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PROVINCIAL CASH

Finance Minister Tatlow Unexpectedly Brings Down the Budget, and Makes a Speech.

Estimates Revenues at $2,559,376.66 and Expenditures at $2,621,038.31, $61,662 Over Revenues.

In the provincial iegislature, Finance Minister Tatlow unexpectedly brought down the estimates last Tuesday, and made the budget speech. The total estimated revenue for the year is placed at $2,559,376, and expenditures $2,566,038. A reduction is provided in the salary of the provincial mineralogist of $1000, it being put al $3000 this year. Seventy thousand dollars more is to be expended on public works this year than was spent last year. The finance minister says that the deficit this year will be made by tne surplus of $27,000 of last year. In the course of his budget speech he stated that the mining industry gave a total output of $20,000,000 this year, compared $17,500,000 last year. He advocated that the payroll be exempted with transportation and treatment charges before levying a mineral tax, arguing that if this were done he would favor the tax somewhat and allowing 50 per cent off for ores smelted in the province.

From the estimates are gleaned the following figures, which will be of interest. Expenditures, apportioned as follows:

Public debt	$731,334.31
Civil governmdnt, salaries	252,660.00
Admin. of justice, salaries	114.572.00
Legislation	48,915.00
Public institutions, maintenance	152,644.00
Hospitals and charities	105,350.00
Admin. of justice, other than salaries	100,000.00
Education	422,833.00
Transport	27,000.00
Revenue service	22,000.00
Public works and buildings	89,500.00
Government house	5,100 00
Roads, streets, bridges and wharves	321,060.00
Surveys	6,000.00
Contingencies	20,000.00
Total public works	441,660.00
Miscellaneous	147,050.00

Following are the appropriations for roads, streets, bridges, etc., in Kootenay and Bounday ridings:

Cranbrook	$ 5,000
Grand Forks	5,000
Kaslo	10,000
Columbi	7,010
Fernie	6,000
Greenwood	3,000
Revelstoke	9,000
Similkameen	12,000
Slocan	8,000
Ymir	10,580

Special appriations are made for the Fisher Maiden road (half cost conditional), $1,100.

Elk river road, north of Michel	$10,000
West fork north fork of Kettle river road (refund)	1,200
Carson bridge	5,009
Goat river, Port Hill road	10,000
Flathead Valley trail	3,000

The provincial mineralogist's salary is reduced to $3,090.

The sum of $200 is provided for a resident physician at Trout Lake, and that of $800 each for resident physicians at South Okanagan, Windermere district, Camborne and Creston.

The education vote is apportioned as follows:

Education office	$ 7,840
Inspection of schools	10,180
Provincial Normal school	5,400
Education of deaf, dumb and blind	4,000

Capitation grant to city districts for six months, to December 31, 1905, $87,875.

Grant to high schools in addition to capitation grant, to December 31, 1905, $5,400.

Teachers' salaries and incidental expenses to December 31, 1905, $126,113.

Provincial grant to city and rural school districts, for six months to 30th June, 1906, $130,855.

Supplementary grant to city and rural school districts, for six months to 30th June, 1906, $20,000.

Provincial grant to assisted schools for six months, to 30th June, 1906. $25,170.

No provision is made for a court house at Nelson, nor is there a special vote for the exhibition.

THE MINING RECORDS

Following are the locations, certificates of work, bills of sale, etc., recorded in the Government office at Grand Forks, B. C., of the Grand Forks mining division, from March 24 to March 30, inclusive:

RECORD OF LOCATIONS.

Apollo, Phoenix camp, James McDonald.

Diana fraction, Phoenix camp, George Collins.

Juno, Phoenix camp, Alex Thompson.

Jupiter, Phoenix camp, John Murphy.

Mercury, Phoenix camp, Richard Dunbar.

Pluto, Phoenix camp, Julius Carson.

Venus, Phoenix camp, Michael Callaghan.

Vulcan, Phoenix camp, John Quinlan.

Copper King fraction, relocation of White Bear and Little Babe fraction, Hardy mountain, Chas. E. Anderson.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

West Fork, head of west fork of north fork of Kettle river, C. F. Diether, C. E. Hamilton and F. N. Maas; three years.

First Chance, head of west fork of north fork of Kettle river, C. F. Diether, C. E. Hamilton and F. N. Maas.

Jim Hill, head of west fork of north fork of Kettle river, C. F. Diether, C. E. Hamilton and F. N. Maas; three years.

Thunder Hill, head of west fork of north fork of Kettle river, C. F. Diether, C. E. Hamilton and F. N. Maas.

First Chance, head of west fork of north fork of Kettle river, C, F. Diether, C. E. Hamilton and F. N. Maas; two years.

Trixy, Wellington camp, Adolph Sereu.

Ottawa, Seattle camp, McGregor et al.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. in the Methodist church next Sunday. Morning subject, "Gathering and Scattering." Evening subject, "Advice for the Times."

There is man in Grand Forks whose voice resembles the ululation of a dog. It is generally supposed that his principal diet is sausage.

NEWS OF THE CITY

C. M. O'Brien Delivered a Lecture to a Large Audience in Eagles' Hall Tuesday Night.

A Resume of Happenings in the Town and District During the Past Three Days.

The lecture delivered by C. M. O'Brien, in Eagles' hall last Tuesday evening, was well attended, and the audience listened attentively to the speaker as his subject, "The Historic Mission of the Working Class," developed. He first illustrated how society had changed by an economic revolution of the workingman from chattle slavery to feudalism, and also from feudalism to indultrialism, or capitalism. At each stage an economic condition within society itself had forced the change. He showed how almost the whole world was dominated by capitalism at the present time; that the worker of today had no economic power to force a change for better conditions, and the only hope of bringing about a change would be by taking possession of the several religious and political institutions of the country. He laid special emphasis on the commodity nature of the value of labor, showing how labor was bought and sold the same as any other commodity, and how its price was regulated by supply and demand. He very cleverly demonstrated the action of surplus values, showing how every nation in the world was reaching out after new markets in which to unload their surplus goods. At no very distant date, he said, when China and Japan, with their natural resources and cheap labor, become monufacturing nations, the surplus will become so great that capitalism must smother in its own fat. He closed by urging his hearers to read and study the subject, and if they found he was right to get into line and help on the Socialist movement.

P. D. McDohnald, the electrician, left yesterday noon for Princeton. He will make the trip west of Midway on horseback. Mr. McDonald went out into the Similkameen country for the purpose of hunting up a business location.

B. Lequime, of the Kettle River Lumber company, and family returned to the city this week, after spending the winter in California. They report having had an enjoyable vacation, and are greatly benefited in health.

Grand Forks Federal Labor Union will move from its present location in the Morrison block to the Eagle's hall next Wednesday evening. After the moving and business meeting, a house-warming party will be given.

Henry White, the original locator of the Old Ironsides mine in Phoenix, arrived in the city last Tuesday afternoon from Spokane. Mr. White has spent a portion of the past winter in California, and on his return trip to his home in Spokane he stopped off for a while at Tonapah and Goldfield, Nev., and reports these camps as booming. He is still largely interested in real estate in this city.

Next Sunday services will be held in the Baptist church, as usual, both morning and evening, at 11 and 7:30 o'clock. After that, for several Sundays, Mr. McDermid may preach in the church in the morning and in the opera house in the evening. Definite notice later.

P. A. Z. Pare, of this city, started work on his 125 feet tunnel on the Sunset fraction, on Hardy mountain, this week. The tunnel will be extended about 50 feet farther.

It is stated that both day and night shifts areat present working on the Seattle mine, ten miles north of this city, recently acquired by W. T. Hunter and Horace Pemberton, of Greenwood.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will give a progressive whist party and entertainment in Eagles' hall next Thursday evening, April 6th. Besides cards, a musical program will be rendered. Supper is to be served, and an admission fee of 25 cents will be charged.

Knox church, J. R. Robertson, pastor—Usual services next Sunday. Morning subject, "The Soul's Shepherd." Evening subject, "The Work of Our Canadian Church." All wel come.

Remember the concert for Easter Monday, April 24th, in the Grand Forks opera house, under the auspieces of Knox Church Ladies' Aid society. Mrs. Dahl is training some of her most efficient pupils for a number of choice selections for the occasion.

George Lovejoy, a Spokane Elk, who sacrificed a good part of his skin for grafting upon Mrs. F. B. Sears, at St. Luke's hospital in Spokane last Saturday, is having a pretty hard time. Much of the skin from his thighs was removed to cover the burns of Mrs. Sears, and he is still in bed, with prospects of having been there nearly a week when he gets around again. Mrs. Sears' husband is an Elk. Dr. C. P. Thomas, who performed the operation, says that all the grafts applied to Mrs. Sears are doing well.

In Greenwood camp, the Bay mine has two cars of high-grade ore ready for shipment. A compressor plant is to be erected on the E. P. U. The Sally is now shipping $200 ore from a 30-inch vein.

The Skylark mine, near Phounix, has shipped 125 tons of ore worth $10,000 this month. This property was bonded for $30,000 in October last. Some of the ore goes as high as $140 per ton by the carload, while the average of all ore sent out is nearly $80 per ton.

B. M. Bainbridge, of Nelson, divisional engineer of the C.P.R., is surveying for additional track facilities for the Montreal & Boston's mine at Phoenix, which is at present shipping from 300 to 400 tons of ore daily. An 800-foot sidetrack and a 300-foot tail to the spur will be constructed immediate.

AID FOR RAILWAYS

Premier McBride States That the Government's Policy Is Now Being Consideration.

It Now Appears Certain That the Kettle Valley Line Is to Receive a Subsidy.

In the house yesterday Premier McBride expressed pleasure at the opportunity afforded him to relieve the leader of the opposition of any anxiety he might have in regard to the government's railway policy. The premier begged to assure the leader of the opposition that the question of railway aid was now receiving the earnest consideration of the government.

A private telegram was received in this city last night from Victoria stating that the government caucus had decided to grant the aid asked for for the extension of the Kettle Valley line 50 miles up the North Fork.

The Nelson Tribune of last evening reiterates that the government's railway policy will be:

1. A cash subsidy of $5000 a mile to the Columbia & Western from Midway to Spence's Bridge.

2. A guarantee of principal and interest on the construction cost of a road from Grand Forks up the North Fork of Kettle river for a distance of fifty miles, the province taking a first mortgage on the road.

3. Exemption from taxation for fifteen years on all mileage built by the Great Northern railway between Midway and the Fraser river.

If this policy is adopted by the government, a race for the coast between the C.P.R. and the Great Northern during the coming summer is one of the possibilities.

Yesterday Mr. J. H. Kennedy, chief engineer of the V., V. & E., and his entire office staff, with the exception of Mr. Overman, left the city for Princeton, in the Similkameen country, where headquarters for the engineering department of the road will be established. Mr. Overman will remain here for a short to complete some unfinished work, and then he too will move farther west, and the offices in this city will be closed. Mr. Kennedy would not admit that the removal of engineering corps to Princeton meant that actual construction work on the road west of Midway would be commenced this summer, maintaining that they went out there for the purpose of making a preliminary survey only.

The C.P.R. will construct an 8000-foot pipe line from Loon lake to Eholt, for a supply of water for its locomotives at that railway junction, an appropriation for the work having been made. This will obviate in future the necessity, as happened during the past winter, of the road hauling water from Midway and Greenwood. A survey for the pipe line is now being made by the C. P. R. divisional engineer.

The greatest feminine function during April will be the selection of an Easter bonnet.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1905.

A large cave has been discovered on the seashore on the north end of Vancouver island. Forty skeletons were found in the cave. They are supposed to be the remains of the members of a former legislature, who adjourned without bringing down a railway policy, thus being compelled to seek safety from the wrath of their constituents by taking to the woods. The gruesome find should serve as a timely warning to the present session.

In the debate now in progress at Ottawa upon the autonomy bill, Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the opposition, referred to "the opinion of the well-known and able writer, Mr. W. H. P. Clement, in the second edition of his work on the Canadian Constitution." It should be gratifying to the people of this city to have one of our citizens referred to in such flattering terms, and Mr. Clement is certainly entitled to feel proud at such enconiums from a political opponent.

SUNSET SAUNTERINGS

Manager Keffer, of the B. C. Copper company, Greenwood, accompanied by Mrs. Keffer, was a visitor in the city last Sunday.

Mr. Munro, a New York broker, and Horace Pemberton, manager of the Boundary Falls smelter, were in the city last Saturday, being gue ts of Mr. A. B. W. Hodges.

It is rumored in some quarters that the Granby company has the same option on the Montreal & Boston stock as the Guggenheimer Exploration company recently decided to let go.

A new compressor engine, double the capacity of the present one, is now being installed at the Granby smelter. This will enable the company to operote three converters at one time, instead of only two as at present.

A. L. Andrews, of Andrews & McDonald, the railway contractors, arrived in the city today from Seattle. Mr. Andrews says his firm has secured a contract od Jay P. Graves' traction road, and that he came here to ship some of the grading material south. He is decidedly of the opinion that active railway construction work will be commenced west of Midway this summer.

Inspector Clute, of the Canadian customs department, was in Phoenix this week, and attended to the details of the establishment of the sub-port of entry at that point, and the office is now definitely opened and doing business, with William Delahay as collector. By arrangement, a portion of the new Great Northern passenger station is being used as a customs house, with a bonded warehouse; also a bonded warehouse probably in the C. P. R. station. This ends the efforts made by the Phoenix board of trade during the past four years, which efforts were latterly ably seconded by Duncan Ross, M. P. for Yale-Cariboo. The business man generally think it is one of the best things that ever happened Phoenix, and are grateful to Mr. Ross for his work in the matter.

The complimentary farewell dance tendered to Oliver Galer, Mrs. W. A. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis, all of whom are shortly to leave the city, by the Yale Dancing club at the Yale hotel last night, proved a most pleasant social event. About forty couples were present, and a program consisting of twenty numbers and four extras was successfully carried out. The music was furnished by Miss Margaret Eyre. assisted by Mr. A. B. W. Hodges. An excellent supper was served in the hotel.

Four new Hodges patent charge cars have been installed at the Granby smelter, and two more are being added. In all they dispense with the labor of 80 men. It is claimed they will effect a saving of $80,000 a year. Each car is charged with both coke and ore, and runs right into the furnace and is dumped by an attendant from the outside. Three motors are used, and each motor draws two cars and attends to two furnaces. The bunkers have been so rearranged that customs ore can be added as required after sampling.

A MAN WITH A MEMORY.

The Way He Saved an Accused Friend From the Gallows.

A man was charged at Sydney with murder and by way of defense called evidence to prove an alibi. At the time the crime was committed he was, he said, in his own home listening to a friend who was reciting a novel to him. The expression caught the ear of the prosecuting counsel, and when a witness went into the box to say that he was the man by whom the prisoner was being entertained he tackled him on this word. The witness repeated that he was "reciting" Horace Walpole's "Old English Baron," not reading it, but reciting from memory, and it had taken him two and a half hours to get through the whole book. Well, if he could remember it while in a hut in the bush he ought to be able to remember it now in court, and counsel demanded a demonstration.

"Give us a page or two," he said, never dreaming that his request would be complied with. The witness cleared his throat and without hesitation commenced, "In the time of King Henry, when the good Duke Humphrey returned from the wars in the Holy Land, where he had been sojourning for a number of years," and so on, without hesitation, for several pages, all letter perfect so far as those in court could tell. Counsel for the prosecution, quite staggered by the display, confessed himself satisfied. But the witness was not, and the prisoner's counsel, piqued that doubt should be cast upon his phenomenal witness, asked that the latter might be given time to recite the whole novel and his time in doing it compared with the two and a half hours alleged to have been occupied on the night of the murder. "Good heavens!" said the judge. "But do you expect me to take it all down?" They compromised, the man with the memory reciting the closing scenes of the novel. And on this the man in the dock was liberated.—St. James Gazette.

GARDENER ANTS.

The Skill They Show In Their Method of Growing Mushrooms.

The little busy bee has had a less conspicuous place in our hall of fame for insects since we have come to know more of the sterling qualities and great intelligence which are attributes of the ants. Professor J. R. Ainsworth Davis gives proofs of their right to our applause. He says: "In tropical America the traveler in their native region often sees thousands of ants marching in column of route, each holding in its powerful jaws a piece of green leaf about the size of a sixpence. These they take to their nests. The material is used as an elaborate sort of mushroom culture, requiring much more skill and intelligence than that in which human beings engage. The mushroom grower sets spawn in the beds he prepares, but the ant does not need to do this. The desired spawn soon makes its appearance in the chewed leaf. But in its natural state it is inedible and must undergo careful treatment before it yields the mushroom which the ant desires. The necessary work is done by a special caste of gardener ants. These weed out obnoxious germs, etc., and, pruning off the tips of the threads, prevents them from growing into the air and producing useless toadstools. As a result of this the threads swell into innumerable little rounded white thickenings, each of which is about one-fiftieth of an inch across. It is these which are the mushrooms. These curious bodies constitute the sole food of the ant—or, at any rate, the chief food."

The Birds In the Picture.

George Chambers, an artist, was once commissioned by King William IV. of England to paint a picture of the attack on a fortress on the Spanish coast by a frigate commanded by his majesty, who was then the Duke of Clarence. The attack took place at night. Chambers completed a beautiful picture from some rough sketches that were in the king's possession, and when submitted for approval his majesty was delighted with it, but Chambers had taken an artist's liberty with the picture and for the purpose of relieving the somber veil of night had introduced some sea gulls skimming the waves. "Hello, hello, Chambers!" said his majesty. "This will never do to have the birds flying about at night. They were all gone to roost." "So they were, your majesty," replied Chambers, "but you gave such a rousing broadside with your guns that they all woke up and flew about." "Ah, so I did; so I did, Chambers. I forgot that. Very good, very good!"

Relics of Gold Hunters.

While plowing in his field near Eufaula recently Mr. Charles Gibson uncovered a large number of weapons, some of which were rifles of an old style, some blunderbusses, a few old time pistols and a couple of swords. All these weapons are in a fair state of preservation and are apparently of Spanish make.

According to Creek tradition, a party of adventurous Spaniards, numbering fifty-four, in the year 1664 left New Orleans on burros and went to the territory in search of gold. They secured all the precious metal they could carry, and on their way back they were beset by a band of Shawnees near Standing Rock, eight miles east of Eufaula, and a great battle followed.

The Spaniards, with the exception of two who escaped on a raft, were annihilated.

It is supposed that the weapons plowed up on Mr. Gibson's place are the ones that were used by the Spaniards mentioned above.—Kansas City Journal.

Lord Selborne.

William Waldegrave Palmer, Earl of Selborne, says M. A. P., has been described as "so zealous and industrious that he has been known to spend a bank holiday in the empty Admiralty." What he has done as politician, First Lord of the Admiralty, and in other great offices, everybody knows. His private tastes and hobbies are thoroughly English and ordinary. He has a beautiful house in Mount street. He hunts, plays tennis, and is a devoted angler, being very deadly, they say, with the "dry fly." Lord Selborne was a footballer in his schooldays at Winchester, and played cricket for his college eleven at Oxford.

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MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENST

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Centre Star	25	22
Denoro Mines	22	20
Fairview	3	2½
Fisher Maiden	3	2
Giant	2	.....
Granby Consolidated	$6.12½	$6.12¼
Morning Glory	1½	1⅜
Mountain Lion	2½	1½
Porth Star (E, K.)	5	3¼
Payne	10	8½
Quilp	15	10
Rambler-Cariboo	22½	20
San Poil	2¾	2
Sullivan	5½	5
Tom Thumb	2	1½
War Eagle Con	11	10
Waterloo (assess. pd)	1½	1
White Bear " "	4½	3

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A fee of $10 is charged for a homestead entry.

A settler who has received an entry for a homestead, is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:—

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land to each year during the term of three years.

It is the practice of the Department to require a settler to bring 15 acres under cultivation, but if he prefers he may substitute stock; and 20 head of cattle, to be actually his own property, with buildings for their accommodation, will be accepted instead of the cultivation.

(2) If father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of the Act, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such persons as a homestead, the requirements of the Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of the Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Application for a patent should be made at the end of three years before the local agent, sub-agent or a homestead inspector.

Before making an application for a patent, the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

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The following table gives the ore shipments of Boundary mines for 1900, 1901, 1903, 1903, 1904, 1905, and for the past week:

	1900	*1901.*	*1902.*	*1903*	*1904*	*1905*	*Past Week*
Granby Mines, Phoenix	64,533	231,762	309,858	393,181	549,703	123,055	13,650
Snowshoe, Phoenix	297	1,721	20,800	74,212	.....	.....	.....
Mother Lode, Deadwood	5,340	99,034	141,326	138,079	174,298	35,452	3,456
Brooklyn-Stemwinder, Phoenix	.....	150	.....	.....	25,050	20,977	2,341
Rawhide, Phoenix	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,070	16,343	2,602
Sunset, Deadwood	.....	804	7,455	15,731	3,250	855	.....
Mountain Rose, Summit	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,759	1.938	201
Athelstan-Jackpot, Wellington	1,200	550	.....	5,646	4,586	.....	.....
Brooklyn-Stemwinder dump, Phoenix	.....	150	.....	.....	5,000	330	.....
Morrison, Deadwood	.....	150	.....	3,339	.....	.....	.....
B. C. Mine, Summit	19,494	47,405	14,811	19,365	.....	.....	.....
R. Bell, Summit	.....	.....	560	.....	.....	.....	.....
Emma, Summit	.....	650	8,530	22,937	37,960	3,761	266
Oro Denoro, Summit Camp	.....	.....	.....	15,537	16,400	805	100
Senator, Summit Camp	.....	.....	.....	363	3,450	1,833	.....
Brey Fogle, Summit Camp	.....	.....	.....	.....	222	.....	.....
No. 37, Summit Camp	.....	.....	.....	.....	361	.....	.....
Reliance, Summit	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	.....	.....
Winnipeg, Wellington	1,070	1,040	785	2,435	.....	.....	.....
Golden Crown, Wellington	2,250	.....	625	.....	.....	.....	.....
King Solomon W. Copper	.....	875	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
No. 7 Mine, Central	.....	665	482	.....	.....	.....	.....
City of Paris, Central	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jewel, Long Lake	160	350	2,175	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carmi, West Fork	.....	890	.....	.....	.....	30	.....
Providence, Greenwood	.....	.....	219	993	726	130	.....
Elkhorn, Greenwood	.....	.....	.....	400	325	110	.....
Skylark, Skylark Camp	.....	.....	.....	.....	52	178	45
Last Chance, Skylark Camp	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	153	.....
E. P. U. Mine, Skylark Camp	.....	.....	.....	167	300	105	.....
Ruby, Boundary Falls	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	33	.....
Miscellaneous	3,230	3,456	325	500	750	40	.....
Total, tons	99,730	390,000	507,545	684,961	827,348	205,108	22,061
Granby Smelter treated	62,387	230,828	312,340	401,921	596,252	129,889	13,875
B. C. Copper Co.'s Smelter treated	.....	117,611	148,600	162,913	209,637	44,662	4,370
Montreal & Boston Co.'s Smelter treated	.....	.....	.....	123,570	30,930	42,02[illegible]	4,476

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Couldn't Find It.

A young man having evolved what he considered a good joke forwarded it to a comic paper, but received no answer. Desirous of ascertaining the fate of his contribution he sent the editor the following letter:

Sir—I have carefully read your paper for the last month, but fail to find any trace of the joke I sent you on the 5th ult.

In due course he received this reply:

Sir—In reply to your letter, I deeply sympathize with you, for, since I received your MS. on the 5th ult. I have carefully read it several times, but up to date I, too, have failed to find any trace of the joke referred to.

Beecher and the Medium.

While in England Henry Ward Beecher was entertained by a gentleman who believed in spiritualism and was himself a medium. One day he asked if Beecher would like to talk with the spirit of his father, Dr. Lyman Beecher. Mr. Beecher replied that it would please him immensely. After the seance was over he was asked how it had impressed him, at which, with a twinkle in his eye, Beecher responded, "All I have to say is that if I deteriorate as fast for the first ten years after I am dead as my father has I shall be a stark naked fool."

Lost His Dignity.

An Englishman who holds a colonial governorship or similar office loses the prestige that attaches to that office as soon as he arrives in England. In this connection a story is told of the Duchess of Devonshire and Lord Crewe, then lieutenant governor of Ireland. They were on the same boat going from Ireland to England, and on the voyage she showed him all the deference due his rank. But she loved a joke too dearly to miss the opportunity the landing offered. As they were descending the gang plank she suddenly exclaimed in a peremptory tone, as though addressing a boy of no importance, "Now, Bobbie, just take hold of this bag and run on ahead like a good boy and see that I have a compartment reserved for me." And Bobbie did.

Blue Murder!

In the "Slang Dictionary" (J. C. Hotten, 1864) "blue murder" is defined as a "desperate or alarming cry—French, mortbleu." In "The Bagman's Dog," in the "Ingoldsby Legends," Barham writes:

His ear caught the sound of the word "morbleu!"
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