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LIFE, DEATH AND**THE HEREAFTER**

St. John, N. B., Feb. 5, 1908.

Editor Times:

Sir,—In your issue of the 4th, inst., in an article written in reply to one in a former issue signed "Student," I have good reason to believe that "Student" is opposed to Millennial Dawn teachings as is "Alpha." I would be sure that "Alpha" has little knowledge of the writings or he would not write in such a mixed way. In regard to the Scriptures given by "Student," no believer in Dawn would be ashamed of them. Our Lord when upon earth used the Old Testament Scriptures and recommended them to others, and "He that is ashamed of me and my words, of him will the son of man be ashamed when he cometh." "Alpha" seems to dislike the idea of the Lord coming as soon as 1914, but he is mixed in regard to the teaching of Dawn on that point as he is on others. As to that matter, the Lord will not change his plans to suit any of us.

I presume that "Student" will answer for himself, and if all would be willing to sign their names to their articles, it

would save confusion and misrepresentation, perhaps "Alpha" uses choice language in placing believers in Dawn among the lower animals. We would remind him that there are others besides those he mentions, but prefer to think of all mankind as above the beasts. Man created in the image and likeness of God has become greatly degraded we allow, but there is good hope for the restoration of most of them, according to the Scriptures, see Acts 3: 19-21; 1 Tim. 2: 3-6; John 1: 9; John 3: 16; Rev. 21: 7. The difficulty with "Alpha" seems to be that he quotes Scriptures against his own argument. After giving us to understand that he thinks man can never die, he quotes Matt. 10: 28, which states that God is able to destroy both soul and body, and other Scriptures state that he will do it. Isa. 145: 20; Acts 3: 23.

Mr. "Alpha" seems to worry about this literature being freely circulated in the city, and warns the people not to read it; I think the majority of St. John people have judgment enough to decide for themselves what they should read. We know it will not harm the Lord's true children, neither will "Alpha's" views, for as our Saviour said, "My sheep hear My voice and they follow Me," God's word shall accomplish his own purpose, Isa. 55: 11. We are glad to leave his work in His own hands, knowing that the results shall be glorious. See Gal. 3: 8, 16; Luke 2: 10; Isa. 53: 11; Jer. 31: 33-34; Rev. 5: 13. This last Scripture represents the condition of God's universe when all evil has been blotted out.

Yours sincerely,

A. N. MARCHANT.

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HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

Appointments Made to the Directorate at Annual Meeting Held Yesterday.

The annual meeting of the Horticultural Association was held in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon. Very little business was done beyond the reception of the reports, which were all adopted. Col. J. R. Armstrong was in the chair, and those present were Joseph Allison, C. P. Clarke, Dr. George U. Hay, William Hawker, Charles E. Scamell, R. B. Emerson and others.

Mr. Allison first read the reports of G. S. Fisher, chairman of the park construction committee; Gardner A. J. Stevens and the treasurer, Mr. Fisher's report dealt with the work carried on in Rockwood Park during the past summer. Reference was made to the fact that the destruction of signs is still going on and that an order has been placed with John E. Wilson to supply what is needed in that line. Suggestions were made that regulations be framed to govern the trout fishing privilege this summer.

Gardner Stevens, after referring to the weather conditions during the past summer as affecting the garden, expressed the hope that the foundation for the coming season would be placed in position for a successful season. He suggested that as the green house is old, much repair work will have to be done or a new one built.

On motion of Dr. Hay the suggestions contained in these reports were referred to the incoming board of directors.

Mr. Allison then read his report as treasurer, showing a balance of \$1,133.88. He explained that the greater part of this money would be required to meet the expenses of the work now going on in the park.

R. B. Emerson, for the auditors, reported they had found the accounts correct. The report of the arboretum committee was read by Dr. G. U. Hay.

Mr. Allison moved that a resolution of regret in the death of Thomas Rankine, who was a vice-president of the association, be drawn up and entered on the minutes.

The two vacancies on the board of directors, C. E. Scamell was elected to fill one, the other being left over till a meeting of the board. The names of Mrs. Robert Thomson, Mrs. J. Royden Thomson and Mrs. D. P. Chisholm were added to the board of lady associate directors, after which the meeting adjourned.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarth is a blood or constitutional disease, and to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarth Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarth Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarth. Send for testimonials free.

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NEW DRUG COMPANY**ELECTS OFFICERS**

Chas. E. Farrand, Who Organized the Company, is President—Strong Board.

The new drug and proprietary medicine company to be known as the Brayley Drug Co. Ltd., capitalized at \$75,000 was formally organized in this city Tuesday evening and officers were elected as follows: Charles E. Farrand, St. John, president; J. W. Budd, Halifax, Vice-President; George C. P. McIntyre, secretary treasurer; Directors: J. Howard Richards, Boiesworth, N. B.; H. H. Gunter, Fredericton; Charles E. Farrand, St. John; J. W. Budd, Halifax; George C. P. McIntyre, Sussex; John O'Regan, St. John and J. D. Irving, Buctouche.

The new company, the organization of which is due chiefly to the efforts of its president, has a bright future. Interested in it are some of the most successful business men in this province and Montreal.

Mr. Farrand, who for many years was connected with the Canadian Drug Company and is one of the best known men in the business in the Maritime Provinces, has been decidedly successful in floating the new company and its growth under his management is assured.

The head offices will be in the O'Regan building, Mill street, and five travellers will be employed constantly to look after the firm's business in Newfoundland and Canada. A western branch will be undertaken immediately.

Mr. Farrand said last evening that he expected to have everything ready for business by March 1st, the old established business of Brayley Sons, of Montreal, having been purchased.

Mr. Budd is a Halifax man, and was for several years with T. McArthur & Co., of Toronto, a large wholesale patent medicine concern. Mr. McIntyre has been for ten years with Frost and Wood, and is well known in St. John business circles.

LATE SHIP NEWS

Arrived today.

Stmr Senlac, 614, McKinnon, from Halifax and call ports, Wm Thomson & Co. pass and midst; stmr Cape Breton, 1,109, McDonald, from Sydney CB, R & W F Starr, coal.

Sailed today.

Stmr Sardinian, 2,786, Henry, for London and Havre, Wm Thomson & Co. pass and midst; Stmr Calvin Austin, 2,853, Pike, for Boston and Maine ports.

EXPORTS.

For Liverpool, per steamer Lake Erie: Canadian goods—350 sacks peas, 1800 sacks oatmeal, 4300 sacks rolled oatmeal, 116 bales rags, 83 cases leather, 85,000 bushels wheat, 120 bbls. casings, 190 bbls. white oil, 1200 bbls. ash staves, 312 bales hay, 233 bbls. box shanks, 23 boxes phonograph, 32 boxes paper, 1 box tags, 4 boxes bacon, 3 boxes oranges, 468,000 feet spruce dials, 680 sacks malt, 230 sacks flour, 33 bales rags, 4 cases salmon, 1221 boxes cheese, 371 bbls. apples, 16 crates rums, 100 bbls. grease, 2 cases packing, 1 trunk effects, Value, \$213,156.

Foreign goods, 1870 pkgs. lard, 160 pkgs. pork, 233 boxes provisions, 3200 sacks flour, 340 cases grape nuts, 2800 doors, 50 bales cotton, 106 pkgs. pulleys, 3 cases machinery, 1 motor car, 2 cases dry goods, Value, \$132,441. Total value of cargo, \$445,597.

For London, per steamer Rappahannock: Canadian goods: 242,089 feet spruce dials, 25,000 bushels wheat, 211 bbls. apples, 2 cases printed matter, 849 bbls. maple syrup, Value, \$33,238.

TO LET—UPPER FLAT 68 PORTLAND STREET. 256-2-13.

PRIVATE SALE—FRIDAY AND SATURDAY of this week, at 18 Garden street, Household Effects, consisting of Table, Rug, Dining Room Furniture, Gas Stove, Wood Heater, Kitchen Utensils. The above have been in use only two weeks. 25-2-7.

NOW I AM WELL

THANKS TO "FRUIT-A-TIVES"



Eli, Manitoba.

I wish to state, for the sake of others who may be suffering like I was, that I suffered from severe indigestion and constipation for years and that there was also womb trouble with unpleasant pains in my back which made me miserable, constantly. I tried physicians and took many remedies but I got no relief. I was induced to try "Fruit-a-tives" and I can truly say this was the first medicine that ever did me any good. "Fruit-a-tives" quickly relieved the constipation and indigestion and completely cured me of all symptoms of womb trouble. I cannot express too strongly my great gratitude to this medicine as I am as well in every way as ever I was, thanks to "Fruit-a-tives". I can strongly recommend "Fruit-a-tives", it is easy to take and the effect is always mild like fruit.

(Sgd) MRS. M. BREILAND.

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THE INGLENOOK PHILOSOPHER —OF— KENNEBECASIS BAY

I received a letter today from Los Angeles, Cal., in which the writer says she has just found my address (unknown to her for fifty years or more), and that she at once sits down to write me. She says she is the little Ellen who used to sit on my knee and fall asleep on my arm and think I was her best and dearest of friends. This is all very well, but when she adds that she is a "gray haired young woman, somewhat stout and a grand mother," I shake my head. My little Ellen has gold red hair, violet eyes, and a form almost as slight and pliable as a willow wand. I see her very often—any time when I choose to close my eyes and conjure her out of the past. Dear little Ellen! This hoax is a cruel one. Gray haired? Ridiculous. Stout? Monstrous. A grandmother? Preposterous! Time has no wrath against such as she. Some where, perhaps in Los Angeles, the earthly paradise of our age, she is still young and beautiful and happy—just as she lived in my memory.

At this stage of my musings I glanced inadvertently at my mirror and saw reflected there a gray haired man, with a wrinkled forehead, and a pair of spectacles that would have been of as much service astride of the nose of the bust of Emelton in the corner, as astride of my own.

"Alas," said I, "can it be possible that the little Ellen, like myself, has not escaped the punishment of the years! Can it be possible that she, so fresh and joyous in the old days, comes to me when I close my eyes and call her from the past; comes as a shadow of her former self, a ghost of something which has been, but which shall be no more?"

Dear little Ellen! I guess it was she who wrote this letter, for it seems when I read it that she is talking to me just as happily—that it will be happiness to sleep her last long sleep, in such a lovely place as Los Angeles.

I close my eyes again and little Ellen rose up before me, not as I had seen her, but a staid and matronly woman, who is evidently covered by her lot—happy in the society of her friends and happy in solitude. "Our ills are trivial," she seemed to whisper: "life is what we make it: if we do well all will be well with us; if we do ill, all will be ill, for he who is happy, over-reaches or slanders his neighbor, in the end he has deceived, defrauded, over-reached and slandered himself.

Little Ellen, whose presence I could not account for, clasped the hand of her matronly self and they smilingly disappeared.

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Wonderful Cold Cure

Relieves at Once—Prevents and Cures Quickly.

You have a cold—in the head—something you can't escape. But there is a cure—a delightful method of prevention—so simple even a child will use it—"Catarrhazone." Quick as lightning on nose colds—stops them, cures them, prevents them.

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For the nose, throat, lungs, and bronchial tubes, Catarrhazone is unrivaled. Try it yourself—both pleasant and safe.

Two months' treatment guaranteed, price \$1.00; small (trial) size 25c, at all dealers, or N. C. Polson and Co., Hazard, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

Word was received yesterday that the Port Maitland (N. S.) bark Strathern, in command of Capt. Ivimey, and was built fifteen years ago at Port Maitland (N. S.), from which port she was registered. Her length was 213 feet, breadth thirty-nine feet and depth twenty-four feet. Her owners are Zurich & Co. of Lunenburg, and others.

TRAGIC DEATH OF ABRAM LONG

Well Known North End Man Was Lying Dead in His Basement While Relatives Sought for Him.

Death came in a very tragic manner yesterday to Abram Long, of 38 Victoria street. His dead body was found in the cellar of his house about 5 o'clock in the afternoon by his son-in-law, H. W. Parlee. The last time deceased was seen alive was when he went to the basement about 11 o'clock in the forenoon to saw some wood. At dinner time, when he did not appear for his meal, his wife came to the conclusion that he had left the house unobserved. Search was instituted and as time passed his wife became more and more uneasy. The services of Mr. Parlee were secured and he joined in the search, but it was not till 5 o'clock when descending to the basement he found the missing one.

Coroner Roberts was summoned and gave it as his opinion that death was the result of heart trouble.

Mr. Long was a native of Head of Millstream, Kings county, and was seventy years of age. He is survived by his wife, five stepsons and one step daughter. Four sisters also survive: Mrs. Joseph Mason, Head of Millstream; Mrs. Mary Gilchrist, of Fitchburg (Mass.), and two unmarried, at the Head of Millstream. There are also two brothers, one in the states and the other at the Head of Millstream. Besides these, numerous relatives, both in Canada and the United States, also survive. Mr. Long, who was employed around the mills in the summer season, was very well known in the North End and his numerous friends will regret to hear of his tragic death. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Thursday, Feb. 6. New York Stock Quotations, Chicago Market report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

Yesterday's Closing	Today's Opening	49c
Amalg. Copper	31	67 1/2
Anacosta	32	32
Am. Sugar Refr.	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Rfg.	64 1/2	64 1/2
Am. Locomotive	71 1/2	71 1/2
Brook. Rpd. Tr.	36 1/2	36 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	83	82 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	28 1/2	28 1/2
Cole. P. & Iron	18 1/2	18 1/2
Great Northern pfd ..	119 1/2	119 1/2
Erie	15	15
Louisville & Nashville ..	96	96
Missouri Pacific	42	42 1/2
N. Y. Central	109 1/2	109 1/2
Reading	109 1/2	109 1/2
Repub. Steel	16	16 1/2
Pennsylvania	111 1/2	111 1/2
Rock Island	11 1/2	11 1/2
St. Paul	110 1/2	110 1/2
So.	10 1/2	10 1/2
Southern Pacific	72 1/2	71 1/2
Norfolk & W.	12 1/2	12 1/2
Union Pacific	119 1/2	118 1/2
U. S. Rubber	20	20
U. S. Steel	28 1/2	27 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	81	80 1/2
Total sales in New York yesterday, 474,256 shares.		

May Corn	61	60 1/2	61 1/2
May Wheat	97 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2
May Oats	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
May Pork	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
July Corn	58 1/2	58	58 1/2
July Wheat	90 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
July Oats	45 1/2	46	46

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom. Iron & Steel	16 1/2	16 1/2	16
Dom. L. & S. pfd.	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	58	57 1/2	57 1/2
P. E. I.	149 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Detroit United	38 1/2	38	38
Toronto St. Ry.	99 1/2	98	98
Mex. Light & Power	54 1/2	55	55

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

March	10.88	10.96	11.01
May	10.93	10.93	11.06
July	10.72	10.77	10.86

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, banker and broker.)

Thursday, Feb. 6. London, 12.30 p. m.—Canadian Pacific 149 3/4. Money on call 3 1/2 to 3 3/4; discount short bills 3 5/8 to 3 3/4; for three months bills, 3 5/8. Bank of England rate unchanged.

London, 2 p. m.—Exchange 48.50, Amacosta 32 1/2, Amalgamated Copper 60 1/2, Atchafalaya 71 1/2, Baltimore and Ohio 83, Chesapeake and Ohio 29 1/2, Great Western 47 1/2, Canadian Pacific 149 3/4, Erie 14 7/8, Erie 1st preferred 31, Kansas and Texas 22 1/2, Louisville and Nashville 90 3/4, Northern Pacific 124, New York Central 99 1/4, Ontario and Western 32, Pennsylvania 111 3/4, Reading 100 7/8, Southern Railway 101 1/2, Southern Pacific 72, St. Paul 110 7/8, Union Pacific 119 1/4, United States Steel 27 5/8, United States Steel preferred 81, Wabash preferred 15 1/8.

Liverpool—Spot cotton, fair demand, prices easier, middlings off 5. Futures opened easier, at 3 to 3 1/2 decline. At 12.30 p. m.—Quiet and steady 1 to 3 1/2 decline from previous closing.

NEWS SUMMARY.

Bank of England return—Reserve 27,855,000, against 28,832,000, proportion of balances 54.41 against 56.68, bullion 27,538,000, against 28,508,000.

Earnings—Southern Railway, 4th week January, decrease \$224,810; month decrease, \$608,069; from July 1st, increase \$365,428.

Louisville, Ky.—Asserting that recent financial conditions have been such as to prevent their obtaining sufficient working capital to continue, the Mayfield Woolen Mills and Clothing Co. has been granted a receiver. Assets are \$563,900, and liabilities \$307,067.

Carson City, Nev. Feb. 6—A receiver has been put in charge of the State Bank & Trust Co. of this place, which closed over three months ago. Depositors will have \$750,000 in the institution may lose 75 per cent. of their money.

Light demand for stocks in loan crowd. General Electric plant at Lynn, Mass., will resume in full this week. The Mayfield Woolen Mills and Clothing Co. has been granted a receiver. Assets are \$563,900, and liabilities \$307,067.

Unofficially stated perhaps \$30,000,000 short time obligations will be offered by Illinois Central.

Consols 3 1/2 below last night's closing 87 3/16 for money 87 3/8 account. Americans heavy generally below parity.

Also ex dividend today All 1 1/4. Liverpool 2 p. m.—Futures quiet 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 off from previous close.

London—Americans were quiet and rather heavy with active stocks mostly below parity. General market was inclined to sell off. Coppers were depressed, the Rio Tinto being especially weak. London

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Main 1850—McKelvey, Fenwick M., residence, 77 Elliott Row.
West 17-11—McManus, F. E., residence, 1 Victoria, W. E.
Main 2025—Parlee, H. W., residence, 38 Victoria.
Main 138-21—Purdy, D. J., residence, 325 Main.
Main