



WARNING TO PURCHASERS

EVERY assignment of the right of a South African Volunteer to a land grant must be by way of appointment of a substitute and must be in the form provided by the Act. Special attention is called to Sub-section 3 of Section 5 of the Volunteer Bounty Act, 1908, which provides that no assignment of the right of a substitute shall be accepted or recognized by the Department of the Interior which is not executed and dated after the date of the warrant for the land grant issued by the Minister of Militia and Defence in favor of the Volunteer.

J. W. GREENWAY,
Commissioner of Dominion
Lands, Ottawa.
28th September, 1908.

Call It "Settler's Clock."

To the outside world the greatest ornithological oddity in this country is the kookaburra, says The Sydney (Australia) Times. In earlier times it was known as the "settler's clock," from the belief that its joyful paens were vented regularly at morn, noon and dusk, being quiescent through the heat of the forenoon. That belief has long been shattered. The kookaburra laughs just when the fit takes it, particularly when excited; and it laughs as readily at the violent death of its mother-in-law as it does at the enraged settler, when he falls off his hay-stack. A wounded bird makes a demoniacal row, which will bring all others within hearing into the neighboring tree, and these at once set up an echoing cackle that is repeated again and again.

Bell-Ringing Record.

Twelve members of the St. Mary-le-Tower Society of Church Bellingers, Ipswich, England, have succeeded for the first time on record in ringing a peal of Cambridge Surprise Maximus of 5,280 changes in three hours and fifty-seven minutes.

MOOSE AND CARIBOO

Raced C. P. R. Express for Seventy Miles.

MONTREAL, Nov. 23.—News of one of the most remarkable races in history was brought to C. P. R. headquarters today by Mr. W. C. Jordan, of Lumsden Mills, a thriving lumber centre in the Temiskaming district.

It was between the East bound Imperial Limited, a moose and a cariboo. As Mr. Jordan was on his way to the train on the Kippewa branch line in the early morning Thursday, he noticed a trio of sportsmen abroad in the dawn on the Quebec side of the boundary, where the season for big game is still open. They were the Hon. James Whipple, chief game warden of the State, and Mr. W. E. Johnston, whose fame rivals that of President Roosevelt as one of the big game hunters of America. They had been in the district about a week. Their rifles had been busy and he heard the "crack," "crack," of them as he was whirled along in the branch line coach.

When he got into the day coach on the main line at Mattawa, Mr. Jordan saw a moose and cariboo, both of good proportions and well antlered, come bounding over from the Kippewa way as if thoroughly startled. The American hunters had evidently inspired them with a terror they had never felt before, and they started running along the track eastward, speeding like the wind to get ahead of the express, which after leaving Mattawa got up speed, and was making easily forty-eight miles an hour. The passengers soon got thoroughly interested in what looked like a terribly grim and serious contest of speed between the train locomotive, the moose and the cariboo.

The engine was puffing away and rolling out black clouds of smoke. The moose would run from time to time heave his massive head and neck, antlers spread like palm branches and pointed and the cariboo with antlers hardly of less dimensions, but shaped like a bow bent in the direction of the neck and plentifully spiked, was swinging gracefully. When the station Deux Rivières was reached it was thought the race would end, but no; even when the animals might apparently have got ahead as the train slowed up they seemed to think it was sportsmanlike to sneak away. They plunged into the two rivers, and swam boldly across both, gaining the opposite shore as the train was still on the bridge. On swept the train and on rushed the fleet-footed animals.

It was just after 10.30 when the matchless contest began. For more than two hours it was kept up. The cariboo was the first to give out. Bisset, Rockliffe, Mackay, Moorlake, Bass Lake, and Wylie had been passed. Rivers and creeks had been cauntlessly swum—Gordon Creek, Green Creek, and Abimica Creek—each time the racing animals came out refreshed. Until the very last the passengers seemed to enjoy the sport as they would a horse race, and as something better than a boxing contest. It was near Chalk river when the moose, too, dropped away, sinking down exhausted in a red pine clump. He had raced not far short of seventy miles, and seemed to be thinking of a short cut over the country to Kippewa as his head turned westward.

A WOMAN SPOTTER.

Is causing Agitation among Conductors on Toronto Street Railway.

TORONTO, Nov. 23.—(Special)—One of the alleged "spotters" now at work on the street cars, is a woman with two children, who is very active on behalf of the company, and is consequently keeping the conductors on the alert. Already several of the conductors have been on the carpet for allowing the elder of the two children to ride without paying a fare.

The woman, who is usually poorly dressed, has a very young child on her knee, and the other she draws so close to her side that sometimes the conductor fails to see the youngster, who, as a result, gets a free ride.

THE STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—(Special)—All stocks started the week at low prices, the decline outturning the earlier tendency in London.

Practically all of the representative stocks were down between 1 and 1 1/2. Noon quotations included the following:

Amalgamated Copper	83 1/2
Atchison	95 1/2
Canadian Pacific	176
Erie	32 1/2
Great Northern Pfd	138
Missouri Pacific	62
New York Central	116 1/2
Reading	136 1/2
Penn	129
Southern Pacific	116 1/2
Northern Pacific	141 1/2
Union Pacific	179 1/2
United States Steel	55

THE BARONY.

Nov. 21—The weather has been exceedingly mild this fall. We have had but one frost since the middle of September. Gordon Grant of Shogomoc has a

large crew of men in the woods. He is operating for Mr. W. J. Scott.

Mrs. Ernest Hall has moved to Pokok to spend the winter with her father A. W. Flemming. Mr. Hall is at present in Woodstock.

Through the efforts of the Baptists in this place a new roof has been put on their church.

The schoolhouse has received some much needed repairs. The school is being successfully taught again this term by Miss Folster.

Messrs. Lockhard and Davidson are making extensive improvements in their buildings.

Mrs. Chas. Roach has returned from Plaster Rock to spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. John Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gerow and son of Meductic, spent a few days of last week with Mrs. Gerow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ebbett.

Mrs. G. W. Ebbett, who has been in poor health for some time is very much improved.

Mr. Gaynor, agent for Van's skis, is in the vicinity selling the same.

Mrs. Chaufeur is always running down people when I go out with her in her auto.

Doesn't she ever get arrested? No, they can't arrest you for gossiping, can they?

HARVARD WON.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 22.—A crimson flood of banners swept in triumph over Yale field in the light of Saturday afternoon for the men of Harvard, after seven long years, had beaten Yale, 4 to 0. A goal from the field, kicked by Victor P. Kennard, of Brookline, Mass., fresh from the side lines, and standing on Yale's twenty-eight yard line, with the crimson line planted on the fifteen yard line, was the deciding point, just as the first half was closing. The game was a battle of football giants, the like of which, as memory serves, has not before been seen on Yale field.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Gifford*

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 25th December, 1908, for the conveyance of his Majesty's mail on a proposed contract for four years three times per week each way, between LAKE GEORGE and PRINCE WILLIAM STATION from the 1st of February next.

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 LAK. GEORGE, PRINCE WILLIAM STATION and INTERMEDIATE OFFICES and at the office of the Post Office Inspector at St. John.

G. C. ANDERSON, Supt. Post Office Department, Mail Contract Branch, Ottawa, 11th November, 1908.

After Supper Walk

TO THE

G. T. P. School of Telegraphy

Evening Classes 7 to 11 to supply the demand for Male and Female operators just received by the School of Employment Bureau

Rates on Application to

W. T. LITTLE, Prin.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

BETWEEN MONTREAL AND VANCOUVER IMPERIA LIMITED

Leaves Montreal Daily at 10.10 a. m. Coaches and Palace Sleepers to Vancouver.

PACIFIC EXPRESS

Leaves Montreal Daily at 10.15 p. m. Coaches, Palace Sleepers and Tourist Sleepers to Vancouver.

NEW LINE TO SPOKANE, WASH., AND PORTLAND, ORE. Leaves Montreal daily 10.10 a. m. via Canadian Pacific, Crownstee Branch, Kingsgate and Spokane International Ry., connecting at Spokane, with the Oregon Rd. & Nav. Co. for local stations. Portland, Ore., and all Pacific Coast Points south of Portland.

W. B. HOWARD, D.P. & C.P.E. St. John.

-SOME-WARM-GOODS-

FOR THE COLD DAYS

Prepare for the cold winter weather which is right on our heels. Look after the little ones, keep them properly clothed to prevent them from catching cold. You'll find lots of good warm and serviceable clothing at our store, for

MISSIES LADIES AND CHILDREN

Wool Togues 25 to 50c

The New Nansen Muffler Assorted Colors 50c.

Wool Gloves and Mitts Assorted Colors

Strong Warm Hosiery

All Kinds of Underwear in Ladies' Department

Wool Clouds 25 to 70c

Childs Lamb wool Ties 38c each

Wool Gaiters for Children 26c

Sleeping robes for Children Piece Lin-d

Childs Bear Coats in Red, Grey and White.

Tennant & Clarke

FALL MILLINERY.

Trimmed Hats, Toques, Bonnets, Misses Hats, Children's Hats, Tams and Hoods

All the newest in the Market. Prices to suit all.

Miss Morgan

YORK STREET

Bicycle Storage Free

We will call for your wheel, do all necessary repairing, clean all bearings, general over hauling and have it ready for early spring.

All Work Guaranteed First Class

Moderate Prices

PHONE 109 BARRETT'S

Bargains in Groceries

We are offering 20 lbs fine Granulated Sugar for \$1.00, Barbadoes Molasses 39c per gallon.

A special bargain in Red Rose, Union Blend and Salada Teas. Other choice groceries equally low prices.

M. F. BURGOYNE

Phone 402-21

Westmorland Street

MONEY TO LOAN

Smilage. Nervous Traveler (to seat companion) —How fast should you say you were traveling?

Companion (who has been flirting with the girl across the way)—About a smile a minute.—Life.

Where Rates Are Rare.

Ratepayers may like to know of a place where a rate is a rarity. Its name is Sturminster Marshall, in Dorsetshire, England. The total expenditure for the past year amounted to 23 1/2s. of which £3 was for painting the village maypole. The parish council have, after much discussion, decided to levy a halfpenny rate, the first for several years.

WOOD.

Now in stock: Dry wood, 12 inches, suitable for cooking stove. Also R. T. BAIRD, Phone 418.

Malaga Grapes

CHOICE PINK TINTED FRUIT

15c lb 3 lbs 40c

Tokay Grapes 15c lb. 2 lbs. 25c
Grape Fruit 7c, 4 for 25c
Delicious Pears 20c and 25c dozen
Florida Oranges, Valencia Oranges, Dominique and Jamaica Oranges, different prices from 20c up

NEW DRIED FRUIT

Very Choice Valencia Raisins 9c lb, 3 lbs. 25c
Candied Citron Peel 25c lb
Orange and Lemon Peel 14c lb
Good Prunes 9c lb, 3 lbs. 25c
Choice Camel Brand Figs 11c lb
Figs in Baskets 15c each

FLOUR

Have you tried a Barrel of our Fancy Manitoba? \$6 25 barrel, quality equal to the best and price enables you to save 60c. Every barrel guaranteed to give good satisfaction.

Best Blend Flour \$5.65 bbl.
Best Pastry Flour 5.40 bbl.

At Our Candy Counters

Choice Chocolates 35c lb
Good Chocolates 25c lb
Best Cream Candy 18c lb
Good Cream Candy 18c, lb 3 lbs 25c
Daisy Mix Candy 9c lb, 3 lbs 25c
Choice Tick Mints 10c lb

Some Good Bargains

5 gal best Molasses \$2 10
4 lbs reg. 40c Tea \$1 00
7 lbs Baking Soda 25c
20 lbs Fine G. Sugar \$1 00
3 lbs Ginger Snaps 25c
Fine Sweet Cider 40c gal

1 lb best Cream Tartar 25c
3 cans Tomatoes 30c
3 cans Peas 25c
3 lbs reg. 40c Coffee \$1 00
2 pkg. Seeded Raisins 25c

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