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THE TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

During seven years this journal has kept up an almost continual agitation for the improvement of the telegraph service. At the outset we found the general public either indifferent to or hopeless of reform. As public interest became awakened the attitude of our daily contemporaries was rather against than in favor of the proposed reforms, but we are glad to find that we have now reached a stage when all are apparently in favor of the Island being placed on an equality with other Provinces in regard to both the rates and the hours of service. Why this fact was not recognized from the first, and why our business interests should have been all these years handicapped, taxed and burdened by the inadequate and costly service is one of many things that are difficult to explain. But through it all the cause of reform has not wanted energetic and strenuous advocates. The Board of Trade, the Maritime Board of Trade and notably some of their leading officials have rendered valuable service which we hope and trust may not be forgotten in the future.

Throughout all these years the Anglo-American Telegraph Company has played the part of a selfish, unenterprising obtrusive, that cannot be too strongly condemned, and which has called forth much well-earned censure in these columns. We do not blame the officers and employees of the Company here for this, as they cannot be presumed to shape the policy of the concern. But the Company has shown so little disposition to accommodate its service to modern conditions

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that we must confess we view with very considerable distrust any proposal that the Government shall increase their subsidy in consideration of a promised improvement at their hands. We have had years of trial, hard trial, of their methods. An increase of subsidy would not, we fear be followed by a change of heart at head quarters. Our best hopes rest on the Government assuming charge, or in the laying of a new cable and another company being brought in to compete with the Anglo-American. We have never believed that the latter company have any legal monopoly of the telegraph service, but they have exercised a practical monopoly in its worst form and with the most selfish rigor.

The Island owes nothing to the Anglo-American. Nor is it in the nature of things that they will under any circumstances give us a modern, up-to-date service. The transformation would be too great to be expected or hoped for. Any one familiar with the methods and enterprise displayed by the lines operating in the United States or on the mainland of Canada is aware of the sad contrast. Now that our people are thoroughly in earnest in the matter of reform and that our delegates have satisfied the Government that something must be done, we hope and trust that it will not be merely a "patching up" or buying a few favors from the Anglo-Americans, but a complete transformation that will make our telegraph system part and parcel of the service of the Dominion and equal in all respects to that enjoyed in the other Provinces. Nothing short of this will satisfy our people and nothing less should be accepted or considered. The Government of Canada is responsible, and we trust that our representatives will see to it that when our telegraph grievances are settled, they shall be settled rightly and once for all.

REFORM BY SURGERY.

Much interest has been awakened in London by two surgical cases which attract attention not only to the persons immediately concerned and the operations by which they were relieved, but to the important principles involved and their bearing upon the question of individual responsibility. One of the patients was a boy of good family who had developed brutal instincts which seemed to be quite beyond control. He delighted in malicious mischief, in killing and wounding, became the terror of his neighborhood and appeared certain to grow up a criminal and a desperado. A clever surgeon took him in hand, examined his head with care, located what he considered the seat of the trouble, removed a portion of the skull, and thus relieved the deforming pressure. The change was immediate. The lad forgot his previous tastes and habits and was restored to his parents a normal and lovable boy, the complete antithesis of his former self.

Doubtless there are other such boys, very probably hundreds of them, who are not morally responsible, whom no good influences, advice or example could restrain, who owe their evil character wholly to some peculiar formation or malformation of the brain. Could we but know the facts as revealed in the case just cited, it would seem criminal on the part of society to send such persons to prison or to the gallows. And it is a melancholy reflection upon human justice that many such have been cruelly punished for offences committed under irresistible brain impulses for which they were no more responsible than insane persons are. But society must protect itself. We see a gleam of light and hope in the now demonstrated fact that beneficent surgery may in at least some of these cases restore the patient to the plane of normal moral life with all its possibilities of enjoyment to the individual and of usefulness and satisfaction to society.

The other case referred to was one of more common occurrence, and less remarkable as to its cure. It was the case of a soldier, whose character was unexceptionable, whose military record was of the best, but who, after being wounded in a skirmish was discharged for disability and quickly developed into a thief and a burglar. His head had been injured by a blow from the butt of a musket. When he was taken in hand by the surgeons he had about come to the end of his career of crime, being paralysed on one side and unable to get about except on crutches. It was found that his skull was depressed where the blow had fallen, thus causing abnormal pressure upon the brain. An operation speedily restored both his physical powers and moral qualities and he has since led an upright, industrious life with no evidence of a disposition to go wrong.

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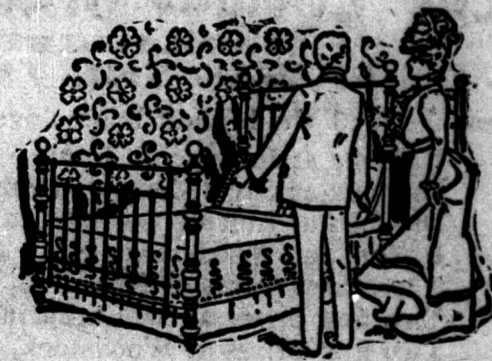
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