

# BAD FOR CALAIS.

## Maine City May Have to Suffer for Blunder of Immigration Officials.

"Live in the United States or relinquish command of American schooners." These are the words of a laundryman in St. Stephen, who have lived there for many years, conducting a laundry. They are British subjects, were born in British Hong Kong, and English in their mother tongue.

The local street railway, owned by Canadians, make the circuit from St. Stephen public landing around Milltown, N. B., and Milltown, Me., down through Calais to the lower wharf, a total distance of about seven miles, and is very popular on summer evenings.

One evening recently these two Chinese decided to take a ride. Every one in St. Stephen and Calais, knows them as industrious men, who own property in St. Stephen, and who couldn't be induced to leave.

They got on the car at St. Stephen-Calais bridge, on the Canadian side. One of the United States immigration officers happened to be in close proximity and espied the two Chinese. He jumped on the car and the moment the car was on American soil he showed his badge and arrested them. He looked them up and took them away to Vermont. Their St. Stephen friends made the trip, too, engaged counsel, and the Chinese were promptly sent back home, after a fine train ride and entertainment at the expense of Uncle Sam.

The laugh occasioned by the arrest caused deep ranking.

### MADE A BLUNDER.

Calais, Me., is in a state of intense excitement, and over-zealous immigration officials are blamed for the present trend of events.

A few weeks ago the immigration inspectors made a ludicrous mistake in a Chinese case.

Smarting under the taunts, one of them discovered that six masters of little coasting schooners sailing out of Calais maintained homes on Canadian soil, though naturalized American citizens. The discovery resulted in the peremptory order, "Live in the United States or relinquish command of American schooners."

The six modest homes, mostly five miles below here, at the ledge right on the international boundary, were hurriedly sold at sacrifice prices or abandoned.

Now comes the threatened retaliation.

There are practically no industries in Calais at present. The great Canadian Colored Cotton Mills, Ganoon's immense candy factory, the St. Croix Soap Company, the Edge Tool Works and many other enterprises all located on the Canadian side of the river, and all operated by Canadian with Canadian capital, are contemplating an order demanding that a very employe reside on Canadian soil.

If they carry out threat Calais will suffer the worst blow in its history. About 80 per cent. of the working population, apart from storekeepers and clerks' earn their wages in Canada.

THE ORIGIN OF THE TROUBLE.

This is how the trouble started. Chinese have been frequently smuggled into the country from St. Stephen, across the river from Calais, and the immigration officials are constantly on the lookout for violators of the immigration laws.

DISCOVERED OLD REGULATION.

The rules and regulations of the Bureau of Navigation were consulted, and then the authorities discovered that masters of vessels flying the American flag must reside in the United States.

The Calais fleet is at present anything but strong in numbers and with not a packer under 25 years old. Most of the 30-odd skippers earn but \$30 a month, and but three of them get \$60.

Five skippers of the six whom the order affected are no longer young. They all long ago became American citizens. But they had inherited the homesteads at the Ledge or in St. Stephen, and had their homes established, as they fondly imagined, for life.

The curt order came as a bolt from the blue.

And now Calais may pay dearly.

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CANADA'S BATTLEFIELDS.

Government Will Probably Extend Powers of National Battlefields Commission.

Ottawa, Aug. 4.—It is probable that the Government will extend the powers of the National Battlefields Commission, appointed to take charge of the Champlain Tercentenary celebration at Quebec, and convert the battlefields at Quebec into a national park. When the commission was appointed the suggestion was made that its scope be widened to include the whole work of preserving for the people of Canada the various sites of historic interest throughout the Dominion. At the time this large scheme was left in abeyance, but it has not been forgotten. There are many old forts and places of interest in the Maritime Provinces, Ontario, Quebec, and the west, which are now being left practically to decay or to be appropriated for commercial purposes. It is proposed to give the National Battlefields Commission, which is now concerned solely with the work of nationalizing the Quebec battlefields, charge of this latter work of extending the Quebec project into a national work of restoring and beautifying all the spots in Canada sacred to the struggles and heroism of the men who preserved Canada to the British Empire.

Selfishness is the seed and sin is the harvest.

People who weigh their words seldom speak lightly.

Think only of yourself and others will forget you.

Politeness is responsible for a good many white lies!

Sell-adulation is one thing and self-respect is quite another.

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The trouble with the average man is that he isn't honest with himself.

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### FOREIGN POLICE.

Dress of the Patrolmen of London, Paris and Berlin.

London patrolmen carry no clubs. Attached to the middle of the belt behind is a dark lantern. The cuffs of their coats have vertical stripes, blue and white, signifying rank and distinguished service. During the frequent showers and rains they wear little waterproof capes. Their silent regulation of street traffic by hand signal is a realization of perfection.

In Paris the ordinary patrolmen wear blue caps and coats and in summer white duck trousers. They carry short swords, rather as an emblem of authority, but in extreme danger use the flat side as a club. In a downpour of rain the Paris policeman hangs his cap on a hook in the back side of his belt and draws over his head the hood of a short blue cape of heavy cloth. This hooded cape is called a capuchin and in its longer form, reaching to the knees, is used by civilians as well in cold or rainy weather. Accordingly at such times the streets of Paris seem to be alive with cowed monks. The London plan for controlling vehicles is used on the Paris boulevards. The policemen detailed for such duty wear white gloves and signal with white clubs.

German policemen wear helmets and have a distinctly martial air.—Travel Magazine.

## FRIGHTFUL STOMACH TROUBLE

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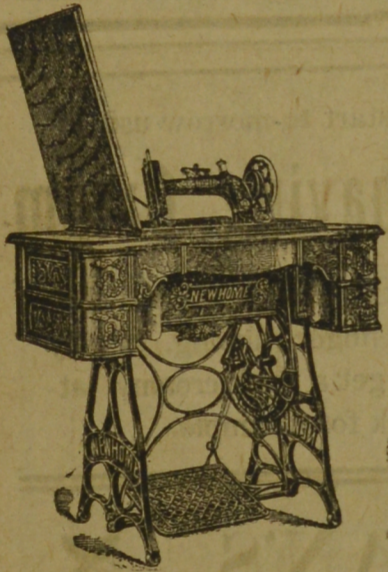
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