

Doctor Lettsom.

Dr. Lettsom was an eccentric London physician, with a good, lucrative practice. He is reported to have said of himself (he wore the Quaker's dress):—

When patients come to I physics, bleeds, and sweats 'em; Then, if they choose to die, What's that to I—let 'em (I. Lettsom.) This same Dr. Lettsom was on one occasion called to see an old American merchant, who had been ruined by the rupture between the colonies and the mother country. On entering the room, Dr. Lettsom saw an aged man (he was seventy-four years of age) bowed down with the weight of his calamities. "These trees, doctor," said the sick man, "looking out of his bedroom over his lawn, 'I planted, and have lived to see some of them to old to bear fruit; they are part of my family, and my children, still dearer to me, must quit this house, which was the delight of my youth, and the hope of my old age.' The Quaker physician was deeply affected by these words. He spoke a few words of comfort and quitted the room, leaving on the table as his prescription a check for a large sum of money. Nor did his goodness end there. He purchased the house of his patient's creditors and gave it to him for life. On one of his benevolent excursions the doctor found his way into the squalid garret of a lady. She begged the physician to give her a prescription. After carefully enquiring into her case he wrote on a slip of paper to the overseers of the parish:—"A shilling per diem for Mrs. Moreton, Money, and physic, will cure her.—LETTSONM.

Lord Byron.

As a peer, Byron was neither more nor less than an ordinary young lord of the period, of an abnormally passionate temperament, and more troubled than most of his fellows by strabismus of the eyes. His differential was that he cared little about politics in the concrete, hated field sports, and cordially disliked the civilization that surrounded him. It was this Bohemianism, rather than any taste for adventure or travelers impulse, or even such restlessness as tortures the modern "globe-trotter," that drove him abroad. He had no classical fervor, no inclination toward science, but he was a keen student of history, and this latter circumstance in great measure explains his wandering up and down the historic shores of the Mediterranean, from the blue waters of which he was never far distant. Lastly among the facts that, though personal, may be considered as appertaining to his external life, were his lameness and his tendency to grow fat. So great was his horror of obesity, which threatened him all through life, that he ruined his life by the rigor of the means which he adopted to avert it, and suffered from a constant knock at the stomach which like Carlyle's dyspepsia, had something to do with his cynicism, though that was, however, more moral than physical in its origin.

He Didn't Go.

The boy who honestly tries to learn how to say "no," and succeeds, will be apt to acquire the sort of firmness which will make a man of him.

"The turning point in my life," said a gentleman, "was when I was a boy, not going to low circus. Some kind of a low show and circus came into town, and of course all the boys were dying to go. I might have stolen off. I had money enough in my pocket, the boys did all they could to persuade me, and more than all, people were going in squads to see it. It is so easy to go with the multitude; it is so hard to make a stand, break away, and go the other way.

"That is exactly what I did. I mastered the situation, I mastered myself, and did not go.

"It was the resolution then called out, and called out for the first time, which has, under God, served me many a good turn since, and made me what I am."

An Eccentric Doctor.

Sir Richard Jebb, in his surely moods, offended many of his patients. "That's my way," said he to a noble patient, astonished at his rudeness. "Thou," answered the sick man, pointing to the door, "I beg you'll make that your way. To questions about diet Jebb would reply testily. "Pray, Sir Richard, may I eat a muffin?" asked a lady, "Yes, madam, 'tis the best thing you can take." "Oh dear, Sir Richard, I am glad of that. The other day you said it was the worst thing in the world for me."

"Good madam, I said so last Tuesday. This isn't Tuesday, is it?" To an old gentleman who asked Sir Richard, "What may I eat?" the reply was, "My directions are simple. You must not eat the poker, shovel or tongs as they are hard of digestion; nor the bellows; but anything else you please."

—English Paper.

A CARD.—To all who are suffering from errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a rare tablet that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send self-addressed envelope to Rev. JOSEPH T. ISMAN, Station D, New York. (July 16, ood wk ly)

CONFECTORY.—Just received at the City Steam Bakery, conversation and mint lozenges, royal mixtures, etc., etc. Selling low, wholesale and retail. (July 11 3)

Special Notices.

EVERY Farmer should get one of R. K. Braice's Air Rotary Churns, and treat them as the prizes for butter this year are very large. A few have been tested and spoken very highly of. It is said they preserve the grain of the butter, and as a result, it will keep longer. (July 17, da wky)

NEW CORSETS at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 14 wky)

MILLINERY made to order at L. E. Prowse's. (July 14 wky)

NEW Bonnet Shapes at J. B. Macdonald's. ENGLISH MALT VINEGAR at Beer & Goff's. (July 9)

GREY BLANKETS very cheap, well suited for fishing establishment, at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 14 wky)

Boots are very cheap at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. (June 21)

THE Ready-made Clothing selling at J. B. Macdonald's takes the lead for being the best and cheapest in town.

STRAWBERRIES and Cream at the "Little Shop around the Corner," and at the Star Confectionery.

CHEAPEST CLOTHING at L. E. Prowse's. Just call and see his prices. (July 4)

ANOTHER lot of Hoop Skirts just received at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 14 wky)

DRESS GOODS in great variety, selling low, at L. E. Prowse's. (July 4)

MILL View Factory Cheese at "The City Steam Bakery." J. Quirk, Prince Street. (July 17, 3in)

LADIES' Oil Goat Button Boots; latest style, just received; to be sold at \$2.25 per pair during this month. This is very cheap. Dorsey Goff & Co's.

BATHING DRAWERS at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 14 wky)

ICE CREAM at W. F. Carter's. (July 7)

CHROMYON CORSETS are the best, for sale at J. B. Macdonald's. (July 14 wky)

LIME JUICE.—Pure Montserrat Lime Fruit Juice on draught, at the Apothecaries Hall, DesBrisay's Corner. (June 2)

CHILDREN'S Boots, Shoes and Slippers, in great variety at Dorsey, Goff & Co. (June 21)

DIAMOND and Hemit Cakes at the City Steam Bakery.—J. Quirk, Prince Street. (July 11 3)

NEW APPLES at the "Little Shop Around the Corner." (July 4)

STRAWBERRIES and Cream at W. F. Carter's. (July 7)

BRING your shoes along and get rubber soles put on for Lawn Tennis.—Dorsey, Goff & Co. (June 21)

ANOTHER supply of Muriatic Acid for lobster packers, just received at Dawson's. (June 21)

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Sashes Doors Window and Door Frames, Architraves, Lining and Conductor Mouldings, Bellusters, Newel Posts, Stair Rails, Twists, etc. We are prepared to do all kinds of Joining in Planing, Jointing, Morticing, Tenoning, Jig and Fret Sawing, Turning, etc. All kinds of Gothic Windows for Churches made at shortest notice. With new and first-class Machinery, and the latest appliances, we can insure the utmost satisfaction to all who favor us with their patronage. Ch'town, June 7, 1884—wky 1y

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1884. Summer Arrangement. 1884. ON AND AFTER MONDAY, 2d JUNE, 1884, trains will run daily as follows (Sundays excepted):—

Table with 2 columns: TRAINS DEPART—FOR THE WEST and TRAINS ARRIVE—FROM THE WEST. Includes stations like Charlottetown, Royalty Junction, North Wiltshire, etc.

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Trains are run by Eastern Standard Time. JAMES COLEMAN, Superintendent. Halifax Office, Charlottetown, May 27, 1884.

BARGAINS.

I AM selling the balance of my Furniture saved from the fire of the 20th ult., at J. D. McLeod's corner, Queen Street, at a reduction of from twenty-five to fifty per cent below usual prices. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, March 9.

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STEAMER "HEATHER BELLE."

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT. ON and after Tuesday, May 13th, the new steamer "Heather Belle," Hugh McLennan, master, will run as follows:— Every Tuesday morning, at four o'clock, will leave Charlottetown for Orwell Brush Wharf; leaving Orwell Brush Wharf at seven a. m., for Charlottetown, calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving Charlottetown, at three p. m., for Halliday's, China Point and Brush Wharves, where she will remain over night. Wednesday, will leave Brush Wharf for Charlottetown at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving Charlottetown at three p. m., to return, remaining at Brush Wharf over night. Thursday, will leave Brush Wharf for Charlottetown at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves; leaving Charlottetown at three p. m., to return, leaving Brush Wharf about six p. m., for Charlottetown. Friday, will leave Charlottetown for Crapaud at four a. m.; leaving Crapaud for Charlottetown at seven a. m.; leaving Charlottetown for Crapaud at three p. m., remaining over night. Saturday, will leave Crapaud for Charlottetown at seven a. m.; leaving Charlottetown for Crapaud at 1.30 p. m., and returning to Charlottetown from Crapaud same day. FARES: Cabin, to and from Orwell and Wharves, 30 cents; deck, 20 cents. Cabin, to and from Crapaud, 40 cents; deck, 30 cents. Excursion return tickets will be issued from Charlottetown to Orwell every Thursday evening, at one first-class fare. Also, excursion return tickets will be issued every Saturday to Crapaud, at one first-class fare. JOHN RUGHES, Agent. Ch'town, May 12, 1883. (ex pat law 3m per pres)

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