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There will be sold at Public Auction at the Post Office at Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, on THURSDAY, the NINTH day of APRIL, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, all the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand whatsoever, either at law or in equity of David Elliott of, in, to, out of or upon the following described lands and premises, viz.:

All that tract of land situate in the parish of Wilmot, in the County of Carleton, in the Province of New Brunswick, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post standing on the eastern side of a reserved road, at the southwest angle of the western half of lot number twenty-six (26) granted to Adolphus Estey in Tier six Williams-town Settlement, thence running by the magnet south eighty-seven degrees east twenty-five (25) chains to another post, thence south three degrees west forty chains and fifty links to a cedar tree standing on the northern side of another reserved road thence along the same north eighty-seven degrees west twenty-five chains to the eastern side of the first aforesaid reserved road, and thence along the same north three degrees east forty chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, containing one hundred acres more or less and distinguished as the western parts of lots number twenty-seven and twenty-eight in tier six, Wil- liamstown Settlement.

The same having been seized and taken under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Supreme Court of the Province of New Brunswick at the suit of John Fisher against the said David Elliott.

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The World's Prayer.

Oh, Almighty Dollar! Our acknowledged governor, preserver and benefactor, we desire to approach Thee, on this and every other occasion with that reverence which is the due of superior excellence, and that regard which shall ever be cherished for exalted greatness. Almighty Dollar, without Thee in this world, we can do nothing, but with Thee we can do all things. When sickness lays its paralyzing hands upon us, Thou canst provide for us the tenderest of nurses, the most skillful of physicians, and when the last struggle of mortality is over, and we are being born to the resting place of the dead, Thou canst provide a band of music, and a military escort to accompany us thither, and last, but not least, erect a magnificent monument over our grave, as a living epitaph to perpetuate our memory. And while here in the midst of trials and temptations of life, we perhaps are accused of crime and brought before magistrates, Thou, Almighty Dollar, canst secure to us a feed lawyer, a bribed judge, a picked jury, and we go scot free. Be with us we pray Thee in all Thy decimal parts, for Thou art the only one altogether lovely, and the chief among ten thousand. Oh, Almighty Dollar, in thy absence, how gloomy is the household, and how desolate the hearthstone, but when, Thou, Almighty Dollar, art with us, how gleefully the beefsteak sings upon the gridiron, how genial is the warmth of anthracite coal as it diffuses its warmth throughout the apartment, and what an exuberance of joy continues to swell every bosom. Thou art the joy of our youth, and the solace of our old age. Thou canst adorn the gentleman and feed the jackass, Thou art the favourite of the philosopher, and the ideal of the lunk-head. When an election is to be carried, Thou art the most potent argument of demagogues and politicians, and the umpire that decides the contest. Almighty Dollar, Thou art worshipped the world over, Thou hast no hypocrites in thy temples, or no false hearts at thy altars. Kings and courtiers bow before Thee, and all nations adore Thee. Thou art loved by the civilized and savage alike, with unfeigned and unfaltering affection. We continue to regard Thee as the handmaid of religion, and the twin-sister of charity.

Almighty Dollar, Thou art the guide of our footsteps and the goal of our being. Guided by Thy silvery light we hope to reach the golden gate and triumphantly enter, while hands harmoniously sweep the golden harps, as we enter the golden street.

Almighty Dollar, Thy shining face bespeaks Thy wondrous power. In my pockets, make Thy resting place. I need Thee every hour. And now Almighty Dollar in closing this invocation, we realize and acknowledge that Thou wast the god of our grandfathers, the two-fold god of their children, and the three-fold god of their grand-children. Permit us to possess Thee in abundance, and all Thy varied excellence, is our constant and un- wavering prayer. Amen.

Composed by E. H.

Mr. C. Donnelly, wholesale liquor dealer, Allis- ton, Ont., was troubled for years with Itching Piles. He was persuaded by James McGarvey, Alliston, livery man, to use Chase's Ointment, which he did, was cured, has had no return of them and highly recommends this Ointment as a sovereign cure for Piles.

French and English Aldermen.

A writer from Montreal to the St. Johns P. Q. News comments on the make up of the Montreal city council. We hear a great deal of the English being the advanced element in the city, but according to this writer they do not send their best representatives to the city council. Here is what he says:—"While the French take care to have in their leaders men who thoroughly understand the civic situation, and who have the ability to present their claims in both languages, the English have simply attended to their money-making, and allowed themselves to be represented by utterly incompetent creatures (some of whom can barely read and write). The French send their smart lawyers, who are on their feet on the instant; who can think on their legs; who have the ready argument. The English, untrained,—there are probably two exceptions—slow, incoherent, dressing the labored thought so poorly and ineffectively, that the majority explode (and small wonder) in their faces, accentuate the isolation of their position by an absence of brain power which ought to make the English electors blush for their indifference to their own interests.

In the ranks of the minority there are able men, plenty; but these, caring nothing about the city in which they were born, in which they have made their living, and which will be the home of their children, have deliberately refused to come forward in the public service. They are engrossed in business; they are augmenting fortunes already swollen to monstrous proportions; they are building unto themselves lordly dwelling places; they are engaged in the lucrative professions of medicine or law. We have chosen men, then, who with one or two exceptions, never saw a grammar in their lives, who could not construct a decent sentence in English to save their souls; and who sit in council, for the most part silent (which, perhaps, is a mercy), and wholly insignificant and helpless. The French—all men—recognize and respect brain power."

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THE MUSINGS OF THE WICKED IMP.

THE BELL BOY TOOK HIM TO HIS USUAL ROOM.

A Return from Blue Books and Acts of Par- liament to Old Dr. Johnson.—His Views on Wealth.—Events which Record our Mortality.



I have been put- ting in spare time when not engaged in profitable reading, such as the Canadian blue books, and the Provincial License Act, in reading some writers who in past days were consid- ered worthy of atten- tion. Lately I ran across the *Rambler*, to which one Dr. Sam Johnston used to con- tribute. Here is an extract which may be read with profit by those who think that a man acquires intelligence and breadth of mind, in the ratio that he acquires riches:—"Wealth cannot confer greatness, for nothing can make that great which the decree of nature has ordained to be little. The bramble may be placed in a hot-bed, but can never be an oak. Even royalty itself is not able to give that dignity which it happens not to find, but oppresses feeble minds, though it may elevate the strong. The world has been governed in the name of kings, whose ex- istence has scarcely been concerned by any real effects beyond their own palaces. When therefore the desire of wealth is taking hold of the heart, let us look around and see how it operates upon those whose industry or fortune has obtained it. When we find them oppressed by their own abundance, luxurious without pleasure, idle without ease, impatient and querulous in themselves, and despised by the rest of mankind, we shall soon be con- vinced, that if the real wants of our condition are satisfied, there remains little to be sought with solicitude or desired with eagerness." But even Johnson had to admit that all the preaching of all philosophers did not lead men to prefer moderate means to great riches, for he says:—"I know not whether it can be shown, that by all the wit and reason which this favorite cause has called forth, a single convert was ever made; that ever one man has refused to be rich, when to be rich was in his power, from the conviction of the greater happiness of a narrow fortune."

Here's a good joke on a Woodstock fellow. He arrived in St. John recently, was driven to the hotel at which he was accustomed to put up. He shook hands with the clerk who expressed pleasure at seeing him again, and the bell boy, mindful of many a generous tip, smiled a broad welcome. The Woodstocker asked for a room and the clerk, straightening up his shoulders, now becoming bent by the weight of a large piece of plate glass he wore in his bosom, examined the book, "Mr. Woodstocker," he said, "we will give you your old room. Here buttons, take this gentleman's valise to the room he occupied on his last visit." Buttons was a boy with a good memory, and had not forgotten where Mr. Woodstocker spent his time. He picked up the valise and carried it to the bar room. This is a true story but its a dead secret. I only happened to hear it from the fact that a fellow who was there told his wife, who told it at the sewing circle, the president of which told an aunt of mine, who told me.

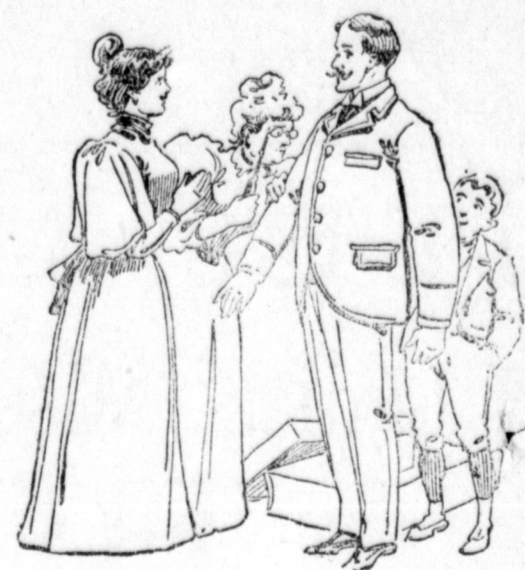
Woodstock has contributed its quota of tragical events within the past few weeks. One is yet the talk of the town, and it is sad beyond expression. A young man full of the energy of business, just the kind that aids to build up a business, and in doing so, help the community, is literally swept out of ex- istence—as far as our experience of existence goes—in the twinkling of an eye. The words, not from the Bible—though many think they are, uttered and written by some ecclesiastic, on an occasion like this, strike us with ir- resistible force: "In the midst of life, we ate in death."

At the meeting of the Association of Chambers of Commerce held in London, a resolution was passed in favor of the establish- ment of a system of penny postage through- out the Empire. The Duke of Norfolk, Postmaster-General, who was present at the meeting, said he thought the moment pre- mature for any such change in the postal system as the resolution demanded. When the Colonies joined the Universal Postal Union, he said, it was agreed that the then exist- ing rate of postage should not be cheapened until 1897.

The readers of THE YOUTH'S COMPANION have a liberal allowance of the good things appropriate to the season, in the Eastern Number just received. Each week's issue has of late made a surprising display of excellence, and the Easter Number is good enough to satisfy the paper's readers for a whole month. The calendar promises, how- ever, that there will be four other issues during April.

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