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EQUITY SALE.

There will be sold at Public Auction, in front of the Law Chambers so called, in the town of Chatham in the County of Northumberland, on Tuesday, the Fifteenth day of March next, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, pursuant to the directions of a decretal order of the Supreme Court in Equity, made on the Twenty-First day of December, A.D. 1897 in a certain suit therein pending, wherein Robert C. Boyes and James S. Fairley Executors of the last will and testament of Scott Fairley, deceased, are Plaintiffs and William McDougall is defendant, with the approbation of the undersigned referee in Equity for the County of Northumberland, the lands and premises directed to be sold by the said decretal order and therein described as all that piece parcel or lot of land situate lying and being in the Lockstead Settlement, Parish of Blackville, County of Northumberland, granted by the said William McDougall as by reference to the grant will more fully appear and bounded as follows to wit. Beginning on the eastern side of the road from McLaggan's to Kenous River at the northwest angle of lot number one hundred and nine purchased by Isaac Watts, in Lockstead Settlement, thence running by the magnet along the said road north five degrees and twenty minutes, west twelve chains and fifty links to a stake, thence north eighty four degrees and forty minutes east eighty chains, thence south five degrees and twenty minutes, east twelve chains and fifty links and thence south eighty-four degrees and forty minutes west eighty chains to the place of beginning—containing over a hundred acres more or less, and distinguished as lot number one hundred and twelve, in Lockstead Settlement,

Together with all buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Terms of sale—Cash. For further particulars apply to Plaintiffs Solicitor.

Dated the fifth day of January, A.D. 1898.

L. J. TWEEDIE, Plaintiff's Solicitor. ROBT. MURRAY, Referee in Equity.

For the want of purchasers, above sale is postponed till Tuesday, the 19th day of April next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, then to take place in front of the said Law Chambers,

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An excepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, *for ten thousand dollars* ($10,000), must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
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Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 21st Feb 1893.

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Together with all buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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Stock list can be seen at the office of E. P. Williston, Esq, Newcastle.

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JAMES ROBINSON,
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St. John, N. B.

Assessors' Notice
Town of Chatham.

The Assessors for the Town of Chatham having been duly appointed hereby give notice that any person or body corporate liable to be assessed, or his or their agent, may furnish the assessors within thirty days from the date hereof with a written detailed statement of the real and personal estate and income of such person or body corporate, and every such statement shall be subscribed and sworn to before some Justice of the Peace for the county by the person or agent making the same.

Blank forms of statements may be procured from the assessors.

Dated at Chatham, 2nd of March 1898.

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REFUSED TO BE KING.

MORE THAN ONE MAN HAS SPURNED ROYAL HONORS.

Some of Those Who Have Declined to Wear a Monarch's Crown—The Golden Wreath That Was Offered to and Refused by Beaconsfield.

It is no mean distinction to have refused a crown. There is probably not one man in a million who would decline a kingdom if it were offered him, in spite of the restless nights and fearful days that are commonly supposed to be the lot of a king. Even Cromwell is said to have refused the crown of England more from fear of others than from any other motive.

But there have been many men since Cromwell who have refused to wear a monarch's crown. Thirty-five years ago, when the throne of Greece was vacant, more than one great English statesman might have ruled over the destinies of that classic country, but the difficulties in the way were formidable. Mr. Gladstone's name was freely mentioned in connection with the crown of Greece, though, as Mr. Gladstone was a member of the government at the time, the proposal never took definite shape.

The late Lord Derby, however, who had strong sympathies with Greece, was offered the crown and refused it, throwing away £50,000 a year and a kingdom. It was not the first time a man had declined to sit on the throne of Greece, Prince Leopold, the father of the present king of the Belgians, having refused the crown when Greece was declared a kingdom in 1830. Prince Leopold's reason for refusing the crown was that the proposed boundaries of the country were insufficient, the exclusion of Crete especially influencing his decision.

One of Queen Victoria's sons, the Duke of Edinburgh, has also been offered the Grecian crown. He was appealed to in the sixties at the time Lord Derby declined the crown, but was compelled to refuse the offer owing to the attitude of the powers, who strongly declared their opposition to Prince Alfred being crowned king of Greece. The throne was then offered to the present king, on whose behalf it was accepted by his father, the king of Denmark.

The crown of Austria-Hungary was refused in the middle of the century by the Archduke Franz Karl, the father of the present emperor. King Ferdinand I abdicated in December, 1848, the throne then descending in the ordinary course to Archduke Franz Karl. The archduke, however, declined the crown, which he handed over to his son, who still wears it.

Another crown which has been more than once refused is the crown of Roumania. When Roumania was declared a kingdom, it was settled that the throne should descend to Prince Leopold, the eldest brother of the then reigning king. The prince, however, voluntarily yielded his rights to the crown in favor of his son, Prince Wilhelm, the renunciation being registered in the senate in October, 1880. Prince Wilhelm remained heir apparent for eight years, but toward the end of 1888 he formally refused to accept the crown and his brother became heir apparent, being now Prince of Roumania. The prince has since married Princess Marie, a granddaughter of Queen Victoria.

Not many years ago a nephew of the great Napoleon died in exile, after refusing a crown. Prince Napoleon, nicknamed "Plon-Plon," son of a brother of Napoleon Bonaparte, was invited to sit on the throne of Roumania as the first king of that country, but he declined the offer, believing at the time that he might ascend the throne of France. So the bird in the hand flew away and the bird in the bush was never caught. The man who had hoped to be crowned king of France died out of that country in solitary exile. He had sacrificed one crown in the hope of receiving another and lost both.

Early in the present century Ferdinand VII renounced the crown of Spain in favor of his father, who again refused it in favor of Napoleon. The great conqueror had to face a nation in arms, however, and never took the throne.

The story of Lord Beaconsfield's golden crown provides us with another instance, though there was no throne with this strange crown. The man in whose brain the idea of crowning Lord Beaconsfield originated is now dead, but as long as he lived he never recovered from the blow of Lord Beaconsfield's refusal of his tribute. Tracy Turnerelli received subscriptions from 50,000 people toward his gold laurel wreath, but in June, 1879, when he formally offered the crown to his idol, it was refused.—Philadelphia Times.

The Supreme Hymn.

Speaking of hymns, the Rev. Robert Collyer said the other day: "I well remember one day when this subject was the object of a discussion between Ralph Waldo Emerson and Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes. The latter said that many of the so called hymns were mere pieces of cabinet work. Then his voice deepened, his eyes shone, as we remember him in his noblest moments, as he said, 'One hymn I think supreme.' Emerson threw his head back, as he always did when his attention was arrested, and waited. Dr. Holmes repeated the first verse:

"Thou hidden love of God, whose height,
Whose depth, unfathomed, no man knows,
I see from far thy beauteous light.
Inly I sigh for thy repose.
My heart is pained, nor can it be
At rest till it finds rest in thee.

"'I know—I know,' exclaimed Emerson. 'That is the supreme hymn.'"—New York Tribune.

Forcing Business.

Coster (irritable through lack of trade)—Buy a box o' cough lozenges—'ang yer.

Bystander—I haven't got a cough.

Coster—Well, fight me an buy some stuff for black eyes.—London Tit-Bits.

DANA AS AN EDITOR.

He Was Very Punctilious as to Typographical Details.

In all matters of detail, in literary manner, in the use of words, in grammar, punctuation and typographical method he was the most careful and exacting of editors. One time an editorial contained two lines of poetry in type of the same size as that of the text, and, as I was the author of it, Mr. Dana sent me an edifying note under the familiar signature, "Reason, Revelation, Science, Philosophy and Esthetics all require that these lines should have been put in small type." Upon another occasion, when he thought a verb had been improperly used in a manuscript, he wrote an admonitory sentence, "To say 'there are' in this passage would be unpoetic and consequently disgusting."

He took the blame whenever an error escaped his eye. "I take shame to myself," he wrote one time when the author of an editorial had confounded Boston brown bread with Graham bread, "for having printed this thing without scrutinizing it. The Sun is ignorant and wrong."

One day a man in California had sent an inquiry to the editor of The Sun, "Will you please tell me how to become a Christian?" and as I often dealt with religious questions at the time this appeal was received Mr. Dana blue penciled the back of the man's note with these words: "Why not give him a ripping answer? Give him the socialist side of Christianity."

When the writer of a book review had italicized eight or ten of his words, Mr. Dana commented thus: "This review is the best in the whole lot and is very good, but why in the world an experienced writer like —— wants to pepper his manuscript with nasty little italics I can't imagine."

When the writer of an editorial paragraph in The Sun wrote of "Govs. Cameron and Crittenden," the ever watchful critic in the sanctum got after him in a note left for me: "The term 'govs.,' 'gens.,' 'capts.,' etc., is disgusting. The titles have no plural as attached to any individual name. They should be repeated, or a circumlocution should be used."

In an editorial article printed in brevier type there had appeared an extract in agate type. The grammatical subject of a sentence was in brevier, while the verb for it was in the subsequent agate line. Mr. Dana wrote for my benefit: "This passage from big type to little is contrary to all sound principles of typographical elegance. Greeley used to make the passage and country newspapers still make it, but it is wicked."

When a writer for The Sun once described a man as "too condemn smart," the phrase was highly offensive to Mr. Dana, who wrote a caustic comment upon it in three words, which need not be here printed.—John Swinton in Chautauquan.

SPAIN'S CROWN JEWELS.

Brought to America by the Secretary of Joseph Bonaparte.

"In 1817 Joseph Bonaparte's secretary, Maillard, left Philadelphia armed with letters which represented him to be a traveling agent for Girard's commercial house and visiting Girard's correspondents in Holland and Switzerland," William Perrine writes of "When the King of Spain Lived on the Banks of the Schuylkill" (in Philadelphia) in The Ladies' Home Journal. "His real destination was the Swiss chateau at Prangins, from which the king had fled two years before, and his real object to secure the treasure which had been buried in the ground of the estate on the eve of his flight. Maillard found the buried packets, and with them he would also have brought to Philadelphia Queen Julie if her physicians had not compelled her to renounce the project of joining her husband.

"The jewels, which were valued at $1,000,000, were stuffed into a belt, which Maillard wore on his person when returning across the Atlantic, and with which he was gladly received by his master in the Lansdowne house, near Philadelphia. It was about this time that wild rumors began to circulate in Philadelphia concerning the ex-king's riches and of the hoards of specie which he had deposited in the vault of Stephen Girard's Philadelphia bank. Mysterious heavy boxes, sealed with wax, were believed by Girard's clerks to contain the crown jewels of Spain and Naples. One or two old men in recent years, who were then among those clerks, have told how Joseph would sit in the bank talking with them affably while waiting for the great banker."

A Dry Bath.

A Scotchman was once advised to take shower baths. A friend explained to him how to fit up one by the use of a cistern and colander, and Sandy accordingly set to work and had the thing done at once. Subsequently he was met by the friend who had given him the advice, and, being asked how he enjoyed the bath, "Man," said he, "it was fine! I liked it rale weel, and kept mysel' quite dry too." Being asked how he managed to take the shower and yet remain quite dry, he replied, "Dod, ye dinna surely think I was sae daft as stand below the water withoot an umbrella!"—London Answers.

Cause and Effect.

"Say, I haven't seen you at the club for a fortnight. What's the matter?"

"Just now I'm staying at home a good deal."

"Really?"

"Yes. My wife is visiting her parents."—Gaulois.

The largest bell in France has been hung in the belfry of the Church of the Sacred Heart in Paris. It weighs 25 tons, can be heard at a distance of 25 miles, and its vibration lasts six minutes.

Doing is the great thing, for if resolutely people do what is right in time they come to like doing it.—Ruskin.

PUMPING COAL.

The Modern Way of Taking Out the Cargo of a Sunken Canalboat.

The old way of recovering coal from a sunken canalboat was to raise the boat, with the coal in it, to a point where the coal could be reached. Chains were worked under the sunken boat from pontoons moored alongside of it. At low tide the chains were made fast on the pontoons, which, rising with the tide, lifted the sunken boat clear of the bottom. At high water it was taken inshore as far as possible, until it again grounded. This operation was repeated until the boat was brought to the surface. The new way, or, rather, the modern way, is to pump the coal up from the boat, wherever it may lie, and then raise the boat, if it does not raise itself. By this method the work is all done in very much less time and at very much less expense.

The pump used has no pump valves. It is a centrifugal pump, the suction being produced by means of a disk, with wings attached, turning at high speed within the pump shell, a circular chamber, to which the suction pipe is attached. An eight inch pump of this kind will pump grate or broken coal easily, and pump up a load of 300 tons in a day. It will raise coal from a boat sunk at any depth from 5 feet to 200 feet.

The pump and engine are installed on a wrecking boat, which is moored near the sunken boat. In this use the pump has a long flexible section of suction pipe attached to it, and to that are attached the various additional lengths of pipe that may be required to reach down to the coal. This pipe is made of wrought iron, and it is made in sections of different lengths, so that it may be joined to make a pipe of any length desired. At each end of each length of iron pipe is a flanger. As lengths of pipe are joined, the flangers are bolted together, with a rubber gasket between, to make the joint tight. The flexible suction pipe is held out over the water and over the sunken boat from the wrecking boat by a gaff, and iron pipe is added to the needed depth. By means of the gaff the pipe may be raised and lowered as occasion may require, as, for instance, to raise the lower end of the suction pipe from one part of the canalboat up and over a crossbeam connecting the sides, to be lowered into the coal in another part of the boat.

When the pipe is all joined on, it is not at once lowered into the coal. The pump is first charged with water, which is done in an exceedingly brief time, and in a very simple manner by means of a siphon attached to the shell of the pump. When it has been charged, the pump is started and the lower end of the suction pipe is then lowered into the coal, and coal and water are pumped up together and thrown out through the pump's discharge pipe in a continuous stream. A boat to receive the coal is made fast alongside the wrecking boat, and the coal from the pump is discharged upon a screen set at an incline between the two boats. The water runs through the screen and the coal runs on into the other boat.

The suction pipe can be handled for the most part from the wrecking boat. If any handling under water is necessary, a diver goes down for that purpose, and it may be that the diver brings within the power of the pump's suction remnants of coal left in nooks and crannies which it might otherwise not have reached. When the boat has been emptied, if it is not too much damaged or water soaked or too firmly bedded in the mud, it will float of itself. If suction holds it to the bottom, it will rise when it has been started clear.

Pumps of this kind are made of from 2 to 60 inches in diameter.—New York Sun.

The Two Lobes of the Brain.

In the ordinary working of the brain one half is more active than the other and exercises a superiority on its neighbor lobe. This lobe—in ordinary persons the left, of course—is the cerebral master. Heredity, education, or what we will—all the combined influences, in short, which mold human life—have tended, by some process of physiological selection, to place one lobe over the other in point of importance. The other (right) lobe is the servant of the left in a measure. Its education has been neglected, and it requires the control of its better cultured neighbor in order that life may be conducted in a sensible and sane fashion. The most hopeless cases of insanity, Wigan would have held, would be those in which both hemispheres were affected. If one was alone ailing, the other might exert more or less control over it, and the extent of the control would depend on which lobe exhibited the diseased action. All degrees of insanity or mental derangement could thus be accounted for on this supposition of the relative control of one hemisphere by the other. The perfect life is that in which the better and higher half controls the weaker and less responsible.—Andrew Wilson, M. D., in Harper's Magazine.

Something Like a Search.

A Welshman who was in London when extensive sewering operations were in progress lost his watch. He reported the matter to Scotland Yard, and the officials said they would leave no stone unturned to find the missing timekeeper. Shortly afterward Taffy again visited the metropolis and saw street after street turned up. He was told that in all 36 miles of road were in the same condition. He rushed down to Scotland Yard and exclaimed to the wondering inspector:

"I didn't think I was giving you all that trouble. If you don't find the watch by Sunday, I wouldn't break up any more streets."—Pearson's Weekly.

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