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WANTED A BEER CANTEN.

It is feared that the removal of so eminent a temperance man from parliament as Hon. Geo. E. Foster, has somewhat demoralized the Tory party on the great question of moral reform which landed so many dollars in the ex-professor's pocket before he went into the business of politics which paid better.

They were discussing militia matters in the house of commons last week, and think of it temperance men and women in Canada, prohibitionists etc, etc., no less than three prominent members of the Tory party, two of them ex-ministers, declared in favor of selling intoxicating drinks in the canteens connected with the annual militia camps.

Col Prior, an ex-Tory minister introduced the subject, declaring that men were more likely to take too much liquor outside of camp if they could not obtain it in a legitimate manner in their own camp. He would not say that spirits should be sold in canteens, but beer and lager might be sold.

Col. Tisdale, another ex-Tory minister, took the same position, saying that true temperance was not trying to prevent people getting anything to drink, but to make it as simple as possible and surrounded it so that men would drink in moderation.

Dr. Spronle, another Tory leader, while not expressing an opinion on the question, said that he was not so much afraid of our young men being demoralized by beer and lager as some were.

Mr. Jabel Robinson thought that cold water and tea were all that were required.

Hon. Dr. Borden, minister of militia, was inclined to agree with Mr. Robinson. He pointed out that a canteen was not a place where liquor was sold. It contained everything necessary for the soldiers' comfort, tobacco, soft drinks, etc. An order had been issued that no liquor was to be sold in canteens.

So here we have three prominent Tories who howled during the recent election because the government had not introduced a prohibitory law, actually advocating the establishment of barrooms in the militia camps.

What does that eminent temperance Tory candidate, who flouted his three P's banner all over York County last November, think of his leaders in Parliament?

The Government sat down on the canteen proposition and the Minister of Militia especially stood up and opposed the Tory suggestions of beer for the young men who attend the militia camps.

SCHOOL FOR WIVES.

A school for the training of future wives and mothers in household duties is projected at Chelsea, Mass. The great enterprise was suggested by the principal of a Polytechnic School. He had noticed that now and again a young woman of prepossessing appearance arrived and asked for a cookery course. She was a shop assistant, or a typist, and was thinking of "changing her condition." The principal concluded that the average girl who marries and undertakes the charge of a house is starting blind on a march through an unknown country. Especially is this the case with the girl who has had to earn her living as shop assistant since leaving school. But even the girl who comes from a middle-class home has had very little training in housekeeping. She may have picked up scraps of disjointed knowledge. But few mothers will give a daughter the full filling of a week's housekeeping money and teach her to do the best with it. Few mothers will disclose the amount. And the daughter orders dinner in the dark. So, from the hint dropped by these stray girls who were on the brink of marriage, and had the sense to plumb their own incompetence, the principal of the Polytechnic came upon his project. Tens of thousands of girls have a few hours in the evening. Thousands have most of the day at their disposal. Most of these will marry. Few of them are equipped for their duties. Why not organize a school for wives?

Already the material is there. The professors are ready; the teachers of cooking are at the work, without a spatter of gravy on their aprons. The dressmakers are busy teaching girls how to make their own dresses on next to nothing a year. It only remained to concentrate the available forces on a course which should admit all who wanted to run it.

The special course which is being planned at Chelsea is designed to provide a school for wives who will be summoned from the homes of the comfortable middle class to manage the homes of men of moderate means, and even though they miss wifehood and become only

housekeepers, the course will be equally valuable; for most women are called upon at some time or other to manage a house.

To the girl with leisure it offers a two years' course of training in the duties which she will in all likelihood have to face, two years of pleasant practice. Before entering upon the course suggested, writes the principal, the woman should have had a good all-round education. The course is intended to enable the student to begin the specialization of actual home life business. In addition to the usual subjects of domestic science, that is to say, cookery, needlework, dressmaking, laundry work, and account keeping, she studies the importance of sanitation and bodily health, and the life, recreation, and physical training of children.

Child study, too, and the games of children, are on the programme, for we must look ahead and prepare for probabilities. How many mothers have faced their own nursery without the vaguest remembrance of how they wanted to be amused as children. An ambulance class, too, enters into the course, for every baby and not a few husbands squeak thumbs in the door.

General sympathy will be felt for Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cropley in the successive bereavements that have overtaken them. Two daughters just budding into womanhood, and a son of the household have passed away within a comparatively short time, and Mr. Cropley also mourns the recent death of a sister.

The continued rain will be gladly welcomed by the lumbermen who are driving their logs to market.

LOST-A HORSE.

Mystery In Connection With a Moose Hunt Solved at Last.

A very good story involving a young and enthusiastic sportsman of this city and clearing up a mystery in connection with a moose hunt he had last fall, is now in circulation. It was first told in these parts by a down river resident who was in town a few days ago, and while it may seem a little bit fishy, people are more than willing to declare that there is more truth in it than poetry.

It seems that the young man referred to went out to the Ball Pasture last fall in company with an Indian guide to try his luck at calling moose. When darkness came on they unthinkingly their horse from the buggy, tied him to a tree and going a little farther into the wilderness, the Indian started operations with his birch bark horn. He gave a number of loud and sorrowful blasts which echoed and re-echoed for miles around, and caused the young sportsman to raise the hammer of his rifle in expectancy. The blasts were repeated again and again, and finally the quick ear of the sportsman caught the sound of footsteps a short distance away. A moose at last, thought he, and he at once cautioned the caller to go slow. The latter stopped to listen a moment, then dropping the horn seized his rifle just as the shadowy form of a very large animal emerged from the woods only a few feet away. "Now give it to him," said the Indian, and instantly two sharp reports rang out, and down went the unsuspecting game never to rise again. A couple of bounds brought the hunters to the side of the fallen enemy, and what a surprise was theirs. To be sure they had shot a noble animal, not however, a moose as they had expected, but their own horse. The animal had broken loose, and hearing the strange sound made by the bark horn, wandered forth to investigate, with the above results.

The hunters were not long deciding upon what course to take. They procured tools, dug a grave near the spot where the animal had fallen and soon had the carcass out of sight. Upon returning home they frankly admitted that they had lost their horse, but did not take the trouble to go into details, and who can blame them?

SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Cape Town, April 23.—Lord Kitchener has issued a proclamation to the effect that any resident in the martial law districts of Cape Colony found in arms, inciting to fight, aiding the enemy, or endangering by overt act the British forces, will be tried by court martial, and be liable to the most severe penalties. Such persons may be shot.

Pretoria, April 23.—The force under Commandant Boksburg, composed of 106 men, with wagons and rifles, have surrounded near Middleburg, Transvaal Colony.

Brussels, April 23.—The Petit Bleu publishes a despatch saying that Dr. Leyds has today sent to the German foreign office a formal protest against the supplying of arms and guns to England by Germany.

Bargains in Pajamas.

You'll miss it, gentlemen, if you allow these pajamas of Farrell Bros. to go without purchasing a suit. They are a great bargain at \$1.50 as some were \$2.50 and \$3.00 a suit, and its only to introduce them that they are selling them so cheap, 222 Queen street.—d.

For the Girls.

The girls must be kept dry during these rainy days and if they are provided with one of those nice waterproof coats for sale at Edgcomb's they can move about in go to school without any fear of getting wet. Mr. Edgcomb is selling girls' umbrellas for 25c each.—d.

The mills of the A. Gibson Railway and Manufacturing Company at Blackville, commenced sawing for the season on Thursday, the 18th inst. Steam driving is in full swing in Bartholomew's River, and the drives are expected in early this week.

MR RUSSELL'S LEAVE

Minister of Railways Purts a Tory Yarn

THAT NEW MANAGER OF I. C. R. HAD BEEN DISMISSED.

Contract vs Day Labor on Public Works.

Ottawa, April 23. At the opening of the house yesterday, the premier read the reply of the secretary of state for the colonies to the address to the King, passed some days ago.

The Prince Edward Island estimates for harbors and rivers were taken up. Mr. Hackett (Conservative), in criticizing the items admitted that a good work was being done by the minister of public works in attending to and repairing the harbors on the Island.

When the New Brunswick items were reached Mr. Ganong complained that the work on Campobello harbor was done by day labor.

Hon. Mr. Tarte said that he had asked for tenders and got none, therefore he proceeded to carry out the work by day labor. He could not understand why Mr. Ganong was complaining about the work.

Mr. Ganong said that the work was in charge of a "heeler."

Mr. Tarte replied that the work was carried on under the guidance of an officer of the department who was a Conservative.

Mr. Sutherland could not understand why Mr. Ganong was opposing the work. No tenders could be got to do the work and the minister of public works did the only thing left for him if the work was to be done and that was to carry it out by day labor. He was surprised at Mr. Ganong's course in opposing it.

Mr. Ganong urged that tenders should be called for again.

Mr. Tarte pointed out that he could have purchased coal for Ottawa buildings at \$5.00 per ton, but it was held that he should call for tenders, he did so and the lowest tender was \$6.20. All of the tenders differed.

An act respecting the Grand Falls Water Power & Boom Company was referred back to the private bills' committee.

A discussion of the general question of contract vs. day labor system was resumed. Mr. Tarte said that on such works he gave preference to his political friends in a fair proportion, but denied it was his policy to exclude Conservatives.

Mr. McIsaac scored the opposition for whining at the government doing what they themselves had done for 18 years. He also warmly approved of the day labor system. He said that it resulted in the government getting better work done and the laborers getting a fair wage. He also pointed out that all the frauds on public works had been in connection with works done under contract.

Hon. Mr. Blair replying to a question, said E. G. Russell was appointed manager of the I. C. R. on the 15th of February, 1901, to take charge of the mechanical department, the station and train service and the maintenance of way and works, and he thereupon entered upon his duties.

His salary commenced from that date, and he has drawn salary amounting to \$533, his salary per annum being \$7,000. He was engaged for a term of five years. Notice of Mr. Russell's appointment was given by the department to the officials and employees of the I. C. R. on the 23rd February. He has been absent from duty since the 15th of March, 1901, being seriously ill and was granted leave of absence on account of ill health, but without salary. He is still in the employ of the department of railways and canals. No arrangement has been made whereby his engagement shall cease at an earlier date than was at first contemplated.

POST OFFICE ROBBERED.

Daring Work of Burglars at Moncton—Registered Letters Stolen.

Moncton, April 23.—A daring robbery of the mails in the post office occurred last evening and the police and post office officials are completely baffled as to the guilty party. When Janitor Hicks went into the building at 9 o'clock to lock up the lobby he discovered the robbery and at once reported the matter.

Upon investigation it was found that the robbers had gone through the mail which arrived at 8 o'clock from St. John and Halifax, taking the registered letters and anything of value. The post office is quite easy of access but the boldness of the robbers is astonishing.

The delivery window closes at 7.30, but the lobby is left open till 9 o'clock for convenience of boxholders. It is quite an easy matter for a man to climb over the partition dividing the public and private part of the office, and this is how the robber got at the mails.

The work was evidently done by some one well acquainted with the office and movements of the officials. The clerks leave at 7.30 and when things were quiet the robber, or robbers, are supposed to have scaled the partition, secured the mail bag keys and then the work, apart from the risk of being discovered, was easy.

MARYSVILLE NEWS.

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

April 22.—Anson Lee who has been spending the past three weeks among friends in the States has returned home.

Last Friday Mrs. Samuel Hallett arrived home after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Dunphy, at Douglas.

During the past week Miss Mamie McConnell left for Sackville to resume her studies there.

Saturday evening a witty and interesting lecture was given by the Rev. Mr. Kirby, of Milltown, in the Hall. "Character" was the subject and was much enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. Edgar Collins, who has been quite

sick all the winter, is somewhat improved.

This evening a concert is being given in the Calvinist Baptist church by the members of the Mission Band. Recitations and dialogues as well as vocal music will form part of the programme.

W. T. Day is taking the census and is making good progress.

Harry Belyea, agent for H. Sideman, the waterproof manufacturer of Fredericton, has been in town the past few days soliciting orders.

The many friends of George Holmes will be sorry to hear he has been quite sick lately.

Miss Sarah Miller, who has been very sick for the past few weeks with typhoid fever, is somewhat improved.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

An Important Event to Occur at Fredericton Junction.

The beautiful little church at Fredericton Junction is to be consecrated by the Bishop of Fredericton on St. Mark's day, Thursday the 25th inst. A number of the clergy from St. John and elsewhere are expected to take part in the opening services.

The consecration will be at 10.30 a.m., to be followed by morning prayer and the Holy Communion.

Confirmation service will be held at 3 p.m.; and evening service will be held at 7 o'clock, when it is expected that the Rev. J. A. Richardson, rector of Trinity Church, St. John, will be the preacher.

Fredericton Junction is one of the youngest active missions of the Church of England, and the church which is to be opened for worship on Thursday, is said to reflect credit upon the people of the mission.

A reduced rate will be allowed by the C.P.R. to those attending the opening services from Fredericton.

Watch our columns for an interesting report of Thursday's proceedings.

Not Seriously Damaged.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Quebec, April 23.—There are twenty feet of water forward and aft in the steamship Aschanti which is ashore at Riviere Blanche. The Captain hopes she will be got off without serious damage however.

Another Stage of the Journey

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Singapore, April 23.—The steamer Ophir with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, sailed this afternoon for Australia.

Tapper Coming Home.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Montreal, April 23.—Sir Chas. Tapper will sail from England for Canada at the end of this month.

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NEW BRUNSWICK'S EASTERN CLAIM.

Cook Investigation Resumed by Senate Committee.

AMHERST PRISONER IN SHOOTING CASE DISCHARGED.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Ottawa, April 23.—The amount of New Brunswick's eastern extension claim—a total of some \$270,000 will be placed in the supplementary estimates this session. [A telephone message to Premier Tweedie this afternoon, from the Herald brought confirmation of the above despatch—Attorney General Pugsley who is at Ottawa, having wired the premier to that effect.]

Investigation Resumed. (Special to Daily Herald.)

Ottawa, April 23.—The Cook investigation was resumed this morning by the senate committee and W. T. Preston, who claims that the date of a letter written by him to Cook had been changed, was heard at length.

Nothing of a startling nature had come out when the committee adjourned till two o'clock.

Prisoner Discharged.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Amherst, N. S., April 23.—Camille G. Fisher, charged with shooting Murdoch Outcliffe and Leon Rockwell, was this morning discharged on both indictments by Judge Moore before whom he elected to be tried.

The prisoner pleaded justification on the grounds of self defence, and this plea, under the evidence, was held sufficient.

Before discharging the accused the Judge cautioned him against repeating the offence and instructed the prosecuting attorney to bring Fisher before the proper authorities and have him fined for carrying fire arms without a legal license.

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