hosts of the Slavs to servitude their name, from malice or accident, as Gibbon says, became synonymous with "servile." It retains no more suggestion of its racial origin now than does "ogre," which is really "Hungarian," from a confusion of the Magyars with the Huns, and of both with the terrible Tartars.

A Serious Threat.

Stutts (who stammers)—Miss D-D-Dimple—D-D—Dollie! I lul-lul-lul—I lul-lul-love you! Wu-wu-will you b-b—wu-wul you b-be mum-mum-mum—wu-will you b-be mum-mum-my wu-wu-wu—mum-mum-my wife? Dollie Dimple (coyly)—Oh, Mr. Stutts! I—I hardly know how to answer you! Stutts (desperately)—Ac-ac-ac-sus-sus—accept my pup-pup-proposal or I'll sus-sus—or I'll sus-sus-say it all over a-gug-gug-again!

Easily Remedied.

Bank Clerk—This check, madam, isn't filled in. Madam—Isn't what? Bank Clerk—It has your husband's name signed to it, but does not state how much money you want. Madam—Oh, is that all? Well, I'll take all there is.

Good Luck.

Mrs. McCall—Is Mrs. Gassaway at home? The Servant—Faith, she is not, ma'am, be great luck, but ye'd best l'ave yer card an' skedaddle away, fur she's like to be in anny minute now.—Philadelphia Ledger.

BLOODLESS GIRLS.

Can Obtain New Health Through the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Anaemia means bloodlessness. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new, rich, red blood and thus cure anaemia. When the blood is poor the nerves are starved and irritable. Then comes hysteria, neuralgia, sleeplessness and other nerve disorders. Headaches, backaches and sideaches wear out and depress the poor pale victim. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills soon bring ruddy health and lively vigor. They sooth the jangled nerves and give new strength to every organ. Miss Winnie Allen, Montreal, says: "I was so weak and run down that my friends thought that I was going into consumption. I was as pale as a corpse, had no appetite and did not sleep well. The least exertion tired me out, and if I walked a few blocks I would be almost breathless. My sister advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and after using them for a few weeks I am again enjoying good health, and have a good color. I think every weak girl should take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure any case of bloodlessness just as surely as they cured Miss Allen. The pale anaemic needs only one thing—new blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new, rich blood with every dose. That is why they cure all common diseases like anaemia, indigestion, neuralgia, palpitation of the heart, headaches and backaches, St. Vitus dance, partial paralysis and the secret troubles that make the lives of thousands of women miserable. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Ambassador Reid denies that the plans of the battleship Dreadnaught were stolen and sold to the United States.

How to cleanse the system.—Parmelees' Vegetable Pills are the result of scientific study of the effects of extracts of certain roots and herbs upon the digestive organs. Their use has demonstrated in many instances that they regulate the action of the liver and the kidneys, purify the blood, and carry off all morbid accumulations from the system. They are easy to take and their action is mild and beneficial.

An Explorer's Stratagem.

Sir Harry Johnston, the famous explorer, once escaped from a very tight corner in Africa by a queer stratagem. A score or two of murderous natives had surrounded his tent, into which, before rushing it, they sent an envoy. The envoy was told the smallpox was in the camp, and a wretched Albino was sent out as the awful example. In five minutes the scared tribesmen had vanished. As Sir Harry well knew, they feared the "white disease" more than all the inventions of Maxim.

His Works.

"A man is known by his works," declared the irrepressible reformer, who was addressing a large and enthusiastic audience.

"Yours must be a gas works!" shouted a rude, uncultured person who occupied a back seat.

SUNLIGHT SOAP

is better than other Soaps but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Follow directions.

SUNLIGHT WAY OF WASHING

FIRST.—Dip the article to be washed in a tub of **lukewarm water**, draw it out on a washboard and rub the soap **lightly** over it. Be particular not to miss soaping all over. THEN roll it in a tight roll, lay in the tub under the water, and go on the same way until all the pieces have the soap rubbed on, and are rolled up.

Then go away for thirty minutes to one hour and let the "Sunlight" Soap do its work.

NEXT.—After soaking the full time rub the clothes lightly out on a wash board, **and the dirt will drop out;** turn the garment inside out to get at the seams, **but don't use any more soap;** don't scald or boil a single piece, and **don't** wash through two suds. If the water gets too dirty, pour a little out and add fresh. **If a streak is hard to wash, rub some more soap on it, and throw the piece back into the suds for a few minutes.**

LASTLY COMES THE RINSING, which is to be done in lukewarm water, taking special care to get all the dirty suds away, then wring out and hang up to dry.

For Woolens and Flannels proceed as follows:—Shake the articles free from dust. Cut a tablet of **SUNLIGHT SOAP** into shavings, pour into a gallon of **boiling water** and whisk into a lather. When just lukewarm, work articles in the lather **without rubbing.** Squeeze out dirty water **without twisting** and rinse thoroughly in two relays of lukewarm water. Squeeze out water **without twisting** and hang in the open air.

☞ **The most delicate colors may be safely washed in the "Sunlight" way.**

SUNLIGHT

SAVE THIS IT'S VALUABLE PREMIUM COUPON FOR SUNLIGHT SOAP PREMIUMS

$5,000 REWARD will be paid to any person who proves that Sunlight Soap contains any injurious chemicals or any form of adulteration.

Your Money Refunded by the dealer from whom you buy Sunlight Soap if you find any cause for complaint.

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"This somewhat grasping habit," said Senator Burrows, in the course of a recent argument, "reminds me of a lady who dropped in the other day at a certain bank.

"Going to the paying teller's window, she opened her pocketbook, took out a check and pushed it under the brass grating.

"'Cash this, please,' she said.

"But the paying teller, after one glance at the check, pushed it back to the woman again.

"'I can't cash it, madam,' he said. 'It isn't filled in.'

"'There is my husband's signature on it,' the woman said, excitedly.

"'Yes, I know,' admitted the teller, but there is no amount.'

"'Oh, never mind that,' said the woman impatiently. "Give me what there is.'"

Ask for Minard's and take no other

Forty-seven cars of settlers effects arrived in the Melfort district during April.

Edmonton city council is endeavoring to secure a site for a new isolation hospital.

Another cargo of 2,000 tons of steel rails for the G.T.P. was unloaded at Fort William from Buffalo.

CURED HIS WIFE of LA GRIPPE

Quebec Man tells how the Great Consumptive Preventative was an all-round Benefit

"My wife took La Grippe when she was in Ottawa," says R. N. Dafoe of Northfield Farm, Que., in an interview. "She got a bottle of Psychine and after using it for a few days she was quite well. I took a cold and am using it and am getting all right. I think Psychine is one of the best tonics on the market to-day."

There you have the whole matter in a nutshell. La Grippe and colds are among the forerunners of consumption.

This man had one, his wife had the other. Psychine not only cured both but it built them up so that their bodies are strong enough to resist disease. All seeds of comsumption are killed by

PSYCHINE

(Pronounced Si-keen)

50c. Per Bottle

Larger sizes $1 and $2—all druggists.

DR. T. A. SLOCUM, Limited, Toronto.

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AFTER 18 YEARS OF SUFFERING

AN ONTARIO FARMER FINDS A CURE AT LAST IN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

The Direct Cause of All His Trouble was a Strain in the Back Which Affected His Kidneys—Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him.

ARDOCH, Ont., May 14—(Special.) Mr. Ami Jeanneret, of this place gives a very interesting account of his experience with Dodd's Kidney Pills. He says:—

"I hurt my back and strained my kidneys and for 18 years I suffered on and off intense agony. I was subject to attacks of Rheumatism and Lumbago. My joints were stiff, my muscles cramped. I lost my appetite, my flesh began to fall away, my nerves were shaken, I could not rest or sleep at night and I was sinking into a deplorable condition when I was advised to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I used six boxes and I am now as strong and healthy as ever I was. I am certain I owe my cure wholly to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

A widow in a Maine town, accord- to the Boston Herald, was a strict constructionist in her theology, and would admit no lodger into her boarding house who had a leaning toward Universalist views. One day an old sea captain happened along to ask for rooms.

"But, what do you believe?" asked the widow.

"Oh, most anything," replied the captain.

"Do you believe there is a hell?"

"Sure," was the reply.

"Well," parried the widow, "how many do you think will go here?"

The captain cautiously remarked that he thought 20,000 would be a fair estimate.

The widow paused, then stated that he could come in. "Twenty thousand,' she said, "is better than none."

Not a nauseating pill.—The excipient of a pill is the substance which enfolds the ingredients and makes up the pill mass. That of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills is so compounded as to preserve their moisture, and they can be carried into any latitude without impairing their strength. Many pills, in order to keep them from adhering are rolled in powders, which prove nauseating to the taste. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are so prepared that they are agreeable to the most delicate.

An Irishman once met an Englishman who had an artificial leg. Being of a sympathetic nature, Pat enquired the cause of the loss of the limb, whereupon the Englishman said: "A short time ago I discovered that there was some Irish blood in my body and that it had settled in this leg, so I had it cut off." "'Tis a pity it didn't settle in your head, " came the quick retort.—Troy Times.

I cured a horse of Mange with MINARD'S LINIMENT.
CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS.
Dalhousie.

I cured a horse, badly torn by a pitch fork, with MINARD'S LINIMENT.
St. Peter's. C. B. Edw. LINLIEF.

I cured a horse of a bad swelling with MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Bathurst, N.B. THOS. W. PAYNE

Kalgoorlie, West Australia, is one of the newest and best gold fields in the world. The following advertisement was prominently displayed in a recent issue of the Kalgoorlie Miner:—"Watch the progress of the British elections. Balfour, the coercionist, is defeated. Should his mate, Chamberlain, be also defeated, all comers can indulge in a little 'light refreshment' free of charge for a period of six hours from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at Paddy Whalen's Shamrock Hotel."

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house

China has established a policy of forbidding further foreign acquisition of land within her borders.

The Yaami hotel in Keoto, Japan, has been burned and two American women perished in the flames.

Five hundred thousand acres in Alberta hitherto exempt from taxation are now taxed for school and local improvements.

Two thousand babies were entered in the Chicago baby show held for the benefit of San Francisco sufferers.

We Trust Doctors

If you are suffering from impure blood, thin blood, debility, nervousness, exhaustion, you should begin at once with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the Sarsaparilla you have known all your life. Your doctor knows it, too. Ask him about it.

You must look well after the condition of your liver and bowels. Unless there is daily action of the bowels, poisonous products are absorbed, causing headache, biliousness, nausea, dyspepsia, and thus preventing the Sarsaparilla from doing its best work. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. Act gently, all vegetable. The dose is only one pill at bedtime.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's HAIR VIGOR. AGUE CURE. CHERRY PECTORAL.

Say End of World is Near.

London.—Terrible predictions concerning what will happen to the poor old earth during the next twenty-five years were made the other day at Exeter Hall. The prophets of disaster, a large number of whom were clergymen, were in attendance. The Prophetic and Seventh Auventist's conference, which differed somewhat in detail, all agreed that the end of the world was at hand. They were not sure whether the final catastrophe will come on May 2, 1929, or on April 9, 1951, but they were quite sure that one of these dates would prove to be the right one. There can be no doubt that the world has nearly outlived its usefulness, the prophets declared. The wars and earthquakes which have afflicted it recently are proof positive, and all that is required to fulfil his prophesies is the coming of the anti-Christ, who is somewhat unkindly identified with Napoleon.

He will make his first political appearance as King of Syria, but in 1922 he will attack and conquer France; then he will extend his rule over the other kingdoms. There will be 10,000,000 Christians in the world at this time, the prophets declare, but evidently, they will not be equally deserving of favor, for in 1924 or 1926, 144,000 of them will be translated to heaven, while the other 9,856,000 will be transported to the district near Mount Sinai, where they will have to wait three and a half years.

Members of parliament are evidently to be a lot of terrible sinners, for only a very few will be found worthy of immediate translation. The Rev. Mr. Baxter declares that the great majority of members of parliament will be left behind.

A cough is often the forerunner of serious pulmonary afflictions, yet there is a simple cure within the reach of all in Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, an old-time remedy, which, if resorted to at the inception of a cold, will invariably give relief, and by overcoming the trouble, guard the system from any serious consequences. Price 25 cents at all dealers.

The Portrait Painter (in despair)—Madam, I find it impossible to procure colors that will match your exquisite complexion.

The Sitter (without reserve)—Well then, just draw the outlines to-day, and when I come next time I'll bring some of my colors for you.—Lippincott's Magazine.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
Adress: F. J. CHENEY & Co. Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Three plumbers robbed a man on a Kansas City street car. It is not good form for plumbers to rob people on a street car.—Boulder News.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Wife—Your were talking in your sleep last night, dear. Why do you persist in doing it?

Husband—Good Lord, Marie, a man ought to be allowed to talk sometimes oughtn't he? —The Bohemian

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To know is to prevent. — If the miners who work in cold water most of the day would rub their feet and legs with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil they would escape muscular rheumatism and render their nether limbs proof against the ill effects of exposure to the cold. Those setting out for mining regions would do well to provide themselves with a supply before starting.

A Will In Three Words.

In the probate division of the London county court Sir Gorell Barnes was asked to admit to probate the will of Frederick Thorn of Amesbury avenue, Streatham, who died leaving property valued at $4,000. A day or so before he died, counsel stated, Mr. Thorn had a paralytic stroke. He asked for a piece of paper, and they gave an envelope to him. He wrote on the back of it, in the presence of his wife and two of his children, "All to mother. F. T." This was witnessed by Arthur Thorn and Percy Thorn. The will was handed up to his lordship, who remarked that it was probably the shortest one on record. It was duly executed and witnessed and he therefore pronounced for it.

Drunkards In Turkey.

The Turks have a singular manner of regulating drunkenness. If a Turk overtaken with wine falls down in the street and is arrested by the guard he is sentenced to the bastinado. This punishment is repeated as far as the third offense, after which he is regarded as incorrigible and called "imperial drunkard" or "privileged drunkard." If he is then arrested he has only to name himself, mention his lodging, say he is a "privileged drunkard." He is released and sent to sleep upon the hot ashes of the baths.

The Curve.

Corporal (to soldier)—Why is the blade of the saber curved instead of straight? Private—It is curved in order to give more force to the blow. Corporal—Humbug! The saber is curved so as to fit the scabbard. If it was straight how would you get it into the crooked scabbard, blockhead?

The Important Change.

Teacher—When water becomes ice, what important change takes place? Pupil—The change in price.

MR. HEUBACH'S PLANS ARE NOW COMPLETE

The Advantages and Beauties of Tuxedo Park Described by the Originator of the Enterprise.

Winnipeg.—As the work of developing Tuxedo Park is being pushed forward, a thoroughly modern suburb will be evolved. Combine the layout of the city of Washington, D.C., with the pleasures, comforts and conveniences of the famous Tuxedo Park, N.Y., and you have a fair idea of what Winnipeg's Tuxedo Park is to embrace and to be.

Mr. F. W. Heubach, of the firm of F. W. Heubach, Ltd., and father of the Tuxedo Park enterprise, was seen at his offices in the Union bank building, and was asked just what his plans were for the development of this new suburb.

"That would be a long story, said Mr. Heubach, "but perhaps I can give you a general idea in a few words."

"As you know, the property which now comprises Tuxedo Park was the old Wright farm, a high, dry and largely wooded tract of 2000 odd acres situated upon the Assiniboine.

"As a homesite its situation is ideal. It will be easily and quickly reached by the Portage Avenue trolley and extensions through Fort Rouge. In addition to this we have every assurance that as both the Canadian Northern and Canadian Pacific Railways run directly through the property a suburban station will be erected and commuters' trains run from both city depots. This will make Tuxedo the most accessible of all Winnipeg suburbs.

"In planning Tuxedo Park our idea has been not only to provide beautiful suburban homesites, but to also afford residents all the comforts, conveniences and amusements of metropolitan life. Tuxedans will be supplied with water through our own or the City mains and will also have gas or electric light.

"For their leisure hours we have laid out a speedway, the longest straightaway course in the world, golf links, tennis courts, athletic grounds.

"The harmonious beauty of Tuxedo Park, and the interests of Park residents, will be preserved by our building restrictions which will prevent the construction of any unsightly or undesirable buildings.

"All commercialism; that is, all stores, groceries, butcher shops and the like will be confined to a small territory which we have set apart and which we have designated as the "Village."

"These features, the diagonal streets, avenues and boulevards; the shade trees and sloping lawns, all combine to make Tuxedo one of the most desirable residential districts in the West.

"That an investment in these lots is bound to prove most profitable goes without saying. Here we are surrounding on three sides the buildings and grounds of the Government Agricultural College, and on the west adjoining the new City Park. And this alone is a guarantee of the continual development and increasing values of Tuxedo property. Add to this the improvements we are making and you can readily understand that Tuxedo offers an opportunity for investment which no thinking man can afford to pass by."

Mr. Heubach grew enthusiastic in telling of the beauties of Tuxedo and of the many advantages of owning a home there. He is sincere in his belief that Tuxedo Park is destined to become the most popular as well as the most desirable of all Winnipeg's suburban districts.

"Just think," he said, "a scale plan that enables the man of small salary to stand shouder to shoulder with men of wealth in the acquirement of this property, and that without pinching or undue economy; a proposition by which each purchaser of a lot is given a bond which can be made to earn for him as high as one-third of the price of the lot; nominal taxes, and a home on the Assiniboine! Isn't that going to appeal to every sensible man?

"Certainly it ought to."

"A race track?"

"No, we have that out of our program, as a splendid one is being built by Mr. R. J. MacKenzie at Sturgeon Creek."

Minard's Liniment lumberman's friend

A certain congressman from Virginia has long retained in his employ a colored man by the name of Ezekiel. One morning the master left the house leaving behind him a letter he had forgotten. Some time in the afternoon he remembered the communication, and as it was of some importance he hastened back home, only to find that the letter was nowhere to be seen in the library. He had a distinct recollection that the letter had been left on a table. He summoned Ezekiel and asked him if he had seen the letter.

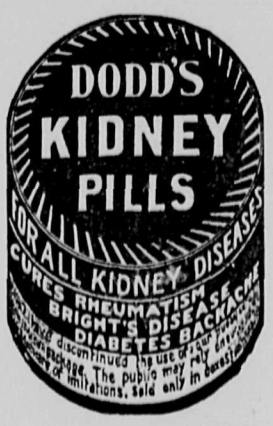
"Yessah, yo' lef' it on yo' table."

"Then where is it now?"

"I mailed it, sah.

"You mailed it! Why, Zeke, I had not put the name and address on the envelope!"

"Jes' so sah! I thought it was one o dem annonymous letters.'— American Spectator.



Ye scribe was laid up last week with a cold and stiff neck.

Hilda Skoyen, of Oak Valley, attended the Sages and Nelson wedding Saturday.

Ye scribe has been sewing for Hulda Sedahl.

The auction sale at Mike Finstad's was well attended, and the dance, too. But nobody got into a bad temper because it was crowded when they danced, as I heard they did at some other auction dances.

O, made a smash—no mash at the Finstad dance.

Burglars broke into the Steig store at Pigeon last Wednesday night, busted the safe, and got hold of about $30.

Wonder if that boy who has a dog attended the wedding Saturday?

Ye scribe sewed for Mrs. I. Skoyen.

Say, did you find your way home?

Hilda Skoyen is doctoring at Dr. Bergh's—Oak Valley Correspondence Osseo (Wis.) Recorder.

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Mark Twain, at a dinner in New York, told a story from his native town of Hannibal, Missouri.

"There are in the world," he said, "a good many men like Jonathan Scarborough of Hannibal.

Scarborough was one of those men, with nothing evil absolutely known against them, who are yet looked on, and no doubt justly, with suspicion.

"It was thought of Scarborough that, for a poor man, he ate too much chicken. And one day the blow fell. He was arrested for chicken stealing.

"A witness was called to testify as to Scarborough's character.

"Did you ever know this man to steal poultry?" asked the lawyer for the defence.

"'No, I never did,' said the witness, 'But this is what I do know; if I was a chicken, and Jonathan Scarborough was about, I'd roost high.'"

A DANGER TO CHILDHOOD.

No mother would give her little one poison if she knew it, and yet all the so-called soothing syrups and many of the liquid medicines given children contain poisonous opiates, and an overdose will kill. When a mother uses Baby's Own Tablets she has the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine does not contain one particle of opiate or narcotic that it cannot possibly do harm. This assurance is worth much to the mother who cares for the safety of her little ones. Mrs. Charles McLaughlin, DeBert Station, N.S., say: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for colic, stomach troubles and other ailments of childhood and find them so valuable that I would not be without them in the house." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

While working under the street level of the Arch of Alfonso d'Aragona the workmen came upon a sort of cellar, which opened out into a series of small chambers, opening out on to galleries. All were strongly built of stone, and in the dim light the explorers were for a long time at a loss how to explain the mystery. It was revealed at last by the aid of candles, which exhibited on the walls rude drawings and despairing invocatons for Divine aid—evidently from men in prison, some doomed to death and others to hopeless confinement. Chance had brought to light those abodes of horror and misery, the underground dungeons of the old kingdom of Naples.—London Globe.

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PEKING'S OPIUM DENS.

Efforts to Reduce Their Number and Restrict the Smoking.

Peking, the capital of China, is fighting the opium shop evil. Efforts are being made to reduce the number of dens and to restrict the smoking of the drug and to curtail the loafing and vice that accompany opium smoking by compelling each shop to take out a license and to pay a tax according to the number of "lamps" in each shop. The shops are divided into four classes, and the fees are graded accordingly from $1 a month to 20 cents for each lamp, payable on the 10th of every month. The recent proclamation of the Peking sanitary department reads as follows:

"Opium smoking is extremely harmful to the health, and the shops where opium is smoked are the retreats of loafers. Such places should really be altogether prohibited, so that the people might enjoy more prosperity, and dens of thieves would thus be done away with. But as opium smoking has become such a habit it cannot be got rid of entirely and at once. The evil can only be removed gradually.

"There are in the outer city of Peking many opium shops, and it is evident that the smokers are increasing every day, which is very bad. This department has taken into consideration the matter, and arrangements have been made for those who will abandon the habit. In addition the opium shops opened in the outer city of Peking have been divided into four classes and are to be taxed after certain regulations. They are to register themselves according to their classes and the number of lamps for the payment of taxes so that inspection can easily be effected.

"Shop owners are hereby informed of the regulations and that they are to come to this department for registration beginning from the 30th day 1st moon 31st year of Kuang Hsu. If any one dares to make a false declaration as to his class or the number of lamps, opens shops without license or refuses payment of the tax, if discovered, the building used for smoking opium will be confiscated and the owners strictly fined as a warning to these private dealers in opium shops. All must respect this order and not disobey."

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WHERE ENOCH WAS AHEAD

Modern Arden Gave Up His Forsaken Wife For $50 and Kept Away.

During a lull in the conversation that five or six of us were holding in the smoking car an oldish man leaned forward and inquired of the man who was talking at the time:

"Didn't I hear you mention the town of Bloomingdale when I first came in here?"

"Yes, sir," was the reply. "Yes, I live at Bloomingdale."

"Glad to know it," continued the other. "I used to live there, too, but my wife hit me a crack with the poker one day and I got up and walked off and am just returning after an absence of ten years. I'm playing the Enoch Arden business, you know, and the old woman will jump a foot high when she sees me."

"Who was your wife?" asked the other in careless tones.

"Hanner Bliss, sir. Mebbe you know her—tall woman—squint eyes—long chin—peaked nose—voice like a file."

"Great Scott," exclaimed the man, "but you don't mean to tell me that the Widder Bliss was your wife! Why, she thought you dead years ago."

"Has she married again?"

"She has. The papers said you were killed in Indiana, and, after wearing mourning for a year, she married me."

"Waal," chuckled the first husband, "here I am, alive and kicking and purty healthy for an Enoch Arden. So Hanner married you, eh? Does she break out in sudden fits like she used to?"

"Say, man, this is awful!" said husband No. 2 as the sweat began to ooze out on his forehead.

"Oh, I don't see anything to get excited about. Enoch Arden didn't get a cent after skipping out and coming back, but that's where I differ with him. If you and Hanner are taking comfort and you have $50 to spare, I'll drop off at the next station and let you alone, although I'd kinder like to get square with her for that crack on the head. I couldn't get a fine comb through my hair for 'leven weeks after I left home."

The man from Bloomingdale brightened up immediately and counted out the money, and as the other shoved it into his pocket and started for the door he remarked:

"Enoch Arden is satisfied, stranger, and he hopes you are. Goodby to you—goodby to all, and let Hanner continue to imagine that I fill an unknown grave and feel sorry to think she can't plant sunflowers above me."—Philadelphia Press.

Why the Jury Acquitted Pat.

An Irishman was arrested for stealing a piece of pork. The evidence was all against him, and everybody present expected that he would be convicted. When the jury came back the verdict was not guilty.

The judge was angry.

"You scoundrel," he said, "just as sure as I'm sitting here I know you are guilty, but I can't do otherwise than as the jury says!"

His own lawyer, who had given up the case, said to him.

"Tell me, Pat, how you got off scot free when I know you stole that pork?"

"Well, ye see, sorr," said Pat, "each man in the jury had a payce o' the porruk."—Judge's Magazine of Fun.

A Necessary Utensil.

"Jones and his wife are quarreling again."

"Oh, yes!"

"I thought they buried the hatchet?"

"Well, so they did, but the very next time Mrs. Jones had to chop the kindling she dug it up."—Puck.

Not Disinterested.

"I see that the French consider our grand jury system a great thing."

"Well, they oughter," growled Uncle Goshall Hemlock. "It gets 'em tourists enough."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Punishment.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Hanging is too good for some men!

Mr. Crimsonbeak—You're right. If they happen to be bachelors they should be compelled to get married!

Simplicity.

I am convinced, both by faith and experience, that to maintain oneself on this earth is not a hardship, but a pastime, if we will live simply and wisely, as the pursuits of the simpler nations are still the sports of the more artificial.

Didn't Drive Them Crazy.

"Know why the people revere the name of Booth?"

"Because he was a great actor, I suppose."

"No; because he wasn't a telephone booth."

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PEN, CHISEL AND BRUSH.

The late Henry Harland is said to have received $70,000 from one of his novels, but his manner of working killed him.

Carolus Duran, the famous portrait painter, is about to paint a portrait of Pope Pius X., taking his inspiration from Titian's portrait of Pope Paul II.

Professor Simon Newcomb, whose "Reminiscences of an Astronomer" was recently published, has been honored by Emperor William with the order Pour le Merite For Science and Arts.

Miss Nellie V. Walker, a Chicago sculptor, has been awarded the contract for the designing of a monument of Winfield Scott Stratton, the Colorado millionaire and Cripple Creek gold discoverer, which will be erected in the public park of Colorado Springs.

Justin Huntly McCarthy is at work upon a romance set at the end of the seventeenth century. He calls it "The Illustrious O'Hagan." He is preparing at the same time a play on the same subject. When these are finished he will return to the tale of ancient Greece which he began some time ago.

Obliged to Move.

"What, you are not going to move again?" said Mr. Jones to his brother. "I thought you liked your little flat."

"So we did when we moved in, but my wife has gained ten pounds, and we need more room."

Good nature is the very air of a good mind, the sign of a large and generous soul and the peculiar soil in which virtue prospers.—Goodman.

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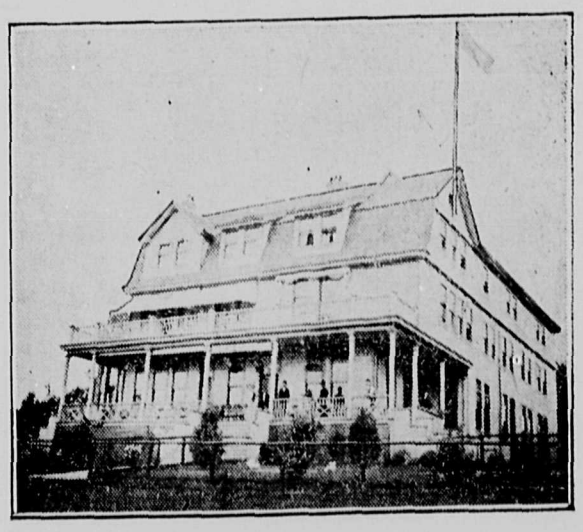

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District of North Vancouver

TOWNSITE OF CAPILANO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is my intention to apply to the Board of License Commissioners of the District of North Vancouver, at their meeting, in June next, for an hotel license for the premises, located on lot No. 12, a subdivision of district lot 673, in the registered townsite of Capilano. DICKSON W. KELLS.

District of North Vancouver

LICENSE NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO apply for a retail liquor license for an hotel premises, which I propose to erect upon lots numbers thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33), in block number one hundred and forty-one (141), district lot two hundred and seventy-four (274), on Second street, North Vancouver, British Columbia, to the Board of License Commissioners, for the Municipality of North Vancouver, at its next regular sittings, to be held on the second Wednesday in June, 1906.

Dated this 9th day of May, A. D., 1906.

LORENZA REDE, Victoria, B. C.

Per Bird, Brydone Jack & McCrossan, his solicitors, 324 Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C.

NOTICE

To Property Owners

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The Indian agent has written to R. S. Crabbe, of the Capilano shingle mill, informing him that in future the charges for using the road through the Indian reserve will be increased, probably about $50 a year. Constable Louie has had two teams hauling shingles and loading the scow. He will thus be deprived of the work, as the mill people will now ship via the ferry. The roads all through this municipality should be free to the public.

PART IV.

"WATER CLAUSES CONSOLIDATION ACT, 1897."

1. This is to certify that the Vancouver Power Company, Limited (hereinafter called the "Power Company"), specially incorporated pursuant to Part IV. of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," on the 25th day of January, 1898, for the purpose of exercising the rights, powers, privileges and priorities in and by part IV. of the said Act created, granted and conferred, has, in addition to its undertaking, approved of by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, by Certificate of Approval, dated the 14th day of February, 1902, submitted its further undertaking to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for approval, and that the said further undertaking, as shown by the documents and plans filed, has been approved, and that the same is as follows:—

The construction, equipment, operation and maintenance of an electric street railway or tramway within the City of North Vancouver and the District Municipality of North Vancouver, and District Lots 272 and 273, New Westminster District, for the conveyance of passengers and freight; the erection, construction, operation and maintenance within the said City of North Vancouver, District Municipality of North Vancouver and District Lots of electric works, power houses, generating plant and such other appliances and conveniences as are necessary to supply the said City of North Vancouver, District Municipality of North Vancouver, and District Lots with public and private lighting and heating, and power for manufacturing and industrial purposes; and in connection therewith, the construction of a transmission line from the Power Company's present transmission line where it now crosses Boundary Road in Hastings Townsite by the most feasible route to and through the said City of North Vancouver, District Municipality of North Vancouver and District Lots. Together with all such rights, powers and privileges as may be necessary to effectually carry out the terms and conditions of three several agreements made by the Corporation of the District of North Vancouver with the Vancouver Power Company, Limited, which said agreements were ratified and confirmed by the "North Vancouver City Incorporation Act, 1906."

The waters at present recorded by the Power Company from Lake Coquitlam and from Lake Buntzen will be utilised to generate the power required to operate the said further undertaking of the Power Company, and it is proposed to transmit such power through a transmission line from the Power Company's present transmission line where it now crosses Boundary Road in Hastings Townsite, and thence by the most feasible route to and through the said City of North Vancouver, District Municipality of North Vancouver and District Lots.

2. And this is further to certify that the first part or portion of the said undertaking and works to be constructed will be about five miles of street railway or tramway, commencing at the foot of Lonsdale avenue, in the said City of North Vancouver, and continuing along said avenue till Twenty-first Street, with such branch lines therefrom as shown on plan filed by the Power Company; the construction of the sub-station and transmission line to and through the said City of North Vancouver, District Municipality of North Vancouver and District Lots.

3. And this is to further certify that the Power Company shall have duly subscribed before it commences the construction of the said further undertaking and works, or exercises any of the powers in that behalf conferred by the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," Part IV., one thousand (1,000) shares of one dollar ($1.00) each. The further amount of capital required to fully complete the first part of the said further undertaking and works is to be immediately provided by the loan of one hundred and ninety-nine thousand dollars ($199,000.00), to be made by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, to be secured by mortgage bonds of the Power Company in sterling or decimal currency carrying interest, or by such other form of security as may be agreed upon between the Companies.

4. And this is further to certify that the time within which the said further capital to be subscribed, namely, one thousand dollars ($1,000), in addition to capital already subscribed, is to be subscribed, is fixed at one month from the date hereof, and the time in which the first part of the said further undertaking and works, as set forth in paragraph 2 hereof, is to be commenced shall be before the expiration of one month from the date hereof at least; and the date at which it shall be in operation is fixed at twelve months from the date hereof; and the date at which the remainder of any portion of the said further undertaking and works hereby approved may be constructed and be put in operation is fixed at the time or times, or, within the time or times fixed for the continuance of the three said several agreements as therein set forth, which said agreements were ratified and confirmed by the "North Vancouver City Incorporation Act, 1906."

Dated this 18th day of May, 1906.

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