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The Ch'town Steam Navigation Company (Limited)

Annual Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the above Company will be held at their office, corner of Great George and Lower Water Streets, Charlottetown, on Wednesday the seventh day of March next at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m.

By order,
F. W. HALES,
secretary,
dy id.

Feb. 22nd 1900

THE COLONEL WAS EASY.

But He Had Some Ideas of Logic Just the Same.

"Speaking of chronic touchers," said a man about town, "I suppose there never was an easier victim for the tribe than my old boss. The colonel, as we all called him, had an impediment in his speech, and he used to claim it was easier to go down in his pocket than to try to put up an excuse. As a matter of fact, he had a heart as big as a hog's head and simply couldn't resist an appeal.

"One of the numerous touchers who marked him down as prey was a chap by the name of—well, call him Smiley, which isn't far from the right thing.

"Smiley was a brisk, plausible cuss and always did his touching on the strength of a circumstantial story, but the trouble was he did so much of it he used to sometimes get his cues mixed.

"The first time he tapped the colonel he rushed in, all excitement, and told him his wife had just fallen down stairs and broken her leg. He needed a ten for unforeseen expenses, and of course he got it. Some time elapsed, and one day he turned up again.

"Colonel," he said in a frank, businesslike fashion, "can you lend me \$5? I owe you a little money now, but I have some sickness out at my house and really need this amount."

"What's the t-t-trouble, my b-b-boy?" stammered the old man kindly as he handed over the five.

"My wife has just fractured her ankle," replied Smiley.

"It requires a good deal of nerve to make a third touch at the same place, and Smiley staid away for fully six months. When he came in, it was on the run.

"Colonel," he exclaimed breathlessly, "I feel like a dog when I see you, but I've got to have a couple of dollars quick and haven't time to go anywhere else. Can you accommodate me and just make a mem. of the whole amount? I'll send it to you next week."

"Why, what's the m-m-matter?" asked the colonel, startled by his manner.

"My wife has broken her leg," he replied, "and I want to send a cab for a doctor."

"B-b-broken another l-l-leg!" echoed the colonel, amazed. "Here's the m-m-money, Smiley. B-b-but sometimes I think," he added grimly, "that you m-m-must have m-m-married a c-c-centiped!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Are You Bilious?

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Yankee Thrift.

A guest with an irascible temper at a hotel in a New England town found that the dinner was not to his liking, and he had no hesitancy in telling the waiter so. Finally he threw down his knife and fork.

"Well," he exclaimed, "there's no use in talking. I can't eat this stuff."

"I'm sorry, sir," responded the waiter, "but you might as well, for you'll have to pay for it anyhow."—Detroit Free Press.

Not a Hardship.

"Do Mr. and Mrs. Wickelson, the people who live across the hall from you, ever disturb you at night by their quarrelling? I am told that they fight like cats and dogs."

"They do fight, but we are not disturbed in the least. My husband always permits me to let the transom down and listen without a protest."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Her Sarcasm.

"What branch of art does your friend prefer?" asked the young woman.

"I don't know," answered Miss Cayenne, "but I should say he is an impressionist."

"Has he produced anything remarkable in that line?"

"Yes; the impression that he is an artist."—Washington Star.

The Unpardonable Sin.

"Girls are getting awfully finicky." "What's the matter now?" "That girl refused me." "Did she give any reason?" "She says I made a pun while I was proposing to her."—Detroit Free Press.

His Old Habits Abandoned.

"It was too bad about Nell Richman's husband dying so suddenly, wasn't it?" "Did he die suddenly?" "Yes. Hadn't you heard about it?" "No. I thought he was from Philadelphia."—Chicago Times-Herald.

That Depends.

"What is the difference between a sharp man and a smooth rascal?" "Frequently there is no difference. The term depends upon whether you profit or lose by the operations of the man in question."—Chicago Post.

Dull Witted.

Borrowell—I can't imagine what you see in Smithkins. He's so very dull. Wigwag—He's sharp enough to cut you.—Philadelphia Record.

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The Inland Navigation Company (LIMITED)

The annual general meeting of The Inland Navigation Company, (Limited) will be held in the room (upstairs) in Mr. John McEachern building corner of Queen and King Streets, Charlottetown, on Thursday the 22nd of February next at 3 o'clock, p. m.

L. C. OWEN,
Secretary.

January 30th, 1900. eod t d.

To Contractors

Tenders addressed to Prowse Bros, Charlottetown, will be received up to the 19th March, for the erection of a brick store building 42x100 feet, three stories, in the town of Sydney, C. B. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications can be seen in Sydney at the Sydney Record Office, and here at the office of

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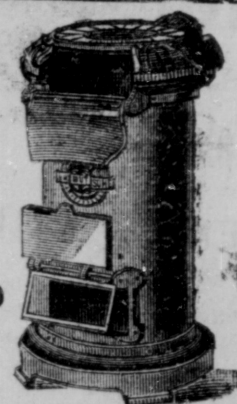
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