### PROGRESS SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3 1900

### The Retired Burglar.

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"One of the queerest experiences I ever bac' said the retired burglar, 'was in a house halt a mile from nowhere; that is to say halt a mile from the next nearest house on the outside skirts of a village that I was on the way to visit. As on a previous occacion that I have told you about I thought I could take this house in incidentally, just as a fiyer; Something that could be turned off in a minute without interfering with the other job, and as on the other occasion it turned out to be very different from what I expected.

"I didn't even reconnoitre this house by walking around it to see if there was any. body up, the bouse itself at this hour to still and quiet away out there in the lomesome fields, that it didn't seem possible that there could be anybody awake inside of it, so I didn't look around it at al The result went to show for about the million h time in my experience that you can't always tell I walked up the path from the road, and up on the steps and tried the front door; just on a chance. I have known people to lock up their windows very carefully and then forget the front door. Just that had been done here. This door had been left unlocked, and I opened it without the slightest trouble and simply walk d in and closed the door behind me.

'It was a plain, substantial, old fashioned home, with a narrow hall running back halt way through it, with doors opening off. There was a rather parrow stairs that came down almost to the front door. I prospected the lower part of the house without finding much that was any good to me, and gradually worked around again to the tront rocm door, opening on the hall where I'd started in. As I came near to door, and she didn't lock it either. that door it seemed to me that I could see some signs of light in the hall, where there

hell was plain enough, and also where it then if I had beard from her I should have came from. It was from some room upstairs, the door of which had been opened after I had gone into the front room and house, I thought to myself that that was off around that part of the bouse down about as strange an experience as I had stairs. I moved out swiftly into the ball to the stair railing and looked up. As I looked the light grew a bright light shed from a lamp carried by a woman who had come out of that room, wherever it was, and across the ball so rapidly that she was I read this advertisement one day in a stancing there, leaning over the upstairs newspaper: railing looking down at me, before I had a chance to get away. She stood with the lamp, a kerosene lamp, without any shade on the chimney, held up higher then her head, so that the light would get into her eyes, and so she could see me, and it brought her cut just as plain to me as though we had been sittin' opposite to each other in a room. In that sort of a situation I got just as clear an impression of her in a second as it I had looked at her for balt an hour. She was more than middle aged, gray haired, but rot old counting by what she could do. She was rather spare, but per fectly straight and trim and resolute; a little bard, maybe, but a firm and able woman and a better man than I was, as I did not for a moment hesitate to admit to myself. Still as I'd been downstairs, and there couldn't anybody have been any stiller, she'd heard me all the time, and followed me with her ears. She opened that door upstairs, and she came out to meet me when I'd come around to the hall.

came in the woman put the lamp that she wes carrying up on one end of a shelf behind a screen that was evidently placed there for this lamp to stand behind. There was in this room, too, another man; an o'd man, not quite so old in years as the man in the bed, but, even though he w s apparently well and up and around and able to work, yet actually more bent and broken. He was a help around the place, somebody who had been with these tolks always, and was now an old man. He was to be the other witness.

'We two got the man in the bed up so that he could write, and we were going to hold the will in front of him on a book, but he insisted on slewing sround, with his feet out so that he could sit on the edge of the bed and sign the will lying on the table. We fixed him so, doing up bis legs and feet atter we got him around. And then he signed He was an old man, but he knew Mr. W. H. Bowser of St. John, N. what he was about. He might have won dered a little at me, fain ly, but in his way about me, be was j st like his wife was, in hers. He was more concerned about his own affairs. He groaned when we slewed him round again, and got him straightened out and covered up in bed again. The help signed and I signed as withesses I put down for an address, after my name, a street and number that locked all right, but that to tell the truth I had put down just as they happened to come to me. The old lady was the boss just the same, but I'd got used to things there a little in the fifteen or twenty mirutes that I'd been there, and I couldn't leave her my real address on that

Atter the signing there wasn't much to do. The straight old lady told me, in the front rocm again, where we'd gone, she picking up that lamp from the shelf as she passed it, that when he should die the will would in the course of time have to be proved; and then she would want me to come and swear to my signiture as a witness Then she gave me some good ad vice and \$10, and ht me out the front 'Well, row, as a matter of fact I never

expected to hear from the old lady again had been absolutely none when I came in. | because that address I'd left wouldn't 'When I got to the door the light in the | help a letter to reach me very much, and been very doubtful about appearing, anyway. So when I turned away from that ever had, but I thought that that was the end of it right there, that it was complete. as you may say, in one chapter ; but eleven years, mind you, and this was more than six years after I had retired trcm business, Witness-Please call for letter at General Post Office. 'Now there was about ore chance in a Complaints, Dropsy, and B'ood Disorders, million that I'd happen to see that advertisement, and I thought about the same chances that that letter was for me : but I went and asked for a letter to my name, Mr. Bowser says: and got one and it was from the old lady; the tried my address and got the letter that I have used them for pain in the back back and then advertised and written this and I have found them to be all you reone; and the old gentleman had only just cied after all. Now the will was to be ney trouble. I believe they are a splenopened and she wanted me to come on a did tonic-good enough for me anyway." certain date and hour, to go with her to the country seat where the court was and verify my signature. Well, don't you see I could do this now I had a name now. my real name, that I had signed and I had a home and an address. I was a respectable citizen and I went up. 'The old lady was softened a little: she was gentler, but not weakened a bit; she was straight and resolute as ever. I'll b t she'll die that way it she isn't dead yet. The other witness had long been dead. He died only a year or two atter the signing, long before the signer did. But there wasn't any trouble in getting reasonable proot of the other witness's signature. Plenty of people had seen it and knew it well. I could have sworn to it myself, though I never'd seen it but once. When I came to look at it, after all those years. every crook and turn in it was as familiar as though I had seen it every day since. I swore to my signature, and that's all there was to it. I guess in this case, anyway, it was all more or less a matter of form. There wesn't anybody to contest the will, and I guess it would have gone through somehow all right anyway, but they had to find the witnesses if they could. .Well, that was the last of the businers for me, except that three days alter I got home I got a letter from the old lady, a kind letter. with more good advice and a check for \$500. It was the most money I ever made out of one house. I've gathered up and carried off stuff that cost a good after day." deal more money, but I never got that much out of it. And it always seems kind o' curious whenever I think of it, to think that I made my biggest haul after I'd gone out of business.'

was ; 'What time is it. dear ?' 'I's just about 12, my dear,' I answered.

Just then the cuckoo clock in the dining room began to strike, and the cold presperation began to bespangle my brow. After the blasted thing had struck one a happy thought struck me. The clock wound up on the third cuckoo and I cuckooed the other nine. I must have been in fine voice or my wife must have gone to sleep, for the bluff went, and I went to bed without an angry word.

**KNIGHT OF** THE GRIP

B., Uses Dodds's Kidney Pills.

Curr d Him of Ps in In the back-Found Them to do as Recommended-Believes Dodd's Kidney Fills to be a Sy lendid Tor ic.

ST. JOHN, N. B , Jan. 29 - One of the best known commercial travellers in the Maritime Provinces is Mr. W. H. Bowser of this city. Mr. Bowser represents a confectionary house and has been on the road for nearly twenty years. His portly figure and bluff hearty manner are known in almost every town in New Brunswick. Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Bowser is one of the many knights of the grip who have used Dodd's Kidney Pills with entirely satisfactory results. He states that Dodd's Kidney Pills according to his experience do what they are recommended to do. His trouble was backache and Doda's Kidney Pills cured him of

Commercial travellers seem peculiarly liable to disorders of the kidneys. Nor is this remarkable when the circumstances of their occupation are taken into consideration. Constant change of diet, variation in drinking water, damp bed clothing and in a hundred and one little hardships and exposures common to the life of a pro. tersional traveller cannot help but have a serious effect on the kidneys. They are the most delicate organs in the body, the most susceptible to cold. Change of drinking water is especially severe on those organs, while alcoholic drinks do more to bring about Diabetes and other forms of kidney disease than any other cause. Dodc's Kidney Pills are in great demand among commercial travellers. Being such a sovereign remedy for Backache and all other hidney diseases, including Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Heart Dissase, Rheumstism, Bladder and Urinary it is only natural that travellers who generally know a thing of merit when they see it, should use Dodd's Kidney Pills,

cited her suspicions for her next question | Lowell, Jan. 4, to the wife of Guy Hu'chine, a son. Jeddore, Jan. 22, Henry Mitchell, 34. Digby, Jan. 18, to the wife of Capt. McKay, a son. Mt. Denson, Jan. 20, to the wife of H. Shaw, a scn. St. John, Jan. 20, Ann Jane Leach, 52. Kentville, Jan. 20, to the wife of G. McDougall, a P ctou, Jan. 17, Mrs. John Archibald, Bridgetown, Jan. 8, to the wife of L. Stronach, a Hantsport, Jan. 16, to the wife of A. Pattison, a Parrsboro, Jan. 14, to the wife of E Gillespie, a Yarmouth, Jap, 7, to the wife of Elisha Gavel, a Queen's, Jan. 8, to the wife of Bartley Corbett, a Port Dufferin, Jan. 18, to the wife of Alex. Sauders North Kingston, Jan. 7, to the wife of Clark Foster, New Glasgow, Jan. 5, to the wife of Peter Williams Brookline, Mass. Jan. 22, to the wife of J. Marsh, East Pubnico. Jan. 17, Mr. David Larkin, 83. West Brook, Jan. 13, to the wife of Minor Roscoe Margaretville, Jan. 8, to the wife of D. McLean, a daughter. Five Islands, Jar. 10, to the wife of J. Fulmore, a daughter. Milton. Jav. 13, to the wife of Bernard Freeman, a daughter daughter. Somerset, Jan. 11, to the wife of Randall Ilsley, a daughter. Lunenburg, Jan. 9, to the wife of Alex. Hiltz, a daughter Bridgetown, Jan. 19, to the wife of Rev. J. Giles, a daughter Hampton, Jan. 21, to the | wife of Henry Chute, a daughter. Yarmouth, Jan. 18, to the wife of W. Paudrigh, a d ughter. Amberst Point, Jan. 21, to the wife of John Callicut, a son North Sydney, Jan. 14, to the wife of Henry Scott, a daughter Truro, Jan. 23, to the wife of Thomas Danlap, jr. a daughter. Joggin Bridge, Jan. 12, to the wife of Harry Bell a daughter. Halifax, Jan. 22, to the wife of H. St Clair Silver a daughter. Diligent River, Jau. 22, to the wife of Charles Gibton, a son Ladner, B. C., Dec 31, to the wife of Neil McDisrmid, a son Dili. et t River, Jan. 3, to the wife of Hallet Canning, a son Port Moutor, Jan. 16, to the wife of Ethelbert Stuart, a son.

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Tidnish, Jan. 10, James Crawford, 89. Woodstock, Dec. 29, Frank Clarke, 9. Fa ifax, Jan. 23, Jehn J. Hyland, 55. G y's River, Jan. 19, Fred Welker, 15. Moncton, Jan. 2, Mrs. Wm. Ferguson. Amberst, Jan 19, Bedford McKenna, 6, Peabody, Mass, Mrs. Frank H. Porter. North Sydney, Jan. 12, Wm Roberts, 76. Amberst, Jan. 19, Bedford McKenny, 6. Waverly, Jan. 22, Mrs S. Fu herland, 60. Yarmouth, Dec. 22, Willard Thompson, 4. Pope's Harbor, Jan. 19, Mrs. John Hilchie. St. John, Jan. 28, Mrs Denis F. Griffi 1, 28. Dayton, Jan. 22 Mrs. Hannab Keenan, 87. Hebrou, Jan. 24, Mrs. Josiah Saunders, 36. Bridgetown, Jan. 21, Eunice Whit m .n. 85. East Pubnico, Jan. 22, Cherlotte Amiro, 16. Moncton, Jav 25. Mrs. John MacNamara, 79. Yarmouth, Jan. 24, Mrs. Josiah Saunders, 36. Yarmouth, Jan. 23, Roy Ethelbert Cro bie, 20. White's Mountain, Jan. 22, A nie O'Regan, 46. Vancouver B. C., Jan 9, Robert D. McLellan. Brun w ck, Ga. Jan. 23, Mrs. Samuel Raymond. Yarmouth, Jan. 23, Mrs. Catharine Willi ma, 74. Montreal, Jan. 14, to the wife of Wm. Murray, & Canasa, Camberlard, Jan. 21, Mrs. Jesse Skidmor Willismedale, Cumberland, Jan. 22, Wm. Jackson, West Pubbico, Jan. 21, Mr. Francois D'Entremont. Hampton Station, Jan. 23, Miss Eliza Yeomars, Dartmouth, Jan. 23, Richard, child of Richard and Emma Wambolt, 1. Richibucto, Jan. 21, Berthe, infant daughter of Mr and Mrs. Basil Johnson RAILROADS. CANADIAN 2401310 Travel in Comfort -ON THE-Pacific Express.

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'And now she was standing there, looking at me, and she called down to me, with a pretty hard sort of voice, but just as calm and cool and collected as anybody could be.

'Burglar come up !'

She badn't the slightest fear, not the least bit. I don't suppose she gave at that moment any thought at all to my occupation, except to identify me with it; just as if I'd been a locksmith, and at work in the daytime the might have called me 'Locksmith!' She needed help for some reason or other at just this time and she called on me without the slightest hesitation. So far as I was concerned, I responded without the slightest question because she was the boss.

'She led the way in'o a front room upstairs, where there had been no light betore, or I should have seen it, coming up the road, and told me briefly shat she wanted me to witness a signature. Then she took me into a room at the back of the house. There was lying in bed an old man very clearly the woman's busb, nd, and the person whose signature I was to winess. He was a great deal older than she, but. like her, always resolute; parrow minded maybe, but a man with a strong grip; not a miser, but a moneymaker, and a min that liked to hold on to his money and hated to let go of it. But he'd got to let go off it now, pretty soon that was clear enough He wasn't dying, not a bit of it ; but he was called for, and it was only a question of time, a few days, probably; aod habadn't signed his will. He knew stag party the other night. Her parting he was going, well enough, but still he admonition was to get in not latter than hated even the idea of letting go off the midnight, and, of course, I said I would.

He Could Cuckoo, toe.

A well known townsman, who is fond of a good story whether it is at his own expense or some one else's tells this : 'I got permission of my wite to go out to a little money, and so he kept putting off signing. The gentleman who gave the stag was an

"Re Dodd's Kidney Pills I beg to state commend, viz., a positive cure for all kid-

#### Regularity in the Order of Ir juries.

A queer fact, well known by medical men connected with hospitals, is that the doctors can tell with almost absolute certainty which classes of fatalities and accidents fit in with given days and even hours. One of the doctors connected with a leading hospital in the centre of New York said the other day.

"We will begin with Monday. That day tu nishes by tar the highest proportion of mishaps to work people, but I must say that this proportion is rapidly diminishing. Nearly all the attempted suicides comes in during the early part of each day, and the first accident batches early in the day have a large number of men who work on scaffolds among them. Hardly a morning goes by without a acaffold casualty case. Atter 11 o'clock in the morning most of the cases arise from street accidents, and when evening comes cases arising from drunken rows and deliberate assaults begin to come in. Nearly all the domestic cases-where wives have been assaulted and so on-are late night and Saturday ones. It would take me a long time to group the regular order of accidents as they come in day

'Don't you think it's very rude to talk during an artist's musical performance ?' said Willie Wishington.

'Yes,' answered Miss Cavenne; especial. ly when one considers that the music is designed to give relief from the stupidity of conversation.

'Do you like living in the city, Aunt Marietta ?'

'No; it's too lonesome. Why, when our new hayrack came not a soul in the neigh borhood came over to try to find out what it cost !'

enbizer. a daughter. Summerville, Jan. 2, to the wife of Henry Mosher, -a son and daughter.

North East Harbor, N. S., Jan. 14, to the wife of Rev. J. Smith, a daughter.

### MARRIED.

Shediac, Jan. 23 Philip Gould to Agnes Budrou. Amherst, Jan 22, William White to Pauline Cor

Halifax, Jan. 17, Alfred Bonyman to Maud Hannah

River Herbeit, Jan. 10, Alex J. McNeil to Rebecca Phinney.

Ox'ord, Jan. 8, by Rev. A. F. Baker, Maynard King, to Mary Mauison.

Hantsport, Dec. 31, by Rev. G. R White, Terrence Patton to Reta Coaldfleet.

Hicksville, Jan. 17, by Rev. T. Eaton, Llewelyn P. Rawding to Jessie Parker.

Springhill, Jan. 16, by Rev David Wright, James O'Rourke, to Isabella Hyde.

Beckettor, Jan. 8, by Rev. R. B. Kinley, Campbell Smith to Jenuie McKerzie.

Parsboro, Jan. 15, by Rev. W. G. Lane, W. F. Henderson, to Georgie Lane.

Yarmouth, N. S., Jan. 24, by W. F. Parker, Eber G. Hilton, to Amy E Fault. Sydney. Jan. 18, by V. n Archdeacon Smith, George

Buffett, 'o Bertha Matthews. Yarmouth, Jan. 14. by R. v. J. M. Wilson, Arthur

M. Dobson, to Hattie Frost. Gabarus, Jan. 16, by Rev. J, W. Turner, Thomas

A. Cann, to Armina L. Cann. Barrington, Jan. 8, by Rev. W. H. Edyyeau, A. L.

Welsh, to Annie L. Hamilton. Wolfville, Jap. 16, by Rev. H. R. Hatch. John W.

Bishop to Leah Blanch Shaw.

Annapolis, Jan 10, by Rev. W. M. Ryan, Watson Hardwick to Mary Edwards. Lower Granville, Jan. 11. by Rev. J. O. Vince, Walton Hudson to Eilen Bent.

Springhill, Jan. 17, by Rev. W. J. Boody, David Merritt to Margaret McMullin.

Weymouth, Jan. 1. by Rev. Geo. D. Harris, Benj. E. Johnson to Margaret Mount.

Yarmouth, Jan. 18, by Rev. W. F. Parker, Daniel P. Stoddard, to Ida D. Raymond.

Louis burg, Jan. 17, by Rev. F. J. Pentelow, Daniel I'. McDonald, to Mary J. Crosby.

Pembroke, Jan. 24, by Rev. Edwin Crowell, Samuel Malove, to Edna J. Lyons.

Middle Annapolis, Jan. 20, by Rev. J. W. Frown, Fletcher A. Kemp, to Leone Wood.

Louisbure, Jan. 17, by Rev. F. J. Pentelow, George W. Grant, to Ineresa M. Townsend.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 4, by Rev. M. Ackley, Edward E. Armstrong to L zzie Wilson.

Joseph S. Crowell. to Alice M. Boyd.

Kingston, Kent Co. Jan. 17, by Rev. D. Fraser, Wm. D. Thompson, to Mary E. Ward.

B. McIntosh to Maggie I. Cummings.

Thorburn, Pictou, Jan. 13, by Rev. J. A. MacKen-zie, Wm. McDonsld to Minnie Fraser.

Harush Corning to Ca t. Israel Goudey.

George O. Hankinson to Maud E. Gates.

Chas W. Stevens to Hattie M. McAloney. North East Harbor, Jan. 6, by Rev. J. A. Smith Benjamin D. McKenzie to Ella M. Doane.

Yarmouth, Jan. 17, by Rev. F. S. Hartley, Dr. B.

Smith, John James Campbe 1, to Rosa Warr.

A. J. HEATH. D. P. A. C. P. R., St. John. N. B.

## Dominion Atlantic R'y.

On and after Monday, Jan. 1st, 1900, the Steamship and Train service of this Railway wi be as follows:

Royal Mail S. S. Prince Rupert,

ST. JOHN AND DIGBY.

Lve. St. John at 7.00 s. m., Monday, Wednesday, and Satu day; arv Digby 10 00 s. Returning leaves Digby same days at 12.50 p.m., arv. at St. John, 3.35 p. m.

Steamship "Prince Arthur."

St. John and Boston Direct Service.

Leave St. John every Thursday, 4 30 p. m. Leave Boston every Wednesday 10 a. m.

### **EXPRESS TRAINS**

#### Daily (Sunday excepted).

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## S.S. Prince George.

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P. GIFKINS, superintendent, Kentville, N. S.

# Intercolonial Railway

On and after Monday, Oct. the 16th, 1899 rains will rut daily, (Sunday excepted,)

TRAINS WILL LEAVE ST. JOHN

Express for Campbellton, Pugwash, Pictou Express for Quebec, Montreal......17.30 Accommodation for Moneton, Truro, Halitax.

and Sydney ...... 22.10

Bradford, Mass., Jan. 4. by Rev. J. D. Kinsbury,

Peidmont, Jan 11, by Rev. A. W. Nicolson, Thomas

Port Maitland, Jan. 10, by Rev. E. Allaby, Mrs.

Weymouth Bridge, Jan. 4, by Rev. H. A. Griffin,

Springhill Mines, Jan. 17 by Rev. J. W. Bar crof

B. Killam, to Josephine Lang maid Vickery. Mide le Musquodoboit, Jan. 20, by Rev. Edwin

Wallace Bridge, Jan. 4, by Rev. D. A. Frame, James Henry Crocker to Carrie May Patriquin. Lower Granville, Jan. 11 by Rev. J. O. Vince,

o ti le	bstinate, and sort of fitul, and he had mes when he softened, or weakened, or at go, or whatever you might call it, and	old friend of mine, and the party was giv- en in celebration of his forsaking the care- less Bohemian ways of bachelorhood. He had promised to give us a warm time, and	him sing now with comparatively little danger.	son, J. Watson Hutchinson to Minnie McKen zie.	A sleeping car will be attached to the train leav- ing St. John at 17.30 o'clock for Quebec and Mon- real. Passengers transfer at Moncton. A sleeping car will be attached to the train leaving St. John at 22.10 o'clock for Truro and Halifax. Vestibule, Dining and Sleeping cars on the Quebec and Montreal express.	
af ta w m ne gu st er he	ter all; but now had come a time when he alked about signing, and maybe when he ould sign. This was at 2 o'clock in the norning, and half a mile from the next sighbor. Then I came in. 'All this, you understand, in the main, I	gave us a not time, and the result was that when 1 managed to tear myself away the clock had struck 2. I finanally reached home, unlocked the door and tiptoed in in a manner which I believed was very quiet. But it was not quiet enough for the ears of my wife. 'Is that you, dear ?' she asked sleepily. 'Yes, m' dear, it's me,' I replied.	BORN.	Hali ax, 24, Alice Hemsworth, 23. Yarmouth, Benjamin Murphy, 87. Chatham, Jan 24, A. H. Holland. Halifax, Jan. 25, Ralph Trenaman. Halifax, Jan. 23, Peter Shortell, (4. Guysbero, Jan. 7, L'zzie Sh te, 16. Halifax, Jap. 24. Margaret Lowrie. St. John, Jan. 27, Samuel Price, 56.	TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN Express from Sussex. Accommodation from Moncton, Express from Halifax, Quebec and Mon- treal. Accommodation from Moncton. All trains are run by Eastern Standard time all trains are run by Eastern Standard time Twenty-four hours notation, D.5 POTTINGER, Gen. Manager Moncton, N. B., Oct. 16, 1899. CITY TICKET OFFICE, 7 King Street St. John, N. B,	*