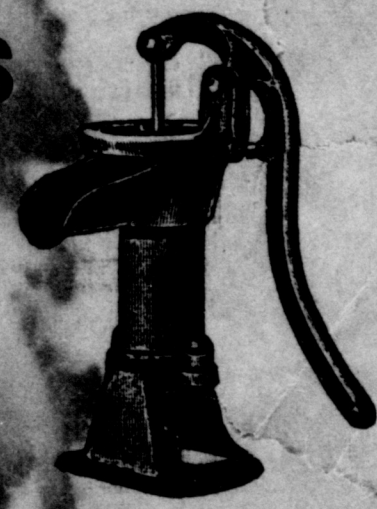


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Poetry.

THE RAILROAD CROSSING.

HEZEKIAH STRONG.

I can't tell much about the thing, 'twas done so powerful quick; But 'pears to me I got a most outlandish heavy lick; It broke my leg and tore my skulp, and jerked my arm most out. But take a seat: I'll try and tell just how it kem about.

You see, I'd started down to town, with that 'ere 'best' of mine, A-haulin' down a load o' corn to Ebenezer Kline. And drivin' slow, for jest about a day or two before, The off-hoss run a splinter in his foot and made it sore.

You know the railroad cuts across the road at Martin's Hole; Well, thar I seed a great big sign, raised high upon a pole I thought I'd stop and read the thing, and find out what it said, And so I stopped the hosses on the rail-road-track and rap.

I ain't no scholar, reck'lect, and so I had to guess like, with my mud;

C-R-O and don't made 'crossing Webster dare, 'ere 'crossin' 'ere 'crossin' And I was lookin' at the 'lin' like a book.

O-U-T spelt 'out,' jest right; and the 'it was, 'look out.' I's kinder cur'us, like, to know jest what 'twas all about; F-O-R and T-H-E; twas then 'look out for the;' And then I tried the next word; it commenced with E-N-G.

I'd got that fur, when suddintly there came an awful whack; A thousand fiery thunderbolts just swooped me off the track; The hosses went to Davy Jones, the waggon went to smash, And I was histed seven yards above the tallest ash.

I didn't come to life ag'in fur bout a day or two; But, though I'm crippled up a heap, I sorter struggled through; It ain't the pain, nor 'tain the loss, that 'ere team of mine; But, stranger, how I'd like to know the rest of that 'ere sign!

Gleanings by a Traveller.

Having decided to take a short holiday I boarded the Stmr. May Queen at Indiantown, from thence proceeding up the St. John river, through magnificent scenery, which we found Capt. Brannen and son every ready to dilate upon. We shall not soon forget their courtesy in pointing out places of interest, and by their cordial manner making us feel like friends instead of strangers in a strange land.

After passing Jemseg we entered Grand Lake. The first place of interest our attention was then called to was the farm and handsome residence of Hon. L. P. Farris, who represents Queens county, and is a member of the government. Passing on we arrived at Young's Cove, from there proceeding to the hotel owned and managed by E. C. Lockett. We find this a magnificent summer resort, to which tourists are flocking at this season. The proprietor seems to spare no pains to make his guests comfortable and happy. Mr. Lockett is preparing to spend a large sum of money on a trotting park just outside the grounds of the hotel. This, when completed will be second to none in the province. Mr. Lockett has held some very important positions. He was at one time organizer for the I. O. F., in which position he displayed considerable ability. Later on he was largely instrumental in starting the plant of the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE, now owned and managed by Jas. A. Stewart. The success of this paper can be readily ascertained by perusing a copy, and we congratulate Mr. Stewart on sending out each week, the leading county paper, running over each week with newsy items from all over the county, and in fact from all places of interest. After a few days' sojourn here, we proceeded to Cole's Island, where we were entertained by John S. Murray of the Island House. This is truly a lovely spot, and a very thrifty little village. Among its main industries is one of the best equipped mills on the river owned by West Bros. Beside the mill West Bros. carry on a general store business.

We had not proceeded far in this locality before we found that the political atmosphere was much disturbed. As near as we can learn, a few jingos who for a lifetime have been struggling for notice and an easy means of earning a livelihood, have come out of the wilderness where they had retired as it were for a time, to recuperate their lost zeal in the cause and have come to the front (knowing full well that they have nothing to

lose and everything to gain). In proceeding down the beautiful drive from Coles Island, we learned that there was considerable agitation among the post-masters regarding the changes being made in the post offices. Among the victims we found Mr. S. M. Starkey who has been postmaster for a number of years.

We next proceed to Cody Station where we are to take the train to St. John. Here we find that we have a few hours at our disposal, ere the train arrives from Chipman. We judged by the depressed air of the Station agent at this place that something dreadful had befallen him, and presuming he would like to answer question as well as he seemed to enjoy asking them, we ventured our sympathy. Just at this moment, however, we were interrupted by a party coming in for their mail, so we sauntered out along the line. There we met some loquacious strangers that seemed determined to treat us to some gossip, but as that is not in our line we passed on. Just then we heard the whistle of the coming train, and hurried to the station disappointed that our interview with Esq. Roberts had been ruthlessly broken up, and still wondering what his grief could be about. And so we whirl away with terrific speed to Norton. Cody Station.

Bringing in the Sheaves.

"With the first touch of gold on the beards a feverish activity begins. The farmer gets his binder and reaper ready to ranges with his neighbor to trade

Daily the thresher creeps east, now west, but always farther north, while the northward-bound Hilliard in the September Ladies' Home Journal. "At length the men of the family ride away in a waggon to help a neighbor, returning at night with the news that "the machine may be here any time now." The women are thrown into a flutter of excitement, and the next day, when the men are gone, the oven is filled with pies and cakes. The great kettle is hung on the crane in the yard and hams are boiled. All the butter-milk is saved to be sent to the men in the field, and root beer is brewed. The chickens are dressed and vegetables gathered in anticipation of the harvest supper.

"At last the thresher, drawn by four horses, pulls to the field, and other waggon follows, loaded with singing, shouting men and boys, most of them neighbors, only a few travelling with the machine. The last waggon will contain women and girl neighbors, who have come to help get supper and wait on the men. They come on to the house, bringing with them many dishes, knives and forks and table linen to help out the ordinary family outfit. Such shouting and laughing and joking and exchange of good news and bad news!

"In the windless September air the booming of the separator's cylinder rises above the steam voice of the traction engine. Six teams are in the field hauling the wheat to the machine, and the feeder, with easy, majestic movement, gathers the sheaves under his arms and feeds them into the insatiable maw. All the afternoon the golden straw climbs and falls over in the smoky air; the chaff flies in a blinding cloud; and the grain flows like a stream of sun-flecked water into the two bushel measurer which are tipped into a waggon."

The Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—General Otis today cabled the war department a despatch which he received from General Hughes, commanding the American forces at Iloilo. General Hughes said: Lt. Col. Byrne on August 31st destroyed Argo Gula, a most important bandit stronghold, killing twenty one, wounding many, and capturing large quantities of supplies, complete reloading shells, spears etc. Feat remarkable as the town was accessible by a road almost perpendicular and were constantly under fire for one thousand feet. One officer and two men were struck by boulders rolled down on them, but not seriously hurt. No casualties reported. Banditti strength four hundred.

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ANNABEL BRANDER, Executor.

Dated at Gagetown, Queens County this 18th day of July, 1899.

NOTICE.

The subscriber having purchased from Mr. Henry Akerley, of Indiantown, the handsome dark bay stallion "Hernando," wishes to inform the public that the above horse will stand at the owner's barns for service during the present season.

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WM. NEVERS.

Gagetown, July 3, 1899.

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