

Obituary.

Mrs. Margaret Bacon, relict of the late Daniel Bacon, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Partlow Watson, on Feb. 14th in the 94th year of her age. Mrs. Bacon came to live in this county thirty four years ago and after the death of her husband fourteen years ago, has been living with her daughter. Deceased had been confined to her bed for the past four years. The burial took place in Grafton. Among the floral tributes was a beautiful wreath from her niece, Mrs. Geo. E. Phillips.

Scheme to Harness Grand Falls.

Montreal, Feb. 22.—(Special).—In an interview here today Premier Tweedie made an announcement regarding the harnessing of the Grand Falls. New York capitalists have already made a deposit of \$40,000 as a guarantee of their good faith that in the near future they will put in an electric plant that will eventually lead to an expenditure of \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000.

The construction of a large pulp mill is also comprised in this Grand Falls enterprise, and Hon. Mr. Tweedie says they will be able to generate 40,000 horse power, and supply the city of St. John and all the intervening towns with light.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie says the project is quite feasible and will no doubt be carried out.

The premier also announced that his province had just received the first coal royalties ever paid into the provincial treasury and he felt greatly encouraged at the prospect of revenue from this source.

The United States War Department has advanced plans for the establishment of a great military post at Fort Niagara, at the mouth of the Niagara river opposite the village of Niagara on the Lake. People on the Canadian side of the river feel no apprehension over the formation of this big military post. On the contrary they rather like it. Niagara on the Lake is a somnolent little hamlet except in the summer months, when it is a health and pleasure resort largely patronized by the people of Toronto. A large garrison in the neighborhood will add to its attractions. Buffalo wanted to have it, and having failed, consoles itself with the hope that the city will grow down to it, a stretch of thirty miles or so. It is rather curious that while Canada has dismantled and allowed all her fortifications along the border to fall into decay, the United States should adopt a menacing policy. The United States papers are full of declarations that Canada has nothing to fear from the proceeding, but if we had set to work to build a similar for the same papers would have been full of denunciations of our scheme to devour them.

Delegate McGuire of Oklahoma has on his desk a unique request for seed. It comes from a resident of the Territory, who writes in this wise:

"My wife wants packages of flower seeds and packages of garden seeds. Please send the same to her. Don't send her any canary seed. That might make her want to sing, and the Lord knows I have trouble enough with her now on that score."—Washington Post.

Jan. 19 was the 300th anniversary of the publication of "Don Quixote," "the greatest book in the world after Homer's 'Iliad,' and one of the three written by man which the readers wished to be longer."

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Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 13, 1905.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislature Assembly of N. B. at the next session for the passage of an act to incorporate the Advent Christian Conference of N. B. Dated at the Town of Woodstock, for the County of Carleton the 21st day of February, A. D. 1905

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Johnnie's Diary.

Jan seven naught five.
I haven't rote in this for 3 hole daze i can't rite stand'p' up i think it paze to be more careful what yu do than i wuz on thee other nite i mean to tri t snuck into the parlor and i hid when sis expected mister jones i did and hid beneath thee sofa and o say yu otter seen him sis sent him away.

and he stude by thes doar and looct at her and sed he sed to sis yu've gone to fur butt i will luv yu wile i live and feel o sis he sed o sis mi lost eyed eel that maid me mad i krawled out of thair and cut a face at him and sed yu dair to call her that agen and i'll swat yu sis ain't no lost eyed eel yu big boo hoo

and then sis grabbed and run me from the place out in thee dining room and slapped my faice

and toled paw on me and he took thee strap and let me layin' crooswise on his lapp and that's awl rite fer sis sheel git it yet fer jony grene he ain't one to forget if yu called me a lost eyed eel i'd be rite glad foar sum one to stick up foar me Houston Post.

Far From the Land of Furnaces.

In the smaller hotels of southern Italy and of Spain, writes Mr. Hart in "Two Argonauts in Spain," the unfortunate tourists slowly freeze. The landlords display a touching solicitude about the stove. On days when fire is really needed to keep the guests warm they sometimes spend half their time trying to keep the servants from putting too much fuel on the fire.

To prevent Americans and other pyromaniacs from meddling with the fuel they often keep the coal-bin locked. It is a touching spectacle to see a group of Americans shivering round a little stove; to see the servant enter, take out a key, unlock the coal bin, put two or three spoonfuls of coal in the stove, and then lock the bin again; to see the gimlet eye of a Granada landlord fastened on him from the office; then to see the hapless Americans sink back into their overcoat collars and wish they were "back home."

As an instance of the desperation to which these cold hotels drive people, I once, in a Levantine hotel, saw an elderly spinster seat herself in front of the stove in the men's smoking-room, with her hair down, while an elderly female friend gave her a dry shampoo.

To the suggestion of the scandalized servants that she should finish this intimate toilet operation in her own room, she replied briefly that she had found the only warm place in the hotel, and proposed to finish the shampoo there, which she did.

Time and the Porker.

(From the Boston Traveler.)

A professor in an agricultural college had a hobby. He believed and preached on all occasions that the food of animals should be cooked, just like that of human beings. One day, while out driving in the country, he passed a farm, the owner of which was standing in a pen near the road feeding to a drove of swine generous quantities of corn in the ear. This caused the learned theorist to stop and forthwith hail the violator of his theory: "My friend, don't you know that if you would cook that grain before issuing it they would digest it in just one-half the time it takes them as it is now eaten?" "Wall, stranger, suppose they would; I'd like to know what in — time is to a hog!"

By the parcel post convention just concluded between Great Britain and the United States parcels can be sent to any address in either country from the other, but, strange to say, the people of the United States will not be able to send parcels by post within their own country. So far the express companies have been able to prevent the establishment of this great and obvious convenience by Congress Senator Platt, of New York, is generally understood to be the chief opponent of the desired extension of the post delivery system of Mr. C. W. Post, the millionaire patent food man, who seems to think that post in any connection is a good advertising word, has presented a petition to the Senate praying for his expulsion from that body because of his connection with the express transportation trust. In support of his petition Mr. Post has filed affidavits to prove that Mr. Platt has used his official position to defeat the bills for the establishment of a parcels post and post cheques because their enactment would interfere with his private business. It will strike most people that if this is a good and sufficient reason for depriving a senator of his seat in the Senate, a considerable number among the members of that august, it not very honorable, body would have to walk the plank with Mr. Platt. The Senate is largely composed of trust magnates whose attention is chiefly given to preserving their private interests by public legislation. Mr. Post's petition has been referred to a committee, and those who know how things are done in Washington say that will be the first of it. The boon that the international parcels post will confer will be in the case of the United States, as in our own, largely on one side. Parcels can go freely to Britain, but parcels going from Britain will subject the receivers to so many annoyances at the hands of the customs bureaucracy as to make the privilege almost valueless.

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MARRIED.

STEEVES MATTSOON.—At the parsonage Andover, February 22nd, by Rev. R. W. Demmings, Urbane Steeves and Mary Mattsson both of Washburn, Me.

MCINTYRE-ELLIS.—At the Brunswick House Woodstock, February 25th, by Rev. F. S. Todd, Mr. Wm. H. McIntyre and Mrs. Lizzie Ellis, all of Tapley's Mills.

DIED.

SOMERVILLE.—At Foreston, February 18th, of consumption, Charles Rutherford, son of Thomas and Esther Somerville, aged 16 years and 5 months.

TAPLEY.—At Florenceville, February 21st, after several months suffering from paralysis, Eunice, widow of the late James Tapley, aged 75 years, leaving a son and two daughters to mourn their loss.

ROGERS.—On a steamer near Arrowhead B. C. on February 12th, from injuries received while working on a landing at Glennie Bay the day before, Ira L. aged 27 years and 3 mos, eldest son of Samuel and Bell Rogers of Gordonsville, leaving a father, mother one brother, two sisters and an aged grandfather. The funeral services were conducted in the Baptist church, Bristol, on February 21st by the Rev. A. H. Hayward. Mr. Hayward had baptized deceased with others on April 9th 1899. The large congregation present testify to the esteem in which deceased was held.

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