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OBJECTIONABLE CARTOONS.

The School and Home, a semi-monthly educational journal published at Toronto, and largely used in Fredericton schools as a useful text book, should be advised not to give publicity to cartoons intended to be funny yet objectionable to Canadian taste and likely to produce undesirable impressions on the minds of the children. A copy of the publication before us contains three of these pictures, and all give the impression that Canada is in a manner subservient to the United States. One picture bearing on the Alaska boundary award, represents John Bull as a bloated bar tender pouring out a "drink of good liquor" for Uncle Sam, while "little frozen Canada" receives only the cork. Another cartoon shows Uncle Sam holding up a map of North America with Canada entirely wiped out and the United States occupying the entire continent. Still another represents John Bull moving the boundary line in Alaska "so that sundry gold claims and prospects may fall to the United States."

The Herald submits that any publication that presents cartoons of this character is not fit material for use in Canadian public schools. The publication is not authorized by the Board of Education, but apparently is introduced by the teachers as helpful in the studies of the pupils, and excepting the cartoon, the copy we have before us is well filled with useful helps for the children, who are asked to subscribe a small amount for the journal.

The educational authorities should not permit the use of any book or other publication which in the smallest degree casts reproach on Canada, and the cartoons we have mentioned certainly have that effect.

THE COUNTY SCHOOL FUND.

The citizens of Fredericton feel that they are already paying heavy school taxes, and naturally resist through the mayor and council the effort of the county authorities to enforce a section of the school law relating to the collection of the county school fund, which while it has long been on the statute book, has lain dormant. The imposition of the proposed tax would mean an expense of some \$2,000 to this city, and we trust the government will give heed to the representations which the city has made against the tax, and if necessary cause the section to be repealed.

The argument that this city because it enjoys exceptional educational advantages should contribute towards the support of schools in poor districts is not one that will commend itself to the ratepayers. The schools of Fredericton are efficient because the citizens have taxed themselves heavily to secure the best facilities obtainable, and they are not in a mood to support schools in other places as well as their own. The city maintains a high school which furnishes free tuition to pupils from outside, and in that way is already contributing towards the advance of education without its own bounds.

The law as it stands is certainly unjust to the ratepayers of Fredericton, who are justified in resisting its enforcement and in appealing to the government for a repeal of the obnoxious section.

The Moncton Transcript incorrectly says that Fredericton holds the cold weather championship in the maritime provinces. The weather reports do not bear out this assertion. At Woodstock, for instance, the thermometer was reported 40 below, and in other provincial towns the cold snap was quite as severe as in Fredericton. Injustice is also done

this city every summer by representations from outside that the weather is unbearably hot here, when as a matter of fact, it is no hotter than in St. Stephen, Moncton, Woodstock, Sussex and other towns of the province.

Mr. Foster and Mr. Tarte have met on the same public platform at Toronto, and may now be considered allies in the Tory cause. And what a combination. Was it not at St. John when the first Canadian contingent was being organized for service in South Africa, that Mr. Foster denounced Mr. Tarte as a traitor to British connection? Has Mr. Tarte's return to the Tory fold after he had been dismissed from the government, atoned in Tory eyes for his former alleged disloyalty?

THE ODDFELLOWS.

Officers Installed by Coronation and Nashwaak Lodges.

At the regular meeting of Coronation Lodge, I. O. O. F., at Nashwaak Bridge, on Tuesday evening, the following officers were installed by Deputy Grand Master C. A. Sampson, assisted by Grand Lodge officers:

A. K. McBean, N. G.
J. F. Manzer, V. G.
John T. McBean, secretary.
Robert Forbes, treasurer.
James Minn, warden.
Robert McLagan, conductor.
Clark Sutherland, R. S. V. G.
Robert McDonald, L. S. V. G.
Kenneth McLagan, O. G.
John A. McNabb, I. G.
F. McLagan, P. S. S.
Harry McKay, L. S. S.
Alex McDonald, Chap.
Rev. J. G. A. Colquhoun, S. P. G.

After the installation the visitors were entertained to supper at McBean's hotel. Coronation lodge, although only two years old, has a large membership and is in a good position financially. The members have arranged to build a new hall in the near future.

Deputy Grand Master C. A. Sampson, accompanied by Grand Lodge officers, visited Nashwaak Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Marysville last evening and installed the following officers for the ensuing term:

Cameron Daley, N. G.
Herry Osborne, N. G.
George Hulme, P. G. R. S.
Fred Murray, P. G. F. S.
C. F. Morehouse, P. G. Treas.
Albert Gilbert, P. G. warden.
Bert Lint, P. G. conductor.
Joseph Hazlewood, P. G. R. S. N. G.
Thomas McDowell, P. G. L. S. N. G.
Wm. McElwain, R. S. V. G.
Frank Capens, L. S. V. G.
E. B. Staples, P. G. R. S. S.
James Miller, L. S. S.
Geo. A. Tapley, P. G. J. G.
John Stafford, P. G. O. G.
Samuel Hallet, P. G. Chaplain.
Hayard Brown, J. P. G.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremony an oyster supper was served to the members and visitors.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Miss Margaret Kelly has returned from a visit to friends at Chatham.

Mr. M. A. Hagerman, merchant of Bear Island is among the guests at Long's Hotel.

Mr. Bruce Caldwell, of the Railway Mail Service, is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. H. G. Veness, who has been in poor health for some time, is now quite ill with pneumonia.

Mr. George Hazen, who has been in California for some weeks for the benefit of his health, returned home yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Hazen, who met him in Iowa.

Death at Harvey.

Mr. John Taylor, a respected resident of Harvey, died Monday, aged 79 years, after a long illness. He leaves a wife but no children.

Coming This Month.

The Lieutenant Governor and family are expected to arrive here the latter part of this month to occupy Government House.

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LOST.

Lost in the city yesterday, a pocket book containing a sum of money. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the HERALD OFFICE.

Jan. 7th, 1904

MUNICIPALITY OF YORK.

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the County Council of the Municipality of York, will be held at the Council Chamber in the City of Fredericton, on TUESDAY, the 19th day of January, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 4th day of January, 1904.

FRED ST. JOHN BLISS,

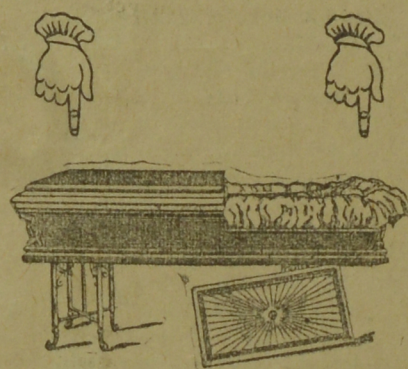
Secretary-Treasurer.

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LEAVE FREDERICTON

6.25 a. m.—Express from St. John, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Houlton, Woodstock, and points north; Edmundston, River du Loup and Quebec; Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc.

6.50 a. m.—Mixed, via Gibson Branch, for Woodstock, Presque Isle, Edmundston, River du Loup. Leaves St. M. 7.30 a. m.

9.45 a. m.—Express for Fredericton Jct. connecting with Express for St. John and points east. Palace Sleeper Car Fredericton Junction to Halifax. Dining Car Fredericton Junction to Truro.

6.00 p. m.—Mixed, for Fredericton Junction, connecting with Short Line Express for Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, etc., and with Pacific Express from Montreal for the West, Northwest and Pacific Coast. Also connects for Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc., St. Stephen. Palace Sleeper Fredericton Junction to Montreal. Pullman Sleeper Fredericton Junction to Boston. Dining Car Fredericton Junction to Mattawamkeag.

9.00 p. m.—Express for St. John and points east.

ARRIVE AT FREDERICTON

9.05 a. m.—From St. John and points east.

11.45 a. m.—From Boston, Montreal, St. Stephen, Houlton and Woodstock.

8.10 p. m.—From St. John and east.

4.50 p. m.—From Woodstock and all points north as far as Perth and Plaster Rock via Gibson Branch. Arrives at St. Mary's 4.20 p. m.

10.40 p. m.—From Boston, Portland, Bangor, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Woodstock, Houlton, etc.

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