

EVENING IN PARLIAMENT.

Unruly Tory Member Precipitated a Lively Debate— Bennett and Commee Cross Swords—Col. Sam Hughes in it too.

In the House of Commons at Ottawa, Friday evening as the motion to go into supply, Mr. Bennett said the most colossal swindle going on today in Canada was the dredging contracts. The member for Rainy River (Mr. Commee) was interested in the Great Lakes Dredging Company.

Mr. Commee protested that several times last session and this session Mr. Bennett had made improper references to himself in regard to dredging matters. He did not think it in the interests of the House or the country that members should malign each other across the floor, and he warned Mr. Bennett, if he desired to do so, he could say as nasty and offensive things as that gentleman could. In future he warned Mr. Bennett to drop his name in this connection; that it would be just as well to keep within reasonable bounds.

Mr. Bennett said the charges had gone through the press that Mr. Commee was interested in the Great Lakes Dredging Company, and that gentleman had not previously denied it. He was, however, glad to hear Mr. Commee rise in his place and do so now.

MR. COMMEE'S DENIAL.

Mr. Commee resented the slur cast across the floor by Mr. Bennett, whom the people had not sent to Parliament to be a mere slanderer. If Mr. Bennett desired to be the scavenger of his party he would not be drawn into a discussion with him. (Oh, oh, and jeers from the opposition.) But if the gentlemen opposite wanted that kind of discussion they could get all they wanted of it as he had not forgotten their history, although he protested against the time of Parliament being wasted for that purpose. He had never had anything whatever to do with the Great Lakes Dredging Company.

Mr. Bennett retorted that he now had Mr. Commee where he wanted him, Messrs. Chas. Bowman, M. P., and Jas. Commee were interested in several dredges. When Mr. Commee entered the House of Commons it would not do for him to be interested in dredges working for the government, so a company was formed. But that gentleman, who is one of the shrewdest gentlemen, one of the most artful dodgers, whose smile was the sweetest ever known, would not deny that Mr. Bowman was a member of the company, and that his son-in-law, Wm. Whalen, held a large block of stock. The House had heard of his "Satanic Majesty" being beaten around the bush, and being finally overtaken—and there was the whole story of the Great Lakes Dredging Company.

MR. BENNETT FORCED TO WITHDRAW.

Mr. Commee demanded that Mr. Bennett, according to the rules of the House, should withdraw his statement. He reiterated his denial and asserted that Mr. Bennett's statement that Mr. Whalen was a stockholder would do so.

Mr. Speaker interposed and called upon Mr. Bennett to withdraw.

Mr. Bennett said he accepted the statement of Mr. Commee that he had not a dollar of stock, that the stock stood in the name of his son-in-law.

The Speaker peremptorily called upon Mr. Bennett to withdraw frankly his statement, in view of Mr. Commee's denial.

Mr. Bennett endeavored to argue the point, but the Speaker was firm, and refused to allow him to play upon words, and insisted upon a withdrawal.

"Well, Mr. Speaker, we will pass from this political dredging concern to another," continued Mr. Bennett.

"The suggestion that the member for Algoma was improperly connected with a dredging company should be withdrawn," insisted the Speaker, who refused to allow Mr. Bennett to proceed.

Mr. R. L. Borden suggested that Mr. Bennett had withdrawn, but the Speaker held he had quibbled, and after efforts to evade quibbling, Mr. Bennett ultimately complied with the Speaker's request and was allowed to proceed.

Mr. Bennett traversed a long list of alleged political crimes of the government, and deplored the depth to which public life had sunk in Canada.

Mr. Ingram charged that every political leader of any kind in his country was at work on the harbor improvements being made there.

Mr. Lalor complained of excessive prices paid for dredging on the Grand River.

MEN WHO BLUSH AND EAT ALONE.

"Man Maidens" Victory Noted in London—A Change In Etiquette.

London, April 9.—A new type of male is the latest evolution of London life, and has been classified as the "man maiden." Popular restaurants have been compelled to provide special accommodation for these blushing gentlemen, who tremble in the society of women, and shudder at the thought of mild flirtation.

Heaven help the British race if any of these "man maidens" are ever victimized by "accident," and become "man maidens." We shall have auxiliary meetings instead of councils of war, and frills and furbelows instead of whiskers.

Mixed luncheon is not only considered undesirable, but it is absolutely

impossible. The gentlemen who resort to these refreshment houses sit at tables which bear the legend "reserved for gentlemen only." Nor would they dream of lifting their respectful eyes from their "mince and mashed" or whatever delicacy they may be consuming. On the other hand, the young lady habitués would never think of allowing their gaze to wander from its focus on their coffee cups.

The result of this new order of things is to impart to the decidedly up-to-date restaurants an air of early Victorian severity. It is doubtful if the new system is altogether pleasing to the ladies and gentlemen who have to endure it, but all the blame of it must be thrown on the "man maiden."

BLUSH LIKE ROSES.

He is a type that has largely increased in number only during the past few years. In the main he is anaemic, given to vegetarianism and has a horror of tobacco smoke. This is a course of life which has apparently endowed him with a terror of women.

This dread of the eternal feminine was first discovered when he tabooed the smoking room, he frequently found himself suffering from great terror in having to sit next to a girl.

As a consequence the "men maidens" first banded themselves into groups, and used to enter with many blushes and trembling annex a table which was free from alarming feminine appearance. They looked so truly miserable, so self-conscious, and were almost so incapacitated from eating on account of their blushes that it was desirable to set a table apart for them. And this, of course, out of consideration for the ladies' feelings, had to be followed by the table "reserved for ladies only."

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Mr. W. A. Renwick, of 285 Hunter St., Hamilton, Ont., writes: "A year ago I became run down and lost my health. My strength was greatly reduced and on account of the weakness of the heart I was afraid to take up work."

On going up stairs or walking fast my heart would beat like an engine. I would gasp for breath and get exhausted quickly. At night I would wake up in an excited condition and find my heart going like mad.

In this terrible state nothing helped me but Ferrozone. Such good it did me I can hardly explain. It built up my strength, put new life in my heart and made me feel like a new man.

Even in advanced cases of weakness Ferrozone is unfailing. Your druggist sells it at 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers or by mail from N. C. Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. F. A., or Kingston, Ont.

MARINE BLAZES AWAY AT GHOST.

Sees It Near Prison Ship at Portmouth—Challenged, It Is Silent, and Fades Under Fire—Others See it.

Portsmouth, N. H., April 9.—According to the stories that are stirring the superstitions of the marines of the prison ship Southey, there is a ghost floating around the prison ship, to be seen in his best white bib and tucker.

Priv. Cleveland was on guard at the foot of the gangway early yesterday morning. Priv. Cleveland is an able-bodied marine and he smokes a reliable brand of tobacco. In the very early hours Priv. Cleveland chanced to look over toward the waste barrel on the wharf directly beneath the rays of the electric light and there he saw a figure that made his hair stand. Priv. Cleveland is no coward, but that figure was startling. Whether it had designs on the waste barrel or not will never be known, because before it had had time to move Private Cleveland pulled himself together and, in a voice at once calculated to reach the figure and arouse the whole ship, he commanded the strange figure to "halt!"

The superfluity of this in view of the fact that the figure was already standing perfectly still, slipped the marine's mind at the moment, and without undue hesitation he pulled his heavy revolver and fired. Then, to his horror, the strange apparition quietly and with great dignity away into thin air.

While this was going on others about the ship had arrived on the scene in time to see the spook. It was directly under the rays of the electric light and Priv. Cleveland is sure there is no mistake. The corporal of the guard and the marine, at the head of the gang plank, swear that they also saw the uncanny sight. When Priv. Cleveland's shot had dissipated the spirit the guard was ordered out, and a thorough search was made. Not a sight nor a sound rewarded the searchers.

If a man had dishes to wash, what a snap women would call it.

THE HERALDS FASHION PLATE.



FOR VACATION DRESS.

To the busy mother who is already planning her school girls' frocks for wear during their happy vacation days, any and every suggestion is gratefully and gladly received. The shirt waist suit of the picture is simple and attractive, made up in one of the many inviting materials already on full display in every shop. The skirt is composed of alternate broad gores and box pleats, the gores cut out at knee depth to admit of the pleated flounce effect set in under the deep point

above which is applied the lace or embroidery insertion. The box pleats are stitched to below the knee line and allowed to fall loosely to the hem. The waist, which buttons in the back, has three deep tucks in the shoulder seam, stitched to yoke depth, and diamonds of insertion are set in the front, the material cut away beneath and bands of the same are inset in the narrow cuff of the fulliship sleeve and the collar of medium height, supported with fine rods of featherbone. The belt may be of the dress material or a ribbon or velvet affair, as the wearer chooses.

DID NOT KNOW HE WAS WEALTHY.

Wait of Moore Wore Valuable Neck-lace.

Kingscourt, Ont., April 9.—A man who is at least 60 years of age, and probably somewhat over that, has just commenced going to school in the first class in the Fifth district, Moore township. His story is a very strange one. About 50 years ago, although the date cannot be definitely ascertained, he is known to have been an inmate of a county poor house, but no facts are now remembered by any one as to how he came to be placed there.

Forty-five years ago the poor house was destroyed by fire, and in consequence of a law that was passed that same year this man, a boy of then about fifteen years of age, must have been turned over to the authorities of Moore township, for there is a record in the county books for the disposal made of the poor, and this shows that "one boy" was turned over to Moore township. It is supposed that this man was that boy.

The first definite date in regard to him appears fifteen years later, at which time, as appears from the township records, "the boy Billy" that has been left again without care on account of the death of Mrs. Schupper, was let out to George Theop to be taken care of by Theop for twelve dollars per month. There is no record of how Mrs. Schupper came to have him in her care, and no one in the township now remembers anything about the circumstances.

For 24 years after that time, and up to a few months ago, this man, whose only name was "Billy," remained a town charge. He seemed to have scarcely any mind at all, could not even learn to talk, but he was gentle and harmless, and capable of doing some considerable work, such as carrying wood and water and attending to the cattle to some extent.

He was taken in charge by different persons in the township, who were paid by the town what his keep was worth and above the work he did and so far as known he was always kindly treated.

At last, however, about a year ago Dr. Clifford became interested in "Billy" when he was treating him for a severe cold, and tried to learn more about him than was commonly known.

IS YOUR CATARRH ANY BETTER

Probably getting worse all the time. Why not give up that snuff and stop doing your stomach? The one sure treatment is "Catarrhzone," sure to cure because it goes where the disease really is. Certain to cure in your case because it has restored tens of thousands worse than you are. Catarrhzone is a thorough cure because it destroys the causes as well as the effects of the disease. Relief is prompt, cure is quick with this powerful remedy which is guaranteed to cure Catarrh in any part of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes or lungs.

GIRL LOST \$14,365 ON HER WAY TO INVEST IT.

Baltimore Md., April 9.—While Miss Emma Slagle, a young woman, was on her way Saturday to a broker's office with \$14,365 in bank notes trapped in brown paper, she lost the parcel. She did not inform the police, and her loss was not known until she put an advertisement in the newspapers today, offering a liberal reward for the return of the money.

Miss Slagle, an orphan, sold some real estate left by her father. Three months ago she drew the money from a savings bank and ever since had secreted it in her room in a boarding house. She was bound for the broker's office to invest the money in government bonds.

When asked why she did not notify the police immediately, she said she was so worried she just went home, after going over the route she had taken and not finding the parcel. Last night she decided to advertise her loss. She did not know the broker to whose office she was going to buy bonds, but had seen his advertisement in securities. She has no legal adviser.

IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW

Thousands of women suffer untold misery every day with aching backs that really have no business to ache. A woman's back wasn't made to ache. Under ordinary conditions it ought to be strong and ready to help her bear the burdens of life.

It is hard to do housework with an aching back. Hours of misery at leisure or at work. If women only knew the cause, Backache comes from sick kidneys, and what a lot of trouble sick kidneys cause in the world.

But they can't help it. If more work is put on them than they can stand it's not to be wondered that they get out of order. Backache is simply their cry for help.

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will help you. They're helping sick, over-worked kidneys—all over the world—making them strong, healthy and vigorous. Mrs. J. Ryan, Douglas, Ont., writes: "For over five months I was troubled with lame back and was unable to move without help. I tried all kinds of plasters and liniments but they were no use. At last I heard tell of Doan's Kidney Pills and after I had used three-quarters of the box my back was as strong and well as ever."

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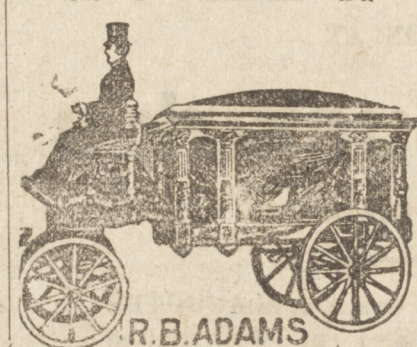
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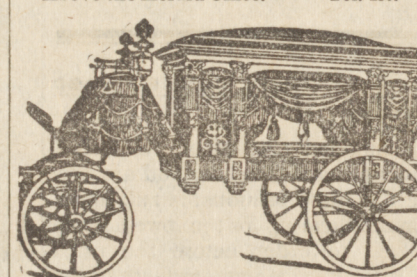
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No. 801 Express for Montreal, Chatham, Loggieville..... 16.20
No. 817 Suburban for Marysville..... 6.15
No. 815 Suburban for Marysville..... 8.15
No. 813 Suburban for Marysville..... 11.15
No. 811 Suburban for Marysville..... 18.25
No. 809 Suburban for Marysville..... 21.00

TRAINS WILL ARRIVE AT FREDERICTON

No. 802 Express from Montreal, Quebec, Chatham and Loggieville..... 13.05
No. 804 Mixed from Chatham Junction, Chatham and Loggieville..... 18.35
No. 816 Suburban from Marysville..... 8.15
No. 814 Suburban from Marysville..... 11.15
No. 812 Suburban from Marysville..... 18.25
No. 810 Suburban from Marysville..... 21.00
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TUESDAY, APRIL 17th, 1906,

for the supplying of materials and the construction of two Rest Piers for the Hillsborough Bridge, P. E. I.

Drawings and specification may be seen at the Resident Engineer's office, Charlottetown, P. E. I., and at the Chief Engineer's office, Moncton, N. B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

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Railway Office,
Moncton, N. B.,
26th March, 1906.
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