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**MISSING HEIRS AND KINDRED IN 1910**

Mr. Sidney H. Preston writes to the London Times as follows about "Missing Heirs and Kindred in 1910":

During the memorable year which closes today, some thousands of advertisements have been published by officials, solicitors and others, inquiring for missing heirs, relatives and legatees. These notices often possess more than a transitory value, while others are of an extraordinary and romantic character. Permit me, therefore, to send you my annual summary of the more interesting cases for the year.

The estate of Mary Wilson, of Wiran, has fallen to His Majesty the King in right of his Duchy of Lancaster; and the relations of William Gelder, who was born in 1774, and advertised for in 1863, are missing. Information is wanted as to the death of Matthew Gibson, of London who was a beneficiary under a will dated 1792; also of John Lillingdine who was living in 1723. Emily Morton, who rendered service to an Australian lady about 10 years ago, is a missing legatee; also Francis Dixon, who is believed to have been drowned at sea in 1876. The sons of Wm. Pitgott, of Camberwell, who died 40 years ago, may benefit under an intestacy; H. S. Spasow, who suddenly disappeared from his lodgings at Newmarket, is sought; and an inheritance awaits the heirs of Thomas Tipping, who was born in 1790 at Canterbury. The grandchildren of General Richard West, one of whose sons died in India in 1885, are advertised for; also the children of Elizabeth Cooper, nee Carlton, who was born in Leeds in 1787. The next of kin of Henry James, who died at Liverpool in 1870, are interested in an estate in Chancery; news is sought of William Evans, supposed to have been drowned in Port Talbot Dock; and the relations of Frank Gaudit, who served in the American Civil War, are wanted. Alderman Alfred Barratt, of Birmingham, has left £8,000 to his missing son; and Wm. Bray, deaf and dumb, who was last seen at Penzance Fair in 1888, is inquired for. Annie Carr, who left England with her foster mother 30 years ago, is missing; also Mary Jane Johnson, who emigrated to America in 1857; Mary H. Arrigh-smith, who went to Canada in 1894, and has not since been heard of, is an absent legatee; the heirs of Satan Bacon, of London and Philadelphia, are wanted; information is sought of T. J. Belton, who left England in 1888, and assumed the name of Fairfield; and good news awaits Sidney Frooms, last heard of in New York. Inquiry is made for the descendants of Henry Dean, who married Charlotte Warren in 1837, and of Frederick Guy, deceased, of London, in 1821. Frederick Solomon, who married an actress and went to New York, where he was employed at the Casino; and George Daly, who was born in New York in 1881, are both wanted for their benefit. Among other missing beneficiaries may be mentioned Joseph Haskins, who had to go into hospital for cancer; Thomas Prior (or Gibbon) last heard of in 1880; Gilbert Rowland, of "Ayr" in 1892; and Margaret M. Payne, of Sunderland. The brothers and sisters of Anne Clegg of Rochdale; the children of Duncan McDougall, ship captain; the relations of Margaret Hay, who was born in South Africa in 1827, are all missing; and news is sought of Arthur Fenton, said to have been engaged on an orange plantation. Ten persons who emigrated to Natal in 1850 are wanted to claim their property there, which has been unoccupied for 40 years.

James Adams, who left for Australia in 1850, is sought; and Thomas H. Allen, who went to Melbourne 23 years ago, is entitled to funds in Chancery. The relatives of C. Carrigg, a laborer, of County Clare, who died in 1875, are inquired for; also James Bolton, a carpenter, who emigrated in 1882, while the nephews and nieces of Ann Dawson, of Wallsend (referred to in an old Prayer Book as Ann Marie Dawson) are missing.

Many persons have died in Cape Colony and Rhodesia leaving money for their unknown heirs. The lists include the following estates:—Jas. Bell, £22,111; Henry C. Collins, £665; Phillip Galan, £707; George Neale, £1,445; Thomas E. Pryce, £897; Emma Williams, £577; Henry J. Grant, £416; Samuel Wilson, £3,812; Elizabeth Reddall, £848; and John Williams, £1,702.

Among numerous persons wanted for "something to their advantage" are G. H. Simpson, of Manchester, a retired solicitor, and afterwards a journalist; Eliza P. Everett, of Shepherd's Bush in 1876; R. S. Scoble, who left for Bombay in 1808; C. Ambler, of Montevideo in 1858; H. A. Edwards, who in 1868 was a newspaper proprietor; the children of Mary A. Peters, of London, deceased in 1874, and the wife of J. R. Coleman who kept a fish-shop in Ipswich; while J. A. Kelly, of Leeds, who served in the Royal Navy; Sophia J. Graham, Edith E. Popen, and Rhoda I. Matthews are wanted for something "greatly" to their benefit.

The next-of-kin or representatives are sought of T. C. Valentine, an actor; David Thomas, who left for America and was last heard of in 1855; Robert Mutray of Brighton in 1848; Edith Humphrey, who died in a lunatic asylum; Charles Cobley, who married in 1825; George Gilbert of London, who died in 1861, and many others.

A very large number of people are sought by the Courts of Chancery. These include Margaret Shettler, who sang in public under an assumed name; D. W. Watts, who deserted his wife at Lyndhurst in 1897; Lucy Bay-ley, nee Burnside, of Birmingham; and H. A. Slomoeski, an apprentice on a sailing ship, believed to have been lost with all hands.

In addition, representatives of stockholders in the West New Jersey Society, on whose shares no dividends have been paid since 1892, are again sought, the treasury solicitor has advertised for next-of-kin in many cases in which persons have died intestate without known heirs; lists of persons deceased in New Zealand, of whose estates administration has been granted to the Public Trustee of that Colony, are open for inspection; several lists of soldiers' unclaimed balances are issued; and numerous rewards offered for missing wills, birth, marriage and death certificates.

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**A STEAMBOAT COMPANY THAT MAKES MONEY**

(Montreal Witness.)

The strength and buoyancy of Richelieu and Ontario Navigation stock on the local market during the past week appears to indicate that a buying movement of no mean dimensions is in operation.

There are many reasons why Richelieu should be a good purchase around present prices, and even higher, and, no doubt, this is the view taken by those at present in the market.

The Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company is in a strong position financially, with prospects ever brightening. The management is taking great pains to prepare for the coming season's business, and, with the new boats which are to be added to the system, there should be a corresponding increase in receipts.

The question as to whether or not other lake transportation companies will join forces with the Richelieu, is not decided upon yet, but preliminary negotiations are pending.

During 1910 the company's gross receipts were slightly over \$1,450,000, and the net showing was equally good. Mr. C. J. Smith, the general manager, is unremitting in his labors just now, in respect to the extended service, and his economy in management leaves a handsome surplus for the year.

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Jan. 3, 1911.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there will be sold at public auction in front of the Court House, in the City of Fredericton, in the County of York, on Thursday the 2nd day of February next, lands and premises of the Trustees of School District No. 73, in the Parish of Bright, in the County of York, together with the school-house and other buildings and improvements thereon, the same having been seized by me under and by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, bearing date the seventh day of November, A. D., 1910 issued out of the York County Court in a suit wherein William H. Anderson is Plaintiff, and the said The Trustees of School District No. 73 in the Parish of Bright, in the County of York, Defendant on the part of the Plaintiff.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Bristol, Glassville and route offices, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector at St. John.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.  
Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, 22nd December, 1910.

**Estate and Sale Notice**

All parties owing the estate of the late John Hamilton Reid, will make payment to the undersigned, and those having claim against the estate will file same, duly attested with the undersigned.

FOR SALE—John Mitchell Reid, the Executor of the above estate, offers for sale that desirable farm situated below the city and formerly owned by the said John H. Reid and known as his "Mount Fordham" property. Same is under good state of cultivation—is well wooded with valuable growth of lumber—and buildings are in good repair. For terms and particulars apply to Executor or to undersigned. Dated Jan. 24th, 1911.

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Two negro women in Alabama gave a mortgage on their "heart, body and soul" for \$20 worth of dry goods.

**MAIL CONTRACT**

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 3rd February, 1911, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, between Bristol and Glassville, from the 1st April next.

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**MAIL CONTRACT**

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday the 17th February, 1911 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years THREE times per week each way, between CANTERBURY STATION and NORTH LAKE from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

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- 1-38 College Collar Ulster, regular price \$22.50 to clear \$18.00
- 1-39 Black Melton Over Coat regular price \$30.00 to clear \$16.00
- 1-38 Dark Grey Over Coat, regular price \$18.00 to clear \$18.00
- 1-40 Black Melton Over Coat regular price \$22.50 to clear \$16.00
- 1-36 Dark Grey Over Coat, regular price, \$22.50 to clear \$18.00
- 1-39 Brown Tweed Over Coat, regular price, \$15.00 to clear \$12.00
- 1-38 Black Melton Over Coat, regular price, \$15.00 to clear \$12.00
- 1-27 College Collar Ulster, regular price, \$25.00 to clear \$20.00
- 1-40 Black Beaver Over Coat, regular price, \$25.00 to clear \$20.00
- 1-38 Black Beaver Over Coat, regular price, \$20.00 to clear \$17.00
- 1-35 Tweed Over Coat, regular price, \$20.00 to clear \$16.00
- 1-34 College Collar Ulster, regular price, \$20.00 to clear \$16.00
- 1-36 Tweed, Over Coat, regular price, \$15.00 to clear \$12.00
- 1-37 College Collar Ulster, regular price, \$20.00 to clear \$16.00
- 1-41 Black Melton Over Coat, regular price, \$25.00 to clear \$20.00

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