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### HAZEN'S ELECTION BRIDGE

With a by-election pending in St. John county, Premier Hazen has developed a sudden and almost startling interest in the welfare of the people of Fairville and vicinity. He has gone in haste to Col. McLean and implored the Colonel to induce the St. John Railway Company to join him in the benevolent project of running street cars across the suspension bridge.

When the legislature was in session, and before there was a vacancy in St. John county, Hon. Mr. Morrissey, replying to Mr. Lowell, stated that the government had taken no steps toward having a new bridge constructed, but that they regarded the old bridge as safe for the present "restricted service."

The scheme is an election dodge. A new bridge is needed, or will be very soon. Mr. Hazen knows this to be true. He knows the present bridge will not be strengthened and made available for street car traffic. The street railway company would not risk it, and the people would not patronize the company if it did.

The old government proposed to build a new bridge. Nothing else will meet the requirements. Mr. Hazen is fooling the people to gain votes in a by-election. It is one of the most audacious and transparent examples of humbug ever attempted in the constituency.

### THE PRESS CONFERENCE

For some reason the Toronto Telegram pours ridicule upon the imperial press conference. It describes the conference as "a pan-British circus," and asserts that "the average Canadian grieves, not that he hears too little, but that he hears too much, of the blather and bunkum that irradiates the deliberations."

The University of Toronto has conferred the degree of bachelor of forestry upon Jas H. White, "the first man to attain this honor on Canadian soil."

### PROTECTING CHILDREN

The following statement by Mr. J. J. Kelso on the Children's Protection Act of Ontario should be carefully read in St. John, where children are not protected:—"Ontario," he said, "has had for the past sixteen years one of the most up-to-date laws in the world for the protection of neglected and dependent children. It is not the law, however, so much as the thoroughness with which it was put in operation that has brought success and consequent commendation from all who are acquainted with its workings."

The people of Boston find that there are compensations. They have lost Dr. Edward Everett Hale, but Mr. Jack Johnson, "the world's champion heavy-weight fighter," has informed them that he is "a Bostonian."

If a dealer who accommodates a customer with some milk on Sunday morning is a mark for the police, what about numerous small stores all over the city that also accommodate customers with articles of food that are really needed?

The proposal to get the Bank of Montreal to float in London a loan of \$3,000,000 for the city of Montreal has been held over for further consideration.

The daily life of Mrs. Katherine Clemmons Gould, as an example of social conditions in high society, is not of a sort to inspire respect.

If the members of the Halifax board of trade who are touring Nova Scotia towns are really wholesale merchants who want to get in touch with present or prospective customers, the scheme is a good one, even if they do not talk shop at all.

That a man who stabs a policeman should be permitted to go on payment of a small fine is a fact which will not increase the respect in which the law is held hereabouts.

### THE HANDBALL LEAGUE

By winning three games last evening, Hipwell-Alexander captured the championship of the intermediate handball league. Out of fifteen games played, this team has won fourteen.

Stores open till 8 p. m. St. John, June 16th, 1909

## A NEW LOT OF Men's Extra Trousers

We received this week a large lot of MEN'S PANTS just fresh from the factory, they include PANTS for almost every use from the strong course PANTS for every day wear to the fine striped English Worsteds PANTS for Sundaywear.

MEN'S PANT PRICES, 98c., \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, to \$4.50.

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If your feet trouble you so that you think you have rheumatism, the first thing to do is to consult a doctor, to be sure that the trouble is caused by the arch of foot fallen, then come and allow us to adjust a pair of arch supports to suit your need, you will be surprised at the result.  
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By Having A Hot Water or Steam Heating Apparatus Badly Installed  
Lots of people have been and are losing money every year by burning double the quantity of coal they ought to.  
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Inlaid Linoleum . . . 75c., \$1.10, \$1.25  
My stock of Squares is very large, 150 designs to select from, in Wool, Brussels, Tapestry, Welton, Axminster and cheaper grades.  
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That's the way suburbanites do it these days when in need of anything from the drug store.  
"Reliable" **ROBB** The Prescription Druggist  
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### AFTER THE CIRCUS

The last roasted peanut is swallowed. The last clown has gone on parade. The last sugar-plum has been followed by the last lemonade. His eyes, once so big, that shone brightly through all of the glad afternoon. Are shut, and his fingers close tightly. And clinging to his gaudy balloon. The last acrobat has been applauded. And shuffled his way from the mat: The last harems rider has been lauded. The clown, with his sugar-loaf hat. Has gone with his powder and spangles: The diver has made his last leap. And here in my arms are brown tangles Of curls, and a boy fast asleep.

One sticky hand rests on my shoulder. One holds fast the gaudy balloon. That shrinks, and before it's much older Will fade like the glad afternoon. Hat dreams, it may be, of the maddest Of some sailor's reckless burlesque. The tired, sleepiest, gladdest And stickiest lad in the world!

And O, but the spangles were splendid! And O, but the curls were grand! The side-splitting clown laughter, blended With soul-stirring airs of the band. Till naught of the glad afternoon. Save what in his dreams he may keep. As he clasps his balloon with close fingers. And rests in my arms, fast asleep.

Ere aught of the glitter was gone. He went to his dream-laden slumber. Where on plays the music, and on. For him all the glad afternoon. The tired, sleepiest, gladdest And stickiest lad in the world!

**IN LIGHTER VEIN**  
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NONE.  
"We may live without learning. We may live without books. But where is the man who can live without cooks?"

**SWEARING OFF.**  
Excited Individual—"Is this where they swear people?"  
Commissioner—"Yes, sir; what can I do for you?"  
"I want to take an oath never to put down another carpet!"

**BRING HIM IN**  
"Mother doesn't think she'll go to the theatre with us tonight, William."  
"Well, well; have the tickets. What shall we do with the third one?"  
"Give it to the man that you always go out to see between the acts. He can sit with us, and you won't have to go out to see him."

**HIS PROFIT**  
Customer—"So you sell these watches at two dollars each?" "It must cost that to make them."  
"Jeweller—"It does."  
"The new dog you make any money?"  
"Repairing 'em."

**FREQUENT**  
And it sometimes happens that after a man has made his mark he acquires a wife who makes him toe it.—Chicago News.

**THE BEGINNING**  
Willie—"Mamma, how do wars begin?"  
Mamma—"Well, suppose the Germans built down the British flag and that the British—"  
Papa—"My dear, the Germans would not—"  
"Excuse me, they would—"  
"No, my dear, who ever heard of such a thing?"  
"Tray do not interrupt—"  
"But you are giving Willie a wrong idea—"  
"I'm not, sir—"  
"You are, madam—"  
"Don't call me madam, I won't allow you—"  
"I'll call you what I choose—"  
"I'm sorry I ever saw you—you are so—"  
"I think I know how war begins," broke in Willie.

**THEY KNOW IT ALL**  
"Listen to my voice."  
Says the Graduate,  
"Listen old World, to my voice. I will tell you things that you ought to know."  
For you are wrong and slack and slow, And I will tell you the way to go,  
Listen old World to my voice.  
"I have drunk at wells," Says the Graduate,  
"Of wells of wisdom deep." I see your mistake as you've gone along, Your dismay on each dilemma's prong, And I know why whatever is, is wrong: For I've drunk of wisdom deep.

"Just take my advice," Says the Graduate,  
"For I'll give you what you lacked before."  
Said the wise old World, "Your new cap and gown Go well with your wise, important front; Indeed, I hate to call you down, But I've heard it all before."  
—Baltimore American.

### PROVINCIAL NEWS

**Nova Scotia**  
Mayor Chisholm, of Halifax, has been invited to read a paper on the Nova Scotia Utility Commission bill at the convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities to be held in July at Medicine Hat and Calgary.

George N. Borden passed away on Sunday evening, at his home in Avonport, after a short illness caused by paralysis, aged 92 years. He was a prosperous farmer, a life-long member of the Methodist church and leaves behind him three children—Rev. Dr. B. C. Borden, principal of the Ladies' College, Sackville, Robert A., barrister, of Moncton, and Mrs. Smittle, wife of a successful evangelist in Boston.

On Saturday morning there took place in Antigonish county, one of the most peculiar and unexpected occurrences that ever occurred in this place. This was the caving-in of a large piece of the James River road, about five or six miles from town. The portion of the road that disappeared from sight was about 50 feet in length by 20 in width. This portion of road was situated between two small lakes, and the general reason for this peculiar caving-in is, that the water from these lakes had the effect of dissolving the plaster underneath the road, thus forming a deep cave, or plaster-hole. When the road disappeared from sight it carried with it a telegraph pole, which disappeared to the cross-bar, thus proving that the gap must be nearly 30 feet in depth.

There passed away on Monday one of the landmarks of eastern Nova Scotia in the person of Mrs. Mary McCurdy, of Little River, Musquodoboit. Widely known and much beloved, she had reached the great age of 98 years.

The sea monster which has been sending the past two weeks in Bedford Basin, it is thought left for sea on Saturday. Popular imagination pictured it as a whale, but it was a grampus, about nine feet long and weighing, it is stated, about 600 pounds. The monster had a black back and snow white belly. It was a pretty sight to see it disporting itself in the basin. Every two or three minutes it would come to the surface and would spout water to a height of about five feet. Then it would throw itself on its back, and those in the vicinity would see it at its prettiest.

Reports received from St. Peters state that the mackerel have struck in the bay in immense quantities and fishermen are reaping a rich harvest. At L'Ardoise during last week many boats have averaged \$100 a day. Several small steamers are at that port buying the fish and shipping it fresh to the American market.

The yacht Sheelah, with President James Rose of the Dominion Coal Co. and family on board, arrived in North Sydney on Sunday six days from Montreal.

Scrimmour, of P. E. Island, owner of the schooner Baltic, which was wrecked

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Gold Crowns ..... \$3 and \$5  
Bridge Work ..... \$3 and \$5  
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**LOUIS PRANG DEAD**  
Famous Art Publisher of Boston Died in Los Angeles, Cal.—He Came from Germany  
Boston, June 15.—A despatch from Los Angeles (Cal.) today announced that Louis Prang, of Boston, an art publisher and lithographer of world-wide reputation, died in that city of pneumonia last night. He was the husband of Mary Dana Hicks Prang, formerly of Syracuse (N. Y.), the well known art educator and authoress.  
Louis Prang was born in Breslau, Germany, in 1824. For taking part in the revolutionary movement of 1848 he was forced to leave Germany, arriving in Boston in 1859. His productions of color printing and reproductions of famous paintings made him known throughout the world. He also devised text books on art, drawing books and writing books which are used in the schools.

**Fakes in Old Furniture**  
One of the latest and most novel frauds is the manufacture of antique furniture. It is hard for the connoisseur or the collector to tell the difference between the real and artificial articles, and practically impossible for the novice in that line to know what he is buying.  
Various specimens of furniture from the eighteenth century have been sought by collectors, who pay good prices for the articles. The demand has exhausted the supply, therefore the imitations. In most cases furniture of this kind must have a pedigree, the absence of which might cause a suspicion of forgery. The forgeries are seldom made outright, but furniture is reconstructed and "faked" to bear the imprint of age.

**SHE WAS WISE.**  
He (after the proposal)—My salary is \$1,500 a year. Now, dearest, what is the least you think you can live on a year?  
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The first number of the Victoria News, a new paper started at Baddeck, C. B., was published last week.  
**IN THE DARK.**  
She—People tell me that I'm a shadow of my former self.  
He—It's that hat gives you that effect.

**Two Lines Ladies' Shoes**  
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Vici Kid, Goodyear welted Oxfords, low heels, broad toes, patent tips,  
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