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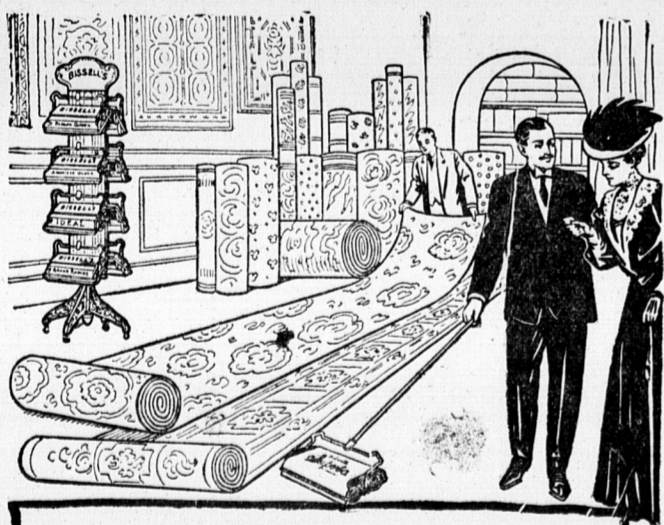


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THE SHIP-BUILDING DAYS.

The spectacle of a "square rigger"—the barque Usko—lying at Pownal wharf for some days past has recalled to the minds of the older members of this community the days of a generation ago when vessels of the Usko type were to be seen in numbers in Charlottetown Harbor. Nowadays the appearance of such a ship is rare enough to be a matter of curiosity. But fifty years ago—when shipbuilding was in full swing—the wharves in this City fairly hummed with activity. Here vessels built in local yards and in other parts of this Province, came to be fitted out, and to be laden with the cargoes with which they were to sail for far distant portions of the globe. The water front surrounded with the industry of the shipyards, where many men were engaged in building vessels. Likewise at the wharves there was much activity. A photograph taken of Pownal wharf about that time brings vividly to mind the conditions then prevailing. Over two scores of sailing vessels are there shown berthed, some half dozen of which are large square-rigged craft. In those days before the carrying trade had been absorbed by the steamers the wharves were the chief points of business activity. The launching of a new vessel; its departure on its first trip; and its return from a voyage were all occasions of note, bringing the population out to the utter words of cheer, or God-speed, or welcome as the case might be. There are many readers of The Guardian, who were boys then, who can remember with what zest they put away their books after school hours and hid them to the wharves to spend the time in playing among the great ships which were continually arriving and departing. Numbers there were too, who "went down to the sea" in these ships, many of whom are now occupied at home—while some alas, sleep their last sleep beneath the billows over which their ships sailed forth to voyage. The "Ship building days" of Prince Edward Island comprise an important portion of its history, which has not yet by any means faded from remembrance.

A DAYLIGHT LAW.

In England the attempt is being made to have parliament sanction what labor leaders are specifying as a daylight law—that is they will endeavor to comprise within the hours of daylight that period wherein working men should perform their allotted labor. The chief feature of the new legislation is a proposal to change the time of the clock, said to be necessitated because it is proposed to

begin the working day about one hour and twenty minutes earlier in the day. This proposal is causing some concern amongst those not directly interested in the labor aspect of the case, and it is doubtful whether such a drastic change can be wrought. An exchange, the New York Globe, in discussing the question at some length, observes: "One may at first be inclined to assume that the obviously simple way for a nation to save an hour of its summer daylight is to get up an hour earlier, without paying any attention to the clock face. This is very good advice in theory, but people being creatures in habit and largely governed by habit for want of a better phrase, may be called sense synopsis, may be far more effectively modified in any required direction by combining the appeal to reason with harmless deception of the senses. The man accustomed to getting out of bed at 6 o'clock will turn out at twenty minutes to 5 far more willing and certainly if the clock face indicates the usual 6 o'clock than if he has to stop and reason out all the advantages to be gained by rising an hour and twenty minutes earlier. Besides as a matter of fact, it is just as much 6 o'clock, or 9, or seven minutes past 3, for that matter, at twenty minutes to 5 as it is when the Greenwich clock marks those precise periods. Clocks and labels affixed to seconds, minutes and hours being man-made devices, mere empiric formulae and schedules, so arranged for the convenience of home sapiens are obviously legitimately subject to change at his convenience. There is reason to believe that the United States will not allow John Bull to remain an hour and twenty minutes ahead of her very long."

PROHIBITIONISTS IN THE U. S.

The National Prohibition Convention of 1908, which met some time ago in Memorial Hall, Ohio, is distinguished for having formulated and adopted the shortest platform of the political campaign now being prosecuted in the United States. The Convention was a memorable one and its personnel is thus alluded to in one of the leading reviews:

Self-seeking and personal ambition and sordid motives were not in evidence in that company of wide-awake and sincere reformers, but the most casual observer could not fail to discover those fine moral qualities that mark the best type of American manhood. Impractical some people would call them, but sincere, self-sacrificing, and patriotic even their most violent opponents will concede them to be. And what do these reformers seek? Why do they give so liberally of their time and money and energy? Why have they surrendered the hope of political preferment in the parties large enough to handle now and then the leaves and fishes? Why are they united in a political organization that offers no immediate opportunity and small future prospect of dispensing the spoils of office? It is simply that they may unite in a protest as citizens against a legalized, expensive, debasing, and corrupting traffic."

The platform promulgated is interesting because of its other planks and is as follows:— The Prohibition party of the United States, assembled in convention at Columbus, Ohio, July 15, 16, 1908, expressing gratitude to Almighty God

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2. The immediate prohibition of the liquor traffic for beverage purposes in the District of Columbia, in the Territories, and all places over which the national Government has jurisdiction; the repeal of the internal revenue tax on alcoholic liquors, and the prohibition of interstate traffic therein.
3. The election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people.
4. Equitable graduated income and inheritance taxes.
5. The establishment of postal savings-banks and the guaranty of deposits in banks.
6. The regulation of all corporations doing an interstate commerce business.
7. The creation of a permanent tariff commission.
8. The strict enforcement of law instead of official tolerance and practical license of the social evil which prevails in many of our cities, with its unspeakable traffic in girls.
9. Uniform marriage and divorce laws.
10. An equitable and constitutionally sound employers' liability act.
11. Court review of Post Office Department decisions.
12. The prohibition of child labor in mines, work-shops, and factories.
13. Legislation basing suffrage only upon intelligence and ability to read and write the English language.
14. The preservation of the mineral and forest resources of the country, and the improvement of the highways and waterways.

Believing in the righteousness of our cause and the final triumph of our principles, and convinced of the unwillingness of the Republican and Democratic parties to deal with these issues, we invite to full party fellowship all citizens who are with us agreed.

We publish the letter of "Suggestion" with reference to changing the school hours, but it would be most inconvenient for parents if their smaller children returned at one o'clock and the larger ones at two o'clock thus necessitating two dinner hours. An hour and a half at noon is ample time for the few pupils who are at a distance to have their dinner and return to school. It is certainly in the interests of small children to have their midday meal at an early hour rather than late in the day as under the former arrangement. It would be most unfortunate to return to the one long session, so trying to the younger children.

LETTER TO EDITOR.

Sir:—As the City Schools are about re-opening, would it not be well if the School Board would return to the old hours, viz from nine till two for the larger children, and from nine till one for the smaller ones. Just now it is not so bad while the weather and walking is good, but when the snow storms and fall rains are on it is very hard for those of the second and third grades living at a distance to walk twice to school, when once would answer just as well. As far as I can learn the teachers would favor the old way and judging by the number of applicants, who were turned away from the Model School this morning for want of room, the parents are of the same mind. Yours SUGGESTION.

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Harvesting is in full swing. From nearly all sections of this Province come reassuring reports of a generous yield, and a general feeling of contentment prevails.

KIPLING'S GOOD-BYE

"When earth's last picture is painted and the tubes are twisted and dried. When the oldest colors have faded, and the youngest critic has died we shall rest and, faith, we shall need it—lie down for an aeon or two.

Till the Masters of all Good Workmen shall put us to work anew."

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They shall find real saints to draw from—Magdalene, Peter and Paul; They shall work for an age at a sitting and never be tired at all?

And only the Master shall praise us, and only the Master shall blame; And no one shall work for money, and no one shall work for fame. But each for the joy of the working, and each in his separate star, Shall draw the thing as he sees it for the God of things as they are?

CHURCH SERVICES

Changes to be made in Church services must be in not later than Friday at noon.

METHODIST. First Methodist.—Rev. Wm. Harrison at 11 and Rev. H. E. Thomas at 7. Attentive ushers. Sunday School at 7.30. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7.30. Bible Study on Friday at 8 p. m. Sacramental service in the evening. Grace Church.—Prayer meeting at 10 a. m. Rev. H. E. Thomas at 11 and Rev. Wm. Harrison at 7. Sunday school at 2.30. Strangers always welcome and provided with comfortable seats.

PRESBYTERIAN. St. James.—Rev. E. J. Rattee, at 11 and 7. Strangers always welcome and provided with good seats. Sunday School and Bible classes at 2.30. Zion.—Prayer meeting at 10 a. m. Rev. G. E. Ross at 11 and 7. Sunday School and Bible class at 2.30. Students and strangers cordially welcome to all services.

BAPTIST. Baptist—Rev. G. R. White will preach at 11 and 7. Sunday School class at 2.30 p. m. Visitors always welcome and provided with comfortable seats.

CHRISTIAN. Sunday School at 10.00 a. m. Rev. Warren Leonard, Worcester, Mass., at 11 and 7. **ST. DUNSTON'S CATHEDRAL.** First Mass at 7.30. Children's Mass at 8.30. Catechism immediately after Mass. High Mass at 10.30. Vespers and Benediction at 7 p. m.

ANGLICAN. St. Paul's—Morning prayer at eleven o'clock. Evening Prayer at 7 p. m. All seats free and unappropriated. St. Peter's—Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Canon Simpson at 11 and 7. **SALVATION ARMY.** Sunday Service at 7, 11, 3, and 7.30 p. m. Week nights Service—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 8 p. m.

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