

A By-Law for allowing a rate of discount on the Assessments on Real Estate and Personal Property in the City of Charlottetown for general Civic purposes for the Current Year ending the thirty-first day of December, A. D., 1904.

Be it enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows: 1st, a discount at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent shall be allowed all tax payers who shall on or before the 25th day of July, next, A. D., 1904 pay to the City Clerk, at his office the taxes severally due by them for the current year on real estate and personal property for Civic purposes.

FRED. F. KELLY, Mayor.
W. W. CLARKE, City Clerk.

June 8, 1904.

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Wednesday, June 29, 1904

From any person or persons willing to contract for the rebuilding of McMillan's bridge, Wood Islands, according to specifications to be seen at the residence of Alexander McMillan, McMillan's Mills, Wood Islands, and at this office.

The names of two responsible persons willing to become bound for the faithful performance of the contract must accompany each tender.

The department is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tender for McMillan's Bridge."

L. B. McMILLAN, Sec'y of Public Works.

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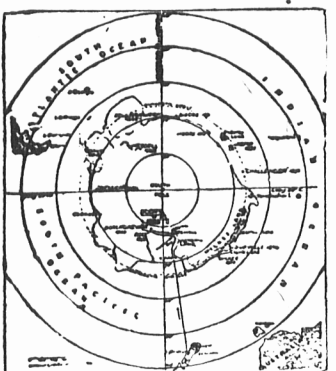
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SOUTH POLE CIRCLE

WAS CROSSED BY CAPTAIN COOK ABOUT 130 YEARS AGO

Seize of the South Pole Has Been Going on Ever Since—A Map of the Antarctic Regions (Which Shows All Our Geographical Knowledge in That Direction)—The Various Expeditions.

The siege of the South Pole may be said to have commenced 130 years ago with Captain Cook, who, on January 17th, 1773, crossed the South Polar circle for the first time, says The Daily Graphic. Cook went as far south as latitude 71 degrees, and circumnavigated the earth in latitude 50 degrees, thus proving the absence of the "great southern continent" which had previously been supposed to exist, and which, on old maps, was made to embrace the whole of Australia and to run far northwards into the great oceans. The next voyage of circumnavigation in high southern latitudes was made in 1819 by Bellingshausen, who, with the vessels Westok and Mirny, was sent out by the Tsar Alexander I. with orders to push his way as far south as possible. The highest point he reached was 69 degrees 53 minutes. In 1822 Weddell sailed from London with the Jane and Seafroy, and the following year attained a latitude of 74 degrees 15



SOUTH POLE MAP.

minutes. Eight years later, Biscoe, an English hunter, reached, on his second attempt, a latitude of 67 degrees 15 minutes, and Balleny, in 1839, a latitude of 69 degrees. Between 1837 and 1839 three great expeditions were sent out by England, France and the United States, the commanders being respectively Sir James Ross, D'Urville and Wilkes. To these men—but especially to Ross—who owe nearly all our geographical knowledge of the antarctic regions, while the cruise of the Challenger in 1874, though she spent only a few weeks in the higher latitudes, resulted in scientific observations of the first importance. Ross penetrated to latitude 78 degrees 10 minutes, which remained the highest southern point ever reached until 1900, when Burdick succeeded in getting 30 minutes farther and constituted another record, which in his turn has been broken by the achievement of Commander Scott, who, in his dash southwards, is now reported to have reached latitude 82 degrees 17 minutes.

It should not be forgotten that a German expedition, in the Gauss, is also at work in the antarctic, which for the purposes of exploration has been divided into what may be called a British and a German sphere, the former extending from 90 degrees E. over 180 degrees to 90 degrees W., having Victoria Land as its centre, and the latter embracing the other half of the area. The equipment of the two expeditions is practically identical. The German base station is at Kerguelen Island, and their object is to strike southwards from Termination Island in order to discover the western side of Victoria Land and clear up its connection with Kemp Land and Endebury Land, and ultimately to sail round the Atlantic side of the Antarctic and investigate, wherever it may be possible, the southern extension of the Atlantic Ocean.

The Corrected Herbert Spencer.

Amongst the stories told of the late Herbert Spencer some time ago was one relating to his boarding-house experiences. His doctor had advised him that solitary meals were not good for him, and he went to a boarding-house, but did not stay. The "pleasant lady" who sat next to him, and who was to engage him in light and cheerful talk, was a sad disappointment. A friend asked her how she liked the boarding-house; could she recommend it? "Oh, yes; I think I can," she replied; "but there is a Mr. Spencer who thinks that he knows about science and philosophy. I have to correct him every night!" One of Spencer's peculiarities was to carry about two little plugs in his pocket, and whenever conversation around him became annoying he took them out and put them in his ears.

Norfolk and John Burns.

A good story is told of His Grace the Duke of Norfolk and that estimable man, John Burns. The Duke who, by the way, is to marry again, is not only the premier peer of England, but is also rich, although he doesn't look it. Not long ago Mr. Burns was seen by a Battersea elector walking arm in arm with a shabbily dressed man whom the Battersea resident took to be a tramp. Drawing Burns aside, he said to him: "Look 'ere, John, democracy's all very fine, but don't you reckonize what's doo to your position as a member of the 'Ouse? Fancy—walkin' about harm-in-harm, in broad daylight, with a workin' man." "Sh-sh," whispered Burns, "that's the Duke of Norfolk." And it was!

WOMEN.

The London Express prints this poem with a double reading. Read it as it stands and woman is highly flattered, but read alternate lines (one and three, two and four of each verse) and the sentiment is very much the reverse.

Happy a man may pass his life
If he's directed by a wife;
If free from matrimonial chains
He's sure to suffer for his pains.

No tongue is able to unfold
The virtues in woman you behold;
The falsehoods that in woman dwell
Are almost imperceptible.

In woman's heart you'll see appear
Truth, ardour of a heart, sincere;
Hypocry, deceit and pride,
In woman never can abide.

A QUEEN'S FAVORITE.

Story of Roger Mortimer, Who Conspired Against Edward II.

Roger Mortimer, after being one of the most zealous adherents of Edward II., conspired against him, and was sent to the Tower. Having escaped to France, he subsequently, with Queen Isabella, the wife of Edward, made a descent upon England. Edward was taken prisoner and murdered in Berkeley castle, his son, Edward III., being placed upon the throne in his fifteenth year. For three years Mortimer exercised absolute power in the name of the young monarch. He assumed a splendor even outvying royalty, and, like all favorites, grasped at riches and honors. At length the conduct of the Queen-Dowager and Mortimer became so openly scandalous that young Edward resolved to take action. The guilty couple resided in Nottingham castle, where every precaution was taken to secure their safety. A strong military guard was placed at the gates at night, while the keys were conveyed to the Queen. Eland, the governor, however, had been won over to the side of the young King. By him, Edward's followers were admitted through a passage under the castle still called "Mortimer's Hole." Making their way to the bedchamber the party burst open the door and killed two of Mortimer's friends who attempted to make a defence. Queen Isabella rushed in terror from her bed, imploring her "sweet son" to spare her "gentle Mortimer." Her tears and entreaties for "her worthy knight, her dearest friend, her beloved cousin," were in vain. The Lord of the Marches and dictator of the Kingdom was led away in custody, and on the morrow brought before Parliament on the charges of having usurped the Royal power, of having procured the death of Edward II., and for many other crimes and misdemeanors. In the informality of the times Mortimer was not allowed to make any defence. He was declared at once guilty from the notoriety of his crimes, and was hanged at the Elms, near London, on Nov. 29, 1330. Edward then took the Government in his own hands and shut his mother up in her house at Rising, her allowance being reduced to £3,000 a year.

Sketch of Lord Brassey.

Lord Brassey, President of the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, recently held in Montreal, was born Feb. 11, 1836, son of the late Thomas Brassey, one of the contractors of the Grand Trunk Railway. He was educated at Rugby and afterwards at University College, Oxford, where he obtained the degree of B.A., with honors in the literary school. He is an O.C.L. (hon.) and M.A. (Oxford), and was called to the Bar in 1866. Having entered politics, he was first elected Liberal M.P. for Devonport in 1865, and later represented Hastings from 1868 to 1886, when he was raised to the Peerage. Among the positions he has held are President of the Statistical Society, 1879-1880; Civil Lord of the Admiralty, 1880-1883; Secretary to the Admiralty, 1883-1885; served on Royal Commission on Unseaworthy Ships, Defence of Coaling Stations, Relief of Aged Poor, Chairman of Oplum Commission; Lord-in-Waiting, 1894; President of the Institution of Naval Architects, 1893-1895; Governor of Victoria, 1895-1900. Lord Brassey married first in 1861 a daughter of Mr. John Allmon, who had been the Sunbeam in 1887; second in 1890, a daughter of Viscount Malden. Among his publications are—"Work and Wages," "Naval Annual, British Navy," five volumes, "British Seamen," "British Work and Foreign Wages." Among his recreations are yachting and hunting, and it was on the famous yacht Sunbeam that he came to Canada.

Matthew Arnold.

At Dean Stanley's Mr. McCarthy used to meet many famous men and women. In which connection he recalls how on one occasion the Dean, taking the hand of a new arrival, said: "Come here, Matt, and let me bring you face to face with the man who says you are only a miniature Goethe." The new arrival was Matthew Arnold, to whom Mr. McCarthy had applied this expression in his history. But it was somewhat embarrassing to have the fact recalled in this way. Matthew Arnold, however, happily relieved the situation by the observation: "If you could only convince me that I am a miniature Goethe, how proud you would make me!"—Westminster Gazette.

Great Scheme.

"Have you decided yet upon a name for that new suburb of yours?" "Yes. I am going to call it Lookout." "I can't see anything striking or original about that." "You can't. Think how everybody in the train will run to the windows when the brakeman calls out the name of the station."

Horse Same as Man.

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