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**W. B. BELYEA.**

## SENTENCED TO DEATH.

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them. He may have gone to school a few days in his life, he can scarcely read a line and he cannot write at all. In the course of his career from early youth to the age of 22 years he has exhibited such a character as one might expect from a boy who had the misfortune to be brought up under such influences and amid such surroundings. He has been arrested for being drunk, he has been convicted on more than one occasion for stealing and burglary, he has passed bogus money and now he has committed murder.

It is not to be supposed for a moment that poor George Gee is worse than any of the other inhabitants of that community. There are no doubt others there today who are as great a menace to the public as he has been. This young man, under the influence of jealousy, went too far. It is not to be thought that he is the first person in that community who has committed murder. Other murders have been committed in that Parish, and people have been placed on trial for them but have escaped. George Gee is the first one who has had the misfortune to be caught.

It is only a few years since we had a murder case from a district very near the Gee neighborhood and the evidence then disclosed the same shocking condition of morals as came out in this case, but the public could not understand, did not believe, that vicious practices were common in any district in the county.

The community of which George Gee is a product needs a sharp and severe lesson. It requires a shock to wake them up to a sense of their own miserable condition, to a knowledge of the rottenness of the life they are living. They must be taught that public opinion disapproves of them and all their ways and that it will not pay them longer to defy public opinion. They must be taught that the public have rights that must be respected, under very severe penalties. It would appear that nothing can affect that community but the death of George Gee. It would appear that nothing can strike terror to the hearts of those people but an execution. It is not a pleasant thing to take a man's life, but it appears that the public welfare demands it.

Since the sentence on George Gee has been pronounced our anger against him is somewhat spent. We think of him as much in pity as in anger. The poor devil never had a chance; if he had he might have been a decent man. He goes to the gallows as a horrible example to a wretched little community.

### Resolution.

At a late meeting of the church wardens and vestry of St. Luke's church the following resolution was passed:—

That we, the members of the corporation, desire to express and put on record our deep feeling of sorrow at the death of our late friend and fellow member of the church in this parish Mr. Richard Cluff. During the many years of his life spent in this community he won and maintained a character for uprightness, peace-loving and useful citizenship. He was for many years a most valued member of the corporation always helpful in the advancement of the church's interests. He was a regular and devout communicant and a liberal supporter of the church to the utmost limit of his means. We would extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Cluff and other members of his family in their time of deep bereavement.

### A Good Gum Proposition.

Estey & Curtis Company of Hartland are putting on the market a line of spruce gum, not only absolutely pure, but purified by a process they have lately perfected. They have secured the services of a man who has had nine years experience in the spruce gum business, and whose skill in selecting and blending the gum enables them to turn out an absolutely pure article that will be uniform in flavour, texture and colour. The gum is neatly wrapped in waxed paper and put up in attractive boxes, containing one gross each. There seems to be a demand for an article of this kind, for of all the dealers who handle gum, on whom Mr. Miller has called, four five of them have given him an order. A concern in Halifax that has handled spruce gum for years wrote to Estey & Curtis Company that the sample box sent them contained the best pure spruce gum they had ever seen, expressed a desire to handle it and asked for prices on 100 boxes. Dealers desiring to handle this gum may write for quotations to the Estey & Curtis Company Hartland.

### Won Some Prizes.

Wright & Everett, general agents for the North American Life Insurance Co., have received word of their success in a number of competitions carried on by the company. Mr. McBride of Winnipeg was the winner of the first prize for the largest amount of insurance written in three months, while Wright & Everett stood third. Out of seven other competitors this firm won first prizes in five, and have received a substantial cheque from the head office.—St. John Sun.

GIBSON BROS. got their drive out of the Gibson Brook last week.

## Interesting Sunday School Event at East Florenceville.

Sunday, May 1st, was a red letter day with the East Florenceville Baptist Sunday school when the largest attendance in the history of the school was assembled to celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of the founding of the school. After the opening of the school in the usual informal manner by singing, scripture reading and prayer, the lesson was taught to the respective classes. Col. A. D. Hartley the superintendent for the entire period then gave in a pleasing manner a splendid and encouraging report of the school for the twenty-one years, of which report the following is a summary:—

The East Florenceville Baptist Sunday school was organized May 5th, 1883, with the following staff:—Superintendent, Col. A. D. Hartley; Assistant Superintendent, R. W. Tompkins; Secretary-Treasurer, W. B. Tompkins; Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, A. A. Tompkins, (Mrs. Adolphus Lovely); Teachers, W. Tompkins, C. T. Boyer, Helen Lovely, (Mrs. Geo. Flannigan), Mary Tompkins, (Mrs. J. E. Waugh), Amanda Tompkins, (Mrs. Chas. Smalley), and Mrs. A. D. Hartley. The total enrollment at that date was seventy. The average for the twenty-one years, thirty. The grand total thirty-two thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine. The largest attendance, seventy-two; the smallest six. During the twenty-one years but eleven sessions have been lost, eight on account of storm and three on account of funerals. Fifty-six from the school have confessed conversion, fifty-three of whom have joined the Baptist church. Nineteen have died. Six have gone out to superintend Sunday schools in other localities. A total of \$510.00 has been raised by the school, the largest collection being \$5.00, the smallest six cents. On February 16th, 1885, the school was indebted \$7.20, today it has to its credit \$3.22. The average yearly cost of supplying quarterlies and papers has been \$16.15, which expenses have totaled \$347.76, while the remaining amount raised went toward other benevolent objects of the school.

After such report brief and fitting addresses were given by Pastor W. H. Smith, B. A., B. F. Smith, M. P. P., who represented East Florenceville Union Sunday school, Percy Hayward, principal of East Florenceville day school, Abraham Cronkrite, former principal of East Florenceville day school, Henry Taylor, of East Florenceville Union Sunday school, Jas. McIsaac and C. T. Boyer, former teachers of East Florenceville Baptist Sunday school and Mrs. A. D. Hartley the efficient primary teacher of the East Florenceville Baptist Sunday school. Further remarks of interest were given by Superintendent Hartley and then he was about to announce the closing selection of music when Pastor Smith came forward and presented him with the following address:—

"We, the teachers and pupils of the East Florenceville Baptist Sunday school, and friends, being called together on this occasion so extremely rare in Sunday schools, do wish to give expression of our appreciation and esteem of you, Col. A. D. Hartley, our worthy superintendent for such long time, and upon whose faithfulness and devotion rests so largely and most largely the pleasing success of the school. As a leader you have given us much inspiration, you have manifested such an intense interest that we, teachers, pupils, fathers, mothers and children have become the more interested."

We have been helped by your splendid review of the lesson Sunday after Sunday. We have appreciated your constant endeavor and success to bring to light and make emphatic the practical truths of the lesson thus making the school a place where both old and young might learn the folly and harm of the existing evils of the day, intemperance, popular amusements, etc.

Then, too, we have appreciated your method of general superintendence, never kept away by storm, never by matters of special interest which drew attention elsewhere, always there on time, your warm and cordial greeting, the informal manner in which the exercises of the school were begun and concluded, always using as your means to incite and hold interest the plain word of God. Thus your method, your choice of helps, and teaching, have been of such a nature, so orthodox, that there has been no tendency on the part of the members of the school to doubt or deny the inspiration and truths of the Bible.

Besides your inspiring and helpful leadership, your methods of general superintendence, we have appreciated your interest and help in other matters of vital importance to the school's existence and good, such as having the house duly warmed and all in readiness by the time the school assembled. All of this and much unmentioned has been done by you in such a splendid spirit that

again we would say, Col. A. D. Hartley, that we appreciate you as our worthy superintendent and hope that you may be spared with health and strength for many years yet to fill the place which you have so long and so well filled.

And, now, may it please you to accept from us this gold watch and chain, not as a reward for service, for such can be paid only in heaven's coin, but as a token of our appreciation of your services and a mark of our esteem and regard for you as a Christian worker."

Col. Hartley, though visibly affected, was able to give a most fitting reply to the address.

The school is to be congratulated on having at its head a man whose thirty-three years experience in Sunday school superintendence and whose knowledge of and loyalty to the word have made him most proficient.

Special music was given by the choir consisting of songs and anthems which added materially to the pleasure of the exercises. The service was throughout of deep interest and cannot but have an abiding and helpful effect upon those present.

ONE PRESENT.

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### Provincial Appointments.

The following appointments for the County of Victoria are gazetted:—

Witfield Craig to be a member of, and chairman of, the Board of Liquor License Commissioners in room of Thomas Elnick.

C. M. Leonard and William McPhail to be Justices of the Peace.

James McPhail to be an Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

Dennis Mulherin to be a Labor Act Commissioner for the Parish of Drummond, in room of Daniel J. Watson.

### Slipp-Smith.

A pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of John Smith, Pioneer, at five o'clock Wednesday afternoon, April 27th, 1904, the occasion being the solemnization of the marriage of his eldest daughter, Maggie, to Bert Slipp, eldest son of Howard Slipp, of Bridgewater. The bride looked unusually sweet in a pretty dress of white organdie trimmed with lace and white satin ribbon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. C. Turner in the presence of the immediate relatives.

The boys were on hand with their usual merriment and noise during the evening and after this tremendous outburst the young couple drove to their home at Bridgewater.

On Friday evening a reception was given them at the groom's home at which many of the friends of the newly wedded couple were present.

W. O. RAYMOND, B. A., of St. John, a graduate of the U. N. B. had the distinction of being first in every branch of his studies at the Diocesan College, Montreal, in this his second year. He won every prize in his class.

### MARRIED.

SHORT-ARNOLD.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Richmond Street, Woodstock, N. B., April 27th, by Rev. W. B. Wiggins, A. B., Fred W. Short, of Brown's Flats, Kings County, N. B., to Miss Isabel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold.

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### PIGS FOR SALE.

Pure bred, and grade Yorkshire pigs for sale. ROBERT PERRY, Plymouth May 1-2i.

## NOTICE.

The Marble and Granite Works of the late John Gallagher will be continued under the same name, J. Gallagher & Son, at the old stand, under the management of Gallagher Bros.

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