

STORY OF A UNIQUE CAREER

That of Robert Caldwell, Star Witness in the Druce Case--In America Since 1864.

NEW YORK, November 14.—Staten Island is discussing the personality of one of its residents who has suddenly leaped into the world-wide interest through the Druce trial in the Marlebone police court, London.

For years Robert Caldwell, with his snow-white hair, his pugnacious moustache, and his six feet of stature has been coming and going among the people at the island, and from the first, he has been a mystery. After some of the gossips tried to worm out of him something of his story and had been so politely snubbed that they did not discover the fact for hours. He was let alone. He had appeared among them with his pretty daughter and had taken up his residence there, and that was all that was known. No one ever discovered where he came from, what was his origin or what his occupation. Because of his faultless dressing and good breeding, and the aristocratic appearance of his daughter it was whispered that they were English and of gentle blood.

STORY OF HIS LIFE.

From a close friend something like a clear record of his remarkable story was gained. He was born near the little town of Ballybag, County of Monaghan, Ireland. He was the son of a wealthy farmer, whose great ambition it was to educate his son and give him a gentlemanly training. One of the first recollections of Robert Caldwell was being taken by his father to fish on Lake Inner and afterwards to troll on the waters of Lake Muckno Craggan, two of the largest sheets of water in the County Monaghan. The little boy, according to his testimony, was afflicted with a face disfigurement, a bulbous growth of the nose that caused his ambitious father much unhappiness.

Then the young man heard from a British officer named Lynch that a certain Indian Rajah had cured him of a similar difficulty and he besought his father to send him to India. The upshot was that the officer was sought out and young Caldwell was cured on return for a large sum.

It was about this time that young

Caldwell heard that the Duke of Portland had a disfigurement of the nose, and he went to London, hoping to secure employment and incidentally make himself useful to the Duke. In 1864, at twenty-eight, he found himself in the good graces of Portland's physician, Sir Morell Mackenzie, who listened with ill-concealed mirth to his claim that he knew how to cure the Duke of Portland's nose. But the upshot was that an opportunity was given him—this still from the testimony of Caldwell himself—and he cured the Duke.

The gratitude of the English peer knew no bounds, and Caldwell became a salaried companion of the strange recluse who had taken to hiding himself in underground cellars and passages both in his house in London and in the country. Then it was that the Duke confided to him that he was living a double life. By November, 1864, the Duke of Portland was tired of his double life, and asked Caldwell what he had better do. The conference resulted in the death of the imaginary Druce, and a coffin filled with lead pipe was buried under the supervision of Caldwell. A monument was raised to Druce, and his wife and children—for he had married, a thing that the Duke of Portland would never do—inherited his business in Baker street.

CAME TO AMERICA IN 1870. By this time young Caldwell had tired of the quiet life in London and longed for excitement. He went home to his father's house in Ballybag, Ireland, in April, 1866. After trying to amuse himself fishing in Lake Inner he went to his father's farm near Melbourne, Australia. The brother had been successful and had become a sheep rancher. Young Robert became his superintendent with nothing to do but ride about and boss the laborers. This he did until 1870, when he returned to Ireland, expecting to settle down there and study law, a thing he had a liking for. But in that year the tide of immigration to America was very strong. The young man got the fever and came here.

the Albert, the Elgin, Petticoat and Havelock, the St. Mary's and Upham and the York and Carleton roads.

Messrs. Burns and Brown do not expect to be able to complete their work this fall but hope to do so early next spring.



A PRETTY COMFORT GOWN.

It is during cool weather that one realizes the indispensableness of a dainty morning gown which may be slipped on during the day at any time when ease is desired. Here is sketched a gown in Challis having broad yoke-bands and front trimming of plain material. The gown is one well liked by particular women and is found to be easily made and becoming. The waist maybe girdled with a soft ribbon or a shaped belt of the trimming fabric, the front of the gown being full and the back fitted by gores.

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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold by all dealers.

SPOOKS WITH ANTLERS.

Curious Apparitions in Connecticut Cemetery.

NEW YORK, November 14.—The World has received the following despatch from Winstead, Conn.: John Hall, stage driver, between Sandsfield, Mass., and Winstead, driving past the old burying ground in North Colebrook at twilight, saw large horns loom up above the tall gravestones and move noiselessly about. He knew it was no optical illusion, because his horses at sight of the ghostlike figures snorted and shied.

Before sunset last evening Hall told his family that he was going down to the cemetery to learn if possible, the source from which the burying ground got its life.

Taking a seat on a bank opposite the place where the horns had appeared, he awaited the apparition. Three figures appeared. Each was a large buck deer, with handsome spreading antlers.

Timid folks who have been afraid to ride past the spook-haunted cemetery are taking courage.

A GOOD LINIMENT.

When you need a good reliable liniment try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It has no superior for sprains and swellings. A piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm is superior to a plaster for lame back or pains in the side or chest. It also relieves rheumatic pains and makes sleep and rest possible. For sale by all dealers.

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A TIME OF PAIN AND PERIL

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Miss Emma Cole

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Miss Emma Cole of Tullahoma, Tenn., writes:

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A well-known officer has a beautiful daughter. A young ensign, with no resources but his salary, fell in love with her, and asked the old gentleman for her hand. The father, at once told him that he had hardly enough to keep him in white gloves and to burnish his brass buttons.

Well, Admiral, what you say is true; but when you married you were only a midshipman, with even a smaller salary.

"What's baby so pleased about, Katie?" asked the grandmother. "Oh, his mamma and papa are coming," replied Katie, the nurse. "I don't see them Katie!"

"Nor I, ma'am. But the baby's nose is very keen. He smells the automobile, ma'am."

A RELIABLE REMEDY FOR CROUP.

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SEALED TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Dorchester Wharf Extension" will be received at this office until Monday, December 9, 1907, inclusively, for the construction of an extension to Public Wharf at Dorchester, Westmorland County, N. B., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., Resident Engineer, Chatham, N. B., on application to the Postmaster at Dorchester, N. B., and at the Department of public works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenders.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00) must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order, FRED. GELINAS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, November 8, 1907. Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from this Department.

Nov. 15, 1907.

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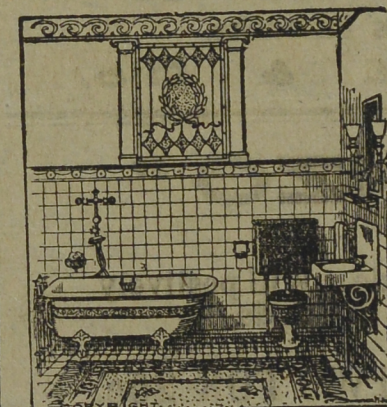
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THE BRANCH RAILWAYS

Messrs Brown and Burns' Inspection with a view to handing over Properties to Dominion Government.

Campbellton Daily Graphic: Indications point to the federal government taking over the majority, if not all, of the branch railways in the province at an early date.

Gilmour Brown, C. E. of Fredericton and T. M. Burns, M. P. P., of Bathurst who have been appointed a commission by the provincial government to examine and obtain options to lease or purchase the local branch lines in the province, were in town the other day.

They told a reporter for the Graphic that they would make a detailed report of the general condition of the different roads, their earning powers, their safety as regards the transportation of passengers, etc. They stated that a good deal of dissatisfaction prevailed among the travelling public over the service on some

of the branch roads and fear as to their safety. The trains which were slow affairs, afforded in most cases very poor accommodation. The public were demanding something better and safer.

The commissioners have already examined two roads, the Caraque and Gulf shore and the International. The latter however, the circumstances did not wish to class among those which were not what they ought to be. They regard the International as one of the best roads they have ever seen in every respect. This week the commissioners are examining the Kent Northern road.

They have ten branch roads in all to examine, viz: The International, the Caraque and Gulf Shore, the Kent Northern, the Deersville, the Buctouche and Prince Edward Island