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ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed Assessors of the Rates in and for the Town of Woodstock for the present year. All persons owning property in the Town may within Twenty Days give in a statement of their property and income as provided by law.

Dated at Woodstock, March 22, 1900.
CHARLES COMBEN,
EMERSON L. HAGERMAN,
HARRY NASH.

THE TRUE STORY

Of the Canadian Work at Paardeberg.

A correspondent while endeavouring to do justice to the Canadians was mistaken as to the facts and the following letter to "The Friend" a paper published in Bloemfontein by the general commanding the division in which our men were, may be taken as a true statement. It is as follows:—

Bloemfontein, March 17, 1900.

To the Editor of the "Friend":

"DEAR SIR—I have read your account of 'The Canadians on Majuba Day' in your issue of yesterday. It is correct up to a certain point, but the last part of it is quite erroneous.

"In justice to this gallant corps and to the company of Royal Engineers who were with them, I trust you will publish this letter—which recounts what actually happened from the moment the Royal Canadians advanced from the trench, 550 yards from the enemy, until they established themselves and made a new trench within 93 yards of the Boer trenches.

"At 1.15 a. m. (on the 27th of February), the Royal Canadians with 240 men in the front rank, the latter with rifles slung and entrenching tools, and about 30 officers and men of the Royal Engineers under Lieut-Col Kincaid, forming the right of the rear rank of the Canadians, moved steadily from the trench, shoulder to shoulder, in the dark night, feeling their way through the bushes and keeping touch by the right.

"At 2.50 a. m. they were met by a terrific fire from the enemy's trench, now only 60 yards in front of them.

"The line was forced to fall back, but only a very small distance; the right of it, under Captains Scares and Macdonnell, Royal Canadians, some 20 yards, where they lay down in the open and returned a steady fire—mostly volleys—for the next 1½ hours; the left had had to fall back rather further.

"Under cover of these two captains, Lieut-Colonel Kincaid and his R. E. officer and men and the Canadian working party in that part of the line, constructed trenches in spite of the galling fire, and by daylight had completed a most admirable work which gave grand cover, fire in all threatened directions, and was so well traversed with banks and sandbags that not a single casualty occurred after it was occupied.

"As day dawned a ruined house was noticed on the opposite bank of the river, from which this work could be enfiladed, and a party from the reserve (A Company) was sent up the left bank to occupy it.

"To cover the early morning attack as soon as the burst of fire opened at 2.50 a. m. the Shropshires, in order to hold the enemy in the main laager, engaged them with long range volley, whilst the Gordons remained partly in the open and partly in the most advanced flank trench, which latter they lengthened and enlarged, ready to move forward in support.

"Shortly after daylight a white flag was flying in the Boer trench, which was 93 yards from our newly constructed trench, and soon the Boers came trooping into our line. They stated that they had no orders from Cronje to surrender, but that they heard he intended to give in on the 28th of February.

"The result, however, of this gallant operation was that General Cronje altered his date one day earlier.

"Your account says that our losses were comparatively small; so they were for the results gained and considering the heavy fire which continued for nearly two hours at 80 yards' range. They only amounted to 45 casualties in the brigade—thus, 12 N. C. O's, and men, Royal Canadians killed; 30 N. C. O's and men, Royal Canadians, wounded, and 3 officers wounded, Major Pelletier and Lieut. Armstrong, Royal Canadians, and Lieut. Atchison, K. Company, Shropshire Light Infantry. A fold in the ground exactly covered the spot where the party was working; hence the absence of casualties in the Royal Engineers and the slight losses in the working party of the Royal Canadians.

Yours faithfully,

H. L. SMITH-DORRIEN,
Major-General,
Commanding 19th Brigade."

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"TIRED" IRON.

A Method Discovered by Which It Be Recuperated by Electricity.

As is well known, iron or steel used in structures, such as bridges, the frames of buildings, etc., "gets tired," in course of time; that is, it undergoes some sort of molecular alteration or crystallization that causes it to deteriorate. From this cause steel springs often lose their tension and razors their temper. In all cases the metal will recuperate after rest, just as the tired animal muscle will. It has been reported that an Italian engineer has discovered that an electric current may be used to hasten the process of recuperation. Says Electricity

(December 13th), which gives us this information:—

"The story of the discovery, for the truth of which we cannot vouch, runs as follows:—The inventor was awaiting his turn in a barber shop in a town in Italy, and heard the barber abuse his favourite blade because it was doing poor work. The razor was simply "tired." The inventor immediately jumped to the conclusion that the razor was suffering from crystallization due to a change in the relative position of the molecules, and the rest from vibration would restore it to its original condition. He purchased the razor, took it home, and began experimenting. First, he tried, by the vibration of turning forks, to destroy crystallization in the metal, but in vain. Then he inserted the razor in a solenoid, and passed an electric current through the latter. The blade was much improved, but had by no means been restored to its original condition. The experiment was about to be abandoned as a failure when the inventor bethought him that an interrupted current might bring about the desired result. This he tried, and was rewarded by success.

"Although it must be acknowledged the above story sound, to put it vulgarly, "fishy" it is claimed this electrical method of restoring lost qualities in iron and steel has been tried on a "tired" web member of a bridge with success."

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After our long winter and late spring, a host of people of every age have been left in a weak, languid, and depressed condition of health. The nerves are unstrung, the body is emaciated, the blood is stagnant and impure, digestion is faulty and constipation is doing its deadly work.

Your safety, health and future physical happiness demand the immediate use of Paine's Celery Compound, whose marvellous virtues are recognized by our ablest physicians, many of whom make personal use of it in their homes. Dr. A. W. K. Newton, writing to the proprietors of Paine's Celery Compound, says:

"The formula of Paine's Celery Compound led me to give it a personal trial, and I was much pleased with the result. I prescribe it for men and women who have no appetite, cannot sleep, and for the weak and rundown. For this condition, and for disorders of the blood and nerves, it has no equal. It is the best possible remedy to keep up one's strength and energy during the spring and summer months."

A Midnight Adventure.

It is really astonishing the luck that some persons have, verifying the truth of the old saying, "It's better to be born lucky than rich." Now, a young man started, a few weeks ago, one fine afternoon, when the roads were at their dead worst, to drive some lumbermen over to Houlton. He got through all the dangers of the trip over, without incident. It was well on in the evening when he left for home, and a short way out of Houlton, became sleepy. He was used to long drives, perfectly at home among horses, and even more friendly with the particular animals which he was driving. He let the horses take their own head for it. About two miles this side of Houlton, the horses which were well acquainted in that district, left the main road and went off away up and up into the fields until the road ended nowhere, and the horses stopped. The driver who, as aforesaid, had been having something of a sleep awoke, and behold! he was off the track. He tied the horses to a fence or a tree and started in search of the road. After a long wandering he succeeded in locating the highway, and then decided to trek back and find the horses. But this was no easy job. He had left the horses to find the road, and now he had found the road and lost the horses. There was nothing for it but to tramp back to Houlton and get a lantern. After this was accomplished, the road into which the guileless horses had led him, was found, and after following it to the nowhere where it had ended, the horses were discovered quite good natured and at their ease. Once more the road for this town was taken, and horses and driver arrived safely in Woodstock, not a whit the worse for the adventure, and having cleared the big hole in the road near Woodstock, which had wrecked several teams, without so much as jarring a bolt.

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Told by Justice Brewer.

Justice Brewer the other day told a story of an Indian justice of the peace who owned a farm. One line of his fence formed the boundary of the states of Indiana and Ohio. Like others in rural districts who hold that office he had an abnormal appreciation of the responsibility of the office and never lost an opportunity to exercise his prerogative of demanding that the peace be preserved.

One day his son and his hired man got to fighting on a stretch of the farm near the boundary fence and the justice of the peace rushed out and mounted the fence. Then, with head cocked high and the air of one who has but to command, he shouted: "In the name of the state of Indiana I demand the preservation of the peace!" Just then the fence gave way under his weight, and as he went down with the fence toppling over to the Ohio side, he shouted to his son: "Give him the mischief, Jim; I've lost my jurisdiction!"—Lewiston Journal.

It is a Mistake.

To suppose that the kidneys alone are responsible for all the weak, lame, aching backs, backache as well as pain under the left shoulder blade frequently comes from the liver or complications of the liver and kidneys which can only be cured by using the great double treatment—Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

Canadian Magazine for May.

We have frequently drawn attention to the Canadian Magazine, Toronto, pointing out the excellence of the artistic get-up as well as of the letter press. The May number just to hand is quite equal to any previous number, with which we have been favored, and is of particular interest to Maritime people. The cover design is really admirable, and we all know how much a pretty cover is esteemed by magazine readers. The frontispiece, a scene in the Canadian Rockies, is beautifully clear and well executed. A. M. Belding of St. John contributes a capital article "A Seaward View," well and fully illustrated. Besides, the pleasure the reader derives from reading it, there is the undoubted effect it must produce on many, particularly, upper province people, who are undecided where to go this summer for an outing. Norman H. Smith has a catchy sketch of the Ottawa Valley. Charles G. D. Roberts writes a very pretty story, A Maid and Two Swords, while Frederic Villier's interesting and, one may say, thrilling sketches "Twenty Years on the War Path" are continued. As this is a tourist number, the beauties of the west and of Ontario, are shown forth, as well as New Brunswick's attractions. There is a capital short article by W. A. R. Kerr or Heine, with original translations of some of his songs. We have only mentioned a few of the articles in this edifying number. Altogether it is an issue of which the proprietors have reason to be proud, and of which, Canadians will not be ashamed, when compared with any of the leading periodicals of England and the United States.

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Mr. P. L. Stanhope, of Victoria, B. C. writes thus:

"I recently discovered that I had sufficient old materials such as flannel, cloth, yarns and discarded underwear stored away from which I could make a couple of fair size rugs for the floor. I sent to Wells & Richardson Co., Montreal, for two of their handsome rug designs. After they were received, I washed my old materials and colored them with Diamond Dyes to match the shade on rug patterns. I hooked the two rugs, and they are so handsome that all my friends admire them. The Diamond Dyes are, I think the best and most reliable for home dyeing. I certainly recommend them to all who make mats and rugs."

The Big Fire.

The recent fire in Hull and Ottawa is probably the worst of its kind in the history of the country, with the possible exception of the St. John fire some 23 years ago. But

great as has been the loss, it has been a means of again illustrating the unity of the Empire. England is doing nobly by way of contribution. Australia proportionately is equally generous. Africa and India are heard from. On Saturday the total contributions in cash were considerably over half a million of dollars.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the office of the undersigned Wendell P. Jones Barrister-at-law on Queen street in the Town of Woodstock on Wednesday the 30th day of May instant at eleven o'clock in the forenoon all the right title and interest of Daniel Bell, a Lunatic now confined in the New Brunswick Provincial Lunatic Asylum in and to the following lands and premises:

1. All that lot of land deeded by James H. Derrah to said Daniel Bell by deed registered in Carleton County Records in Book K number two on pages 356 and 357, and therein described as follows: "All that certain piece or parcel of land in the Parish of Aberdeen in the County of Carleton and Province aforesaid, bounded as follows, to wit: North, beginning at a post standing at the north western angle of lot number eighty-eight in Block four granted to Benjamin N. Brymer, thence running by the magnet of the year 1857 south seventy-two degrees east seventy-five chains, thence north two degrees east fifteen chains and twenty-five links, thence north seventy-two degrees west seventy-eight chains, thence south fifteen chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, containing one hundred acres more or less, and distinguished as Lot number eighty-seven in Block four."

2. All that lot of land conveyed to said Daniel Bell by Ziba Lockhart and wife by deed registered in said Carleton County Records in Book W number two on pages 221 and 222 and therein described as follows: "All that lot piece and parcel of land situate in the said Parish of Peel and Kent and County and Province aforesaid as follows: All that lot piece and parcel of land situate in the said Parish of Peel and granted from the Crown to Ziba Lockhart and bounded on the east by land occupied by one Joel Perkins containing by estimation five acres more or less.—Also all that piece or parcel of land situate in the said Parish of Kent being a portion of lot 199, commencing at the mouth of Barren Brook so called thence running up stream until it intersects with the side line of said lot number 199, thence running east along said line to the little Shiktehawk stream thence down the said little Shiktehawk stream to the place of beginning. Also all that portion of lot number 201 east of the said Barren Brook and situate in the said Parish of Kent. Also all that portion of lot number 202 situate in said Parish of Kent east of said Barren Brook and also all that portion of lot number 205 and situate in said Parish of Peel east of said Barren Brook. All of the above pieces and parcels of land are adjoining and form one block and containing in the whole by estimation ninety acres more or less."

3. All that lot of land conveyed to said Daniel Bell by one Timothy Buckley by deed registered in said Records in Book C number three on pages 687 and 688 and therein described as follows: "All that certain lot piece and parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the Parish of Aberdeen, County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick aforesaid, and bounded as follows, to wit: On the east and west respectively by a reserved road, on the north by lot number four in Range eight in the Knowlesville survey on the south by lot number two in Range eight Knowlesville survey aforesaid being known and distinguished as lot number three in Range eight Knowlesville, being lands granted by the Crown under the Great Seal of the Province of New Brunswick, dated the 5th day of August 1884 to said Timothy Buckley, and registered as number 20079 August 5 A. D. 1884."

The above lots one, two and three will be sold separately and the interest of the said Daniel Bell therein will be conveyed to the purchaser by the Commissioners of the said Asylum under the authority of the Acts of the General Assembly of the said Province fifty fourth Victoria chapter seven.

Dated at Woodstock in the County of Carleton, this first day of May A. D. 1900.

WENDELL P. JONES,

Solicitor for the Commissioners of the Provincial Lunatic Asylum.