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**1877-1977**

Now and then a printing job had a page or two of "chicken" paper which required a special kind of printers' ink which smelled very bad some days. I always dreaded it when "that" would be that job on the largest press. In spite of the fact that we always opened an outside door to lessen the odors on the main plant.

One of the jobs I had to do, besides painting and  
grouting the floor, was to... I finished one  
and then... One day not long after I started to get to  
the grouting plant. I decided to climb the floor that  
apparently hadn't been checked or even con-  
sidered.

"J.J." came along and said, "how are you making out Vince?" I assured him that I thought I was beginning to see the floor. "J.J." laughed very heartily. He thought the remark pretty good and whole.

Sometimes the gasoline engine, a piece of machinery would refuse to work, and the "fix-it" man had patiently worked for a certain length of time to get it going again, without results. Max would then stand back and come over dramatically then he would immediately start working. "See," he would say, "all it needed was a bit of fixing."

On other occasions when some people would say, "let it be," and seemed to be brokenhearted, I would say, "use a little oil" and vice versa, after that is said. They often since have I heard of the value of that remark and the actual need of oil in many life situations, applied at the right time, right place and in the right way.

place and, in the right way.

Other things that sort of stick in my memory and come to mind now and then are, like the time I built "Mac" of four teenage boys who in the spring season of 1918 got together just before dark one evening and decided to mutilate the newly built outdoor Fair Hotel swimming pool which had just been filled with water. Clothes were taken off near the road just out of the pool, nobody else seemed to be around except the four boys, no thought or time for bathing suits, so in the pool they went. They stood on the edge of the pool and looked at the chilly water, one soon jumped in. The rest quickly followed and across the pool they swam. "Mac" listened to the story and hardly said anything, but the next "Digby Courier" had a good story on the episode. The heading of the story went something like, "Four Boy Swims Officially Open Pines Hotel Swimming Pool." Who were the four? Many years later they are known as: the late Dr. Carl H. Anderson, veteran of two wars, second world war and Korean, was awarded the Victoria Cross; Sidney L. Smith, now prominent druggist, for many years in Digby; Clayton D. Snow, Digby wholesale apothecary, and myself.

As a young teenager I used to like doing some writing about different events interesting to myself, and mostly for myself. One day "Mac" said to me how about writing your version of the story told about "The Marooning of Jerome". I did it and read at least two somewhat different versions about the man who was found marooned on a beach in some point on the French Shore of St. Mary's Bay, Duffy County. When found this man's torso had been cut out and his legs quite freshly amputated, were surgically well dressed and bound. He was presumably left by some vessel before dawn one morning, all for some mysterious reason.

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Study in the early days. Gain on picture 170A.

Consult by David Sanford

The Town Plot is situated at the east of the township just within the entrance to Annapolis Basin, and extends miles from Annapolis Town, and six miles across land from the head of W. Mary's Bay. This land not only has water's edge, partly on level ground, and partly on the declivity of a modern hill, dry and pleasant, and having on an eastern aspect a view of the Annapolis Basin and its cultivated shores for twenty miles in extent, it terminates with the Fort and River's mouth at that name. It was secured by Loyalists from New York in 1782, the point of which went early to Britain, or, moving to other countries, left the shore

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## 1800's

- (1810) the first elections were held in the County.
- (1837) the County of Annapolis was divided to include the County of Digby.
- Old Post Road and rural school system improved.
- Weymouth Trading Post established.
- Ship Building is a major industry in the area.
- (1879) the District of Digby was incorporated.
- (1891) the railway (the missing link) between Annapolis and Digby was completed.
- Joshua Slocum sails around the world alone.
- Temperance Movement.
- Summer Tourism Industry develops.
- I.M. Singer invents the sewing machine.
- (1867) Canadian Confederation
- Klondike Gold Rush
- The Supreme Court of Canada is established
- Florence Nightingale takes London nurses to the battlefields of the Crimean War

## 1900's

- Poor Farm in operation
- Isaiah Wilson's Geography and History of the County of Digby Published.
- Prime Minister Sir Wilfred Laurier visits Digby.
- Marconi transmits wireless message across the Atlantic
- Queen Victoria dies
- The Boxer Rebellion breaks out in China.
- The Boer War in Southern Africa ends

## 1910's

- (1912) last race of the Brattain Cup in the Annapolis Basin.
- First motorized vehicle in the area.
- Communities collect clothes and money for the war effort.
- Spanish Flu kills many in the area.
- First Calgary Stampede
- Women in Canada get the vote
- Halifax explosion
- World War I
- The Titanic Disaster
- Norwegian Roald Amundsen becomes the first to reach the South Pole.

## 1920's

- Motorized vehicles becoming more common.
- Last wooden ship built in Bear River.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Canadian Schooner "Bluenose" wins the International Fisherman's Trophy
- Agatha Christie launches her career as a mystery writer.
- George Carnarvon and Howard Carter unearth King Tutankhamen's tomb

## 1930's

- Economic Depression.
- Rural electric lines being installed.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Highway paving projects underway.
- First crossing of the Princess Helene Ferry.
- Rum running along the coast.
- Rum running in its heyday
- Dionne quintts born in Ontario
- Movie "King Kong" released starring Canadian Fay Wray
- World War II begins

## 1940's

- Digby home to WWII submarine base.
- CFB Cornwallis largest training base in the Commonwealth.
- Scallop Industry expands.
- Hog farming expands.
- Population decline in rural communities.
- Newfoundland enters confederation
- UN Formed
- U.S. planes drop atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki
- Orson Welles' film, Citizen Kane, premieres

## 1950's

- Bus service along the Digby Neck.
- Population in villages continue to decline.
- NORAD formed with USA
- National Ballet of Canada founded
- Bear River Power Plant built
- Korean War
- Smoking linked to lung cancer
- Sputnik launched
- Castro takes over power in Cuba
- Elizabeth II coronation - Queen of England

## 1960's

- Sissiboo Power Plant built.
- Kejimikujik Park established.
- Conners Brothers Fish Cannery Plant closes in Freeport.
- Fish Meal Plant opens in Mink Cove.
- Weymouth Industries closure.
- Bear River Village Fire.
- Canada celebrates 100th birthday
- Pierre Trudeau sworn in as Prime Minister
- Bay of Pigs invasion
- Thalidomide deformities revealed
- Cuban Missile Crisis
- John F. Kennedy assassinated
- Demonstrations against Vietnam War

## 1970's

- Evangeline Mall built.
- New CN Ferry Terminal built.
- Ground Hog Day Storm.
- Municipal Airport opens.
- Hwy 101 completed to Digby.
- First Computer used.
- Jones Bottling Plant burns in Weymouth
- War Measures Act invoked
- Pierre Laporte murdered
- Canada-Soviet Summit Series in hockey begins
- Quebec language legislation (Bill 101) passes
- Munich massacre at the Olympics
- Rock stars Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin die.
- At Kent State University in Ohio, protesting students are killed by National Guardsmen

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One flock was seen.  
The daily have been up and down, but there are still 444 living grackles in London.  
Fifty thousand bags of bones have arrived at New York from Mediterranean ports during the last two months.  
Spain is to have an International Exhibition in 1888. It is to be held in Barcelona, and is to be open from April to September.  
Over \$50,000 worth of potatoes were shipped from Halifax to the United States during the last quarter of 1887.  
Jimmy Lind Goodenight left \$5,000 which goes to the maintenance of Uppsala and Lund, in Sweden, to aid poor students.

The Prince of Wales frequently visits the hospitals in London and entertains the inmates with music and the remnants of his presence.

A Nebraska sheriff who went out to stop a prize fight became so incensed that he bet \$10 on the result of the contest and waived his right over the finish.

At the great hall recently given by President Garret drummers were on duty near the ballroom doors to mend skirts that had been torn in the crash.

The direct expenses of clearing the snow on the International in winter was \$22,000, over double the amount paid for the heating.

A van containing oil paintings valued at \$150,000, was lately buried on the Edgware Road in London. One of the pictures, owned by a nobleman, was worth \$50,000. How the loss occurred is a mystery.

Tellamont county, Ga., where there is an old tradition as to how the figure 1888. The ignorant people thereabout regard it as a sign of the end of the world coming this year.

A farther lot Anconick was Ya, a few days ago, while digging a post hole, came upon a post hole.

Among the gifts to the Prince Wales for his silver wedding, we hear of games containing gold and silver, the sports mingled with chess, stone, playing cards and

The Canadian government has agreed under consideration a loan to subsidize aluminum lines carry on direct trade with the U.S. and South America.

which had before making her way through the press of one of the great dailies, so that her name was the news of the day. She was the prize for the most original letter.

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**THE OXFORD COUGH SYRUP**  
All who have used it say that it has no  
equal for the cure of Coughs, Colds,  
Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, or any Lung  
Affection. We advise the afflicted to give  
it a fair trial. Don't neglect your Cough.  
Ask your druggist for it.

**Buy your Blanks at the**  
**Courier Office.** If we have not in  
stock what you require, we will furnish  
in a few hours.  
Orders by mail promptly attended to.  
Satisfaction guaranteed.  
**C. E. FARNHAM.**

**WINTER FERRY.**  
The sch. "MAGID," Capt.  
Thos. Pack, will com-  
mence regular Weekly Trips  
between  
**Westport and Hetegehan,**  
or Hetegehan River.

**Children Oryfor**  
**Pinkett's Castor.**

**POETRY.**  
**THE PRESENT DAYS AND DAYS.**  
This past is dead and buried, and I have  
looked the day  
That the sun and moon, to gaze  
Upon the earth, in memory's faithful  
light.

**SELECT TALE.**  
**A CYCLONE AT SEA.**  
Terrible Fight with a Man-of-war  
on an Abandoned Hulk.

A more singular incident than  
one which occurred while I was one  
of the crew of the ship "Stranger" is  
not to be found in the records of the  
past. We were at Liverpool for the  
Cape and ports beyond, on the  
2nd of April. Our last port  
of call was Zanzibar. Before leav-  
ing the docks at Liverpool two or  
three of us took down the flag  
hanging on the wall of our boudoir  
and placed it on the ground.

**EXECUTORS' NOTICE.**  
ALL PERSONS HAVING LEGAL  
Claims against the Estate of  
James Macdonald, late of Sandy  
Cove, in the County of Digby, Merchant,  
deceased, are requested to send in  
their claims, under oath, to the  
undersigned, within twelve months  
from the date hereof, and all persons  
interested in the said Estate, are requested  
to make immediate payment to  
the undersigned.

**HEARSE FOR SALE!**  
The Subscriber has just com-  
pleted, and has for Sale, a  
**Fine New Hearse.**  
Of the most modern design.  
It is thoroughly built of the best mate-  
rial, and is strong, light and durable, as  
well as highly finished.  
Will sell at a great bargain if applied  
for within three months.  
**JOHN G. RICE.**  
Digby, Nov. 17th, 1887.

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Brick, Stone and Plastering  
CONTRACTOR.  
Marshalltown, Digby Co., N. S.

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Also, Linoleum, and Oil Floor Cloths. All direct from England, 1888 particulars in Circular Hand-bill next week.

We claim to show by far the largest assortment of Carpets in the Western Counties (outside of Yarmouth). The price will speak for themselves. A whole shop devoted to Carpets.

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Advice—We would advise the people of Digby County, before buying Clothing, to look at Letteney's immense stock of

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**NOTICE**

NORRIS & Sondergren, 608 Fifth St.,  
and Leonard and Hattie, do, hereby  
the U. S. Court, District of Wisconsin,  
and will be shown the 2nd day of May  
next, shall be placed in and liable of  
holding as guardian-in-trust.

Witness my hands at South of Madison of  
E. W. Madison, District Judge.

C. P. CURTIS.  
*(Signature)*, April 24, 1904. Seal.

**C. P. CURTIS & CO.,**  
**General Commission Merchants,**  
104 CHATHAM SQUARE, ST. LOUIS.

**BOSTON, MASS.**

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Fish, Fisheries, Apples, Eggs, Fowl,  
Fruit, Fishes and Trusses, and Agents of all  
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wholesale or retail, market supplied, quick  
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brought to this institution and put under my charge, the statement be- "Could it be possible that, in the person now before me, known to a

"His peculiar aberration was to the effect that he was an English baronet of great note, and had been brought to this institution and put under my charge, the statement being that on one subject, at least, his mind was unsound.

"Could it be possible that, in the person now before me, known to me as present as Robert DuBarry, I beheld my former patient, Henry Eckerly?"

"The start which he gave on seeing me, also confirmed me in the belief that I was right."

"For these vagaries and misdeeds, do not to call them worse crimes, but to call them worse crimes, he had been tried by

"After being under my charge for more than a year, he seemed to have entirely recovered his reason, and was permitted by an order of court to be set at liberty.

"For two or three years subsequently I heard nothing concerning him; and he himself, as with thousands of others, might have finally

as you will answer it the dread day of Judgement, when the secrets of our sin shall be exposed to all eyes. I am almost persuaded that if either of us know and are ignorant why we may not be lawfully joined together in matrimony ye do now confess it."

"Hold, I now suddenly exclaimed. I forbid the rite!"

"The words came forth at the solemn time, and in that solemn place, with terrible effect."

"Everybody started and grew

"I put up at the only inn in the place, where my business detained me for several days.

"I had a letter of introduction to gentlemen whom I will call by the name of Maxwell; and soon after presenting it, I became on terms of so much intimacy with him, that

"I suddenly grew pale, and every eye of the whole assembly was turned sharply inquiringly, and almost wildly upon me.

"This is a gross deception!" proceeded: "This man is not named Egbert Du Barry, but Henry Eckels, the well known lunatic, who some years ago, was a patient in an insane asylum, sent thither by order of the court, instead of to a common prison for criminal acts, similar to what he has recently been committing."

being connected with his family. Among others he stated that, though he could not see the world's goods he believed himself to be on the point of becoming immensely wealthy.

"An English ancestor of his, one Conrad Maxwell, had died some fifty years ago, leaving a large estate worth something like a million of pounds sterling; and as the estate had descended directly to a son, who had recently died without issue, he

cloudless sky—the tomb-bursting in an unprepared assembly, an earthquake shaking an unwarned village—these you can have some idea of the wild transportation which my language produced.

"The bride shrieked and fainted; the groom sprang from her side and grappled at my throat, and there were loud cries and confusion as if all Bedlam had been let loose.

"But the end was gained, the marriage was plighted, the family was saved

"A celebrated English lawyer, who had been employed, to discover the heirs-at-law, had traced the matter directly to himself, and had come over here with letters of recommendation from some of the English nobility.

"This professional gentleman, whose name was Egbert Du Barry, had not only made his acquaintance here, but had rendered much assistance to him, by his legal and fascinating to his only daughter, that she had become deeply attached to him."

"And this reminds me, by the way," concluded Mr. Maxwell, "that I have a wedding invitation for you—self, doctor—excuse me for not sending it in the regular way—but my wife and self thought I had better ask you personally if you could honor us with your com-

"Really," I answered, "you are very kind and very flattering, but I am afraid I shall be debarred, but the pleasure of being present, as I expect to leave town soon—within a week at the farthest."

"And it is only a week from this day," said Mr. Maxwell, pointing to the card. "Pray do remain over and be present if you possibly can."

I considered the matter seriously for a few moments, and then told him I would do myself the honor of

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The Southern division of 907

"Strange things happen sometimes, in which we have prepared ourselves to be actors without any provision on our part. There seems in many cases to be a fate that goes before and prepares the way for a strange denouement.

"I found that this newly discovered good fortune of the Maxwells, and this wedding of the daughter to the distinguished English lawyer, who had come to apprise them of their vast hereditary estate, had miles comprises the Niagara and Windsor; Port Eric and Glencoe, Toronto and Hamilton; Sarnia and Branch; Petrolia Branch; London and Port Stanley Branch; Buffalo and Godewick; Georgian Bay and Lake Erie; Brantford and Tilsonburg; Welland and Allanburg Branch.

The North Shore railway was bought by the company from the Seneca syndicate in 1883, but from political considerations it was transferred to the Government in 1885.

The lines now in progress are: A line from Fort Covington to Massena Springs, 23 miles, wholly in New York State. This line will connect with the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Railway, giving through communication to the West. About eighteen miles are now laid with steel, and the whole will shortly be completed. Another line is being constructed by Mr. James Wright, the contractor, from Beulahamond Junction to Valleyfield, to be opened in the spring. It is intended

While riding out, had so delayed me that when I reached the crowded mansion the ceremony had already begun.

"As I entered the room and pushed my way forward, so as to get a close view of the happy pair, who were already standing up before the Episcopal clergyman, who had been brought from a neighboring city to read the solemn service, the latter was in the act of saying:

"Into this holy estate these two persons present come now to be

joined. If any man can show just cause why they may not lawfully be joined together, let him now speak, or else hereafter forever hold his peace."

"The minister had just reached this point, and had come to a slight pause, when, perhaps by some peculiar magnetic force, the bridegroom, whose features from the first glance seemed to be familiar to me looked up and fixed his eyes upon mine.

"I instantly started, and a strange

my own case, with a badly ulcerated throat, after a physician-pencilling it for several days to no effect, the Electric Oil cured it thoroughly in twenty-four hours, and in threatened croup in my children this winter, it never failed to relieve almost immediately.













SESSIONAL NOTES.

(From Our Ottawa Correspondent.)  
OTTAWA, May 15.—The way the Commons is rushing business now makes it look as if prorogation would be reached at the end of the week. For the first time they sat on Saturday from 1 to 6. The committee are about all through except the frauds on farmers committee. The evidence before it should be published in pamphlet form and distributed broadcast among the farmers. It makes one wonder how farmers shrewd enough in other matters allow themselves to be gulled by almost every jack or seed wheat swindler who has a plausible scheme. Why, one Wentworth farmer paid \$15 a bushel for wheat the swindler bought at eighty cents. They invariably take notes but the farmer should remember that notes mature and generally find their way into the hands of note shavers who take care to get their pound of flesh.

THE COMBINES COMMITTEE.

The report of this committee will be presented to the House in a few days. There has been a stack of evidence taken of a most interesting and instructive nature. The chairman told me yesterday that he thought the combines in cotton "about the worst thing we struck" as he put it. They have it in their power to exclude competition just wherever they choose. Their prices are most exorbitant. For a bass-wood coffin covered with broadcloth they charge \$200, to the rich relatives. They take charge of a funeral and for everything charge \$500. I think the least injurious combine is the fire insurance association as there are very small profits made. It is essential to the trade of the country that insurance rates should be on a sound basis. The total premiums from 1893 to 1898 were \$63,732,000 and the losses paid were \$25,250,000 or 44 per cent. If you add 25 per cent for working expenses you will see that the margin for profit is small. As a matter of fact many companies close their year with a loss.

IMMIGRATION TO CANADA.

The colonization committee has had Mr. Lowe the head of that branch, immigration, before them and he declared that only seven per cent of our immigrants were of a bad and useless class. As noted last week complaint of the character of our juvenile immigrants was made and a cable despatch informs us that the new local government bill of England empowers county councils to appropriate funds for the exportation of pauper children and also pauper adults. It behoves the government of Canada therefore to prescribe such regulations as will keep all steamship companies bringing over these degraded paupers to take them back to the country of their origin.

SUBMARINE EXPLOSIONS.

Before the Senate committee which is now investigating the deposits of sawdust from the lumber mills into the Ottawa river the superintendent of government dredging made the startling statement that from the gas generated under the river in this sawdust an explosion may occur and wreck excursion or other boats that may be in the vicinity. That this is no mere theory is shown by the fact that a few years ago such an explosion did occur opposite Hull in winter and broke up the solid ice for an acre around. Then this beautiful river celebrated in verse by the poet Moore is disgraced by the sawdust nuisance and made dangerous to navigate. The committee is rendering great service in taking the matter up.

ANOTHER CASE OF CONTENT.

When Mr. Ellis the member for St. John, N. B., and editor of the St. John Globe returns home he is under bond to appear before the Supreme Court of New Brunswick for sentence for contempt of that court, and he is in danger of being sent to keep Mr. Hawke company in Fredericton goal. Mr. Ellis is not a very old man but he has silvery hair and long beard to match which gives him a rather venerable appearance. He is a keen eyed, vigilant listener in debate and a concise and pointed speaker. When the county judge ordered Returning Officer Dunn to appear before him for a recount of the ballots cast in the Queen's election Judge Tuck of the Supreme Court issued an injunction restraining the county judge from proceeding with the recount. Mr. Ellis said in his paper that when everything else failed, Judge Tuck was called in, or something to that effect and it was for this he had been guilty of contempt. He appealed to the May term of the Supreme Court of Canada which however was not held.

AT BARNESVILLE.

A many gabled grey stone house standing alone on a cliff overlooking the Ottawa river has opened its hospitable doors every Saturday evening during the session to many members of the House. This is Barnesville the residence of Sir John MacDonald. Lady MacDonald's Saturday receptions are among the most popular of the session. The Premier is seldom in attendance though occasionally he drops in and participates in the edibles and gossip of the five o'clock tea. The viceregal lady of Rideau Hall is sometimes another personality, sometimes another and her influence is transient and limited. It is the mistress of Barnesville who is the social autocrat of fashionable society at the Capital, whose steady permanent influence has given to her will in the drawing room the same force of absolute law as possessed by her lord in the Council Chamber.

MEASURES YET UNCONSIDERED.

Before the House prorogues the following matters have to be disposed of: amendment to the Franchise Act giving Prince Edward Island manhood suffrage, the overloading of ships bill, acceptance of the Berno copyright treaty, rearrangement of judicial salaries, the Northwest bill and the matter of the boundaries of Ontario.

GALLERY GOSSIP.

Cardwell has selected Mr. Robert Evans to send to the House in place of the late Thos. White. In the convention he got 74 votes and

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young "Bob" White of Montreal 51. The last Conservative majority was 400.

The Quebec Legislature opens today. Mr. Mercier has a decided majority in both Houses.

Senator McInnes will move to deprive civil servants of the right to vote or canvass in elections. Mr. McDonald of Toronto is here. He will accompany Hon. O. Mowat to England in the case before the Privy Council as to the timber and minerals in the once disputed territory. The Attorney General sails on the 23rd in the same vessel with the Governor General and the Bishop of Ontario.

A SMALL BEGINNING.

The Young Man Who Wasn't Particular About Wages.

Last year a bright-looking young man entered a counting room in response to an advertisement for an assistant shipping clerk. He told the usual tale of how he desired a position more than wages for the time being, and was willing to accept a nominal salary to start on. The old man was feeling in particular good humor that afternoon, and said pleasantly to the new comer:

"Well, sir, what would you consider a nominal salary? What would you be willing to accept in beginning?"

The young man picked at the lining of his hat with his fingers, and deferentially replied:

"I want to show you sir, that I mean business, and I will work for one cent the remainder of this month providing you think it would not be too much to double my salary each month thereafter."

"That's a novel proposition surely," said the old man with a smile. "Do you know what you are talking about, my dear boy?"

"Well, sir, my principal aim is to learn the business," responded the young fellow, "and I would be almost willing to work for nothing, but I'd like to feel and be able to say that I was earning something, you know."

"I'll take you," remarked the old man. "One cent, two cents, four cents, eight cents, sixteen cents," he enumerated; "you will not get much for a while," he added.

He took him up to the cashier. "This is John Smith," he said. "He will go to work as assistant shipping clerk to-morrow. His salary will be one cent this month. Double it every month from now on."

"In consideration of my working for this small salary might I ask you to assure me a position for a definite period?" inquired John Smith.

"We don't usually do that," replied the governor; "but we can't lose much on you anyhow, I guess, and you look like an honest fellow. How long do you want employment?"

"Three years, sir, if agreeable to you."

"Well, the old man agreed, and young Mr. Smith, on pretence of wanting some evidence of stability of his place, got the governor to write out and sign a paper, that he had been guaranteed a position in the house for three years on the terms I have stated.

He worked along for six months without drawing a cent. He said he would draw all his earnings at Christmas. The cashier thought he'd figure up how much would be coming to the young man. He grew so interested in the project that he kept multiplying for the three years. The result almost staggered him. This is the column of figures he took to the old man: First month 1c; 2c; 3c; 4c; 8c; 16c; 32c; 64c; 128c; 256c; 512c; 1024c; 2048c; 4096c; 8192c; 16384c; 32768c; 65536c; 131072c; 262144c; 524288c; 1048576c; 2097152c; 4194304c; 8388608c; 16777216c; 33554432c; 67108864c; 134217728c; 268435456c; 536870912c; 1073741824c; 2147483648c; 4294967296c; 8589934592c; 17179869184c; 34359738368c; 68719476736c; 137438953472c; 274877906944c; 549755813888c; 1099511627776c; 2199023255552c; 4398046511104c; 8796093022208c; 17592186044416c; 35184372088832c; 70368744177664c; 140737488355328c; 281474976710656c; 562949953421312c; 1125899906842624c; 2251799813685248c; 4503599627370496c; 9007199254740992c; 18014398509481984c; 36028797018963968c; 72057594037927936c; 144115188075855872c; 288230376151711744c; 576460752303423488c; 1152921504606846976c; 2305843009213693952c; 4611686018427387904c; 9223372036854775808c; 18446744073709551616c; 36893488147419103232c; 73786976294838206464c; 147573952589676412928c; 295147905179352825856c; 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Or the hunting ghosts to-night.

Those you might have lifted  
Out of a brother's way,  
The bit of heartsome counsel,  
You are hurried too much to say,  
The loving touch of the hand, dear,  
The gentle and winsome tone,  
That you had no time nor thought for,  
Are the things of you.

The facts of kindness,  
So easy out of mind,  
These chances to be angels,  
Which even mortals find—  
They come in night and silence,  
Each chill, reproachful wraith,  
When hope is faint and flagging,  
And a blight has dropped on faith.

For life is all too short, dear,  
And sorrow is all too great,  
To suffer our slow compassion  
That tarries until too late.  
And it is not the thing you do, dear,  
Nor the thing you leave undone,  
Which gives you the bitter heartache  
At the setting of the sun.

#### SELECT TALE.

#### HER OPPORTUNITY.

BY HELEN T. CLARK.

Dr. Mary shook the snow from her black Astrachan cap, unfastened her cloak with quick, professional air of making the most of every minute, drew off her arctics, and sat down before her cheerful open fire, with a discouraged sigh. A lady busily writing on the other side of the room looked up, with her pen poised in mid-air, and a mildly interrogative arching of the brows. She knew Dr. Mary's ways, and was discreetly silent.

The doctor sighed again, and gave the fire an impatient poke. "The nervous system, root and branch, yet had her little tendency ordinary woman without bias."

She spoke bitterly and pulled at the fringe of her faded shawl. "What reason do they give? asked Dr. Mary.

"No particular reason. We think they hold it back to draw more interest. Meantime you see for yourself."

The doctor quivered with indignation.

The day after this sketch begins she was walking toward her office when her attention was drawn to a woman staggering in front of her, and holding at intervals to the area railings of the dingy tenements. The doctor quickened her pace. It was such an old, old story, yet her heart yearned over this poor tossed creature. She laid her hand on the woman's arm and said:

"My friend,"  
The woman turned upon her such a face as Marian Earle must have shown to her tormentors when, as she tells Aurora Leigh:  
"They feared me, and loosed me, as boys might, from a mad dog which they had tortured."

A face in which the hollow cheeks flamed with fever, and the eyes gleamed with a woeful, desperate light!

"I'm not drunk. Don't think it. I'm only—starving!"  
"Yes," said Dr. Mary, "I know it—now."

They were but a few steps from the office, and she supported the trembling figure till she had seated the woman in the easy-chair before the fire.

"Gustava (to the little Swedish office girl), run to the eating house round the corner for a bowl of hot coffee and a quart of oyster broth as quickly as possible. Take this purse. I can't wait to count the money."

The blue-eyed, flaxen-braided, Norse maiden flew to her mistress' bidding, and the doctor chafed the hands of the woman, who had fainted outright. The food and drink restored her scanty strength, and she gazed into the doctor's face like one brought back from the brink of the grave.

"I am not a beggar. I can and will pay you. They have kept me waiting three weeks for my wages at the coat and vest store on—street, and I am a stranger and cannot ask for trust at the stores. The money has been honestly earned and is mine by every right under heaven, but I can't get it till they choose to give it to me and to others like me."

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pillow, her cheeks were burning, her white shoulders were visible through the torn embroidery of her night-gown. Dr. Mary laid her cool, soft fingers on the rapid pulse. Professional interest and womanly sympathy overcame her despair and disgust, as they had so many times before in similar cases. More than this, her first glance at the girl had made her heart throb quickly.

"Blue eyes fair complexion, handsome teeth—that had been Sarah Hilton's description. A swift prayer went up from Dr. Mary's soul as she kept her eyes on the girl's face, and gave a few dire words to the one who had brought her to the place."

The latter entered upon a voluble description of 'Min's' symptoms.

Dr. Mary heard her wearily. With a gesture to induce silence, she bent forward to examine the patient's eyes more closely. The girl's incoherencies slowly subsided under the magnetism of the doctor's cooling touch, and steady, pitying gaze.

"Do you hate me?" she whispered. Dr. Mary shook her head, and laid wet cloths on the temples.

"I wanted you to come because I thought you wouldn't be hard on me. He was loud and cross. You won't be cross, will you?"

The doctor began to smooth and braid the heavy golden hair.

"Will you go with me away from this dreadful place? You will die if you stay here."

The girl shrank back with an impatient movement.

"Not to a hospital? The women point their fingers at such as I am, in the hospital."

"No. To a lovely, restful place in the country, where a dear friend of mine lives, a friend who will be kind to you."

The other girl who had been bustling about the room, making a pretense of setting it in order, cast a sharp glance toward the bed, then gazed sullenly out of the one miserable window.

"Em will feel bad if I leave her, whispered the sick girl, hesitatingly. The powers of light and darkness were battling within her.

"Did you ever leave a widowed mother to feel bad—to break her heart over you?" questioned the doctor, with a penetrating look the time seemed ripe for the inquiry.

The girl threw up her arms with a despairing gesture, and a bitter cry escaped her.

"Yes, yes! Oh, yes! It was—"

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The tears roll upon the softened outlines of her cheek now, and she resumes her work, pressing her hand with a caressing movement on the letter in the pocket of her neat gingham gown, and the burden of the soundless song that keeps time in her heart to the steady whirl of the machine in this, and ever this:

"To live decent and respectable. Never to be twitted with what is past and gone!"

And I, Eudora Blake, who pen this 'chronicle and brief abstract,' remind Dr. Mary, when she comes home filled with enthusiasm and renewed energy, of that discouraged moment when she sighed:—

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### THE JEWS IN JERUSALEM.

Correspondence between the British and Turkish Governments

Says a Constantinople correspondent: In proportion as the members of the Hebrew race acquire a more propandic voice in the administration of the various European Governments, the pressure increases which, during the past forty years, has been put on the Sublime Porte, for the purpose of permitting the settlement of Jewish colonies in Palestine. The return to Jerusalem has been the constant dream of every member of the House of Israel since the days when the Roman Caesar raised the walls of the Holy City and bore off its inhabitants into captivity abroad. The late Sir Moses Montefiore devoted more than half a century of his philanthropic life to the attainment of this ardently desired object; the late Lord Beaconsfield in his novel "Duncraig," and George Elliot in "Daniel Deronda," have demonstrated that even conversion to Christianity is impossible to quench this particular longing in every Jewish breast. While for more than ten years past Lawrence Oliphant, acting in the name of an influential London committee, has been exerting all his unrivalled talents of diplomacy toward the same end. Judging by appearance, however, it would seem as if the biblical curses pronounced on the chosen people were sufficiently exacted.

## Digby Weekly Courier.

Digby, N. S., June 8th, 1888.

A few religious(?) firebrands in every community delight to keep different denominations by the ears. Unless the letter of a creed is followed some narrow-minded individuals scent heresy or "renegadism." One great source of the trouble is that we do not know and see enough of each other. The bitterest strife the world has seen has been falsely called "religious." Men will cut each other's throats in fighting for a religion that teaches good-will to man. What fools we mortals be, surely.

Here is a touching fact, however, that reaches us from Charlottetown, P. E. I., and makes one feel grateful for the humanity displayed. Five weeks ago a disastrous fire burned down the only Baptist place of worship—a magnificent edifice—in that city.

"The call for funds to enable the Baptists of Charlottetown to rebuild their place of worship is being nobly responded to. Subscriptions are coming in from persons of all creeds. The Roman Catholics were among the first to offer their afflicted fellow citizens the use of their hall in which to hold their services, and are now not at all backward about tendering donations of money to the building fund. This is right. To-day the Baptists are the sufferers; to-morrow the Catholics may have their turn."

In the May number of the North American Review, Mr. Gladstone has written a reply to some of Col. Ingersoll's strictures on Christian religion. Over twenty editions of the Review were issued on the first few days, so great was the public's desire to see the great thinker's reply. With a keenness and delight for which he has long been noted, with direct and telling exposure of the weakness of this or that position of his antagonist with a display of simple, childlike faith in the Book and its God, Mr. Gladstone, without any reference to the character of his opponent, discusses the subject with happy effect. The Boston Herald reviewing Mr. Gladstone's article, comes to the following among other conclusions:—

There has been something ghastly in the spectacle of the "grand old man" accepting the challenge of an American free-thinker who has, for a decade of years, amused the scoffers against Christianity with a rehash of what can be said against the shortcomings of its friends; but he has performed his task, as he has often performed similar tasks, with the ease with which one brushes away a fly from his face.

His quiet, serious method is so effective, that there is nothing for his antagonist to say, except to kick dust in his face which he will undoubtedly do as soon as he has an opportunity.

This paper will do good, and deserves the widest circulation; but it leaves Col. Ingersoll, though it treats him like a gentleman, if not dead, by the roadside.

## Home and Abroad.

Beautiful summer weather at last. Digby is now looking its prettiest. Stone has Choice Corn Meal by bbl. cheap. Burnham wants Cash—the people want it.

Burnham's Flour was purchased before the advance.

Bridgewater is agitating for a park. Why not Digby?

Burnham's Flour cannot be beat for quality or price.

Did you see a cow, with Amherst boots printed on her?

H. L. Jones, Esq., M. P., is expected to arrive here to-day, from St. John.

Look at Letteney's advertisement in another part of paper.

Burnham has some of the best brands of Flour for sale in Digby.

Burnham is using "printers ink" to save money for the people.

Burnham is selling large quantities of Flour, and more to arrive soon.

Another lot of those Imit. Kid Boots for \$1.00, daily expected at Letteney's.

Crop reports from various parts of Manitoba, are of the most encouraging character.

The stmr. Cleopatra arrived last evening with upwards of 50 passengers for Annapolis Valley.

Messrs. J. D. and Philip H. Lombard, of Little Brook, Clare, were in town on business Monday.

C. H. Tupper was sworn in as minister of marine and fisheries before General Sir. John Ross, at Halifax, Friday.

250 bbls. choice Flour ("People's" and "White Eagle") just received by schr. T. B. Harris, for sale by E. Burnham.

700 bbls of Flour to be disposed of at Burnham's during the next few weeks, at less than St. John prices.

We regret to learn that D. J. Murphy, Esq., of the W. C. railway is confined to his home from a severe attack of bronchitis.

The "National Policy" is good for some, but it is better to have cheap bread for the masses—to be had at Burnham's.

It takes nearly \$29,000 per year to meet the expense of keeping up the Halifax Police force. It takes nothing in Digby.

The building laborers of Halifax gave notice that on the 11th inst., they will demand 15 cents an hour and that 9 hours constitute a day's work.

A \$20,000 smash up occurred on the I. C. Railway on Friday last, near Little Metis. Cause broken rail, fortunately no one was hurt.

The Annapolis Spectator is now printed in the Times office, Yarmouth until arrangements are perfected to commence publishing again in town.

The land known as the "Merkle" lot at the Racquette consisting of fifteen acres, has been purchased by the firm of Syda & Cousins for the sum of \$550.00.

Gen Clinton B. Fisk is the temperance candidate for President, nominated by the National Prohibition Convention, and John A. Brooks, of Missouri, for Vice-President.

The remains of George Jones, who recently died at Lynn, Mass., arrived here per str. Secret on Wednesday, and were conveyed to Moose River, Annapolis Co., for interment.

The poor newspaper man everywhere seems to have a hard time. A Michigan editor advertises that he will take fish or frogs in payment for subscriptions this spring.

Mr. Lunley, representing the Dominion Paper Company of Montreal, was in town this week. The superior quality of paper upon which the COURIER is printed is made by this mill.

THE RECORD SMASHED.—NEW YORK, June 2.—The Cunard steamship "Etruria," which arrived here this morning, made the trip from Queenstown in 5 days 23 hours—the quickest on record.

John Reporter

## IMPROVEMENTS.

The "Myrtle" house to be occupied by Mr. R. W. Plunkett, has undergone thorough repairs under the direction of Mr. Sydney Wood, having received an entirely new cornice, and roof, and coating of paint. The interior has been somewhat changed and thoroughly renovated. The grounds surrounding the dwelling have been cleaned up and ornamented, and the drainage, etc., improved.

The Oakes property on Water Street formerly occupied by Mr. Richard Stalling is being repaired, and a large ell added thereto. It has been rented and is to be occupied as a boarding house and restaurant by William Watkeys, of Boston, Mass., who is at present in town.

R. P. Saunders' restaurant is now nicely shaded in the heat of the day, by a large awning erected and spread over the entire front. It is at Saunders' restaurant that you can get a square meal at any reasonable hour, and at a moderate charge.

The McMullin building recently occupied as a post office, and which is now being converted into a drug store, is rapidly approaching completion. We understand it is to be occupied by F. B. Stark & Co., and will be opened during the month.

H. B. Short has erected and neatly finished a stable on his hotel premises.

The grounds surrounding the residence of Henry Turnbull (south end) are being handsomely terraced.

John G. Rice, has added to his stable some twelve or fifteen feet, and surmounted the whole with a handsome cupola.

Carpenters, masons, painters and other workmen have been kept busily engaged since spring opened and are still in demand at from \$1.25 to \$1.75 per day.

## WEYMOUTH.

(From a correspondent.)

There is quite a boom in real estate in Weymouth just now. Several house lots have lately been purchased, and the parties intend erecting houses thereon immediately. Several others are looking for sites on which to build.

The new Methodist church is finished and will be dedicated on Sunday next. Services will be held morning, afternoon and evening.

A concert was held in the Sissiboo hall last evening, in aid of the Episcopal church. The cherry trees are blossoming in profusion, and the next few days will largely determine what the crop shall be. Should a heavy rain occur the crop will be light. Vegetation is coming on rapidly. The late spring bids fair to be followed by an early summer.

Times are lively and everybody have plenty to do.

Weymouth, June 7th, 1888.

(From another correspondent.)

The new Methodist church here will be opened and dedicated to the worship of God next Sabbath, June 10th. Services at 10.30 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7.30 p.m. The services will be conducted and sermons preached by the Rev. J. Galtz, President of the conference, and F. J. Pentelow and others. The pewing, which has been done by Kinney, Haley & Co., of Yarmouth, is excellent. The stained window is a beauty, and altogether the church is a perfect little gem.

At a concert held at St. Thomas' Church, Weymouth, on Wednesday evening last, the sum of thirty-five dollars was realized; to be used in repairing the church.

Our Dominion member is expected home Friday.

## FISHING NOTES.

The schr. Sprague landed 5,800 large and 3000 small lobsters this week. The schr. West Wind also landed 7,500 lobsters.

300 lbs. salmon and 1000 lbs. halibut were shipped on Wednesday via Yarmouth by Syda & Cousins.

The Digby Canning Company are now running day and night, with as many lobsters as they can possibly handle.

Sproul Bros. schr. Gazelle landed 10,000 lobsters on Wednesday.

## A GREAT CONFLAGRATION.

## Correspondence.

The editor of THE COURIER is responsible for the views expressed in Editorial Notes and Articles, and for such only; but the editor is not to be understood as endorsing the sentiments expressed in the articles contributed to this journal. Our readers are capable of proving or disproving of any part of article or contents of the paper; and exercising due care as to what is appropriate in our columns, we shall leave the rest to their intelligent judgment.

To the Editor of the Courier.

SIR,—In the spicy "Talk about town," of "Quien Sale," published in your last issue, the paragraph about the "Temperance people taking a nap just now," suggests a thought or two on the subject that might not be unprofitable to ventilate. The question has more than once arisen in my mind: Is there a Temperance people in Digby? I know there are a number who give voice to temperance sentiment; who ask, why is it that those who are violating law, ruining our young men, and breaking the hearts of their mother,—are not brought to punishment? Where are the Temperance people? Why are they asleep? But ask these talkers to give time, money and influence to bring about the needed reform, and they very quickly change the conversation. I know others in the community, who profess to be sound on this great question of public interest. "The suppression of the evils of strong drink," and they tell us what they have done, but they have grown discouraged, lost heart, and are out of the fight. I know of others who give their time and sympathy until they find the matter is becoming political, and they think their beloved principle in danger—then temperance principles "at once" change. They pray for the temperance cause, "part of" it.

See them on election day! The very men who kneel and pray "Thy will be done, thy kingdom come Rise from their knees and vote for ruin." I know others, a mere handful, who are devoting time and money for the advancement of temperance principles, and who have gained no little ill-will by their energy. They are determined to keep on working, but they cannot be successful unless aided by every citizen who has the interest of the community at heart; when that time comes when the fault-finder, talkers and grumblers range themselves as "workers on the side of "God and Home and Fatherland," then can the question, is there a temperance people in Digby? be answered joyfully in the affirmative. But until our citizens do so unite, until the discouraged ones pluck up their hearts, until there is a determination to fight the evil intemperance to the bitter end—cost what it may—we shall continue to hear sneers concerning the "Temperance people," and see those who violate law still occupying chief places in our community, adding to their buildings, and laughing to scorn the Mother, who with streaming eyes and bleeding heart, begs them not to sell to her Boy; and shall find the number of candidates for admission to our future poor house, yearly increasing.

Men and women of Digby, how long are we to bear the burdens placed upon our shoulders by this traffic? How long are the law-abiding christian people to be mortified and insulted by men who boast "There is not power in Digby to prevent them selling liquor—that they will sell to old and young, male and female, who bring the cash." We talk of hard times. Need we wonder times are hard, when we remember that a curse, the curse of Rum, is hanging over our fair Town. How long is this to be?

Citizens of Digby, the answer lies selves. The struggle will be a hard one, always a slow work, lifting it lower to a higher plain. There is to discourage, but if you enter "Heart within and God over" he will triumph over might and we shall join in singing "Praise whom all blessings flow."

Yours truly,  
SIR.—When such an  
fare as the Juggin Brid

THE SEARCH FOR STANLEY.

Notwithstanding the recently expressed opinion of Dr. Schweinfurth, of Brussels, that no uneasiness need be felt concerning the fate of Henry M. Stanley and the reports to the same effect from Africa, very little hope is felt of his safety or even that the explorer is alive.

It is thought that, although the projectors of the Stanley expedition use publicly, a reassuring tone, their private opinion regarding the heroic explorer is in accordance with the opinion of those who, if they have not already given Stanley up entertain scarcely any hope of his arrival.

At Walalai it is pointed out that his route is infested with large bands of hostile Arabs and natives with whom Stanley's force would be unable to cope long, especially if his company was diminished by disease and its efficiency weakened by a scarcity of ammunition, as can hardly fail to be the case, so long a time has elapsed since Stanley could replenish his stores at a camp and no reinforcements have been known to reach him.

English opinion in the matter is greatly influenced by the army men, who, when the government was requested to assist in the rescuing expedition, gave their advice adverse to the proposition, saying that it would result simply in another Gordon affair.

No news has yet been received as to whether the searching party under Major Barttelot has started on its march. This party was to leave Arruwimi about June 1. At last accounts the major was getting a sufficient force of men together, a large number of whom Tippu Tib was to supply. It is to be hoped that some accurate information will be secured by Major Barttelot if he does not succeed in finding Stanley, for, if the explorer has been killed, or is held as a prisoner anywhere, they will certainly be some means of ascertaining the fact.

## FISHING NO.

The first mackerel caught on the Cape Sable shore were taken by the traps at Clark's Harbor on the 24th almost a week later than any previous season. There were a few in three traps 121 being the highest number taken that day. They were of good size, and looked as if of "first run."

Reports from the Seal Islands this week are to the effect that lobstering there is fairly successful. There are about fifteen men fishing from the island. The catches are shipped direct to Boston by the steamer Electra, which averages three trips a fortnight. She sailed Monday evening with 250 crates. Scarcity of bait is quite a hindrance to the fishing at the Island just now.

Mackerel are late in putting in an appearance here. The strong east winds, prevailing for days, it is thought, have had something to do in putting them back. Last week the traps at Clark's Harbor got only a few scattered fish; those at Jon's Island did no better, with the exception of two which took about 1,500.

On the Yarmouth shore the catches have been very encouraging. Up to Monday 450 barrels had in all been shipped to Boston. The value of Saturdays and Mondays shipments of mackerel from Yarmouth was about \$5,400.

Codfishing off the Cape continues dull. Until the weather becomes steadier, very little can be done in that line.

## TORTURED BY A LUNATIC.

Horrible Sufferings of a Lad Cut and Stabbed by a Maniac.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., May 25.—The most atrocious cruelties were practised on a boy named Jessie C. Henderson, in Tayler, the adjoining county, yesterday. He was working in a field some distance from the road, when a tramp, who afterwards proved to be Isaiah Hoyt, of Columbus, Ohio, caught him and tied him to a tree. He began pricking him with a darning needle attached to a stick. Whenever the boy made an outcry he struck him heavy blows on the mouth. He threatened several times to cut his heart out, and to still further torture the boy threw a big knife at him with great dexterity, that passed through the boy's clothes, just scraping the skin. He then, after pulling out some of the victim's hair, made incisions in his flesh for more than an hour. All through these operations

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Digby, N. S., June 1st, 1888.

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POETRY.

APPECIATION.

He feels that he is whom God endows  
With finest gifts of seeing,  
His vision is a beauty day by day  
Throughout his inmost being ;  
He reads the language of the breeze,  
The brooklet's rippling laughter,  
He hears the whispering in the trees  
And bird-songs coming after ;  
He notes each blossom of the ground,  
Each grass-plume graceful bending,  
He feels the happy flowers all around  
To increase upward sending.

He hears the myriad voices of the night,  
The insect's drowsy humming,  
The bird announcing through the leaves  
The tempest chattering's coming ;  
The gentle music of the waves,  
He ocean's varied voices,  
He feels the winds that tell of grave  
Peace and war's steps.

The deep soul murmurs low and low  
Of Nature in her gladness.

Who knows each beauty half revealed  
In every dell and dingle,  
And every vision half concealed  
Where night and morning mingle ;  
Knows-well each grave and marvel caught  
By moonbeams softly shining,  
And loves the pictures deftly wrought  
By shadows intertwining.

*A SONG OF REST.*

Wearied hands ! that all the day,

low softly falls the shadowy gray,  
The bells are rung for evensong,  
In hour ago the golden sun  
Sank lowly down, into the west;  
Oor, weary lands your toll is done;  
'Tis time for rest! 'tis time for rest!

O weary feet! that many a mile  
Have trod along a stony way,  
I have ye reached the trying stile;  
No longer fear to gae thae  
He gentle bending, routing aires;  
Rock the young birds within the nest,  
And soothe them the quiet trees;  
'Tis time for rest! 'tis time for rest!

Weary eyes! from which the tears  
Fell many a time like thunder rain—  
Weary ears! that through the years  
Best with the piteous cries, and  
O might forget the stormy strife,  
And know what heavenly stall end is best  
Ay down the tangled web of life;  
'Tis time for rest! 'tis time for rest!

**SELECT TALE.**

**MR. PENNELL'S SUBSTITUTE**

The Rev Mr. Pennell, pastor of  
First Socialists, Brockville, entered

pression upon his countenance  
like the look of weariness gen-  
erally visible that his wife,  
he inquired :  
"Has occurred that has af-  
fected you such evident gratifica-  
tion?"  
"I know that I was wishing  
that I might have a temporary re-  
lease from my cares," but was unwill-  
ing to take a vacation because of my  
belief that no church should, even  
on one Sunday, be without preach-  
ing."  
"Yes, and I know that you owe it

[illegible]

As has been studying with me for nearly two years, and would like to preach a few Sundays at my charge, I will be glad to have him preach at my charge for the next six weeks, my friend will gladly supply you with penmanship during that time, for no other compensation than his board. If, however, you wish to accept of me to make him a trifling donation, I will be very acceptable, as he has to provide himself with clothing and other necessaries. I shall be absent from home until the middle of the month of September, so if you think proper to accept my suggestions, please write to me (Thomas Smith, Boston, whither he is going) or to visit friends, on receipt of this. With kindest wishes, I remain, Sir, Yours, &c.

WILLIAM BAKER

"You will avail yourself of this opportunity to recuperate your strength," asked Mrs. Pennell, having finished the letter.

"I shall. It seems too much like a dispensation of Providence to have

"I am so glad," Mr. Pennell went to his library and wrote to Mr. Smith, mentioning the letter from "Brother" Blake and inviting him to substitute for him the coming six weeks.

He was of medium height, slightly pale-faced; had long, abundant whiskers, worn a l'Anglais, curly hair of the same hue; blue eyes, thin and sharp, inquisitive, penetrating; regular features, was evidently a

The following Sunday he occupied a seat in the pulpit with Mr. Pell, but took no part in the exercises except to offer the closing prayer. At the conclusion of the morning service—the only one for the day—the pastor introduced him to the

Mr. Smith will preach for me while I am having the vacation which it appears to be my duty to take, and I think you will have no reason to regret the temporary

Every one expressed his pleasure at hearing that Mr. Pennell had concluded to rest; no one doubted that Mr. Smith would satisfactorily meet all requirements.

Indeed, the new comer had already done much toward securing

stitute his congregation.

"No one but myself."  
"Have you ever committed it to paper?"  
"I have. And that paper is now a sealed package, holden by my attorney, and to be opened only in case of illness that renders me unconscious, or my death."  
"Do you know that the package has never been tampered with?"  
"I am sure that it has not. Will you turn about and look at my attorney, the short one he sent to his lawyer."  
"No suspicious person has been the village recently?"  
"Not that I am aware of."  
The officer began his examination of the premises, frequently referring to his memoranda. Meanwhile a sealed package was handed to Mr. Campbell, who, opening it said :

**NOTICE**

"But all undid the safe?"

"The only person who has ever been near me when I have opened the safe, with the exception of the officials, is the gentleman who substituted for our pastor this summer."

"And how did he happen to be near you then?"

"He came to leave a valuable ring of safe keeping."

"(Xue saw the safe in his room)

"You description," he said, "of the gentleman who substituted for our pastor this summer tallied so nicely with a burglar who had been reported in the West that I was inclined to say you had the two men for one, and my mind that the two were identical."

Mr. Campbell gave a start.

Leaving you, I called upon Mr. Kennell and learned the name of the clergyman by whose recommendation Mr. Smith came here. To this reply I immediately wrote. The reply is"—reading a letter:

DEAR SIR:—In answer to yours just at hand I would say: I know no one by the name of Thomas Smith; never had a student, never known a brother Pennell. The evening before I left home last July, a young man, who I have never seen since, described a friend of mine and asked me innumerable questions concerning brother Pennell—so many and so strange that I wondered at them. I intended to write brother Pennell about this matter, but neglected it so long that I deemed it best not to write at all. With regard to the matter which has prevented the imposition of a tax, which has been practised upon an obscure worker and his people.

Yours respectfully, WILLIAM BLAKE.

Mr. Campbell was too much astonished to speak

Whatever his name may be—learning that your bank did an immense business, resolved to burglarize it some day ago," continued the officer.

"Just how he chanced to adopt the clerical robe I cannot say, but having determined upon it, he could easily find the name of some one who was your pastor's class mate at the theological seminary, by consulting the catalogues of the institution for various years. Fortunately he found him in selecting Mr. Blake."

"He had never corresponded with Mr. Pennell, but was so thoroughly acquainted with the thought of the man, that this circumstance enabled Smith to write to your pastor with no fear of detection by reason of the pseudonym. The time of

"The ring--it may or may not have been worth something--was used by him by which he gained a knowledge of your combination. When you opened the safe he learned the combination that you used, and his un- successful attempt to open it after you was a mere 'blind.' Of course to obtain an entrance to the building was an easy matter to him. I shall this very day go in pursuit of him, and my advice is, say nothing of what I have told you to any one except the directors, more than that you have obtained a clue to the perpetrator of the deed--with you hear from me."

Early in December Mr. Campbell received a telegram from the detective in New York, which contained the single word "Come."

He went to that city, where he found Thomas Smith, alias various other names in custody, who made

the officers supposition, and restore all he had taken from the bank save a few hundred dollars or so. When Mr. Campbell returned to Brookville with the stolen property every one was astonished. The money was established on learning

"His first text should have been 'I was a stranger and ye took me in.' facetiously observed one of the members whom Mr. Smithe had especially pleased."

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on Chairs  
Wood was left for to the river  
bank.  
Ten days ago Farmer Norton, of  
Killingworth, while doing his even-  
ing chores at the barn, saw a large  
animal jump from a tree near by  
and endeavor to cross Mud river on  
the ice. Again and again it broke  
through, lashing the water into foam.

els. A fierce fight followed. Sam-  
becoming weak from loss of  
lood, with a super-human effort  
renew the beast off. Springing to  
feet he again seized his clubba-  
ime and time again the animal at-  
checked him, or, <sup>or</sup> he repulsed in-  
y inch until he was with-  
ected blow, Samuels fell to the  
round, dead. He then dragged  
himself, almost exhausted and totally  
oid of clothing, back to his friends.  
they hastened to the scene of com-  
at and found the dead animal to be  
seventy pound wild cat. It is sup-

"You see er pullen dat owes me money?" Wail, bein as accom-  
modatin' ez I is I couldn't help it, an' I  
took holt of de rope, an' de man he  
went away. I waited an' waited an'  
he didn't come back, an' not knowin'  
what else ter do wid de poor ca', I  
took him ober ter my 'ouse."  
"Yes, but you killed the calf."  
"Yas, sah; an' I'll tell 'bout dat."  
"Wen I get home I ginter feed de  
poor ca', an' de fust thing I knowed  
he dun choaked hisself on a year o'  
meat. I worked wid him, I did, ar'  
he seen' dat he gwine die er awful  
hard fer de spite, o' all I could do  
I knoeked him in de head to give  
him ooters his misery."  
"That's all very w—"

"Yes, sah; fur you see, I jus' thought he wuz er 'quisitive sorter pusson, an' bein' er shy man mese'f, w'y, I didn't want him ter come pryin' in'ter my fam'ly affairs."

**A READY RECOURSE.**—The rava-

Micrograph showing a surface with a grid pattern, likely a microarray or a similar high-resolution imaging technique. The image displays a dense array of small, dark, rectangular features arranged in a regular grid. A small, bright, circular spot is visible near the center of the grid, and a small, dark, irregular spot is located near the bottom left corner.



## General News.

The negro is changing in appearance and losing some of the birthmarks peculiar to the African race. The new generation is showing the effects of a higher culture. Especially is this noticeable in the towns where contact with the white shows its effect. The flat-nosed, kinky-headed negro is passing away and becoming an unknown race all the colored children, no matter how kinky in hue, show the change. A miline nose and smaller mouth with thinner lips are the rule. For years, and in fact, ever since the freedom, the negroes have endeavored to do away with the short and kinky hair bestowed upon them by their ancestors. Much of the spare change is invested in various hair tonics and invigorators, and the long attempt to get the hair straightened is now being abandoned. The South Georgia negro an evidence of evolution, the survivor of the fittest.

A reporter in an interview with a Boston shoe dealer, learned that the feet of the women of that city are becoming smaller. Continuing the dealer said: "We used to see three fours and fives; now we sell threes and fours. I know of at least a dozen en girded women who wear nunner-ber twos. It takes less leather to clothe the Boston foot to-day than it did 10 or 20 years ago. The Boston foot is 2 1/2 inches long and 3 1/2 inches wide. It is very resolute. It can walk, run and dance as sprightly as ever, and looks much better. The superfluous flesh and bone have been eliminated, and all the usefulness still retained."

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Boston, June 21—Ar, schrs. E. E. Potter, LeCain, Clementsport.

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