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THE GRANITE TOWN GREETINGS

Personals.

Mrs. Rev. and Miss Nona Spencer returned home on Tuesday after spending two weeks in Sussex and St. John. Mrs. Spencer has much improved in health during her brief absence from St. Geo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Lally left last week for their home in the West after a very pleasant visit with her mother Mrs. Hugh Murray.

Miss Laura Murray returned to Boston after spending two weeks at her home here.

Mrs. and Miss Spear of Seelye's Cove were in town on Wednesday.

E. G. Murphy, manager of the Pulp Co., arrived here Friday of last week and will return to Norwalk on Saturday accompanied by his two sons Edgar and Fred, while here he and Fred drove to the woods where the survey party were working.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dalby of St. Andrews were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Spinney.

Mrs. H. Goss and daughter of Bonny River were in town on Wednesday.

R. V. Arnold, manager of the bank left for a fortnight's vacation on Tuesday driving as far as Sussex, he will spend part of his vacation at Toronto. D. K. Boyd who has been at the Kingston Jamaica branch takes charge of the bank in his absence.

Miss Edith Wallace left on Monday for a short vacation.

Miss Minnie Sandler who has spent the past few weeks with Mrs. Dassen leaves on Friday for her home at Haverhill, Mass.

Miss Hanson of St. Stephen is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McVicar.

Mrs. Guy Clinch spent a few days this week at Calais.

Miss Nellie Mooney returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with friends at St. John.

Mrs. Paul and daughter of Island Falls are guests of Mrs. Jas. McKay.

Among those registering at the Victoria during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Butler Lowell, Mass; Mr. and Mrs. R. Cook, Miss L. Barton, Philadelphia; Albt. Morrison, Eastport; A. R. McKen-

zie, St. Stephen; J. K. Plummer and wife F. F. Harrison Hamilton, Me; Mrs. B. W. Hewes, Miss Hewes, Danforth, Me; W. R. Carson, wife and son, St. Stephen; Mr. and Mrs. W. Phelan, Montreal; W. E. Fish, Newcastle; Thos. M. Pattello, Truro; J. McConnell, R. V. Estabrooks, Geo. Lishart, E. C. Salovey, H. O. Budd, H. Bohan, C. H. Lee, O. R. Lee, St. John; D. K. Boyd, Boston; J. Thompson Beaver Harbor; J. D. Campbell, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gilley, H. Gilley, New Westminster, B. C.; Mrs. T. McCormick, St. Stephen; Mrs. H. McCormick, Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. Nickson, Milltown, N. B.

Great Amalgamation Scheme

Washington, Aug. 10.—One of the most gigantic amalgamations in the trade union movement is now under consideration, the incentive being a determined effort to secure the establishment of an eight-hour day in the shipbuilding trade of Great Britain.

Attempts are now being taken to amalgamate the Iron and Steel Shipbuilders' Society with the Shipwrights Association. When this is accomplished, these two societies will endeavor to amalgamate with the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, the Society of Steam Engine Makers, and the Society of Boiler Makers, thus five of the largest and strongest trade unions will be merged into one consolidated whole.

The extent and power of this amalgamation will be realized when it is remembered that the Amalgamated Society of Engineers alone numbers over 100,000 members and with the addition of the other organizations over 500,000 experienced trade unionists will be working together for the great objective point, an eight hour day. The amount of tonnage under construction in the British ship yards aggregates 1,686,000 tons. Three of these vessels are to be of 40,000 tons and over. It will, therefore, be seen that with large orders on hand the ship building companies will be more than

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Maltese Dress

The dress of the Maltese is very singular, and that of women striking in the extreme. When abroad they are all dressed in black.

They put on over their other dress a robe or loose shirt of that color, brought high on the bosom, and in place of bonnets their head is covered with a black silk mantle, which invests their shoulders and descends half way behind.

The part which covers the head is furnished with a piece of whalebone, inserted in the hem, which keeps it in position and prevents the silk from dropping over the eyes.

One hand, placed inside, is always necessary to hold together the sides of the scarf in front, and the other hand is often hid under its folds, only a forefinger being allowed to appear through the opening left for the purpose.

Of course, under such mufflers little can be seen of the beauties of form or feature. If a Maltese nymph happens to possess them. The eyes and a moving, pall-black figure are all that can be distinguished.

But sometimes the fair one deigns to

exhibit her face to a curious gazer, in place of engrossing herself the privilege of seeing, and features good humored rather pleasing than handsome, and irradiated by a pair of fine, sparkling eyes, are displayed to the beholder. The complexion is a dark olive, partaking a little of a sort of mulatto tinge.

The mantle is obviously borrowed, or rather, it has descended from a distant age and people. It answers to the veil of Eastern ladies. Such figures, those and of whom are abroad on the Sabbath give the streets a funeral look. It seems as if all Malta had gone into mourning.

The hotel chambermaids of New York City, of whom there are several thousands, are being urged by labor represent- atives to form themselves into a union, so that their grievances, which include, among other things, long hours and unsanitary and uncomfortable sleeping accommodations, may be effectively and promptly dealt with.

LIVED IN SIX REIGNS

London, Aug. 15. Mrs. Drew, who would have been 101 years old on August 31, died in Helensburg, Scotland. She lived in the reign of six English rulers and remembered having talked to Sir Walter Scott.

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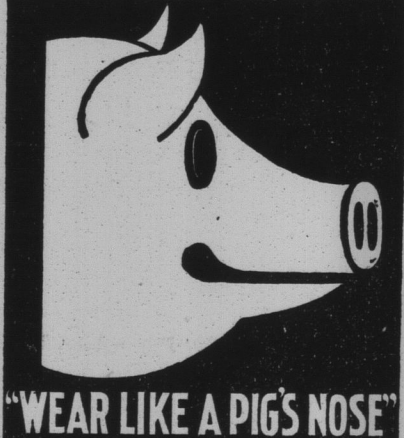
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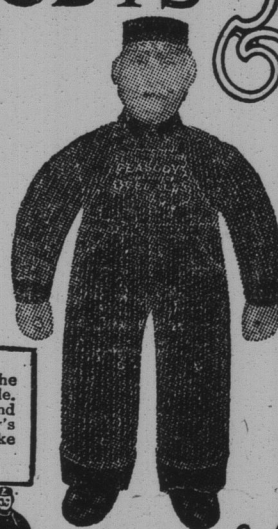
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Suffragist Surprised She Could Not Cast Votes For Them at School Meeting

Under Connecticut laws, women may vote upon school matters when properly qualified, and so, at a meeting held at Stratford, Conn., to consider an addition to the Washington School, about thirty women appeared to vote. They were headed by Mrs. Rosamond Winton, leader of the Stratford suffragettes and prominent in local clubs.

Mrs. Winton favored an appropriation for the school addition, which was later defeated, and after her speech, balloting began. When the tellers began their work they notified Judge H. Peck, who was presiding that somebody had dropped in three ballots, folded together. The Judge, who is a church member and a fighting foe of demerit rum, ordered a second ballot.

Again the tellers found that someone had stuffed in three ballots at one whack and again there was an uproar. When something akin to order was restored, Mrs. Winton smilingly informed the meeting that she had put in three ballots each time, because two dear lady friends of hers had been unable to come and she was acting as their proxy. Her indignation was noticeable when a new ballot was ordered and it was ruled that she could cast only one vote.

Weary of fighting, Pascual Orozco, chief of the Mexican rebels in the north, has made proposals of peace to the Mexican government, but for some unexplained reason he later repudiated them.

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