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PLEA FROM CANTERBURY

For the Construction of a Road,

WHICH, IT IS CLAIMED, WOULD RESULT IN GREAT GOOD TO TWO PARISHES.

A petition has been in circulation in the parish of Canterbury to be presented to the Governor in council, asking that an appropriation be made to be expended on the road known as the Woodstock road, leading past the Digedquash Lakes to St. Croix.

This road was originally intended to make a through road to St. Stephen, but owing to the great cost in building parts of it, and to the fact that it was off the direct route to McAdam, which was beginning to come into notice as a prospective railway centre, the old road was abandoned, and for miles now the original road cut out can hardly be located.

Being a ratepayer of the Parish of Canterbury, being located here and intending to remain I naturally feel an interest in the welfare of the parish and after giving it some thought and talking the matter over with some of the prominent lumbermen and farmers we quite agree that money spent on the old Woodstock road would be thrown away as far as any advantage to the Parish of Canterbury was concerned. If the object be in making a start on this road and later on finish it and thereby get a road to McAdam and St. Croix, we will contrast the route by the Woodstock road with that by a route along the C. P. R. direct to McAdam, which we claim of far greater advantage in many ways.

The Woodstock road for the first 12 miles runs through a wilderness, some of it very hilly, other parts of it around Cranberry Lake very rocky and requiring expensive bridging.

The next 12 miles I believe is almost uninhabited there being only half a dozen residents in that distance.

Now the land for the first twelve miles is owned by three St. Stephen land owners. If there was any land here fit for settlement (which no one will claim) it would not be to the interest of those land owners to sell on account of the spread of fire.

If my figures are correct, from Canterbury to St. Croix would be close to 30 miles and from there to McAdam seven miles, allowing for a cut across from the St. Croix settlement. To McAdam by the Woodstock road would be not less than thirty miles. No part of this road would come nearer the C.P.R., than three miles and the greater part from five to eight miles.

Now take the direct route to McAdam by the railway, 22 miles. A road now runs down the line three miles leaving nineteen miles to build. Although this cannot be built for a song, it can be built as cheap as other roads have been built in this parish, say from the St. John river to North Lake and as cheap as the one around the Digedquash Lakes. What are the advantages by this route along the C. P. R.? We save eight or ten miles, which means time in travelling and money in building.

We pass Shogomoc where some day machinery of some kind is sure to be humming. Two miles farther down is Deer Lake, where a large mill is now built and tens of thousands of cords of sawdust are piled out and where wood can be got for hauling it away. This sawdust and hundreds of cords of edgings could also be used in road building.

Several other valuable streams cross the C. P. R., below here which as Canada is now progressing are bound to be useful for manufacturing purposes.

Again, from Deer Lake to McAdam is one of the finest blueberry sections in New Brunswick; this alone would mean hundreds of dollars to the people, as the demand for this berry is far greater than the supply.

What farmer wouldn't enjoy hooking in his team and taking all hands on a blue-berry picnic to Sugar Brook and while the dew was drying off the bushes the boys could run into the Town Clark hole or Kilburn Lake and bring out a string of trout.

Another great advantage in having this road open along the C. P. R. would be the opening up for tourist travel of one of the finest game and fish regions in N. B. None of these places can be reached by the old Woodstock road. I'll name some of them. 1st the Brown Pond where we never missed a

catch since we were boys, Shogomoc and Crooked Brook where only last season eighteen dozen fine trout were taken out in one afternoon, followed by other catches equally at large during the same season. Then there is the outlet of Deer Lake, Cranberry Rips, and the magnificent stretch of lakes, Kilburn Cronk, Snow, Shoe, Dutch Lake and dozens of others all along the road leading from Canterbury to McAdam.

Then think of the deer and moose duck and Partridge hunting along this road, why it would be a sportsman paradise, and in a few years would pay from the tourist travel which would be sure to develop on account of the ease and pleasure of getting to the grounds.

Last but not least is the advantage to the farmers in being able to haul their oats, hay, potatoes, etc., to McAdam, not to say anything of the ease to lumbermen in getting to and from the camps.

As McAdam would be as interested in this route as Canterbury, we would be safe in expecting McAdam to build their half of the road. I think the readers of the Herald in both parishes would be pleased to hear something more from this road and that instead of a petition for 175 dollars we get up a joint petition, asking the government to look into the advisability of assisting in building this road, and making a grant to that effect.

RATEPAYER.

Canterbury, April 12.

The profit of a gold mine depends, not on the amount of rock crushed under the stamps but upon the amount of gold which can be extracted from the rock. In a similar way the value of the food which is eaten does not depend on the quantity which is taken into the stomach but upon the amount of nourishment extracted from it by the organs of nutrition and digestion. When these organs are diseased they fail to extract the nourishment in sufficient quantities to supply the needs of the several organs of the body, and these organs cannot work without nourishment. The result is heart "trouble," liver "trouble," and many another ailment. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, acting on every organ of the digestive and nutritive system, restores it to health and vigor. It cures diseases remote from the stomach through the stomach in which they originated. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains neither alcohol nor narcotics.

Arthur Prentice, a young English lad, five years ago, was sentenced to be hanged for the murder of a farmer in Western Ontario. Prentice had a quarrel with a neighbouring farmer's son over a rabbit, which Prentice said belonged to him. The former took up the row with Prentice and the lad shot him. The death sentence was changed to imprisonment for life, and now a pardon has been granted Prentice.

There is no form of kidney trouble from a bacchic down to Bright's disease, that DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS will not relieve or cure.

At the graduation ceremony at the University of Edinburgh Friday the honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred on Prof. William James, of Harvard, and President Jacob Gould Schurman, of Cornell University.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cure Anaemia, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Weakness, Palpitation, Throbbing, Faint Spells, Dizziness, or any condition arising from Impoverished Blood, Disordered Nerves or Weak Heart.

Clarence Willix, of Alexandria Bay, Ont., had a lively experience on a gasoline launch, up the river. There was a leak in the tank, which allowed the gasoline to flow into the bottom of the boat. As soon as the spark was turned on the flames burst out, completely enveloping Mr. Willix. He jumped overboard head first, the flames following him until he was entirely under water. The boat was quickly turned over and flooded before the flames had wrought much damage.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil is good for man or beast. Relieves pain, reduces swelling, allays inflammation, cures cuts, burns, bruises, sprains, stiff joints, etc.

Of all the teas that ever were known, Of all the teas that ever were grown, My Mary knows what she's talking about—

And she says, "Of all teas, without a doubt,

The best by far is UNION BLEND, And on my word you may depend."

LETTER FROM REV. J. J. COLTER In Which He Presents Some Arguments for Temperance.

To the Editor of the Herald,

Sir,—For centuries we have experimented with the license system. Has it been a success? Rev. F. D. Maurice a celebrated Episcopalian clergyman said, "we have never doubted that the whole country must look for its blessings through the elevation of the working class, that we must sink if that is not raised." The greatest obstacle in the way of its elevation is the saloon. Burns the celebrated labor candidate said that the district of London, which he represents, had, by means of gymnastics, concerts, lectures and other civilizing influences, been so transformed that philanthropists from other cities had frequently visited them to learn their methods. Yet at every step in this work of reform they had been antagonized by the liquor men.

Bishop Ireland said that the drinking habits of his countrymen in Ireland did them more harm than the landlord.

In a recent issue of the Montreal Star, in referring to the expense for criminals of the city the previous year, it was stated that as usual the greater part of this was for drunkenness. Dr. Marcus Dodds, a distinguished English clergyman, when visiting the United States last summer, observed that there was scarcely a tithe of the drunkenness there that he had witnessed in his own country, a proof that experimenting with prohibition had not been in vain.

The Rev. George Hodgeon an Episcopal clergyman of Charlottetown said that as he passed a certain street containing the homes of well to do families, he was reminded that there was scarcely one of them that had not their tragedy through drunkenness. Perhaps those who have been acquainted with the history for the last fifty years of the same class of families in this province might give us the same testimony.

Mr. Gladstone said that strong drink was a greater scourge than war, famine, and pestilence combined. Lord Wolseley said we have yet great battles to fight, great enemies to encounter, but the most pressing enemy is strong drink, it kills more lives than all our newest weapons of warfare, and it not only kills the body but mind and soul also. Lord Roseberry said that the nation is being ruined by it. Judge Coleridge said that three-fourths of the crime and pauperism is caused by strong drink.

Nearly all of our churches have by vote of assembly, synod, convention, conference and diocese declared themselves out and out for prohibition, and if they mean it they have the power to enforce it. That astute politician, the late Sir John McDonald, said on a certain occasion: "When the church says so the liquor must go."

That statistics abundantly prove the benefit of the Scott Act, though only a partial prohibitory law, the following for the year 1888 will show:

	Gallons of liquor per capita.	Prop. of offences to 1000 persons.
British Columbia (never under Scott Act).....	8 1/2	1.56
Ontario (partly under Scott Act).....	5 1/2	1.04
Quebec (largely under Scott Act).....	3 1/2	.83
Man. and N. W. Territories (partly under prohibition).....	2	.54
New Brunswick (largely under Scott Act).....	1 1/2	.22
Nova Scotia (largely under Scott Act).....	1 1/2	.18
P. E. I. (then wholly under Scott Act).....	1	.12
Whole Dominion less than.....	4	.66

What better showing do we want to illustrate the benefit of a prohibitory law. British Columbia, without restraint, more than doubled the average of the whole Dominion, both as regards the quantity of liquor drunk and crime committed. So with the provinces. Prince Edward Island consumed about one-twelfth part as much liquor per capita as British Columbia and had one-thirteenth of the ratio of crime. So with all the other provinces, the crime is just exactly in proportion to the amount of liquor drunk.—S. H. Brown, in the Westminster.

If the reports of the daily press are reliable we can trace four deaths directly to the violation of the Scott Act in this city within the last two years. We know that intemperance is doing its deadly work in the case of quite a number of others, slowly, but surely. It is the

parent of poverty, wretchedness and crime. In other words, there is a great sin against God being committed through the illicit sale of liquor. At whose hands will he require it? He will hold those responsible in the first place who openly violate the Scott Act. In the next place those whose duty it is to uphold the majesty of law and do not do it. He will also hold those responsible who through selfishness or indifference do not compel officials to do their duty, as well as those who by pen speech or example encourage the violation of law and sneer at those who are striving to enforce it.

J. J. COLTER.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND THE Great Spring Medicine.

WHILE IT DRIVES OUT THE SEEDS OF DEADLY DISEASES IT QUICKLY BUILDS UP FLESH AND MUSCLE.

Marvelous Restoration Vouchered For by A Prominent Clergyman.

THE CURED MAN SAYS:

"I Feel Like a New Man, Which Condition I Owe to the Blessing of God and Paine's Celery Compound."

Thousands of families to-day mourn the loss of near and dear ones who, when sickness first came upon them, were forced to use other medicines instead of the great disease banisher, Paine's Celery Compound.

We earnestly appeal to the relatives and friends of the suffering, to break away from the bondage of medical etiquette and dictation, in order that the suffering, one may have a surer and happier hope of a new life.

The one remedy known to medicine that can bring vigor, strength and permanent health to the weak, rundown, rheumatic, neuralgic, dyspeptic and those burdened with kidney and liver troubles, blood diseases and derangements of the digestive organism, is Dr. Phelps' great medical prescription, Paine's Celery Compound.

The following letter from Mr. R. W. Daniels, Lawrencetown, N. S. will surely inspire every suffering man and woman with fresh courage and hope. Mr. Daniels' cure is vouched for by Rev. C. M. Tyler, a prominent clergyman of the Methodist Church:

"I feel constrained for the benefit of suffering humanity, to add my testimony to the wonderful effects of your Paine's Celery Compound. I was induced to try your Compound through its wonderful effects upon a Mr. Parks. I had previously used a vast quantity of patent and doctors' medicines, only to find myself growing weaker. After using your Paine's Celery Compound to the number of five bottles, I gained forty-three pounds, and am now able to work hard all day, as a mason, with comfort to myself. I feel like a new man, which condition I owe to the blessing of God and your Paine's Celery Compound."

Miss Stone, the released missionary, tells us that the brigands did not hold Madame Tsilka for a ransom, "I was the one they wanted," she says, "and they always take a married lady to chaperon a single one." What proper brigands! We presume that, if a chaperon had not been available, they would not have thought of carrying out the abduction. They did not mind threatening a lady with death in case some few thousand dollars were not forthcoming, but they would have had the execution properly chaperoned!

Congratulatory Messages From the Ladies.

The daily mails bring to the manufacturers of the Diamond Dyes congratulatory messages from ladies in every city, town and village in Canada. These letters speak of great successes and triumphs with the Diamond Dyes. Such unsolicited testimony regarding the vast superiority of Diamond Dyes is conclusive proof that no other package dyes can be compared to them in strength, fastness and beauty of colors.

It is also quite evident that the Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns have increased their popularity; the present large demand is the strongest proof. If your dealer cannot furnish you with printed sheets of new designs, send your address at once to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain St., Montreal, P. Q., and you will be supplied free of cost.

Senator Kittredge, of South Dakota, tells a story about a reception which he attended, which is especially appreciated by some of the "cliff dwellers," as the Senators who have their offices in the subterranean part of the Capitol are called. One of the guests at the reception was a young man from the west, who was asked to take a glass of wine. "I never drink wine," he said. "Never drink wine?" said the host, in surprise. "No," said the young man. "So I cannot induce you to join me?" persisted the host. "No," was the reply. "I don't touch wine, but if you can find a little plain old rye whiskey I think I could be persuaded to take a drink."

One Common Cause Of Headache.

Perhaps the most general cause of headache and pain across the eyes is nasal catarrh. The simplest cure is to inhale the medicated vapor of Catarrhazone which traverses every air cell and air passage of the throat, lungs and nose. It kills myriads of germs at every breath, clears away mucous discharges, preserves and heals the membrane. Catarrhazone is just a splendid remedy for headache, and its action is certain and unerring in diseases of the Throat and Lungs, Deafness, Bronchitis, Asthma and Catarrh. A trial will convince the most sceptical that Catarrhazone is all right. Large size, \$1.00; trial size 25c. Druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure Constipation.

William C. Whitney gave an elaborate luncheon Friday at his residence, New York for Lord and Lady Minto. The floral decorations were on a magnificent scale, and quantities of crimson ramblers, rhododendrons, wisteria and other spring flowers were placed about in pots. In the afternoon a number of friends came in and there was music, Joseph Hoffman, being one of the artists who played. Afterwards Lord and Lady Minto called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson at 111 East Thirty-fifth street.

The Savings Bank of Health.

Is lots of red and vitalizing blood to nourish and invigorate the body. If your blood is thin and watery use "Ferrozone." It supplies the necessary elements such as phosphorus and iron, and quickly restores lost strength and spirits. Ferrozone is an unequalled restorative for the tired, the sick, and the run down; it stimulates appetite, aids digestion, soothes the nerves, and makes the system too healthy for disease to exist. No tonic does as much good in a short time as Ferrozone. Get it today from any druggist for 50c per box, or six boxes for \$2.50. Sold at C. A. Burchill.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills cure constipation.

Many Women are not Attractive.

Because of repulsive-looking warts on the hands. They can be removed quite painlessly by Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor; it never marks and always cures. Try it.

A meeting of Roman Catholic peers was held at Westminster Palace Hotel Friday to consider what further action, if any, should be taken in regard to the royal declaration as to the Catholic Church. It was decided that during coronation year it would not be fitting to take any action, as it might provoke bitter controversy, and as the declaration was not included in the coronation ceremonial it would be better to postpone action until the next session of Parliament.

Do you Belch Gas.

If you have uneasy sensations in the stomach a bad taste in the mouth, headache—remember that ten drops of Polson's Nerviline in sweetened water is a quick and certain cure. Nerviline aids digestion, dispels the gas, makes you comfortable and free from distress at once. Nerviline is just splendid for Cramps, Colic, Dysentery, Stomach and Bowel Troubles, and costs only 25c. Better try it.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills Cure Constipation.

A Big Four train was wrecked at Cleveland late Thursday night. The engineer and firemen were killed and several passengers injured.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder dusted in the bath softens the water at the same time that it disinfects, so