

Aspirations For Death.

FROM THE SPANISH OF SANTA TERESA.

O soul, held prisoner out of reach
Of God's great glory in this gloom
Of life, as in a living tomb;
O God, whose mercy I beseech,
When will my spirit rend the chain
Of this dark prison house of pain,
Where weeping, pining, faint I lie,
And die, because I cannot die!

How vain this only life I know!
This bitter cup from poisoned springs,
These soiled and broken spirit-wings,
Stained with my sins and dark with woe;
These fetters bound upon my feet,
That fain would rend their Lord to greet,
And from my soul goes up the cry,
I die, because I cannot die.

Here all is weak and poor and frail—
Even when my life with thine is blest
In Thy Most Holy Sacrament,
I long for death to lift the veil;
And if the death-pain, low and faint,
Is chanted for some dying saint
My prayer goes upward with a sigh—
I die, because I cannot die.

Death brings alone the soul's release
From all this weary, worldly strife;
For life is death, and death is life,
And through the grave we pass to peace;
O mournful exile of our years,
This life began and closed in tears!
In death I hope, to death I fly,
And die, because I cannot die.

My life is slain with sorrow's sword,
And still I know it is my sin
That leaves me this low world within;
Yet dead lips cannot praise Thee, Lord—
Oh! to breathe forth my soul's desire,
My burning love, with lips of fire!
Until that moment draweth nigh,
I die, because I cannot die.

To stand within the Golden Gate,
Bathed in the affluent light and love
Wherein the spheres systems move;
To see the circling angels wait
Around the great white Throne of Him,
The Lord of all the Seraphim.
O blessed life beyond the sky!
I die, because I cannot die.

My life, O God, I give to thee:
And lo, 'tis all I have to give,
And, losing it, begin to live
The life of immortality.
Are we not bound here unto death—
His bond-slaves, as the Spirit saith?
O give me freedom, life on high!
I die, because I cannot die.

Life shrouds us with its gloomy pall;
Yet still through blinding mist I see
Heaven's holy light stream down on me.
O God, my God, on Thee I call,
That soon before Thy face I may
Forever near Thee, wholly Thine,
My soul may utter forth the cry—
I live, and never more shall die!

—BY THE LATE LADY WILDE.

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A well known writer declares that dyspepsia is a "home fiend." It is truly a cruel and torturing monster, and makes its slaves miserable specimens of a wretched humanity.

This enemy of thousands is effectually conquered by the mighty power and gentle virtues of Paine's Celery Compound, and the victims are released forever from the awful torment.

This is, perhaps, the worst season of the year for the victims of dyspepsia, indigestion, and stomach troubles. The great nerve system requires strengthening; the blood, now charged with impurities, may be made pure, so that it will course healthily and in abundance; the stomach, weak and unreliable, must be toned up.

Paine's Celery Compound will accomplish all these grand objects for the dyspeptic, and fit him for the proper performing of all his duties. Mr. Joseph Garrett, of Garretton, Ont., writes thus:

"I was laid up for months, and could not work, eat or sleep. Day after day I was getting weaker, when a friend advised me to take Paine's Celery Compound. I did give the medicine a trial, and before the first bottle was finished, I experienced a great change. I can now eat, sleep and work as well as any ordinary man, and I can truly say that Paine's Celery Compound is a wonderful medicine, and worthy of all the praise that people can give it. I advise all to use it for dyspepsia; as a purifier of the blood, it surely cures."

"Gatling Gun" Howard, of North-West and Labrador fame, arrived at Halifax from Liverpool last week, and was caned at the North street railway station by Colonel Peck, United States Customs officer, at that port. Peck passed the trunks of an American gentleman bound through to New York, who had come from Liverpool in the same steamer as Howard, and Howard claimed there was a lot of smuggled goods, mostly diamonds, among the contents. Peck resented the imputation that he had not done his duty, and after a hot exchange of words proceeded to administer Howard a severe caning.

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Moult - River Notes.

Nothing more than snow, and bad roads in this vicinity, the last two storms have been the most severe felt here for some time, but we have not heard of any one being storm stayed.

Quite a lot of illness has prevailed, this winter. Mr. Stephen Ward and family have the sympathy of the community.

We are glad to report that Mr. Wm. Stephenson is on a fair road to recovery. Our school has reopened and we are glad to see Mrs. Allanach in our midst once more.

Rev. Mr. Murray deserves credit for the interest he shows in starting many branches of the Home Study. The three on this river are doing good work.

The inclemency of the weather prevented Rev. Mr. Allen from holding the usual service here on Sabbath last, but he has been visiting here this week.

Miss Bessie Marshall, of Bass River, was the guest of Miss Mary Warman last week for a few days.

Mr. H. H. Warman and family moved to Moncton last week. We were sorry to see them go, Havelock will be much missed through the country as he was a general favorite. Mr. J. J. Warman takes his place in the business for Messrs Clark & Lounsbury of Newcastle. He will keep bachelor's hall in the house vacated by Mr. Havelock, but we believe it will be for a short time only. We wish you luck, Johnstone.

Mr. H. McPherson has gone to Campbellton, but will return in the Spring with a life partner.

Mrs. Gordon Warman and daughter have returned to Bass River after a pleasant visit at her mother-in-law's, Mrs. W. H. Warman.

Mr. Ed. Walker, our veterinary surgeon has gone to work with Mr. Roach. Boys be careful of your horses in the deep snow during his absence.

We hear that Ab still makes fortnightly visits across the river.

Where did George stop at on his way from Moncton making him arrive two days later than the other teams with which he started.

Miss Mary Dargavel entertained a few of her friends at a candy party last week, before her departure for Campbellton.

Sorry to learn that a few of our Bass River friends got badly disappointed Wednesday evening.

Mr. Albert Barnes is spending a few days with friends in Moncton.

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Nicholas River Notes.

We are glad to hear of Wild Bill Sr. among us as news is very scarce.

Jack says that the roads are better around by Kingston and candy is much cheaper.

Havelock says that he will take sheep for his pay if they are fat.

We are glad that the Kingston youth has not been seen in our vicinity lately and we hope our bird is safe.

Our dairy association held a meeting here last week and decided that the factory would run this year. Wm. Mundle was chairman.

WILD BILL, JR.

Kent Junction.

MARCH 16.—There is a void in our social world, whether an aching one or not I am not as yet, just certain. Phillis has flown. Fair Phillis! who discharged the duties of reporter with such unflagging zeal. Possibly the inclement weather caused the departure; possibly not. At any rate we have been treated to a delightful mixture of storm and shade—I was going to add sunshine, but I have no clear remembrance of any very lately.

We are quite quiet at Kent Junction just now. Several of our reading lights have withdrawn from "scenes festive," because it is Lent, and others who do not believe in the "season penitential," have had their spirits dampened from causes, which it would not do to make public. There are sensitive ones among them.

We had quite an exhibition of acrobatic skill here last week. The exhibitor acquitted himself in a manner which deserved a greater number of spectators. Some of our citizens proposed presenting him with a medal as a reward of skill, but before the kindly thought was put into execution, he departed to Canada. I hear communication has been opened up between that place and Coatesville by enterprising members of the Coatesville snow-shoe club. Will our Acrobat be in it?

On account of the storms the K. N. R. has been prevented from making a few trips. The Managers deserve all praise for the energy they have displayed in keeping the road open in the face of severe storms. Conductor Murray emerges from every difficulty as urbane and smiling, as if guiding a snow plough through Alpine drifts were his special vocation. The K. N. R. is blessed in its officials.

Rev. Mr. Freeborn, of Harcourt, and Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Richibucto, were here on Wednesday.

Miss Tillie Morton, of West Branch, is visiting at the Depot House.

Rev. W. Robertson, of Newcastle, Mr. J. D. Phinney and John Scott, of Richibucto, were here on Saturday.

Mr. James McKee has been numbered among the invalids this week, but I noticed his smiling presence in the vicinity of the post office yesterday. I infer that his health has improved.

It is difficult to understand how some young men can be so stony hearted. Think of refusing a lady's request to oblige her by chopping some wood, in the midst of last week's storm too!

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Casper Cronk's Millions For New Brunswick.

Many of the millions left by the 100 year will of Casper Cronk of Amsterdam, Holland, may be interested in reading to the scattered family, and this article may also reach the eye of some of the heirs who might be overlooked in the search. Three brothers, Jacob, James and Casper came to New York from Amsterdam about 1750, about 1776 or 1778 they went to New Brunswick with the U. E. Loyalists, 104th regiment, British Army. Caspar went back to Amsterdam, amassed wealth and made the strange will that should leave the property undivided till 100 years should have rolled by, which time ended April 1896.

Jacob, of most interest aside from Caspar, had a son John, John, a son Henry and Henry, a son Stephen, as he always wrote and signed his name but whose full name was Stephanus James Brazier Hawes Cronk. He was twice married, first wife Rebekah Parker, second wife, Catherine Cheyne. First wife's children, Henry T., Ontario; Mary A., dead, without children, David C., Westfield, Kings Co. N. B., Lavinia W. (Mrs. Robert Cheyne) dead, two children, Mrs. Bertha J. Parker and John F. Cheyne, Carleton, N. B., John P. Norwich, Ont.; Mrs. Deborah J. Pitt, Greenwich, Kings Co. N. B., Stephen J., dead, children by second marriage Benj. R., Greenwich, Kings Co. N. B., Mrs. Rebekah M. Welch, Westfield, Kings Co. N. B., George C. Fitzwilliams Depot, N. H., Wm. F., St. John, N. B., Catherine A., dead, Lowther W., Sarah, Boston, Mass.

CHURCH SERVICES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. Hamilton, pastor. The usual services will be held on Sabbath first, viz.:—Kingston at 11 o'clock a. m., and Richibucto at 7 o'clock p. m.

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The cases of suffering and want that were discovered in New York during the recent cold snap there, when the mercury fell below zero, fortunately have no parallel in this country. The daily press of the United States metropolis teemed with instances of poverty that were heart-rending in the extreme. Widows with young children huddled in tenement apartments without fuel or food and but a few rags of clothing to keep out the bitter and unusual cold that prevailed. In many cases the unfortunates had been suffering the pangs of hunger and pains of cold for days before they were found out by the newspapers and through this agency had their wants relieved. It seems an awful thing that in the midst of plenty the weak and helpless should be pressed into a dark corner to suffer in silence for the commonest necessities of life.—Ex.

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"I have been subject to severe colds every fall and spring," says Miss Hattie Delaney, of 174 Crawford street, Toronto. "I used many cough medicines, but none cured me until at a cost of 25 cents I tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine."

"My husband was troubled with the worst kind of piles," writes Mrs. Jane Potts, of Meyersburg. "He was often unable to work. Since using your Chase's Ointment he is completely cured. It is truly worth its weight in gold instead of the price you charge, only 60 cents."

"I bought a box of your Catarrh Cure for 25 cents at Mr. Boyle's drug store here," says Henry R. Nicholls of 176 Rectory street, London, Ont. "I am thankful to say it cured me." Dr. Chase's remedies at all dealers. Edmondson, Bates & Co., manfrs., Toronto. For Sale by W. W. SHORT.

Pine Ridge.

MARCH 9th 1896.—The reporter from Pine Ridge must have got buried under a snowdrift as we have not heard from him for a long time.

We are glad to report that Mrs. John Barton who has been ill for some time is convalescing.

Mr. John Girvan has returned from Rogersville. The roads are not well enough broken through the woods yet for him.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson on the arrival of a young son.

Can any one give our friend Alec a cure for boils?

I have heard a number threatening to shoot that dog of yours, Bob. I think you had better tie him up.

Miss Tillie Morton is visiting friends in Harcourt and Mortimer.

Miss Alma Girvan is going to the States. We wish her every success in her undertaking.

Take a quiet horse and a gun the next day you go to break the roads, Ed.

Miss Edith Black is teaching here during her sister's illness.

Well girls, I hope the next time you want to go to the Post Office the roads will be better.

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Upon hearing this the man innocently remarked:

"Faith your Grace, there is no necessity to dismiss me on account of scarcity of work, as very little would keep me busy. His ready reply amused the Duke, who gave orders for his retention."

—Dawson Oldham, a 78-year-old resident

of White Hall, Kv., never has missed

a sermon at the Methodist church in that

city in the forty years he has been a

member. He never has used tobacco in

any form, nor has he tasted whiskey.

K. D. C. Pills ton and regulate the bowels.