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## NO SUBSCRIPTIONS HERE.

Last week, we suggested that a fitting way to commemorate the Queen's diamond jubilee would be in the establishing of a public library. We think that the idea would meet with the approval of a majority of the citizens. Man does not live by bread alone; gossip becomes monotonous after a time while the reading of interesting and good authors is instructive and entertaining.

There are so many schemes afloat, for which the citizen is asked to contribute a dollar or so, that he is not to blame if he puts his foot down and says, this kind of thing must stop.

In starting a public library and reading room there would be no need of running round with a subscription list. The contributions of families and individuals would be in books. Almost everyone has a book or two which would be of interest to somebody else. Let all such be gathered together and form the nucleus of a public library.

The town council does not wish to pay any money in grants. Will they, if called on, appoint a library committee, and give a corner, somewhere in the town building, for the purposes of a library? Surely this is not an unreasonable demand.

For a time it would be necessary to have volunteer librarians, the library to be open two or three evenings or afternoons in the week. Everyone having the privilege of borrowing the books of the library should pay a small monthly fee, to be fixed by the committee. Something by way of a fine for books kept over a certain time would be imposed.

Here is a proposed start for the public library. THE DISPATCH will gladly publish any suggestions which citizens may feel kindly enough disposed to make.

## THE MERRY GAME GOES ON.

Matters have not improved at Fredericton this session, and the number of fault finders with our provincial law-makers is on the increase. The commercial travellers' tax has been abandoned, so strongly did public sentiment set against the proposition.

Now, the latest thing and the most grotesque and outrageous is the proposal to add another minister to the already overcrowded cabinet.

The commercial travellers' tax was bad, but this new departure is even worse.

We have a province, not growing in population, at a decent rate, containing enough inhabitants to make one good city of the second class. We have a rapidly increasing public debt, an unsatisfactory financial position generally, and the most expensive governmental machine, probably, on top of the earth. And, now, a new minister is needed. He is to be called a Minister of Agriculture—this is to appease the farmer,—poor gullible farmer!

What is the record of New Brunswick government of late? Increase, increase, increase. More members needed, more money needed, more taxes needed, more ministers needed. No sign of reduction of expenditure. The word economy has been banished from the legislative dictionary.

Public sentiment should make itself heard on this new minister business, as it did with respect to the travellers' tax. Indeed the government is said to have already concluded that another office must not appear to be created, anyway.

The execution of Sullivan has re-aroused discussion on the question of capital punishment. It appears that in the adjoining state of Maine, the extreme penalty is imprisonment for life. A St. John exchange says that murders in Maine are frequent. Another St. John exchange of the same date reports a horrible murder in Wolfville, N. S. In this case Sullivan's fate does not appear to have had a terrorizing effect.

President Kruger of the Transvaal made a speech in the Orange Free State recently in which he said he was aware he must abide by the London convention, but the Queen was a troublesome woman, and it was consequently necessary to deal with the question of union very cautiously. Rather hard on the Queen—and in the year of her diamond jubilee, too.

The Provincial Legislature prorogued on Saturday. Before doing so, they passed a loyal address to the Queen. Very good in its way, but a motion to cut down expenses would be more practical and timely.

## Greatest in the World.

Locan E. Adams, Deep Brook, N. S., says: "I have taken Norway Pine Syrup with grand results. I had a very bad cough for five weeks and could get no relief, but after taking one bottle of Norway Pine Syrup I was entirely cured. It is the greatest cough medicine in the world."

## SCOTT ACT LEGISLATION.

Council By Two-Thirds Vote May Dismiss Inspector.

In the legislature on Friday last Mr. Dibblee committed a bill to revive and continue the incorporation act of the Woodstock and Centreville Railway Company. Agreed to with amendments.

Mr. Dibblee committed a bill to incorporate the New Brunswick Loan and Savings Company Ltd. Progress was reported.

Mr. Fowler committed a bill in amendment of the Liquor License Act of 1896 giving county councils power to dismiss inspectors under the Canada Temperance Act on two-thirds vote. The bill called out a lively discussion on temperance legislation generally. Some were opposed to it because it gave an opportunity to dismiss an inspector without cause. There was a division and the section was carried by the following vote:

Yeas—Tweedie, Emmerson, Dunn, Ferris, Shaw, Alward, Pinder, Black, Martin, Bertrand, Paulin, Legere, Sivewright, O'Brien (Northumberland), Fowler, Dibblee, Veniot—17.

Nays—White, Stookton, Pitts, Lochart, Morrow, Smith, McCain, Carpenter, Howe, Russell, Killam, Wells, Hill, O'Brien (Charlotte) Porter, Beveridge—16.

## Books Worth Reading.

Each year sees a number of almost worthless books turned out by the printing presses. It is quite rarely that you find one really worthy of perusal, particularly if it is in the fiction line. An exception to this rule is certainly found in "A Conspiracy of the Carborari," by Louise Muhlbach, translated by Mary J. Safford. The book is published by F. Tennyson Neely, New York, and bears the imprint 1896. The binding is very unique and artistic, and is a true index of the soul of the work. It is a capital story, the scene laid in the time of Napoleon, and one is able to get an idea of the many secret enemies Bonaparte had. A good healthy excitement in the reader, is kept up, and at the conclusion of the work, he is glad of a happy ending, instead of one involving murder and suicide. Part of the story, at any rate, is founded on fact. Copies of this work will be found on Mr. Everett's bookstand.

## Work and Worry.

Over-work, worry and mental strain last spring caused heart trouble, nervousness, sleeplessness, etc. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills helped me at once and finally cured me. I feel like a new man.

(Signed) THOS. SINTZEL,  
Wholesale Clothier,  
Toronto, Ont.

## ARTIST ADNEY'S REVENGE.

He Wrecked the Whistle on an Italian Peanut Roaster.

An Italian peanut virtuoso at Flushing, L. I., who roasted the succulent goober, with the aid of a high C'stack whistle, has stirred the demon of unrest in a fashionable boarding house kept by Mrs. L. Y. Hopkins. The long drawn wail of the whistle was particularly annoying to Tappan Adney, an artist of nervous temperament, who loved solitude, and the endless solo moved Mr. Adney to deeds heroic.

Sweet peace reigned in the boarding house until the Italian opened a fruit store across the street. He worked his peanut roaster overtime, and the whistle that proclaimed the presence of the industry could be heard four blocks. The whistle usually started at daylight and continued its merry lay until midnight. Mrs. Hopkins spoke to the Italian. The hired man, the cook and the boarders, including the nervous artist, appealed to the peanut virtuoso in turn, but he only threw in more charcoal and whistled louder than before.

Late Tuesday night while Artist Adney sat in his studio at work the sound of the whistle goaded him to desperate resolve. Grabbing his cane he rushed across the street and asked that the whistle be stopped. "Nice hotta peanut only five a baga," said the Italian with a smile.

Whack went the cane of Artist Adney and the whistle was a total ruin. The nervous man escaped, and quiet reigned until noon yesterday. When the Italian started up with three steam whistles that gave an admirable imitation of a steam calliope. The artist is prostrated and the rest of the boarders have taken to ghost dancing.—New York Journal.

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 drops only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

## A Hard Working Minister.

A gentleman who returned from Ottawa last night, where he went to interview the government, told a reporter this morning that the Hon. Mr. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, is the busiest member of the cabinet today. When he was there the ante-room and corridors were crowded with deputations from the north, south, east and west, all anxious to see the minister. So numerous are they that several had to return home without seeing him, one or two from Montreal.—Montreal Witness.

## Election in Bonaventure.

Federal election in Bonaventure, P. Q., today. Mr. Guite is the government and Mr. Cyr the opposition candidate.

## Expiated.

John E. Sullivan, found guilty of the Meadow Brook murder was hanged on Friday morning. The afternoon previous his spiritual advisers were with him almost continually. His aged father, two young brothers and two younger sisters called to see him. His father and sisters wept bitterly, and the condemned man quietly reprimanded them for their weakness and tried to console his sisters. One of the family delivered him letters from his aged mother, whose health would not permit of her attendance; and, in accordance with her request, he spoke feelingly to his brothers and warned them of danger and bad company.

Sullivan ate heartily before retiring at night and in the morning partook sparingly of his breakfast. He told his gaoler that this would be the happiest day in his life; but he made nothing in the nature of a confession. Just before the time of the execution Sullivan returned a watch which he had borrowed from a fellow prisoner, and sending for Gaoler Bowes' two boys he gave one of them a five-cent piece as a keepsake.

At 7.45 Sullivan's spiritual advisers announced that all was ready, and the condemned man was escorted to the scaffold. The clergymen recited the usual prayers for the dead. The prisoner was very pale, but walked with a firm step, and was apparently one of the most unconcerned men present. Just as the procession started, he kissed Gaoler Bowes good-bye.

Arriving at the scaffold, Sullivan surveyed it thoroughly, but displayed no fear. His spiritual adviser asked him if he forgave every one in the world, and to this interrogation, Sullivan replied in a firm voice without nervousness: "I forgive all men."

He then recited prayers in a low voice, and bade good-bye to several officials and acquaintances, including the hangman, Radcliffe. The black cap and noose were adjusted, and after Sullivan had cautioned the hangman to make no mistake, the weight fell, and the body bounded up.

All was over—John E. Sullivan, guilty or innocent, was no more. He died without making a public statement of his connection with the terrible crime, which has made the Meadow Brook locality famous.

## Respected Debec Citizen.

John Laverty, a well known and highly regarded gentleman, died at his residence near Debec, on Thursday morning last, at the age of 71 years. Mr. Laverty was born in Manguerville, received a good education and taught school for 10 or 12 years. He was an Elder of the Presbyterian church, was for many years Superintendent of the Sunday School at Debec, and was a teacher in the school until ill health made it impossible for him to take his class. He was also a member of the Carleton County Council for a number of years. Mr. Laverty leaves a widow, five sons and four daughters. The funeral, which took place on Saturday, was largely attended. Rev. Thomas Miller conducted the service at the residence and preached a funeral sermon in the church at McKenzie Corner on Sunday morning. Mr. Laverty was an honourable and industrious gentleman and had a large circle of warm friends who extend their warmest sympathy to his family.

## Notice of Sale.

To Margaret A. Henderson, Administratrix of the goods and chattels, rights and credits, which were of Joel S. Henderson, late of the Parish of Richmond, in the County of Carleton, farmer, deceased, and all others whom it may concern:

TAKE NOTICE that there will be sold at Public Auction, in front of the office of Vince & Jones, attorneys-at-law, on King Street, in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, on THURSDAY, the Twenty-Second Day of APRIL Next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the following lands and premises namely: All that certain tract, piece and parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Parish of Richmond, in the said County of Carleton, described as follows: As part of Lot Number Five (5) granted to the late Samuel Tibbitts and part of Lot Number Six (6) granted to the late Robert Henderson, and bounded as follows, to wit: commencing at a cedar stake drove near a spruce tree on Lot No. 6, being one hundred rods from the reserved road on the front of the fourth tier of Lots, thence north sixty rods, thence west two hundred and thirty rods, thence south forty rods, thence east one hundred and ten rods, thence south sixty rods, striking Kent Road, so called, thence running along said road one hundred and eighteen rods to the place of beginning, containing eighty acres more or less being same land conveyed by Thomas E. Henderson to Joel S. Henderson by Indenture of Deed bearing date the fourth day of May, A. D. 1885, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

The above sale will be held under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the fourth day of May, A. D. 1885, and made between Joel S. Henderson, of said Parish of Richmond, Farmer, of the one part, and Thomas E. Henderson, of said Parish of Richmond, Merchant, of the other part, which said mortgage is registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for said County of Carleton, in Book D, Number Three of Records, on pages 607 and 608, default having been made in the payment of the moneys thereby secured.

Dated this eighth day of March, A. D. 1897.

ALFRED H. HENDERSON, Assignee.

## NOTICE.

A meeting of the shareholders of The Watson Manufacturing Company Limited will be held at the office of Hartley & Carvell, Barristers-at-Law in the Town of Woodstock, N. B., on Thursday the 1st day of April next at 8 p. m. for the purpose of organizing the Company, electing directors and such other business as shall come before it.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., March 15th., 1897.  
S. A. WATSON,  
J. C. HARTLEY,  
C. F. CARPENTER,  
J. A. LINDSAY,  
J. ALBERT HAYDEN  
Provisional Directors.

## Everybody In On Saturday Night.

The Grand Opening of A. J. Grey's Haberdasher store. You will see Gentlemen's Furnishings such as you have never seen before in Woodstock. I am in possession of my store now and am opening my stock. Everything is new. New Styles in Texture, Colors and Make-up. I can sell you Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Gloves, Ties, Braces, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Underwear, Umbrellas, Walking Sticks, and a host of other things that every gentleman needs.

A. J. GREY, 2 Main Street, Lynch Block.

## Overshoes, Gum Rubbers, Larrigans, Moccasins.

Our winter stock did not move out quite as rapidly as we expected, and we must sell it in order to make room for Spring Stock. We can give you cold weather goods at prices that you can scarcely see without a microscope. We can't give these goods away, of course, but will do the next thing to it.

J. FRED. DICKINSON,  
Corner of Main and Connell Streets.  
Colored Glass

will protect your eyes from the bright sun these beautiful days. Let us sell you a pair, ONLY 10 AND 25CTS. well worth more money, but we have more than we want, which accounts for the remarkably low price.

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Agent N. B. Telephone Co., C. P. R. Telegraph Co.  
Official inspector of time pieces on the C. P. R.

NEW  
Produce Market.

C. L. TILLEY & SON

have opened a new produce market in Grant, Birmingham & Co.'s Warehouses, South Side of Bridge, where they will buy all kinds of Farm Produce FOR CASH. They will pay 17 cents a pound for Butter in the granule, washed but not salted, if in good condition. They invite the people of Woodstock to call on them when looking for supplies.

## C. L. TILLEY &amp; SON.

Pure Spices,  
Pure Essences,  
Perfumes,  
Patent Medicines,  
Hair Brushes,  
Tooth Brushes,  
Nail Brushes,  
Clothes Brushes,  
Sponges,  
Herbageon,  
Humphrey's Specifics,  
Turkish Dyes,  
Diamond Dyes,  
Druggists' Sundries.  
At Lowest Prices.

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The undersigned offers for sale his farm containing one hundred and fifteen acres of land under good cultivation, a good house and three good barns, and granary, well watered, handy to schools, churches, and post office, three miles to town of Woodstock. At a bargain. Apply to GEORGE E. SMITH, Jacksonville, N. B.

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For  
Three Months

Commencing with February First we will sell at greatly Reduced Prices our stock Stamped Linen Goods, China, Games and Fancy Goods. We must clear out a lot of this stock, for we are going to turn the carpenters loose in the store to tear out partitions and give us more room.

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CATARRH CURE  
is the coming popular medicine.  
Several cases of malady  
have been cured.

That Catarrh has hitherto baffled medical skill is because the nature of the terrible malady has not been understood. Catarrh most frequently originates with snuffles in childhood. Its seeds take deep root, show their virulence with change of seasons and increase with age. Instead of remaining a local disease of the nasal organs, catarrh becomes a parasitic virus of the mucous membrane, as smallpox is a virus of the blood. From the nostrils the malignant poison eats its way into the ducts of the head and follows the mucous lining into the Bronchial tubes, the intestines, kidney and genitals. For sale by all druggists.

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