

ENQUIRIES ANSWERED IN LOCAL LEGISLATURE

Hon. Mr. Murray, in reply to Mr. Dugal's inquiry:

1. In the House of Commons on the 20th March, Hon. Robert Rogers, Minister of Public Works, in his speech in reply to F. B. Carvell, M. P., on Valley Railway matters, quoted a letter which he said he had received from the Government of New Brunswick, which read as follows:

"Hon. J. D. Reid, Acting Minister of Railways and Canals, Ottawa:

"Government in session last night approved your proposition regarding St. John and Quebec Railway contained in your letter of March 1st, addressed to Premier Clarke. Am confirming by letter."

A letter of the same date was addressed to Hon. Dr. Reid in the following terms:

"Confirming my telegram of this morning, I beg to advise you that the Government of New Brunswick in session last evening considered very fully and approved of the proposition regarding the St. John and Quebec Railway, contained in your letter to Hon. Mr. Clarke, Premier of this Province, under date of March 1st instant.

"Yours very truly,

"(Sgd.) J. A. Murray,
"Acting Premier."

Was the Hon. Minister of Public Works at Ottawa correct in his quotation?

Answer—Yes.

2. It will be noted that the telegram says "The Government in session." Does that mean every member of the Government?

Answer—"The expression 'the Government in session' means that the Government was properly in session."

3. Was Hon. John Morrissey, Minister of Public Works, consulted before that telegram was sent to the Dominion Acting Minister of Railways?

Answer—"The telegram was sent as a result of the action of the Government."

Hon. Dr. Landry, in reply to Mr. Dugal's inquiry:

1. What printing is included in the amount \$3,291.83, Consolidated Fund to March 9th?

Answer:

Atlantic Lithographing Co. for bonds and cheques . . . \$ 425.64

The Gleaner, Ltd., Agricultural Reports, Marriage Licenses, Royal Gazette and forms for various departments . . . 2,033.39

Barnes & Co., bills for Legislature, official receipts and forms for various depts. . . 216.50

Post Printing Co., Provincial Hospital Reports and contract forms . . . 189.50

Press Printing Co., Jordan Memorial Sanatorium reports, and forms Dept. of Public Works . . . 103.00

Times Printing Co., lists for Agricultural Dept. and County School Fund drafts . . . \$4.65

Maritime Publishing Co., road tax notices . . . 130.00

Robin Cropley, forms for various departments . . . 69.30

L'Evangeline, Limited, postal forms and agreements re diamond drill . . . 18.25

Standard, Limited, advertising tenders for debentures . . . 9.24

St. John Globe, advertising tenders for debentures . . . 8.96

Chas. M. Lingley, circulars . . . 4.00

Total . . . \$3,291.83

2. Has the government within recent years called for tenders for the public printing? If so, when, whom and what figures were submitted?

Answer—Yes, the Government called for tenders in November, 1914, the lowest tenders submitted were accepted, the names of those to whom the printing was given appear in the Auditor General's report.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Hope induces a man to do a lot of fool stunts.

Poverty is no crime—otherwise a lot of us would be in jail.

It is easiest to arbitrate after you have licked your opponent.

HAIR-RAISING GHOST STORIES FROM BELGIUM

(Continued from page two.)

dark, and as they met mine they smiled sardonically. I have never seen such an evil smile. I drew in my head sharply, and when I looked again the man had disappeared. I got back into bed but I could not sleep and on seeing the proprietress of the hotel in the morning I mentioned the incident to her, adding that I hoped there were plenty of police about.

"You need have no alarm, madam," she said; "the man you saw is quite harmless, merely a poor half-witted fellow who occasionally wanders abroad at night."

"She said this in the presence of one or two other guests and I caught them exchanging glances.

"That night I again got out of bed and on going to the window saw the same figure. This time I endeavored to take a snapshot of it, but it disappeared the moment I got the camera fixed on it, and I obtained no result.

"The following night I went to supper with some friends at the Hotel St. Antoine and did not leave till one o'clock. A Mr. Kirkwood saw me home and while we were walking along I told him of my experience on the preceding nights.

Gripped by a Hand.

"It's about now the queer man appears, I observed. The moonlight was just as much in evidence as on former occasions, but there was no sign of any figure. Mr. Kirkwood was saying good night when a hand suddenly gripped hold of my shoulder so sharply that I gave a cry of pain.

"Whatever's the matter?" Mr. Kirkwood ejaculated.

"Who is that behind me?" I demanded.

"Why no one—what do you mean?"

"Nothing," I said faintly. "Only for a moment I fancied someone caught hold of me."

In the morning I looked at my shoulder. There was a bruise, such a mark as would have been caused by strong fingers.

I left the hotel at noon that day and put up at a boarding house in the new part of the town. On my telling a friend where I had been staying, she exclaimed:

"Did you see the ghost?"

The Story of the Ghost.

"The ghost!" I cried, pretending to laugh. "Don't tell me the place is haunted."

"Why, didn't you know?" she asked.

"At the time of the Spanish occupation of the town one of the Spaniards lived

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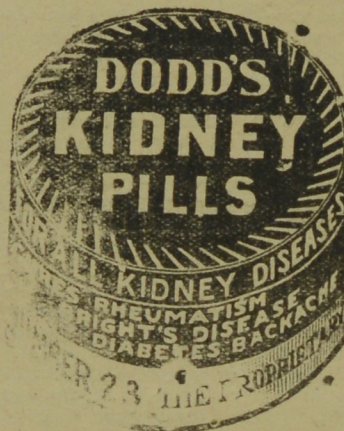
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in the house and had dungeons excavated, where he condemned countless poor wretches to hideous tortures.

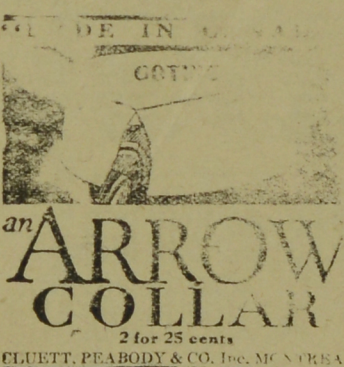
"Some of these dungeons are still in existence, and said to be haunted by the phantom of a very evil looking man. This apparition is usually encountered on the steps leading to the cellars, but has been seen standing in the doorway of the house and several people who have stayed at the hotel declare they have felt him grip them by the shoulders."

"And these stories, are they really current?" I asked.

"Yes," she said. "They are known to everyone in the town, and to many strangers too."



A lot of people speed up only when they are on the wrong track. Wise is the wife who can make a noise like a good dinner cooking.



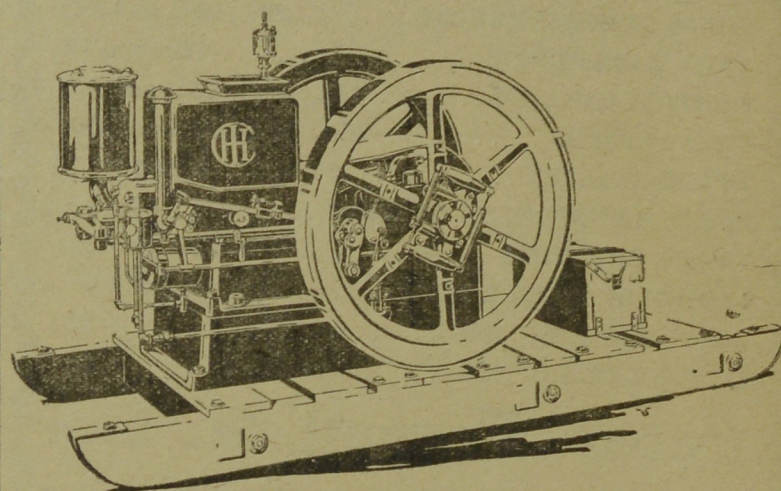
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"Why, I never heard of such a thing," said John. "The idea of getting quotations from a doctor; it's the asylum for you."

"Well now, why not? I am a specialist in printing and publicity. I study my business just as carefully as any doctor can do. If I do say it that shouldn't, I have just as much brains as the average doctor. I strive to give my customers the benefit of my knowledge, my artistic skill and judgement and my ideas on publicity. I give service as the term is understood in the Twentieth Century.

"When some people around here have a little printing to be done, they visit all the printing offices, get quotations from each one, and then give the work to the man who gives the lowest figures.

"The ordinary user of printing knows his own business, but he is no more a judge of the work of printing than he is a judge of what sort of medicine a doctor should give him for the cure of his ailment. If people ask me for quotations and pass me by if my price happens to be a little more than the other fellow, why shouldn't I apply the same method to the doctor, lawyer, dentist and painter? Why not? It's a mighty poor rule that won't work more than one way."

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