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Wants, Lost, Found, &c

TO LET—That comfortable brick dwelling house, situated on Water Street, now in possession of Mrs. McDonald. Possession given about 29th December. Apply to Peake Bros & Co. Dec. 13th, 1898, 604 St.

FOR SALE—A baby's sleigh, second hand, will be sold cheap. 290

STRAYED from the owner's premises, on Friday afternoon last, a fox terrier dog pup, color white and tan. Reward. J. L. Thomson Prince Street 290

WANTED—A smart, steady boy about 16 years of age, who understands looking after horses and cow and general is useful about a house. Apply at this office. 290

WANTED—A thorough, competent salesman to sell a complete line of Lubricating Oils, Specialties, etc. for our Toronto Branch, Apply The Atlantic Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio, U. S. A. 285 61st.

CHAIN LOST—Part of a ladies watch chain with a heavy moonstone shaped like an acorn attached. Finder please leave at this office. 285 1st.

SEKATES—Sharpened while you wait, and repaired by a competent hand at Rice's Bicycle Repair Store opposite the skating rink 285 1st.

LOST—On Friday morning a milk neck ruff on Richmond Street between Pownall Street and residence of Sir Louis Davies. Reward will be paid at this office. 178

TO LET—Three story Dwelling House containing eight large rooms, on Prince Street. Possession given on Oct 13th W. W. Wellner, 27

TO LET—The house and premises known as the "Old London House," situated on Water St., next to Government Warehouse No 1. Apply to Peake Bros & Co. Jan 28-17

TO LET—Half of three story dwelling house on the corner of Queen and Fitzroy Sts. Apply to Wm Henderson, Fitzroy St. 245 1st

TO LET—Half of a double tenement house on King Street. Apply to Mrs. Catherine May corner of Prince and King St. 233 1st

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—By a man—competent book keeper, useful in shipping business or in any other capacity in a business establishment. Apply at this office. 223 1st

TO RENT—The store at the corner of St. George and Grafton Street (known as May's corner). Also three rooms above store. The store and rooms are fitted up in first class style and will be rented either together or separately. Apply to Catherine May, corner Prince and King Sts.

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ODDITIES IN WILLS.

SOME PECULIAR BEQUESTS AND CURIOUS CONDITIONS.

A Patriotic American's Desire to Be Heard After Death—Wills Which Proved That in the Cases of Their Makers Marriage Was a Failure.

The admiration of our American cousins for their country is a prominent characteristic of their daily life, and some years ago a Mr. Sanborn desired that in death as in life his body should proclaim the glory of the republic. He left \$1,000 to the late Professor Agassiz, in return for which he was, by an extremely scientific process set forth in the will to tan his (Sanborn's) skin into leather and from it have a drum made. Two of the most suitable bones of his body were to be made into drumsticks, and with these a Mr. Warren Simpson—to whom Sanborn left the remainder of his property—was "on every 17th of June to repair to the foot of Bunker hill and at sunrise beat on the drum, the parchment of which had been made out of the testator's skin, the spirit stirring strains of 'Yankee Doodle.'"

A somewhat similar bequest was made by a German in 1857. He died in Pittsburg and by his will directed that his body should be cremated and the ashes forwarded to the German consul at New York, who was to deliver them to the captain of the steamship Elbe. When in mid-ocean, the captain was to request a passenger to dress himself in nautical costume, and ascending with the funeral urn to the topmast, to scatter the ashes to the four winds of heaven. These strange directions were faithfully carried out.

Quite as peculiar were the directions for the funeral of a Mr. John Underwood. He willed that he was to be buried in a green coffin with a copy of Horace under his head and of Milton under his feet, a Greek testament in his right hand and a small Horace in his left. Six friends, who were not to wear mourning, were to follow him to the grave and there to sing a verse of the twentieth ode of the second book of Horace. After this they were to "take a cheerful glass and think no more of John Underwood."

Wills may also be admitted as evidence of the mixed blessings of the matrimonial state. A nobleman wrote, "I give and bequeath to the worst of women, whom I unfortunately married, 45 brass halfpence, which will buy her a pullet for supper."

A Glasgow doctor, dying some ten years ago, left the whole of his estate to his two sisters, and then came this extraordinary clause: "To my wife, as a recompense for deserting me and leaving me in peace, I expect the said sister Elizabeth to make her a gift of 10 shillings sterling, to buy her a pocket handkerchief to weep in after my decease." A Mr. Sydney Dickenson bequeathed to his wife the sum of £60,000, "on condition that she undertakes to pass two hours a day at my graveside, for the ten years following my decease, in company with her sister, whom I have reason to know she loathes worse than she does me."

Another husband stated that he would have left his widow £10,000 if she had allowed him to read his newspaper in peace, but as she always commenced playing and singing when he started to read he left her only £1,000. Such instances could be multiplied indefinitely, but one other is worthy of note.

A husband left his wife £12,000, to be increased to £24,000 provided that she wore a widow's cap after his death. She accepted the larger amount, wore the cap for six months, and then put it off. A lawsuit followed, but the judge held that the testator should have inserted the word "always" and gave judgment in favor of the widow, who the day after re-entered the state of matrimony. Thus the husband's little plan for preventing his widow marrying again failed.

But the most curious will which the writer has ever come across is that of M. Zalesky, a Polish landlord, who died in 1889, leaving property valued at 100,000 rubles. His will was inclosed in an envelope bearing the words, "To Be Opened After My Death." Inside this was another envelope, "To Be Opened Six Weeks After My Death." When this time had passed, the second envelope was opened and a third uncovered, "To Be Opened One Year After My Death." At the end of the year a fourth envelope was discovered, to be opened two years after the testator's death, and so the game went on until 1894, when the actual will was discovered and read. It was quite as eccentric in its dispositions as the directions attached to its opening. The testator bequeathed half his fortune to such of his heirs as had the largest number of children. The rest of the property was to be placed in a bank and a hundred years after his death to be divided, with the accumulated interest, among the maker's descendants. Thus by 1899, at 5 per cent compound interest, the 50,000 rubles will have swelled into 6,000,000 rubles. But what will this be among so many descendants?—Household Words.

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Secretary Alger has received a letter from General Woods as to conditions at Santiago. The General says that matters of every kind are adjusting themselves to the new conditions, and that people are returning to their homes and to work; that business is reviving; that churches and schools are opening and every looks to better and happier days.

Ask for Minard's and take no other

SHIP NEWS.

Port of Charlottetown.

ENTERED.

Dec 12—Vivian, Peters, Sydney; Duval, Cook, do, A S Tow-head, White, Picou, Dart, McPherson, do; B-sis S Keeter, Horton, Sydney, Tarquin, Garnier, Picou.

CLEARED.

Dec 12—Dart, McPherson, Picou; Tarquin Garnier, do; Aroostock, Geldert, Little, Glace, Bay.

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The King-Jones Co., Toronto. DEPARTMENT H. H. AGENTS WANTED.

Annual Meeting

Merchants Bank of P. E. Island

The Annual General Meeting, of the shareholders, of the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island, will be held at its Banking House, Great George Street, on Tuesday the 10th day of January, next, 1899, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. Proxies must be left with the Cashier at least one day previous to the meeting. J. M. DAIVSON, Cashier 280

PICKFORD & BLACK, LINE HALIFAX & CHARLOTTETOWN. SEASON OF 1898.

S. S. CITY OF GHENT will sail from Charlottetown every Friday at 10 a. m., during the season of 1898, for Halifax, sailing at Summerside, Port Hastings, Port Hawkesbury, Arichat, Canso, Isaac Harbor, Salmon River, Sheet Harbor; returning will leave Halifax every Tuesday at 6 p. m., making same calls. The steamer has excellent passenger accommodation. Saloon amidships. Special freights will be given this season. For further information apply to W. W. CLARKE, Agent Ch'town, May 13, 1898

Hillsborough Skating Rink.

Special General Meeting.

In pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting of Directors of the Hillsborough Skating Rink Company held on the 10th instant, a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held on Tuesday the 29th day of December instant at eight o'clock p. m. in the Board of Trade Room in the Opera House in Charlottetown to take into consideration the late leasing of the Rink by the Directors, and to take such steps as they may deem necessary in confirming the Director's action or the re-leasing of the rink as asked for by a requisition addressed to the President and Directors.

A. A. BARTLETT, Secretary-Treasurer. Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 12th, 1898.

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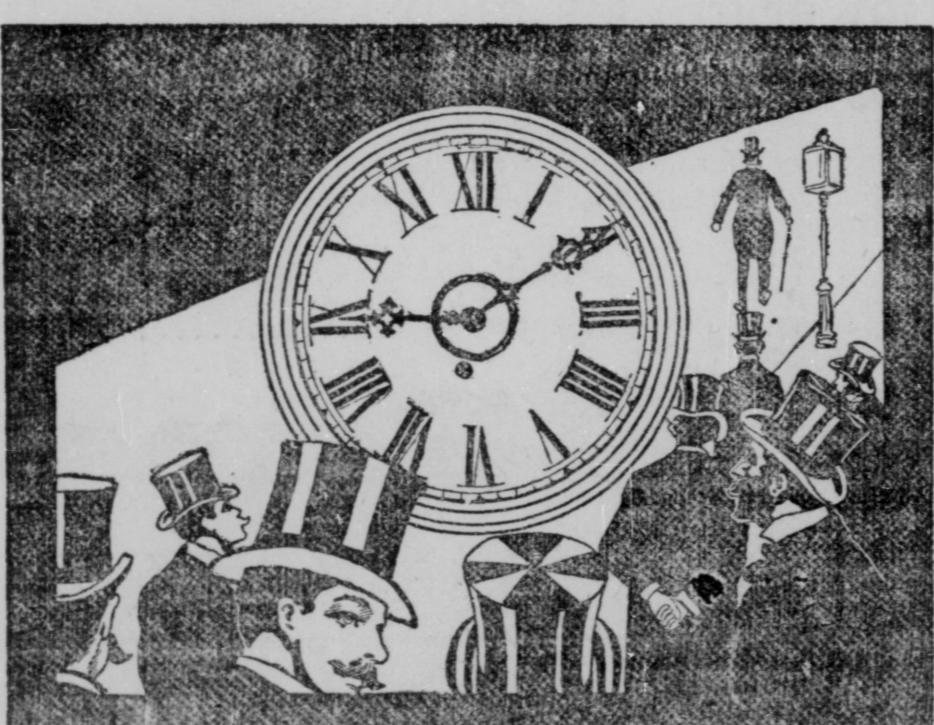
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This wonderful remedy never fails if taken before catarrh has developed into other necessarily fatal diseases. Don't put it off—go at once to your druggist and get a bottle. It will relieve you in 10 minutes—it will place you on the road to full recovery immediately. It cures cold in the head, sore throat, tonsillitis, asthma, hay fever, loss of smell and deafness. Here is an interesting letter from the Rev. James Murdock, of Harrisburg, Pa.:
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